The Centre Democrat.

THURSDAY, FEB. 11, 1892.

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THE RACKET

Sunday, Feb. 14th, is St. Valentine's Day according to the almanac and U are at liberty to send the The first sessions were held at Millheim tender missive either on Saturday, the 13th or Monday, the 15th. We have the largest and finest line of ranged for these various meetings and Comic and Sentimental Valentines in the city. -Take a peep at them in South window and front show case.

3160 Yards of Ribbon in all the new and desirable shades-just opened.

2280 Yards of Gingham came to us today and will go to U on a double quick at Racket prices.

1400 Pairs of Shoes were crowded into the store during the past week and this department is BRISTLING WITH BARGAINS.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

-He stuck in the mud.

Who? Little Francy Spear, at Boalsburg.

-"Midnight alarm" on Friday evening of this week.

-Sheriff Ishler has eight boarders in his stone mansion on the hill.

-D. F. Fortney, Esq., has been on the sick list the past few days.

-Henry Brockerhoff has been on the sick list during the past week.

-Banker Geo. W. Jackson and son Harry left for New York on Monday. -Grip cases are growing less in num-

ber and the epidemic has gradually subsided.

-"Stick-in-the-mud" Spear, since he dare not associate with the Admiration poor and half starved peasants of Rus-Society, is trying to court the Milesburg | sia girls.

-Ed. Shaeffer, of Everette, Pa., arrived in town on Tuesday morning and ed but they were expensive and meant quaintances here.

-Prof. P. H. Meyer, the musician, of Boalsburg, who held five big convenrenew his subscription.

-A large brick building is in the course of erection back of Lyon & Co's. store. It will be rented by A. Baum for a livery and feed stable.

-Last week a burglar broke into the ter advantages for obtaining an educa- clation for about 37 years.

FARMERS' INSTITUTES.

HELD IN THE COUNTY LAST WEEK.

Gov Pattison at Boalsburg and Howard-Interesting Meetings Held-Large Attendance Everywhere.

Last week the Farmers' Institutes held in different sections of our county attracted more than usual attention. on Monday and Tuesday. Owing to an affliction with the grippe, Hon. John A. Woodward, of Howard, who arcontributed much to their success. could not be present. Other members of the State Board of Agriculture, as announced in the program previously published, were in attendance and took up the subjects allotted to them for discussion. We will not go into detail

but will say that the addresses delivered bore entirely upon matters relating to the farm and gave many valuable deas to those who assembled on this occasion. Several Profs. from Penna. State College were present and gave insteresting talks upon farm topics.

INSTITUTE AT BOALSBURG. On Wednesday morning the same corps of instructors made their appearance at Boalsburg where they were greeted by a large audience that assembled in the M. E. church. The room was handsomely decorated in front with plants, flowers, fruit and various other products from the farm. Prof. P. H. Meyer was on hand with a well drilled choir to enliven the meetings with choice music. The attendance was very large at the opening session which shows that the community contains many prosperous and intelligent farmers. Gov. Pattison arrived on the Wednesday evening train and addressed the meeting that evening. The fact that he would be present was known but a short time previous but it had the effect of drawing to the evening session a packed houze. The Gov. spoke of the bountiful crops of the past season and how it prevented the financial panic that threatened most business. As there is plenty and to spare, he advised the farmers to sell their crops to relieve the

He referred to the road question and for them. Public funds were paid by noon the individual and all state appropria-

tions this year, called on Wednesday to tions, although most of it comes from corporations, they in turn make the

