VOL 11.

# BELLEFONTE, PA., THURSDAY, OCT. 17, 1889.

# The Centre Democrat.

CHAS. R. KURTZ. - - - EDITOR.

#### TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

Regular Price - - -\$1.50 per year. When Paid in Advance -\$1.00 \*\* \*\* When subscriptions are not paid inside of three years \$2.00 will be charged.

# **Democratic County Ticket.**

ASSOCIATE JUDGE : THOMAS F. RILEY, of Harris twp. PROTHONOTARY L. A. SCHAEFFER. of Bellefonte.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY J. CALVIN MEYER. f Bellefonte

COUNTY SURVEYOR GEORGE D. JOHNSON. of Howard. FOR CORONER:

Dr. J. W.NEFF, of Snow Shoe.

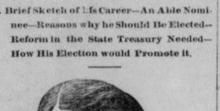
13"" The Grand Jury beg leave to remind the Commissioners that the yard in front of the Court House is in a shabby condition, and is being used as a play ground, disfigured by pitching quoits; and we are also informed that the Court House has been granted for holding exhibitions, band meetings etc., which we discountenance, asthis is a MISUSE OF THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS."

# Editorial.

sonally.

a man. If that is true, it will take a dozen more like Fleming to make a good prothonotary.

cast and success is assured.



EDMUND A. BIGLER.

-

TREASURER.

he Centre



### EDMUND A. BIGLER.

In this column appears a good cut of

Edmund A. Bigler, the man whom the Democracy ask the people to support for the office of State Treasurer this year. He was born in Clearfield, in August, 1843. He is the son of Hon. William Bigler, Governor of the State from 1852 to 1855, and United State Senator from 1856 to 1861. Mr. Bigler has DID you get one of Lawrence Brown's always been engaged in business purtemperance tracts ? If not apply per- suits and never held a political office until appointed Collector of Twenty-third Internal Revenue District by President THEY say it takes nine tailors to make Cleveland. July 1st. 1885. He was removed by President Harrison on May 31st, 1889.

Treasurer is a man without a stain upon THE Democratic party never was in his name. His integrity is a household SAN management of the State Treasbetter shape in Centre county than this word wherever he is known and his ury. year. We must see that a full vote is moral and political virtues stand forth prominently as examples for others to follow. The name of Bigler ought to Utah, by burning their houses at night three years. In religious faith she was he forgot himself and let the Two years ago there were \$38,000 in cause a thrill to stir the hearts of the the county treasury. To-day the coun- Democracy, especially the older portion dozen of their fallen sisters the other ty is in debt and the taxes have been of them who so well remember Mr. night should be summarily dealt with. raised \$8,000 by the Republican Board Bigler's father, the Governor. At the They could not be induced to treat the time he was Governor of Pennsylvania fallen of the other sex in this manner his brother, John Bigler, was Governor COBURN says he and Chairman Brown of California. Both were printers and doubtless give hysterical sympathy to "set up" the nomination of Mich Mus- self-made men, and the two great Com- the poor, dear, fallen drunkard, but creser. Every body knew that on the day monwealths, the "Keystone" and the mate the ruined members of their own "Golden State," were never better gov. sex. Although one wretched creature erned or managed than under the administration of the Bigler brothers. was repeated the next evening, and these Hon. William Bigler, the Pennsylvania | angelic "reformers" continue to attempt refused appointments in Centre county Governor, and the father of Edmund the work of arson and murder on the was because they were not politicians A., was afterwards United States Sena- wholesale plan. Heaven be praised "reand of the stripe of the Bellefonte ring. tor at a time when the Senate comprised formers" of that color are not plenty. many of the ablest and most brilliant men in the nation, and served with high credit to himself and State. The nominee for State Treasurer has neverheld any public office, except the one he has just retired from, that of Revenue Collector for the Twenty-First afterwards the Nineteenth district, with headquarters at Allegheny and Pitts- elected to their seats, but undoubtedly burg, the duties of which he discharged in the most capable and honorable manner. Mr. Bigler is a clear-headed, able LAWRENCE BROWN is pretending to man, possessing strong common sense be a Prohibitionist, by sending temper- of the highest order. He has been an legislature being Democratic the Demoance tracts to Democrats; next we ex. active Democratic worker for the past crats will have 39 members in the Senpect to see him holding a revival with a twenty years and merits the warmest ate. supply of enthusiasm in his hip pocket. support of the party. He was a delegate in the convention that nominated General Hancock for President and are trying to make up for their defeat of he a detective too. Oh my! served as a member of the National the Amendment last spring by THE debt of the borough of Bellefonte committee in 1884. He is a man in the increase. It is proper to remark here Let the Democracy of Pennsylvania such earnest Prohibition workers why that the Republicans have been in con- resolve to elect Mr. Bigler as they did did they allow the Amendment to be

