

CORRESPONDENCE containing important news will be readily received for publication in this paper...

Local Department.

-When in Bellefonte don't fail to visit Will Perlstein's Dry Goods store, the only exclusive dry goods store in the town.

-To-day (Tuesday) is Ascension day. -Mr. Fred Musser of State College, spent Sunday in town.

-Mr. Abe Baum, Bishop street is making extensive improvements to his property.

-Town was made melodious on Monday morning by Dot Leedle German band.

-Mr. Gottlieb Haag is building a new house on the corner of Penn street and Cherry alley.

-Dr. Brockerhoff spent several days in Bellefonte, and departed on Monday evening for his Pittsburgh home.

-Miss Lula Reese of Milesburg was buried on Friday last week. Her death was a peculiarly sad one.

-The duet of Messrs. Voris and Blanchard at the morning service of the Presbyterian church was grand.

-Ye ancient town of Logansville needs some kind of a boom, and ye editor of the Journal will no doubt have it booming ere long.

-Commencement exercises Thursday May 24th in the Public School, building, thirteen will be the number to graduate.

-Jacob Snavely of Penn township, died at his residence. He was over 70 years old, a member of the Evangelical church. He leaves nine children to survive him.

-Clarion borough has three candidates for Congress G. F. Kribbs, W. W. Greenland and A. J. Davis. It looks as though politics would be lively in Clarion this year.

-Mr. James Scott former pressman in the Gazette office of this place, is as happy as snibdy, it arrived last week and is doing well—a nice little boy. "Papa Scott" will see to the proper care of the little fellow.

-The heavy hand of affliction has again visited our editorial brother, Mr. Foidler of the Gazette, in the death of his little child. Death has twice invaded his household inside of a year. Encephalitis was the cause.

-We would suggest to the town council that they get limestone screenings for the street crossings in our borough, as we have plenty of this material it would not cost half as much as putting down stone crossings, and it makes an excellent crossing.

-Why dont our police see to it that boys and young men are stopped from playing ball in the public streets. Several accidents have happened of late. There is an ordinance to this effect we believe to prohibit the playing of ball in the streets, and the police ought to see that it is enforced.

-Millheim was founded in 1798 and proposes to hold a centennial. By all means let this be done. The progress of that ancient borough in the past few years has been wonderful, and its centennial should be properly celebrated. Don't let the matter fall through gentlemen, make the home of the mills known to the world.

-The Pennsylvania College at Gettysburg, has received a bequest of \$15,000 from Lieutenant Colonel John B. Brus, of the United States Army, for the erection of a chapel on the college grounds, to be known as the Brus Memorial, in commemoration of his parents. Steps for its early erection are being made.

-Says the Millheim Journal Mrs. Polly Wolf of near Rebersburg, a venerable lady, aged 86 years was at Millburg on Monday to attend the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Henry Gast, who died at that place on last Thursday. She returned yesterday morning and stopped in town to visit her daughter Mrs. Sallie Zeigler, on Penn street.

-Mr. John Cooney, son of Lawrence Cooney of this place, died on Tuesday last after a long illness. He was a plumber by trade and contracted what is termed blood poisoning. He formerly lived in Altoona but for the past year or so has been staying with his parents at this place. He leaves a wife and two pretty little children to mourn their loss. Interment in Catholic cemetery.

In Memory of Irene and Joseph Cadwell.

BELLEFONTE, May 7th. 88 -Irene, only daughter, of John and Catherine Cadwell died on Wednesday, April 18th -88, aged 7 yrs., 3mo., 21 days.

One week later occurred the death of their only son, Joseph, aged 2 yrs., 9 mo., and 21 days. Both these bright little children died of that dread disease membranous croup. It was, indeed, sad for the parents of these bright children to realize that death had robbed them of their household joy and pleasure. Irene a bright and lovable child at the hour of death called her parents and neighbors her side telling them that "she was going to God."

It is a consolation to the parents to know that the Good Shepherd gathered these little lambs to his breast, as a shepherd gathers his flock at eventide. "Oh think! the darlings of thy love, Divested of this earthly clod, Amid unnumbered angels, above, Bask in the bosom of their God. O'er thee with looks of love, they bend, For thee the Lord of life implore, And oft from angels bliss descend, This wounded quiet to restore. Thou wert their guardian angel here, They, guardian angels now to thee."

A FRIEND.

New Steam Gauge.

