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The office of the "Centre Democrat" has been removed from the Conrad House Building to the Opera House Block, on High street—one door above Garman's Hotel and opposite the Court House.

Editorial.

JAMES M. GOODHART, a brother of our county commissioner, George L. Goodhart, was recently appointed as postmaster of Lewistown, Pa., by the democratic administration. Mr. Goodhart formerly was a native of Potter twp., this county.

THE Bellefonte post-office still remains in the hands of the enemy. Congressman Kribbs has recommended D. F. Fortney, Esq., and Gov. Curtin is urging the appointment of Dr. Dobbins for a second term. As Gov. Curtin was promised, by the President, that his wishes would also be considered and owing to the Gov's present illness, this appointment will be delayed until Curtin can have a conference with the powers at Washington. This is the situation as we understand it and the cause of the delay. Dark horses are being groomed.

An Uncle of Coxey's.

Mr. Coxey, of Boalsburg, is a genuine uncle of General Coxey, of Ohio, and a jolly good fellow. Uncle Coxey runs a stage from Boalsburg to Oak Hall, while General Coxey is running an army of tramps from Massillon to Washington. Uncle Coxey thinks nephew Coxey is a crank, and he is about level right there.

In this connection we might just add that a gentlemen living near Centre Hall, one day recently, sent Coxey a check on the Pottery Bank for one thousand dollars to help defray the expenses of his trip. It will be a long time before Coxey gets that check cashed.—Reporter.

The Fish Laws.

Open season for fish in the state of Pennsylvania: Speckled trout, April 15 to July 15; black bass, rock bass, walleyed pike, May 31 to January 1; lake trout, January 1 to October 1; pike and pickerel, June 1 to December 1. German carp, September 1 to May 1. No person shall cast, draw, fasten or otherwise make use of any sein, drift-net, fyke-net or nets of any other description, or use any other appliance for the catching of fish, except rod, hook and line, in any rivers, streams, or waters of this Commonwealth. The penalty for violating this provision is one hundred dollars, cost of suit and forfeiture of boats, nets and all appliances.

Salaries for Judges

Auditor General Gregg's annual report shows that the cost of the Pennsylvania Judiciary last year was \$481,218.07. Of this the Judges received \$46,844.67, the Judges of the court of common pleas, \$368,098.35; the Judges of the separate court \$38,750, and the associate Judges, \$27,984.26. A large number of the common pleas Judges made considerable extra money by holding court outside their districts, for which service they are allowed \$10 a day in addition to the mileage involved.

New Empire Regulation.

The new league rules of base ball requires the umpire to wear a body protector and stand behind the plate to judge all plays during the season, that is so far as judging balls and strikes are concerned. They will not be permitted to continue the unsatisfactory practice of standing behind the pitcher, thus annoying the fielders and at the same time misjudging plays at the plate.

Bellefonte's Centennial.

Next summer Bellefonte will have an opportunity to celebrate its centennial anniversary. At a recent meeting of council the matter was discussed. When the time comes you can depend that the event will be properly recognized.

The Very Latest.

In ladies capes and coats. Wrappers—all styles. Waist-in percale, dimity linen, white and silk. Coats reduced from \$6 to \$3 to close out odd sized Come and see them; Mrs. Aikens will welcome you.

IN SUPREME COURT.

APPEALS TAKEN FROM THIS COUNTY.

List of cases—What a "Paper Book" is—No use for Jurors or Witnesses—Attorneys interested in the same.

The supreme court of Pennsylvania, for the eastern portion of the state, holds its regular sessions at Philadelphia. When litigants are dissatisfied with the disposition of cases in our local courts they have the opportunity of making an appeal to the supreme court.

Seven judges compose this court and are elected for a period of twenty-one years each. When cases are carried to the supreme court no witnesses or jurors are necessary. All the proceedings and testimony taken in a case are published in what are called "Paper Books" which, in addition, contain the argument and are prepared by the appellant. An answer thereto, in book form, is also prepared by the appellee. These books, accompanied by a brief oral argument of an explanatory nature by the attorneys constitute the proceedings before the supreme court. The decisions are rendered at their convenience.

The following cases have been taken up from Centre county and will be heard commencing Monday, April 16th: Estate of John Sankey, late of Millheim boro, deceased. Appeal from decree of Orphan's Court of Centre county. Reeder, Bucher and Leiser, for appellant; C. P. Hewes, for appellee.

Rebecca J. Royer's adm'r, vs Henry Royer, et al, of Potter twp. Reeder for appellant. Fortney and Hewes for appellees.