State has only one-balf million dollars security for more than two and one-half million dollars thus deposited.

THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE FOR STATE 5. Because, with more than one million and a half of uninvested surplus in the Sinking Fund and no loans due or Johnstown soon, A Brief Sketch of Lis Career-An Able Nomi reimbursable, the Republican Sinking | Ed. Greist intends going to Pittsburg nee-Reasons why he Should Be Elected -- Fund Commissioners (of whom a Re- in a short time, where he will take a a million of United States bonds that City College. were earning four per cent. interest for

> already swollen Treasury. 6. Because, not counting the proceeds | same city. of these Government bonds, which were th se Republican officials had purchased eight hundred and two thouand dollars

in the Legislature refused to stop this J. W. Hoover; A. S., L. Rich; W., G. flow into the Sinking Fund when it wa L. Lovell. The subordinates were duly shown to be enormously greater than the requirements of said fund.

8. Because the Sinking Fund Commissioners, to-wit : C. W. Stone, Secretary of State ; Thomas McCamant, Auditor General, and W. B. Hart, State Treasurer, are all "Republicans; and it would be for the best interests of all the people that the taxpayers, half a million at least in number, who have named Edmund A. Bigler for State Treasuser. should be represented. (in obedience to the well established principle of MI-NORITY REPRESENTATION.) in the management of the moneys belong-

ing to all the people. 9. Because the safe-keeping of the public moneys raised by general taxa- A. N. Russell, who survives her in his private but of public concert, and should not be connected with partisan politics. and much less be made the personal and private affair of a factional Boss ; and the election of Mr. Bigler would be a The Democratic nominee for State wise step in the direction of a much needed reform, to-wit: NON-PARTI-

> THE female "reformers" who are "reforming" the fallen women of Ogden,

# Unionville Items Exit-Ice cream. Apple butter is ripe.

Oysters have come to the front. Frank McCoy talks of moving to

publican State Treasurer was one) sold thorough business course in the Iron

Gene dall is clerking in a drug store the State, and added the proceeds to the at Harrisburg. John Brugger is interested in a large book concern in the

Nellie Rumberger has gone to take sold at less than market rate, and after charge of a school at Armagast's school house, in Benner township.

The following officers of Lumin Milesburg, viz: N. G., L. J. Bing; V. 7. Because the Republican majority G., J. T. Barton; T., A. J. Greist; S., appointed and promptly accepted their appointments.

> The question that is now agitating the minds of the people is. will the Prohibitionists support their ticket.

There is a fine opportunity for the Republicans to redeem their pledges by of Mich Musser was the work of this voting for W. P. Fisher, Sr., for Associate Judge.

Mrs. A. N. Russell died at the residence of her son-in-law, T. E. Greist, on last Saturday morning, aged 75 years. 9 months and 24 days, and was interred in the cemetery one mile west of Unionville, on Monday following. Deceased was born at Whitestown, Adams county, in 1813 and in 1836 was married to very prolific in branches, there being on-Dr. E. A. Russell, Mrs. T. E. Greist

# COBURN'S GIVE-AWAY.

Pemocrat.

HOW THE REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICK. ET WAS MANUFACTURED.