Recent Deaths

This week it becomes our duty to re- | Henry Davis, a Quarryman, seriously injured cord the death of one of Bellefonte's

old and respected citizens, Captain A. B. Snyder, who passed away from the Davis, of this place, was engaged in scenes of this life at his home, this taking out building stone at the quarry place, on last Saturday morning. He along the pike near Valentines furnace. had been in declining health for some He used dynamite for blasting loose the time and his death was due to an attack rocks. It was a cold morning and the of the grip. He was in his 68th year. explosive was frozen and could not be Captain Snyder was an old war veteran, used until warmed up. He laid two having served through the Mexican sticks weighing about a half pound, war. When the rebellion broke out he near a fire to thaw up. An explosion organized a company of three months' soon followed which hurled Mr. Davis men, joining the Fourth Regiment. He some distance. When he was picked re-enlisted as captain of Company G, up it was found that he was severely in-51st Regiment, for three years in 1861, jured about the face and head which but resigned at Newberne, North Caro- was badly cut and bruised, and he was lina, on account of a disease contracted injured in other parts of his body. Dr. in the swamps. He was elected lieu- Harris was summoned who rendered tenant of the Twenty-third Emergency what medical assistance was necessary. Regiment, and served as provost marshal Mr. Davis was taken to his home on at different places By trade he was a North Allegheny street and from last tailor and engaged in that business here accounts is steadily improving. for many years. The funeral occurred on Tuesday afternoon and was conducted by the order of Free Masons.

AN OLD CITIZEN GONE.

Daniel Durst died at the the home of his son Alfred, near Potters Mills, on Saturday morning, Jan. 30, at the ad- to have been sustained by them through cer on the side of his face caused his company in the matter of coal rates. death. Mr. Durst is the last of a family of brothers, who were born in Potter township, and were pioneers in clearing the forests and turning the new ground into productive farms-among these were George, Peter and William Durst. Daniel lived in Potter twp, all his life time, and was the owner of one of the finest farms in it. Reverses and the depreciation of real estate subsequently brought him to reduced circumstances. He was a hard-working, industrious farmer in his life-time. He leaves a widow and six children, all married, to mourn his death. His children are Alfred, James and Samuel, residents of Potter township; a married daughter in Lock Haven, and two sons, Aaron and forenoon.

DEATH OF SARAH GILL.

DEATH OF ROBERT SMITH. Robert J. Smith died at his home near Farmers Mills, on Feb. 3, aged 57 people pay the same. He said the state years, 1 month and 1 day. Mr. Smith appropriation for public sthoools was in- was sick with la grippe which turned tended not to take the place of the into lung fever and he died after about present school tax, but to improve the ten days sickness. He was a very acpublic schools and give the children bet- tive member of the Evangelical Asso-

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION.

on Tuesday

TO BE USED AT THE NEW On Tuesday morning Mr. Henry POLLING BOOTHS.

Material to be Used in the Construction of the Compartments, Guard Rails and Boxes-A Clerk's Blunder,

THE FURNITURE.

The commission created by the Baker allot law has sent to each board of county commissioners in the state a description of the shelves or compartments, guard rails and ballot boxes recently dopted by the commission. The material of the shelves or compartments is to be of clear, seasoned white pine. The limit of cost is to be \$4.75 for the first or original shelf or compartment made for each election district and \$3.50 for each additional one. The guard rail is to be of non-welded chain and to cost not exceeding 32 cents per lineal foot, or \$4.80 for the entire outfit delivred at the

droper county seat.

Messers. Hoover & Miller, until re-The ballot boxes are to be made of cently coal dealers in this place, have ash, well seasoned and kiln dried and in brought an action in Huntingdon county | the best manner as to work manship and against the Pennsylvania railroad com- finish and properly varnished outside. pany to recover heavy damages averred The limit of cost of the ballot boxes has been fixed at three dollars per box comvanced age of eighty-three years. Can- the unlawful discrimination of said plete, delivered at the county seat, and the expense thereof is to be borne by the county, no provision having been made by the state to pay for any of the apparatus which may be necessary except the

shelves or compartments and the guard

The commission recommends to the other dealers in Bellefonte between the county commissioners that they prosame shipping points for 30 cents per cure ballot boxes of the size and kind ton. This low rate, it is claimed, was described above. But one box will be required for each election district. As and the favored shippers, and this dis- to the manner of payment for shelves or crimination against them was unlawful compartments and guard rails the a large and convenient store building county commissioners and treasurers with ware house thereon, I offer the are respectfully referred to section twenty of the Baker ballot law.