George W. Rodgers of Bellefonte says the Lock Haven Democrat who is a natural genius and inventor, and who took out a patent in January last for a steam gauge for his boilers, had since made an improvement on it and another patent will be issued on the 12th of the present month. Mr. Rodgers is in the city to-day on his way home from Philadelphia where he was in consultation with certain makers as to the manufacture of these gauges, which will be done by Belfield. Mr. Rodgers has already received a number of orders from various works, among them being the Akron iron works in Ohio, and expects soon to receive a big order from Carnegie. The model was made in New Haven, Connecticut, and is a handsome and perfect piece of machinery.

Swallowed a Four Leaf Clover.

A young lady residing on Front street Williamsport, is no longer as superstitious as she used to be. The Gazette and Bulletin says Sunday forenoon she determined to carry out certain directions insured to "make a wish come true". What she "wished" no one but herself knows, but her efforts to bring it about came near breaking her hold on life. The girl secured a healthy four leafed clover, which she endeavored to swallow without masticating. The effort was a failure, the clover remaining in the young lady's gizzard, and coming within an ace of causing strangulation. In order to save the victim future embarrassment her name is withheld.

Centennials to Come.

Bellefonte will have her Centennial in 1895. The town was commenced by James Harris and James Dunlap who owned the site.

Phillipsburg will have Centennial in 1897. The first house was built by John Simler, Henry and James Phillips laid out the town.

Millheim was laid out in 1798, and will therefore Centennial in 1898.

Potter's Mills will Centennial this year, first house was built in that place in 1788 by Gen. James Potter the ancient little town ought to have a big time in honoring her birth. She is one hundred this year, and no doubt the people of that little village will get up a nice celebration and have a good time of it.

A Babe Cremated.

On Wednesday night of last week at about 8 o'clock a house in South Phillipsburg, occupied by Mrs. Kinder a widow, took fire and burned to the ground and with it a 2 1/2 year old child. Mrs. Kinder had gone to a neighbor's for coal oil, leaving this child asleep in a bed-room down stairs and a five year old boy in charge of the house. She had not been away long until the little boy came running for his mother to tell her that the house was on fire, but by the time she reached the house it was all ablaze. She ran to the bed-room and hunted all around for the child, but could not find it, although it called "Mamma!"

This morning it was discovered that the child had been under the bed having no doubt fallen out. Mrs. Kinder burned her hand and face considerably and is almost wild with grief over the sad ending of her child. -Tribune.

-It is well for township supervisors to know that by a decision of the Supreme Court of this State a few days ago, they are held responsible for any damages to life and property by reason of allowing objects that are likely to frighten well-broken, road worthy horses such as piles of lumber etc., to litter the roads under their charge. The supervisors of a township in one of the Northwestern counties were sued for damages and had to pay for the horse and wagon, by a decision of the lower courts. They appealed but the Supreme Court confirmed the lower court's action.

-Centre county will come to the front with her Centennial in 1900 hundred and a big time is looked for.

-A fine lot of gold watches for sale, ask some of our citizens who purchased on Saturday, at the grand concert given by some street fakir.

-Chairman Williams is attending United States Court at Pittsburgh and his boom for the legislature is having its own sweet way during his absence.

-The street fakir who sold the gold watches last week to some of our well known citizens will be here on Friday to redeem them if there are any persons dissatisfied with their purchases.

-Mr. John Hays, Sr., who resides in the ridges some two or three miles beyond Milesburg died on Friday last, and was buried in the Catholic cemetery of this place on Sunday afternoon, he was about 80 years of age.

-The Hotel Men's Convention met in Pittsburgh this week. Our old friend C. G. McMillen, is down for a response to the toast. "The Hotels of Pittsburgh" Mac will do the subject justice as he is a very agreeable speaker.

-Daniel Leish of Zion was a caller at our office on Wednesday. He is a well preserved old gentleman with a record as a farmer of 59 years and one of the most successful farmers in the county, besides he is a sterling Democrat.

-The Sugar Valley Journal is very much elated over the expected prospects of a new railroad that is to be built through that section of Clinton county, we hope the Journal men will have the pleasure of taking a free ride on the road when it is completed.

-Why don't our school directors look after the interests of the public grounds a little more, on last Monday noon we counted no less than ten head of cows grazing on the nicely sodded grounds, do they intend to make a pasture field out of it? Why don't the janitor see that the cows are kept out.

-The wife of Yony Immel who lives down at the toll-gate on the Milesburg pike died on last Saturday evening and was buried on Monday. This sad and unexpected death leaves the husband with five small children; we sympathize with the bereaved father in this sad affliction. She was aged about 40 years.