Coburn and Chairman Brown Set Up the Candidate for Associate Judge-Had no Good Candidate and Musser Was Selected -The Machine Candidate Not the Choice of the People.

has pointed out and exposed the ma- his ashes. chine methods in operation in the Republican party of Centre county. That the patronage of the party is in the worth (par) of undue State loans at a Lodge, No. 639, I. O. O. F., of Union- dent and has been proven more than price above the then market rate, there ville, were installed on last Saturday once in our columns. It is not necesmade recently. The Republican ticket liberally. was a complete sham as far as the choice framing of the "Poodle Bosses" who control the Republican party of Centre | for the other districts. county, while the voters must stand by and vote as ordered. The nomination ring and every body knew it on the day of the convention. We have frequently

pointed out the fact to the people and for the benefit of such as do not understand the inner workings of the Republican party will relate an event which occurred in town on Monday forenoon of this week.

James P. Coburn, Esq., of Aaronsburg, was in town on Mondav and droption upon the property of the citizens of 82nd year. The family tree was not ces where a number of Democrats were ped into one of our prominent law offiassembled. Jim, as usual did a big ly four children born to them, all of part of the talking which finally turned whom survive her, and are as follows: upon local politics, in which he takes great interest. One of the Democrats, and Mrs. Andrew Thompson, of Un- acquainted with Coburn's weaknessionville, and Mrs. Rev. B. Henchey, of much talk-made Coburn believe he Philinsburg. Each of the above named (Coburn) was a big gun and carried the have but one child born to them; she Republican party of the county in his if sent in good faith, indicates a very therefore leaves an aged husband, four vest pocket. This touched the tender decided change of base of that gentlechildren and four grand children to chord in the would be Colonel and he man. mourn her departure, and her's is the talked more freely. When asked how first death occuring in the family in fifty he managed to have Musser nominated

Obituary.

Jackson Clevenstine died in Hublersburg September 24th, 1889, aged 72 vears, 8 months and 24 days. He died very suddenly of paralysis while sitting in his arm chair. A few hours before his summons came, he opened the church as usual for services and also carried a pitcher of water over into the church. He was sexton of the Trinity Reformed church for 14 years-always at his post of duty. He was an old and respected citizen of Hublersburg and will be-For the past month the DEMOCRAT missed by all who knew him. Peace to

#### A FRIEND.

#### An Appeal.

Strong appeals for help from the school authorities of Johnstown and the remained in the Treasury over a million night by Dept. P. G., Geo. Taylor, of sary either to read the papers, for any Valley have reached me. Their need of one with a grain of intelligence will dis- help is extreme and I trust that teachcover the same fact by studying the ers schools and friends of education Republican ticket and the appointments in general, will respond promptly and

> Please send contributions to Prof. D. of the party was concerned and was the M. Lieb, Bellefonte, designating how much is for Johnstown and how much

#### D. M. WOLF, County Supt.

Geese Killed by Rattlesnakes.

A farmer on Bullskins Prairie had a drove of 12 half-grown geese killed and swallowed by rattlesnakes East of Hartford City, Indiana, a few days age-The geese were observed early in the day by a gang of telephone men at work. and their strange actions were commented on, but the cause was not discovered until toward evening, when the one remaining goose was rescued from a circle of rattlesnakes and several of the reptiles were killed, and their bellies distended with the geese they had swallowed. One of the rattlers was an enormous fellow, about 5 feet in length.

CHAIRMAN BROWN is sending temperance tracts to Democrats this fall. Such documents from Lawrence Brown.

-Loeb's clothing store has anything you may want in that line.

of commissioners.

of the convention. Fleming's nomination was accomplished the same way.

THE reason so many old soldiers were They were good enough soldiers and Republicans but they did not join in with the right faction of the party.

SCHAEFFER was raised on a farm and is a deserving young man in every respect. He is a plain every day man and no starchy, aristocratic fellow. He speaks german very readily which is a very important thing to many of our people.

This would be consistent with his recent manouvers.

is now \$160,000 and is steadily on the prime of life, being but 46 years old. trol of the borough affairs for many Col. Noyes, "Old Square Timber," overwhelmingly defeated when they years without interruption .- Clinton some years ago. Democrat.

The county Treasury had a surplus of \$38,000 two years ago when the Democratic Board went out. The Republican commissioners have squandered that amount and raised the taxes over \$8,000 this year. These fellows are bad men taxation has largely exceeded the needs

DURING the past week hundreds of Treasury vaults. Prohibition tracts were mailed to Democratic voters of Centre county asking we are told, are in secret combine with years. the Prohibitionists this year to defeat the Democratic ticket. These fellows cellar to bribe voters, same as was done last fall. They had that place for the base of supplies and they find it works gain. admirably.