An error has been discovered in the twenty-eighth section of the law which

may affect its constitutionality. The section as agreed upon in conference committee and adopted by senate and house, and as sent to the transcribing room read that "each voter's name shall be checked on the voting check list by the officer having charge thereof as soon as he has cast his vote in the manner now provided by law." In transcribing this law the clerk put in the word "not" so that the bill as it was compared by the committee to compare bills signed by the governor, reads "each voter's name shall not be checked on the voting check list by the officer having charge thereof;" completely destroying the sense and providing directly the contrary from what was intended. The error was not discovered for some time and in printing the pamphlet laws it has been printed just as the governor signed it.

Section twenty-nine, however, to a

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Issaed During the Past Week-TakenFrom the Docket.
{ David Dorman, Feidler. Rosa J. Wolf, Woodward.
George Keller Bellefonte. Ellie Immel "
(Harry Sanders, Bellefonte, Ella Keys, Altoona.
§ F. M. Fisher Penn Hall. Annie M. Keller, - Centre Hall.
S. C. E. Kreamer, Milesburg.
6 Geo: Baldwin, State College. Minnie E. Neidgih, -
S Grant Dyke, Milesburg. Anna B. Gingher, "
5 Jeremiah O. Martin, - Haines twp 7 Kate Lose,

Democratic Cancus Meetings.

The democrats of Bellefonte boro will old cancus meetings on Saturday evening at 7 o'clock, as follows:

For the North Ward in the Arbitration room.

For the South Ward in the Register's office, in the court house.

For the West Ward in the Watchan office.

-Big cut in ready made clothing, overcoats, etc., at the Philad. Branch to dispose of the balance of winter stock. You can buy overcoats at and below cost.

Wanted.

4,000 bushels of good, clean, white pats; market price-cash.

BELLEFONTE FUEL & SUPPLY CO. (Office at old Snow Shoe coal yard.)

Store Room for Rent.

Having purchased the David Solt property, at Zion, Pa., and there being same for rent. Possession given April 1st, '92. This is a good location for the right party to establish a prosperous business. For further particulars ad-JOHN COLE. dress.

Zion, Pa.

Public Sales.

All public sale bills printed at this office will receive a free notice of same under this heading. Persons having their bills printed at other offices can have the same inserted in this column by paying fifty cents.

MARCH 9th-At the residence of L. G. Swartz, on the Jesse Swartz farm, one mile east of Hublersburg, nine horses and colts, eight milch cows, five head young cattle, one Short horn bull, nine shoats, lot of sheep, and all kinds of farming implements. Sale at 10a. m. kinds of farming imple A. C. McClintic, auct.

FEBRUARY L-Nathan E. Markle will sell at the residence of Samuel Markle, one mile east of Bellefonte, a lot of good household furbiture. Sale at 1 p. m. J. C. Derr, auct.

FERBUARY 27th-At the residence of Wesley Breen, 3 miles south of BelleIonte, along the Pike leading to Pleasant Gap, one good cow, lot of hay and household furniture. Sale at 1 p. m. J. C. Derr, auct.

MARCH 11-At the residence of B. S. Winkle-man. ¼ mile south of Nittany Ha'l, 4 good horses, one a fine driver. 2 Fercheon colts, 4 mileh cows. 5 head of young cattle, 4 shoats, brood sow, and all kinds of farm implements. sale at 10 a. m. sharp. A. C. McClintie, auct.

Singing School,

a class, providing fifty pupils can be secured. His charges are very reasonfonte water works, was taken suddenly had twenty years experience. This is ill and fell to the floor. In a few hours an opportunity that all should improve thereafter she passed away. She had who are insteresed in music. The meetsaid briefly that better roads were need. been suffering for some time with con- ings will be held in the Y. M. C. A. sumption which ultimately caused her rooms every Monday night at 8 o'clock is shaking hands with his many ac- increased taxation. If farmers want death; she was 78 years of age. The sharp. The first meeting will be held better roads they must be willing to pay funeral occurred on Wednesday after- Monday evening, Feb. 15th, when every person who is interested is invited to come. There will be open doors the first few nights.