Wm. Colyer vs H. A. McKee & Bro., appeal from Court of Common Pleas, C. P. Hewes for plaintiff; Orvis, Bower & Orvis for defendants, who are appellants.

Wm. B. Mingle, cashier, Penns Valley Banking Co., vs John Rossman, Daniel Bartges, etc., appeal from decree of Court of Common Pleas. Love and Hewes for appellants; Orvis, Bower & Orvis for appellees.

Henry Krumrine's Ex., vs John Rossman, Daniel Bartges, etc., appeal from the judgment of the Court of Common Pleas. Love and Hewes, for appellant; Orvis, Bower & Orvis for appellees.

Maria Meek vs Geo. Y. Meek, Jr., et al. Certiorari to Orphan's Court of Centre Co. Love, Chambers and Keller, for appellant; Fortney, Orvis and Hewes for appellees.

Isabella Lohr vs Phillipsburg boro, appeal from judgment of Court of Common Pleas. Love, Crosby and Keller, for appellant; Orvis, Bower and Hewes for appellees.

Estate of Ruth Armour, late of Bellefonte boro, dec'd., appeal by D. M. Butts, Ex., from decree of Orphan's Court of Common Pleas. Two cases. Beaver & Dale for appellant; Orvis, Bower & Orvis for appellees.

Danville Asylum vs Bellefonte Poor District, appeal from judgment of Court of Common Pleas. Beaver & Dale for appellant; Hastings & Reeder for appellees.

The above cases will be represented by the following attorneys, in person: Gen. Beaver, D. F. Fortney, John G. Love, Wilbur F. Reeder, Ellis L. Orvis and C. P. Hewes.

Trial List.

For the second week of court, commencing Monday, April 30th, 1894.

Franklin Reese vs Thompson Reese, et al.

James W. Kimport vs M. G. Brown. Jacob Garbrick vs David Harter.

Thompson, Huston Motor Co. vs R. A. Jackson, et al.

M. G. Brown vs A. E. Meyers and J. H. Ross.

Wm. C. Sheesley vs J. R. Wolf.

Joseph Hall, et ux, vs Hannah Elliott.

B E & N V P & R R Co. vs Centre county.

Belleft. & Phillipsburg Turnpike Co. vs Centre county.

James E. Solt vs Boro. of Bellefonte.

Isaac W. Raven vs Millheim Turnpike Co.

Callista A. Miller vs Daniel Garman.

Isaac Stover vs Cent. R R of Pa.

John P. Rockey vs Cent. R R of Pa.

H J Garbrick vs Cent. R R of Pa.

M C Kephart vs Union Central Life Ins. Co.

Extended a Call.

The Centre Hall Lutheran charge last Saturday held a meeting and voted to extend a call to the Rev. Wm. Wagner, a young minister who recently completed his studies at the Gettysburg seminary. His former home is near Tusseyville. Rev. Wagner but a short time ago was married to a daughter of Mr. H. K. Hoy, of near Bellefonte.

Fire at Fillmore.

On Sunday night Henry Morris' blacksmith shop was burned to the ground with all its contents. Several small buildings close by were also burned. There was no insurance.

DEATH RECORD.

MRS. JOHN McDERMOTT.

On Sunday morning Mrs. John McDermott died suddenly at her home on east Bishop street after a brief illness with pneumonia. The interment occurred on Tuesday morning from the Catholic church, of which she was a member. Her age was 66 years. Her husband John McDermott preceded her to the grave about one year ago. Deceased is survived by ten children, all of whom are living, as follows: Charles K. McDermott, in Virginia; Mrs. Lina Burns, of Snow Shoe; Mrs. John Swaney, of Winburne; Mrs. Andrew Harris, of Lock Haven; Josephine, Julia, Sue, Marjorie, James and John, all of Bellefonte.

MRS. RACHAEL HOOVER.

Mrs. Rachael Hoover, widow of Jacob Hoover, died in Union township, on Saturday. Her maiden name was Fisher, and is a sister of Wm. Fisher of Union township. She lived at the home of her two sons Wm. and George. Two other sons, E'iza and Ezra also survive her. Her age was 80 years, one month and 11 days. She was an aunt of Mrs. Chas. Smith of Bellefonte. The interment occurred on Monday at the Friends cemetery near Snow Shoe intersection.

TWO DEATHS AT RED BANK.

Two deaths occurred at Red Bank on Sunday morning. Miss Malone, aged 23 years daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Malone, died of consumption; and the 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McConnell, also of Red Bank. Both funerals occurred Tuesday afternoon from the Catholic church at this place.

MRS. MARGARET LEITZEL.

On February 9th, 1894, at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Miles Mattern, in Patton township, Mrs. Margaret Litzel departed this life at the advanced age of almost 83 years. Deceased was born in Snyder county on the 27th day of April, 1811.