# TREASURY REFORM.

# and why the Election of Edmund A.

Bigler will promote it.

1. Because under Republican rule when they get a chance at the "boodle." of the State, and vast sums of money have improvidently gathered into the

2. Because Republican officials have failed to use or invest these moneys as them to vote this fall as they did for the law directs, and the State has lost a the Amendment. They were mailed large sum, amounting to nearly one from the Republican headquarters, who, quarter of a million dollars in two

3. Because, at the command of a political boss, these surplus funds of the are busy distributing temperance docu- State are deposited with favorite banks, ments and on election day will have a corporations and firms, in sums ranging barrel of whiskey in the Gazette office from ten thousand to six hundred thousand dollars, to be used for his private political advantage, and their private

under any circumstances. They would was fatally burned the incendiary firing and the fact that these fiends are brutal and lawless is no reflection on the good and pure of that sex to which we are indebted for our mothers.

THE next Congress will stand 169 Republican to 161 Democrats, allowing all the Democrats who are returned several of them will be denied seats. The Senate will stand 45 Republican to 37 Democrats with Montanna yet in doubt. In the event of the Montana

sending out Prohibition documents to Democrats in this county. If they are have 80,000 majority in the State ? If railroad travel a luxury the Pennsylvania they are in earnest this fall why don't Railroad Company has always been a they send their documents to members pioneer. The handsome finish and com-Why Reform in the State Treasury is Needed of their own party? Democrats, do you fort of its ordinary cars almost render see their trick ?

### A New Enterprise.

Down at the glass works a new enterprise has sprung into existence and attractions to its palace car sytem and is known as the Bellefonte Fuel and Supply Co. The firm, we are told, consists of Thos. A. Shoemaker and Joseph L. Montgomery. They occupy the large building fomerly used as a steel plant, and partitioned the interior into coal bins, grain bins, storage rooms for coal oil and other goods. The beauty of their coal sheds is that they are inside the building and are free from snow or rain. Their office which has been repapered and furnished is connected by phone with the exchange Joseph L. Montgomery is the manager and salesmen of the firm. Joe is a live and wide awake business man and ha

4. Because, in these transactions, the vim that always insures success.

a Presbyterian and was highly respected and much beloved by all who knew her. And now as the mountains and hills surrounding our beautiful village, are handsomly and gorgeously decked in ring methods of that party. funeral attire, she is taken from the tide of her husband, with whom she had been sailing over life's tempestuous sea for a period of over fifty-three years asked if there was a man in that section and her mortal remains laid quietly to of the county who would make a good rest. May she rest in peace.

OWLL.

## A Sharp (?) Detective,

An Altoona detective went to Philadelphia and while there was victimized by a couple of bunco sharps who relieved him of \$37, all the money he had. And they did it in the regular old chestnut way. One of them met him on the street and shook hands with him and made him believe he knew him, and then they went to a saloon and got a drink and the second sharper rushed up with an express bill and sharper No. 1 hadn't the money, and the Altoona detective loaned him \$27, and the sharper gave him a worthless check for \$704 as security until to-morrow, and then they parted and the next day the sharper didn't come around to the hotel with the \$27, as agreed, and when the Altoona man came to investigate the \$704 THE Republican county committee check wasn't worth two hurrahs, and

LUXURY IN RAILROAD TRAVEL.

#### The Pennsylvania's New York and Chicago Limited Express.

In those improvements which make the old drawing-room car superfluous. Probably that is the reason the corporation has added new accommodations such as have never before been dreamed. of in the philosophy of the rail. Bathrooms have been added to the sleepingcars, with female attendants for lady passengers. A drawing-room car, handsomely fitted with rockers and other easy chairs, has been placed in the rear of the sleepers, in which persons taking berths can ride while their beds are being prepared. Barber-shops are provided for men, and arrangments have been made to receive stock quotations on the day trains. So a traveler can now have 'as many conveniences and luxuries on a Pennsylvania train as he can obtain in his own home or hotel .- World.