A New Invention.

Mr. Christ Decker, of Zion, after several months of hard labor, has completed an "electric alarm light" which will undoubtedly bring him a large fortune. | certain extent rectifies the error when The light is to take the place of the it says that "the officers in charge of alarm clock and is so arranged that it the voting check list shall count in a will awaken one at any desired hour of distinct and audible voice the names the night. A sample of this new in- checked on the said list," implifying vention was on exhibition last Saturday | that such a list is kept, which the elecless condition for a number of years evening in Mr. Dorman's store at that tion officers will no doubt do. pleased with his success and takes great delight in explaining to the "boys" how it works.

Plaintiffs allege that the company charged them 50cts. per ton for hauling

21,215,3000 pounds of coal from Snow Shoe to Bellefonte between September, 1889, and April, 1891, while during the rails. same time they were carrying coal for secretly arranged between the company and that they have been damaged there-

They Want Damages

by in the sum of \$6,363.58 .- News. There is a movement on foot which will afford an excellent opportunity to Andrew in Illinois. His remains were every person to learn to sing by note. interred at Tusseyville on Monday Wm. T. Meyer has consented to instruct On Monday morning Miss Sarah Gill, able, the amount being only one dollar an elderly maiden lady who, with her each for a term of twelve lessons. Mr. sister Nancy Gill, lived near the Belle- Meyer is a thorough instructor and has

post office at State College and secured tion. a box containg about \$4 of small change. an able address and he impressed He got in by prying open the front door.

-W. I. Swoope, Esq., is off on a trip to Boston, Mass., this week. While there he will eat beans and talk of the horrible newspaper men at Bellefonte.

-Al. Garman took in the opening of the Tyrone opera house on Monday evening. "The Witch" was presented and failed to come up to the expectations of most of the people.

child, of Everette, Pa., are visiting the many callers. friends at this place. Foster has charge of a large mercantile establishment at that place and appears to be prospering.

-Mr. Elmer Hockman, of near Hublersburg, a young man of more than tertained and instructed ordinary intelligence, will leave for Dakota, Illinois, on the 23rd of this month where he will make his future home.

-Geo. T. Bush, the stationer of this place, will leave on Monday for Columbus, Ohio, to attend the national convention of American Wheelmen. He goes as one of the thirteen delegates from this state.

-About twenty Bellefonte farmers (politicians) accompanied Gov. Pattison to Howard on last Friday morning. All attended the Farmers' Institute and some claim that they made considerable hay.

-Tax Collector Cornelius Stover, of Miles township, was in Bellefonte on before the Boalsburg Institute. last Friday for the purpose of settling up the duplicate of his district for state and county tax for the year 1891, with County Treasurer Gramley. Mr Stover was the first collector to settle up his duplicate and stands up head on the list.

-Mrs. Ewing, the cooking instructor much praise for the great insterest he who attended the different Farmers' took for the success of these gatherings Institutes in the county last week, has in our county. The good wrought by a large class at this place to whom she them can not be estimated by their cost is giving instructions in that much to the state. abused art, this week. Our physicians fear that sickness and dyspepsia will be on the decline in the future on this account.

-Joseph M. Gilliland, of Potters Mills. has rented his farm and will remove move to State College in the Spring, with his family to New Bloomfield, where his children are attending that Perry county, where he will engage in the grain business with Mr. W. O. Rearick, of Coburn, as partner. Mr. Gilliland's health has not been good since his encounter some time ago with sitates the change.