ELY E. HYATT.

On Monday Ely E. Hyatt a prominent citizen of Salona, Clinton county, died at his home from heart disease. He was about 60 years of age.

JOHN SHIRES.

Early on Monday morning the venerable John Shires died at his home at Pottery Mills, at the advanced age of 82 years, 8 months and 20 days. Mr. Shires had been in declining health for some time.

MRS. SARAH DEARMITT.

On Tuesday March 27th, Mrs. Sarah Dearmitt died at her home, at Pleasant Gap; her age was 60 years. The funeral occurred on Friday, services were held in the Methodist church by Rev. Sarvis.

His 84th Birthday.

On Tuesday the venerable Wm. Lyons of near Jacksonville came to Bellefonte to greet his many friends and acquaintances. Tuesday was the 84th anniversary of his birthday and he is hale and hearty as many a man of much younger years.

Mr. Lyons walked to Bellefonte a distance of about six miles and thought nothing of it. He is a typical democrat and we hope he will live to cast many more ballots and participate in democratic victories.

Must not use Tobacco.

At the M. E. conference at Harrisburg all the newly ordained ministers were required to make a promise that they would abstain from the use of tobacco. The Call says, it was intimated that previous newly ordained ministers smoked, and said they had only promised not to do so collectively. Every one of the candidates was requested to make a separate and distinct vow.

A Woman's Revenge.

On Monday evening, April 9th, our amusement lovers will have the pleasure of witnessing the great emotional actress, Miss Lillian Tucker, in that beautiful play, "A Woman's Revenge." Refined and wholesome amusement is everywhere recognized by cultured people as a necessity. The same actress will also appear on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, April 10th and 11th. Admission 10, 20 and 30 cents.

Arbor Days.

Governor Pattison issued a proclamation Tuesday fixing Friday, April 13 and Friday, April 27, 1894, to be observed as arbor days in Pennsylvania. The selection of either of the designated days is left to discretion of the people in the various sections of the commonwealth, each locality observing that day which is deemed to be most favorable on account of climatic conditions.

ELECTRIC ROADS IN CLEARFIELD.

Two Corporations Chartered to Operate Railways in that County.

Charters were issued by the State department, at Harrisburg, yesterday to the Houtzdale and Suburban and the Phillipsburg and Suburban electric railway companies, which will operate extensively in Clearfield county. The companies, which are capitalized at \$100,000, each are controlled by the same parties. The officers of both are: President, A. Marple, Hazelton; Directors, John A. Seely, Brooklyn, N. Y., Charles A. Bragg, Philadelphia; E. S. Dond, J. Edwin Giles, Hazeltown.

The Phillipsburg company will run from Phillipsburg to the village of Mordale Mines, then to Allport, Ky'erton, Winburne, Munson station, Hawk Run, North Phillipsburg and Osceola Mills. At Osceola Mills it will connect with the Houtzdale company, which will run its line through the principal streets of the borough, thence to the villages of Annesville, Madera, Glen Hope, Irvona, Coalport, Jamesville, and Houtzdale.

Board of Trade.

The regular meeting of the Bellefonte Board of Trade was well attended on Tuesday evening. After some discussion resolutions were prepared and signed by all members of the board, and others, asking Supt. Blair of Tyrone, to furnish a more satisfactory train service over the Snow Shoe railroad. The present schedule is very inconvenient to persons in that section who wish to come to Bellefonte. It necessitates a two days trip to come to Bellefonte and transact business during the regular hours. The people along the entire line are dissatisfied. Gen. D. H. Hastings, Geo. T. Bush and Geo. L. Potter were appointed a committee to call on Supt. Blair at Tyrone, present the resolutions and confer with him upon the matter.

The same committee was directed to proceed to Gettysburg, Huntingdon county, to see what can be done to encourage the removal of a pottery from there to Bellefonte.

In order to attract trade, along the line of the C. R. R. of Pa., to Bellefonte, the railroad company will be asked to establish an excursion rate on certain days of the week. The company will be asked to give a single fare trip to Bellefonte on Wednesdays.

The above moves are good ones and indicate that a board of trade, by looking after such matters constantly, can be of some value to a town.

Attempted Highway Robbery.

The Phillipsburg Journal says: While Jno. B. Howe, the ice man and George Fleck, were returning home Friday night about 11:30 they were approached by two tough looking men who put a revolver to their heads and demanded their money or their life. The attacked men not having any money the would-be robbers shot off their revolvers and passed by. Mr. Howe is most prostrated by the shock. Mr. Fleck, as seen by a reporter showed symptoms of nervous prostration, but he claims he was not afraid. A most thorough search will be made for the guilty parties, and if caught will be severely dealt with. "Captain Simler" and a posse started in pursuit at once.