-Mention was made last week in this paper in regard to William Ruble, taking "french leave" from our jail, he went over to his home some four or five miles from Centre Hall, stayed all night with his family and did some work around the house and returned the next day and is now serving out his term like a man.

-Millheim organized a Democratic Club on Wednesday. Good, old Centre is coming back to her democratic moorings. Harmony, concerted and energetic action with a good ticket fresh from the people, means victory in November. Let every Democrat in Millheim and Penn township join the new club, and we suggest that the club elect three delegates to the Democratic club convention at Harrisburg May 24.

-The girls at a fashionable boarding school in Philadelphia were ordered to be vaccinated. They refused to have the horrible cicatrice on the arm as it would be exposed when wearing sleeveless dresses and were all vaccinated on the calf of the leg. That's right and modest. Nobody would look for a vaccination mark on the leg, and as fashion has not yet decreed that her devotees shall go stockingless the girls are for the present safe.

-A godly number of new boardwalks are being laid and old ones are being repaired in all parts of our borough. This is a good sign. Perhaps in time it may be difficult for some one who wants to make a fortune out of the borough, to find a boardwalk over which to stumble. But this ought to have been done long ago and saved the borough some unnecessary expense, as we are informed that suit will be brought for damages sustained on one of the Bishop street walks.

-Our society editor was absent last week and the horse editor took his place, the way he mixed up the names of the Burnett-Curtin wedding would astonish the man who makes the hash at a first class hotel. It was very mortifying to us and confusing to the guests. Just think of Wit Moyer calling himself John Potter, or Lawrence Brown going home and insisting that he was William B. Mann of Philadelphia, simply because the horse editor mixed up the names. Funeral of the said editor this afternoon.

-The civil suit brought against the borough by Mr. James Milliken for damages to his property for \$2,000 dollars was settled last Friday in Civil Court in favor of the borough. This suit was brought about by Mr. Milliken, on account of Maj. Reynolds running his pavement on the lines of Linn and Allegheny street to its proper grade, which made Millikens pavement some eight or ten inches lower, the borough authorities made him come up to a level with the Reynolds pavement, costing him quite a sum to do so with for which he brought suit for the above mentioned damages, it was a well merited verdict.

-G. Haag may conclude to convert the Cummings House into four neat tenement houses. With a slight addition to the rear this could be accomplished and make four of the nicest and most convenient tenement houses on Bishop street. He would have no trouble to rent them at good figures.

The above is from a certain paper in town, and while we will not say it was written with the intention of injuring Mr. Haag's business yet it is calculated to do so. Mr. Haag may conclude to go to China, to run for president or buy the Gazette but it is not likely he will do either, nor is Mr. Haag going to make tenement houses out of his hotel. He is doing a nice business, sets an elegant table and has lots of boarders and transient guests. The traveling public will find the best of accommodations at the Cummings House, and at reasonable rates.

-Nothing takes in Bellefonte better than a fakir, and those who like to be swindled prefer an oily tounged long haired big batted and jewel bespangled swindler to any other. The fellow who held forth in the diamond on Saturday last and sold quack medicine and dummy watches, just raked in \$240, from the deluded and ever anxious to bite citizen. It was an enjoyable scene as we watched it from our office window, the way he gathered in the last quarter, or the solitary dollar of his victims was pleasure to see. We saw some of our subscribers who haven't smiled on us in years invest in the medicine, but as the poor fellows were ill we said nothing. Come again there's lots of the same kind of fellows here yet.

-We believe there is more building in progress on East Bishop street than in any other part of the town. Charles Crider, inspector of cars at the depot, is building a new house out there which will be comfortable and pretty. Mr. McCumpey is building a very pretty house on the same side of that thoroughfare. Mr. Graw is erecting what looks like a double house on the south side. Several other houses are in progress. There is now quite a row of pretty dwellings beyond the new school house on the street, and we notice one or two houses way beyond the Catholic cemetery. -Daily News.

Why bless your dear little gizzard Newt, the above mentioned buildings have been noticed in this paper some three weeks ago, and you only found out on Friday last that somebody was building on East Bishop street. You ought to make your visits more numerous on that thoroughfare if you wish to get fresh locals.

-We would like to see our citizens take some action in regard to a Fourth of July demonstration: this matter should be looked after, let every business man in town subscribe toward getting up an old fashioned celebration, such as we had on July Fourth, 1865, it will bring a big crowd to town, and the business men will be benefited by it. We would suggest that one of our fire companies take this matter in hand and see that all the necessary arrangements are made for the accommodation of at least ten or fifteen invited companies, and a grand parade we will have.