Governor Pattison made the audience with many good, practical ideas. On Thursday the Goy. was taken to Penna. State College where he was shown through the various departments

and was given a clear idea of how the various appropriations are being expended. That evening he returned to Belle.

fonte and was entertained by Gen. Beaver. Later in the evening a public reception was held in the parlors of the Brocherhoff House in which ex-Gov. Curtin and ex-Gov. Beaver stood by -Mr. and Mrs. Foster Williams and the side of Gov. Pattison as he received

> Coming back to our subject, the Boalsburg Institute had overflowing audiences on Thursday and everybody was more than pleased, having been en-

GOV. PATTISON AT HOWARD. The fact that Gen. Beaver and Gov. Pattison would be at the opening of the Howard Institute brought a large crowd

People were there from all parts of the valley, conspicious among them were fonte who came in the town like a swarm of locust. The morning session of in-

stitute was held in the Methodist church which was very appropriately decorated. After the institute was organized by the president, Gen. Beaver made the address the operation with wonder. of welcome to which Gov. Pattison re-

sponded in a well chosen address in

The Institute at Howard was a success, also in point of attendance and interesting lecturers and discussions. Taking all the Institutes as a whole they were a grand treat to our farmers and others. Mr. Woodward is deserving of

Going to State College.

Abraham V. Miller, who for so many years lived on a farm at Pleasant Gap,

has concluded to quit farming and will institution.

Enlarged.

The Philipsburg Ledger came out last week enlarged, with a new heading and is quite an improvement. Editor Will- called on Wednesday to have his sale a mad bull on his farm, and this neces- jams always has something spicy in his bills printed at this office. He will sell paper and we like to read its columns. his farm stock March 11.

J. W. Adams died at his residence in Millheim on Tuesday, February 4th, aged 61 years. He had been in a helpfrom the effects of a paralytic stroke. place, and it was conceded by all to be He leaves a wife and six children. The an excellent thing. Christ is very much funeral occurred on last Saturday.

Mrs. Catharine Dutweiler died at Aaronsburg on the 27th ult., aged 49 years. Three children survive her. Interment occurred in the Reformed cemetery on the following Saturday.

Mrs. Catharine Beaver died at her home at Woodward on the 26 ult., aged 80 years.

A Booming Industry.

The town of Howard, Pa., has a booming industry in the shape of a fifth wheel factory that is quite an establishment and turns out a class of work that surprises most people. A fifth wheel is to that place on Friday morning. the circle on which the front axle of a carriage or any vehicle swings. It is a difficult piece for the ordinary meck anic the farmers (politicians) from Belle- to forge upon an anvil. This factory makes this part for vehicles by the thousands and nearly every bit of it is done by late and improved machinery that stamps, shapes, cuts the threads and polishes the parts in such rapid election of Hon. John H. Woodward as order as to make the spectator look at

The plant was recently established by they can't fill all orders. Mr. Muffley, after. the superintendent, informed us that they expect to increase the capacity of the plant soon. The factory employs from fifteen to twenty men, most of whom are skilled mechanics.

Clearing Sale.

For the purpose of disposing of the balance of winter stock of ready made clothing between this and spring, we have inaugurated a clearance sale of overcoats and heavy suitings. We prefer to sell this portion of our stock at a sacrifice, at and below cost, rather than that he is in a dangerous condition we carry the same over winter next season. We must make room for our spring and ummer goods. All these goods are new. and is enjoying good health. This is an opportunity for bargains. Buy where you can save money, at the. PHILAD, BRANCH

-Mr. B. S. Winkleman, of Nittany,

Benefit K. G. E.

On Friday evening the "Midnight Alarm" will be rendered in the opera house for the benefit of the Knights Golden Eagle castle of Bellefonte. The play is an unusually strong one, with fine actors, new scenery and many new features that will make it one of the best attractions of the season. The price of admission will be the same as formerly. Don't miss it. Be sure to see it.

Married at Centre Hall.

On Wednesday afternoon Miss Anna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Keller, of Centre Hall, and Mr. Frank pealed off. He is under the care of Dr. Fisher, of Penn Hall, were married at M. A. Kirk, and his injuries are said to the home of the brides parents. The be quite painful. ceremony was performed at about noon. Many guests were present from all parts of the county.