—Miss Ammerman, the Bishop street milliner, is off on a trip to the eastern cities for the purpose of purchasing her spring stock. The opening will take place next week. The ladies are invited to call and see the new styles and novelties for the coming season.—2 t.

Shot Fifteen Foxes.

G. E. Snively, residing in Centre co., but near the Clinton county line, was recently paid the bounty on five foxes, which he had shot in Porter township, Clinton county. During the winter Mr. Snively shot in all fifteen foxes, ten of which were in Centre county.

We are in receipt of a copy of the catalogue of Bucknell university at Lewisburg, Pa. It shows a total attendance of 353 in all five departments. Among the new studies is civil engineering. One new professor and an instructor have been added to the teaching force. This has been the most successful year in the school's history.

—There are some people so exceedingly modest that in speaking of a person's leg they persist in calling it a limb; but the young lady, who in speaking of a certain breed of chickens, called them Brown Limbchons is, we think, entitled to the cake and whole bakery.—Indiana Messenger.

—On Wednesday Mr. James Hamilton, living on Willowbank street was 90 years old.

WASHINGTON TOPICS.

INTERESTING EVENTS AT THE CAPITAL.

"Czar" Reed given a repulse by the Speaker
—The Breckinridge Scandal—Tariff Legislation slow—Silver men active.

The appointment of Speaker Crisp to succeed Mr. Colquitt in the senate was an utter and complete surprise to Mr. Crisp and to his colleagues in Congress. In declining what he himself acknowledges to have been the ambition of his life, Mr. Crisp simply acceded to the general demand of his party in the House. There was a feverish excitement in Congress over the possibility of Mr. Crisp's acceptance, which reached a climax when the request that he decline the office was prepared by Representative Cadmus of New Jersey, and signed by over 150 members of the House. Such a testimonial as this was most gratifying to the Speaker, who, in the three years that he has presided over the House, has endeared himself to men of both parties and earned for himself much respect and esteem. This feeling was evidence when, upon his appearance on the floor of the House the morning after the senatorial appointment the members broke out in a loud cheer, the Republicans participating to a noticeable extent in the demonstration.

CZAR REED SAT UPON.

The day of Crisp's martyrdom in the interest of party exigency, was notable for a dramatic tilt between what may be called the positive and negative poles of the House—the Speaker and the Ex-Speaker. Crisp had requested all members to take their seats during a roll call. "I would like to be permitted to see the roll call," said Mr. Reed in a quiet voice. "The gentleman must take his seat under the rule," said the Speaker sharply. The man from Maine bowed and smiled in mock humility as he backed down one of the aisles. "I am going to do it," he said. "The Sergeant-at-arms will ask the gentleman to take his seat," said the Speaker. The burly form of Reed was ambling down the aisle. He staggered and tumbled as if he had been shot. His face flushed and he looked scornfully at Crisp. "That is entirely unnecessary," he said. "I am here to see the roll call." "It is not. Instead of taking your seat," the Speaker forgot parliamentary propriety and used the personal pronoun—"you respond to the Chair every time." "Certainly I do," said Mr. Reed, heated but unabashed, "because the Chair attacks me." The Speaker uttered his ultimatum: "The gentleman must take his seat." Mr. Reed hesitated just a moment and then, amid a deathlike silence in the House, he moved. He walked like a man following a corpse. His head was bowed and his feet, weighted with unwillingness, dragged heavily. The Democrats were smiling to see the head of their arch-enemy bowed. Finally Mr. Reed reached his chair, swung it nervously once or twice, and then with a face pale with wrath he glanced contemptuously at the Democratic side and sank into his seat. The Democrats applauded and cheered. Some of the Republicans met this demonstration with hisses. The Speaker rapped for order, the roll-call was resumed, and the incident was at an end. "LOVE TO HATRED TURNED."

The progress of the famous Pollard-Breckenridge suit is now at its most interesting stage. The silver tongued "Star of Kentucky" is himself on the witness rack. It has been a frightful ordeal for the member of congress from Lexington, and he shows it in every way. His bearing all through this trial can best be described by the word "nonchalant." Never once has he squirmed or turned a hair as duplicity of the most striking sort was charged up against him. That was earlier in the case. Now things are quite different. He is fairly placed upon the defensive now, and it is a trying position for a man who has been accustomed to holding audiences spellbound with his eloquence. Mr. Breckenridge looks full ten years older than he did a month ago. His debonaire manner is all gone, either for the present only or for all time. The poet has spoken feelingly of the fury of a woman scorned. He must have had in mind some such woman as the plaintiff in this case. She may have been, and doubtless was fond of Mr. Breckinridge once. Now it is "love to hatred turned."