-The Pennsylvania Railroad company has a corps of engineers engaged in taking accurate levels of the elevations at various points along its lines for the purpose of establishing bench marks. These marks will indicate the elevation of the bench, above the sea level. These bench marks will be cut in the stone ledges and other permanent places along the line, and they will serve as sources of information for the people for all time to come.

-The viewers appointed by the Court, to view and vacate the Lewistown pike from this place as far as the Millin county line, being on top of the Seven mountains a distance of 16 miles from this place, making it a township road instead of a toll road, started on Tuesday morning for that purpose, and we hope the road will be made free.

-We are sorry to learn that Wm. McCafferty who has been a cripple for a number of years and who lives on Beaver street, had the misfortune to fall the other day while on his way to a neighbor and break his leg.

-That good natured landlord John G. Uzzle is always making somebody happy. This time it was Wesley Bloomer of the Fallen House, Lock Haven, and a golden carp 11 inches long was the cause of all this happiness.

-Mr. Hugh Taylor Jr., who has been confined to the house for some time nursing a bealing in his head, is able to be about again.

-The Street Commissioner has a gang of men at work on Allegheny street cleaning up and making it look like a street once more.

-The Bellefonte Furnace Company shipped last week 500 tons of iron and started on Monday with an order for 125 tons.

-Plenty of rain this week, garden things are looking fine.

-J. L. Spangler is off to the east.

Signal Station Established.

The Pennsylvania State College Agricultural Experiment Station has made arrangements with the State Weather Service to receive by telegraph the daily weather predictions of U. S. Signal Service, and to display the corresponding signal flags from the tower of the College building. These signals are as follows: No. 1, white flag, six feet square, always indicates clear or fair weather, no rain. No. 2, blue flag, six feet square indicates rain or snow. No. 3, black triangular flag, six feet at the base and six feet in length, always refers to the temperature. When placed above Nos. 1 or 2 it indicates warmer weather; when placed below Nos. 1 or 2 it indicates colder weather; when not displayed, the indications are that the temperature will remain stationary, or that the change in the temperature will not vary five degrees from the temperature of the same hour of the preceding day. No. 4, cold wave flag, six feet square, indicates the approach of a sudden and decided fall in the temperature. This signal is usually ordered at least 24 hours in advance of the cold wave. It is not displayed unless a temperature of 45 degrees or less, is expected nor is flag No. 3 displayed with it. The signals are arranged to read downward. The predictions will be received every morning about 9 a. m. and special predictions at other times, and the flags displayed promptly upon receipt of the predictions.

-A CLEVER SWINDLE.—We were interviewed by a fellow hailing from the sand mines of New Jersey, who ordered a 30 dollar job, contingent on the receipt of a check from a soap firm in Jersey City. The fellow was introducing a new soap "for sale by druggists only." He had a sweet melodious voice a classical lisp and pronounced soap "trippingly on the tongue" in direct violation of Hamlet's instructions to the players. After getting out of us an unassuming certificate that we were to print 18 thousand "thoap" circulars he interviewed each of the four druggists in town to the tune of two dollars each. We're not out any cash, but a little time. Our druggists however have been "thoaped." Look out for the "thoof thoap" man dear exchange.

Pine Grove.

The laying of the corner stone of the German Reformed church will take place on Sunday May 20 in the afternoon Rev. Snyder of Bellefonte will preach the sermon, all are invited to attend.

Miss Lydia Kustenborder daughter of Daniel Kustenborder died at her home on Saturday night May 5th of pneumonia, the funeral took place on Monday the 7th, age about 16 years.

Mr. George Knode, brother of Mrs. W. J. Meyers of Alexandria was in town on Monday.

Tusseyville.

Jack Weaver and wife of Seiglerville Millin county Pa. visited that lady's parents last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. David Fye. Mr. Weaver is a blacksmith by trade and formerly worked at this place.

-The Zion E. S. S. has a nice chapel organ on trial, which was placed in the church by W. C. Bunnel of Lewistown Pa.

W. F. Rockey the enterprising huckster of this place once in a while gets butter with tallow worked in the inside of it. This is very embarrassing to the young man, and no doubt he will know where he gets the tallow butter in the future.

W. A. Wagner a bright young man and solicitor for Weaver & Dinges of Bellefonte, spent a few days at court last week.

Quite a joke, bless your heart I didn't ask you to come to see me, I asked you to come to see us. DRZE.