Will Declare a Dividend.

Wm. P. Duncan, assignee of the Philipsburg banking company, gives notice that he will pay a dividend to the creditors of the bank on March 3. local capital, and it is equipped with All parties having claims will please which he included much of his address some very fine machinery. They turn present them at the office of O. P. Jones. out an immense amount of work yet on the date mentioned or any day there-

Good Hotel.

On last Friday the writer registered at the Syracuse House, Howard, over which the obliging landlord, J. L. De-Hass presides, and it was our opportunity to partake of an elegant dinner that would have rivaled the bill of fare of most of our city hotels.

Health Recovered.

can say that such is not the case. The Hastings Tribune says he is about again

Chicago Beef.

Swift & Co., one of the largest beef companies of Chicago, purchased ground at Philipsburg where they will erect but now belonging to the undersigned. a mammoth refrigerator for the purpose of a general store house to supply that region with Chicago dressed beef, John Pacini.

Badly Burned.

Last Friday an accident occurred at Morris' line kilns, about two mils west of here along Buffalo Run, in which a man came near being roasted alive. Mr. McMullin, who drives a cart to haul stone from the quarry to the kilns, being cold he stepped on the top of the pit to warm himself up thoroughly before starting to his work again. While standing there the men below dropped the kiln and down he went sinking into the heated mass of; stone and fuel up to his knees and was unable to extricate himself. He called for some time for assistance until he was heard. It took hard work to get him out of his perilous position. His legs and feet were badly burned and in several spots the skin

New Paper.

The prohibitionists of Centre county have determined to put in circulation a county paper. It will be a four-page monthly and will have one entire page devoted to local prohibition news and another page to advertising. The price of the paper will be 15 cents to each subscriber, and those desiring it can apply to any member of the local commit-

So says the Philipsburg Journal, where we suppose the paper will be printed.

Good News for Mellefonte.

H. C. Valentine, William Burnside and Frank B. Gill, together with some Pittsburg gentlemen, have leased the large, new foundry, machine, blacksmith and pattern shops of the Valentine Iron company and have a large corps of men at work getting the shops Col. Spangler was ill some time ago in shape to start a scale manufactory. at Hastings. As there are rumors afloat These gentlemen are well known to the business men of Pennsylvania. Their head office will be in Pittsburg.

House and Lot for Sale,

For sale, very cheap for cash, house and half lot, 23 feet front by 200 deep, situated on Spring Street, Bellefonte, know as a property of Margery Glenn, HENRY VITALINI.

For further particulars inquire of

Belufonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by Geo

Corrected weekly by G	co. w. Jackson & Co:
White wheat, per bushe Red wheat, per bushel Rye.per bushel Corn, ears per bushel Oats-new per bushel Barley, per bushel Buck wheat, per bushel Cloverseed, per bushel Ground plaster, per ton	88 75 50 30 50 80
PROVISIONS, GROCERIES weekly by Bower & Co.)	ac. (as corrected
	seeded
Break fast Bacon	

Common Soap

Lard, per pound Eggs per dozen..

Rots Clothes and Chaps Hands.

IVORY SOAP

DOES NOT.

A UDITORS NOTICE. The the Orphans Court of Centre county in the matter of the estate of H. O. Watkins, late of the township of Curtin, County of Centres the township of Curtin, County of the township the township of Curtin, Curtin

UDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the Orphans' Court of Cent he matter of the estate of D. G. cellefonte, dec'd. The undersig the matter of the estate of D.5. In Bellefonte, dec d. The undersigned tor appointed by said court to dis balance of the funds in the hands of fix as per account filed, hereby g that he will meet all parties in inte futies of his appointment, at his off fonte at D a. m. on Saturday, Fy when and where all parties in in attend if they are strong. when and where an attend if they see pro

J. W. ALEXANDER. (Feb. 11, 3t.)