TARIFF LEGISLATION.

The present outlook does not indicate that very great headway will be made with the tariff bill in the senate for a week or so. Democrats and republicans naturally differ widely in their estimates of the time that will be required for the disposal of the bill. The more sanguine of the democratic mem-

bers of the finance committee place the time at a month. Republican senators generally regard this estimate as very wild and some of them go so far as to say that the bill will be on the calendar next November. It is asserted that the democrats are not so positively sure of passing the bill as is generally supposed, and they realize that there are two or three shoals that are likely to give considerable trouble. The most serious of these are of course the sugar schedule and the income tax.

THE SILVER MEN.

The general understanding is that the first move in the consideration of the president's veto message by the House will be an attempt to pass the seigniorage bill over the veto. It is not probable that the necessary two-thirds vote will be secured, though this would be possible should the republicans refrain from voting, a quorum being made up of democrats. Assuming that the attempt will fail, it will be followed by a movement to pass a free coinage bill, and it is not altogether improbable that this effort may meet with success.

ROLL OF HONOR.

The following persons have paid their subscriptions to the CENTRE DEMOCRAT during the past month since March 1st, 1894, and the dates opposite the name indicate to what time the paper is paid by each patron:

Cole & Co., Bellefonte	March 94
Jno T McCormick, State College	November 94
Marshall Smith, Hot Spring, Ark	January 94
B C Achenbach, Bellefonte	February 94
T F Hunsbarg, Wolfs Store	January 94
John L Cole, Zion	March 94
S F Shaffer, Zion	January 94
W H Beck, Nittany	January 94
J B Gentzel, Bellefonte	January 94
J H Clevensdale, Hubbersburg	August 94
Jacob Bottorf, Lemont	March 94
N W Miller, Pine Grove Mills	October 94
G F Hoy, Hubbersburg	January 94
J Kelley, Snow Shoe	February 94
Chas Taylor, Mill Hill	April 94
Jos Burns, Snow Shoe	December 94
J H McElwain, Howard	January 94
Phillip Yorks, Waller	March 94
Phillip Yorks, Milesburg	August 94
Walker White, Axeman	February 94
Jos Gilliland, Pottersdale	January 94
John Grove, Lemont	March 94
W J Kreider, Wolfs Store	May 94
Dr W U Irvin, Julian	October 94
David Spotts, Fleming	April 94
Jacob Keish, Rock Spring	February 94
H P Kelley, Snow Shoe	February 94
Thos Huey, Stormstown	August 94
H C Noll, Pleasant Gap	April 94
Henry Swartz, Rockgrove, Ill	April 94
Philip Yorks, Milesburg	August 94
John T. Hoff, Oak Hall	January 94
Tred Meyer, Penn Hall	January 94
Wm A Pealer, Spring Mills	February 94
Adam Yearick, Walker	January 94
H F Rossman, Spring Mills	March 94
Alex Masden, Blanchard	April 94
H M Limbert, Flat Rock	April 94
L N Gill, Pleasant Gap	March 94
W H Grove, Coburn	January 94
And Fetzer, Milesburg	October 94
Daniel C Grove, Bellefonte	April 94
D M Dankle, Pleasant Gap	April 94
A N Womelsdorf, Gorton Heights	April 94
Isaac Frain, Absara	January 94
N J Hockman, Zion	January 94
Sam Harpster, Gatsburg	December 94
John F. Gray, State College	December 94
A L Shaffer, Zion	May 94
E Cronmiller, Aaronburg	August 94
Noah Cronmiller, Bellefonte	January 94
Israel Cori, State College	January 94
Isaac Stover, Zion	April 94
J B Hartman, Millheim	March 94
A E Garbrick, Zion	April 94
George W. Garbrick, Bellefonte	April 94
Samuel Decker, Zion	March 94
Sam Fravel, Homersville	April 94
Jno Rondtree, Bellefonte	December 94

Of no use

On and after April 1 the "h" in Pittsburg will be dropped by the post office authorities. Word to this effect has been received by the postmaster there. Heretofore all "burghs" with the exception of Harrisburg were spelled with the final "h" but under the new ruling all burghs will spelled without it.

When Talking Through His HAT

a man is not likely to be convincing, but when we assure you that we are

Always Talking Through Our SHOES

you will recognize the value to us of having our goods so made that they will speak for themselves. That's what ours do—and they do not squeak, either.

Mingle's . . . SHOE STORE