-List of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office Bellefonte Centre County Penna. April 23 1888.

W E Abrams; Miss Laura Catherman; Mrs Erzile Cryder; Kate Fluey; Peter B Gehman; Wm. O. Hare; Walter Hores; H B Hutchison; E J Jones R H Robson; Miss Eva Samsell; Mrs J D Sill; Wm. Walker; Miss Bertie White.

Persons inquiring for letters named on the above list will please say advertised. JAMES H D. BRINN, P. M.

Notice.

The corner stone laying of the new Reformed church at Pine Grove Mills will take place on Sunday May 20th, at 2 o'clock p. m. the sermon for the occasion will be preached by the Rev. W. H. Snyder of Bellefonte, and a number of other ministers will be present to assist in the services. The public is cordially invited to be present. By order of Com.

-SPRING AND SUMMER SEASON 1888.—Full line of Cassimere, Scotch and Worsted Suitings—Cheaper than ready made. MONTGOMERY & CO. Tailors.

-Blank oaths of office for sale at the DEMOCRAT office.

-Collectors sale bills, at the DEMOCRAT office.

-Smiles, smiles, nothing but smiles, ask District Attorney J C Meyer, what causes all this smiling, he can explain all. It arrived one day last week and a pump little girl it i.

-Mr. James Schofield is working night and day on harness, and sending them all over the central part of the state, but is still able to supply home customers. However he desires to say to those who are in need of harness that their orders should be left early in order to insure delivery at the appointed time. Jim is tired lying about "when their harness will be done" and desires to get rid of his propensity to lie. To do this it is important that he have more time on each set of harness. If you want to help break up Schofield's bad habit order your harness at once.

-John Powers of the Arcade Shoe store is offering at bed rock prices the finest sole leather ever brought to town. Any one in need of or desiring to purchase first class sole leather should call and examine Mr Power's stock before purchasing elsewhere. From seventy five to ninety sides to select from. In addition to the sole leather you will find anything in the boot and shoe line, from the baby shoe to a pair of No. 17 gum boots. Powers' Arcade shoe store, Bush Arcade.

-We have just received a copy of the ADVERTISERS' MANUAL, a neat compact volume designed for the use of general advertisers, and published by Remington Brothers, Newspaper Advertising Agents Pittsburgh Pa. This book contains in very convenient form a carefully revised list of the leading papers of the United States and Canada. The best papers of each class and locality have been selected and their circulations stated as accurately as possible. In Pennsylvania Ohio, and West Virginia, the territory covered by the Penna. Ohio and W. Va. Press Association, of which this firm are the specially appointed agents, the list is full and complete including every paper insuring advertisements. The book also includes properly classified lists of the best agricultural, Religious, Scientific and Trade publications and leading magazines, which afford the best possible mediums for reaching specific classes of trade, also lists of the leading Political Dailies and Weeklies. All the lists are catalogued by towns in alphabetical order, and in the General List the population is given of each town and of the county in which it is located, indicating the county seat. The book contains a large amount of information invaluable to the business man who contemplates the use of "printers ink," and its concise and compact arrangement make this information readily available; a point which busy men appreciate. We notice several new features in the present volume which indicate constant progress and improvement.

-In a domestic quarrel John Hartman, who lives about five miles south of York, Wednesday week struck his wife, Elizabeth Hartman, aged 35 years, in the temple, above the left ear with a stool, from the effects of which she died on Saturday. Hartman is under arrest.

Itching Piles.

SYMPTOMS.—Moisture; intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals the ulceration, and in many cases removes the tumors. It is equally efficacious in curing all skin Diseases. Dr. Swayne & Son, Proprietors, Philadelphia. Swayne's Ointment can be obtained of druggists. Sent by mail for 50 cents. 10-19-14.

BELLEFONTE MARKET.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Wheat, Mixed Wheat, Buckwheat, Rye, Corn, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Potatoes, Apples, Cherries, Currants, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Flour, Meal, Oats, etc.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. COUNTY OF CENTRE. In the Court of Common Pleas, No. 203, August Term, 1887. James E. Minne, Plaintiff vs. John B. Linn, Defendant.

You are hereby notified that I will attend to the business of the above appointment at the office of John B. Linn, at 10 o'clock A. M. on Tuesday June 10th A. D. 1888, at 10 o'clock A. M. when and where you may attend if you see proper. Wm. J. Strick, Commissioner.