-Subscribe for the DEMOCRAT.

CAT OUT OF THE BAG.

The story was told us by one present, tisement. immediately after, and shows up the

Coburn said he came to Bellefonte a few days before the convention and met Chairman Brown. He said Brown candidate for Associate Judge. This surprised Coburn as Messrs. George Dale, William Thompson, Mr. Rishel and others, were candidates. Brown answered to Coburn that they

DID NOT HAVE A GOOD CANDIDATE.

The men who were candidates evidently did not suit Brown. Coburn then suggested Mich Musser and the Chairman said he would do very well and would give him the nomination. Chairman Brown then went, on his own responsibility, and had Musser's announcement inserted in the Republican and Gazette, without Musser's knowledge or consent. Brown and, Coburn set to work and in a few days before the convention notified all the local leaders in sympathy with the Bellefonte bosses, that Musser must be supported. Coburn then related how he gave Musser a big send off in the convention, the "boys" stood by him and Brown, and Musser was nominated in spite of al opposition. Jim considered it quite : fine piece of political engineering and felt proud of the part he took.

This was related in the presence of half dozen Democrats, among them were Henry Duck, 'Squire Herring, Wm. Harper and others, who will endorse every word of the above story.

This simply shows that Lawrence Brown, as chairman of his party, took an active part to defeat Messrs. Dale, Rishel, Thompson and others because, as he said, they would not make good candidates. Is this not an abuse of his position ? Was he elected Chairman to crowd men out of nominations or was he chosen to fulfil the demands of the party? Brown announced Musser and his machine forced the nomination. Musser, the head of the ticket, was the machine dandidate. Fleming, the favorite of the ring, beat Mattern, and Billy Gray was put on the ticket, for District Attorney, by the ring, for trading stock to elect Fleming. The entire ticket was ground out by the Bellefonte politicians and the party must endorse it. and the second second

### Fifteen Cents

Will pay for the CENTRE DEMOCRAT for over two months. Send in your

-Presents given away at Camp & Naginey's furniture store-see adver-

--Powers' shoe store is filled from end to end with an im menese stock of goods. Prices most rea sonable-

-Walter Lembkey left on Tuesday morning for Washington, D. C., where he expects to remain. Walter was an assistant in the Recorder's office and was an efficient clerk.

Dig in the Ribs.

If on the right side and lower part of the diaphragm, though playfully meant and delivered is calculated to en voke profanity from a chappy whose liver is out of order. When that region is sore and congested, pokes secon fiendish. Look at a man's countenance ere you prod him under the ribs. If his skin and eyeballs have a sallow tinge, you may infer also that his tongue is furred his breath apt to be sour, that he has pains not only beneath his ribs, but also under the right shoulder-blade Also, that his bowels are irregular and his di-gestion impared. Instead of making a jeruse demonstration on his ribs. recur reput him to take and steadily persist in taking. Hostetter's Stomach Blitters, the finers anti-billious and alterrive medicine extant. In-comparable is it. also, for dyspepsia, rheuma-tism, nervousness, kidney trouble, and fever and agne. and ague

#### Bellefonte Grain Market.

#### Corrected weekly by Geo. W. Jackson &Co.

e	White wheat, per bushel	
Ē	Read wheat, per bushel	
Ł.,	Rye, per bushel	11617
1	Corn, cars per bushel	1999
•	Corn, shelled per bushel	8882
8	Oats-new per bushel	6556
	Barley, per bushel	1225
1	Buckwheat, per bushel	10.1
	Cloverseed, per bushel	<b>新新</b> 男
	Ground plaster, per ton	94
3	manufacture construction and and an and a	
	The day have been been been been been been been be	21
	Potatoes per bushel	CONCERNS.

1000	TERM THEIR STREET TO CONSIST AND ADDRESS AND ADDRESS A
1999	ard, per pound and and and and and and and and and a
2000	ountry Shoulders
100	Sides
	HAMAS
1.24	allow, per pound
86.2	atter, per pound
6	nions, per bush el
100	urning per bashel

# UDITOR'S NO TICE

A.D. see proper and prever debarred the

D. F. FORTNEY, Auditor

# UDITORS NOTICE

in forever debay