The Centre Democrat.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1894. CHAS. R. KURTZ . . ED. & PUB.

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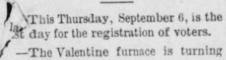
In business, prompt action saves money and gets the select of anything. There never was a time since we have been keeping store (now 28 years) that prices were so favorable to the purchaser, and if opinion in trade circles is worth anything, an advance at any time may be looked for.

Botany Dress Goods Department.

Probably U do not as yet appreciate the ben efit of this department. In a nutshell, it puts you as a buyer, exactly where we were, and the other merchants of Centre county now are. Our first selections for this department are now here, and U will find nothing like 'em this side of the larger cities. Ask to C. Serge Foule and Caledonia Suitings. Nuf ced.

G. R. SPIGLEMYER, SHEM SPIGLEMYER, JR.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.



ent.

-The board walk along the creek is in bad condition. It should be looked Jacksonville. Three cases combined in after at once.

-Several days of rain is badly needed to put the ground in good condition for plowing.

-A theatre party attended "Romeo and Juliet" last evening. The opening attraction was well attended.

seven pieces furnished the music at and three months in county lail. the opera house last evening. Their music was well rendered.

-The members of company B are requested to report at the armory on Saturday evening of this week. BusiCOURT NOTES.

CASES TRIED AND HOW DIS- for a new trial. POSED.

Commonwealth Cases taken up last week-Report of the Grand Jury-Result of a

Bad Boardwalk

ing to press. Court continued in ses- for \$15,000 damages. Orvis, Bower & sion until Saturday morning.

ing: Theodore Shawley, f. and b. Thomas and Roy Johnson and Lem-

uel Poorman; malicious mischief. Proscutrix Amanda Rote. CASES TRIED.

Com. vs. Edward Wyland, desertion. Case dismissed on Friday. County pay the costs.

Com. vs. Eugene Strunk, assault and battery. Bill ignored and E. F. Gardner sentenced to pay the costs.

Com. vs. Andrew Weaver, Jonas Auman and John Miller, arrested for stealing goods in Penn twp. Jonas Auman and John Miller found not guilty. Andrew Weaver plead guilty. Sentence: \$! fine, costs and two years in the Western penitentiary, at solitary confinement and hard labor.

Com. vs. Jerry Bland, larceny; progecutors Orrin and Isaac Miller. Verdict, not guilty.

ville. Prosecutor, Jacob Keller, of ny of New York. Lock Haven, chief of police. Convicted and sentenced to five years in the Western penitentiary at solitary confinement. The Court directed the county to pay Jacob Keller the reward of \$20 for arresting Rowan.

Miles Walker was convicted under the assumed name of "Geo. Rown" which he gave when arrested. He is an old offender and was in the penitentiary some years ago from Lycoming county. Com. vs. Burdine Butler, malicious mischief, cutting down the toll-gate on the turnpike between Howard and one trial. Verdict, not guilty. Costs divided between Butler and John Hogan, the prosecutor.

Com. vs. John Hogancamp, indecent assault with intent to rape. Prosecutrix, Florence Morris. Verdict guilty. Com. vs. John Johnston, assault with intent, etc.; prosecutrix Hannah Forsel. -Prof. Spangenburg's orchestra of Found guilty. Sentence, \$1 fine, costs CIVIL CASES TRIED.

> A. Baum, agent, vs. E. J. Swavely, suit to recover \$20 for use of horse. Ver. and W. I. Shaw, of Houtzdale, county dict for plaintiff, \$22. S. R. Pringle vs. overseers of poor of ers.

ness of importance is to be transacted. Taylor twp. Suit to recover \$35 funer--Gov. Curtin has improved much in al expenses upon the remains of Chas Cowher: verdict for plaintiff, \$41.81. S. R. Pringle vs. Vinton Beckwith constable of Taylor twp. Suit to recover the amount of an execution which was not properly returned, owing to illness of the defendant. Verdict for the defendant.

a verdict for Mr. Solt, the plaintiff, of \$500. It is the sentiment of many members of the council to make an appeal

The next case on Wednesday was Isaac Raven vs the Millheim Turnpike Company. In April, 1892, Mr. Raven while driving on this pike attempted to pass a vehicle going the same direction. In driving to the side the wheel struck The following is a brief summary of a protruding stone, upsetting the vehicle the doings in court last week, from and Mr. Raven had his ankle smahed Wednesday afternoon, the hour of go- and received other injuries. He sues

Orvis are attorney for Raven; Beaver ing tried as we go to press.

MARRIAGE LACENSES

Issued During the Past Week-Taken From the Docket.

Mrs. Rebecca Ickes, -James W. Roush, -Mary L. Condo, -Penn twp Bellefonte Newel J. McCalmont - State College

The First to Pay.

BELLEFONTE, Aug. 29, '94. MR. WM. GRAUER.

District Agent Mutual Life Insurance Comyany, of New York:

DEAR SIR:-Allow me to thank you and your company for the promptness in settling the loss on the life of my husband, Col. D. S. Keller; proofs of death were forwarded August 18th, and checks for \$11,009.00 handed me to day in full. Whenever an opportunity oc-Com. vs. Geo. Rowan, prosecuted for curs I shall always speak a good word

Respectfully,

M. E. R. KELLER.

Lewisburg Fair.

all railroads. It is one of the oldest of court. organizations of the kind in the country, and with increased age its exhibitions become better. Full particulars are burg borough has been vacated some given in pamphlets issued by the Society, decided improvements are noticed. which can be had on application or by This gave the council control of the addressing G. E. Long, secretary, Lew- streets and they could compell property isburg, Pa. The public is assured that owners to fix up their walks. A unithis year's exhibition will prove pre- form grade has been established and eminently attractive.

Campaign Opened in Philipsburg.

The first rally of republicans in Philipsburg and vicinity occurred on Thursday evening 27th, in South Central Park. W. C. Arnold, nominee for congress; W. F. Reeder, of Bellefonte, county chairman; M. L. McQuown, of Clearfield; C. T. Ames, one of the nominces for legislature in Clearfield county, chairman of Clearfield, were the speak-

Officers Elected.

HOUSE THIEVES CAPTURED.

Last Thursday morning Mr. Michael Strolim, merchant at Centre Hill, Pa., AN IMMENSE OUTPOURING father of commissioner James B. Strohm, found that his horse and buggy had been stolen during the night. Over Ten Thousand in Attendance-Miles Two young men were about there during the previous day. One was Charles Meyer, a son of Howard Meyer, of Milton, Pa., who several years previous

suit, who got on their trail and traced for many years.

port.

stealing J. F. Holt's horse at Union- for the Mutual Life Insurance Compa- torney to explain to the justice what his duty was, and the warrant was obtain-

Borough Improvements.

Since the pike leading through Milesnew walks are being laid along the entire thoroughfare. Not only that street but on others as well, there is an indication of improvement of the streets and sidewalks. It is an indication that Milesburg has an active and progressive town council that intends to do its

duty by compelling the citizens to fix up and keep their town in good order. Milesburg is nicely located, has beautiful surroundings and if local pride continues to act as during the past season it will be the pride of the Bald Eagle

valley.

First Day's Attendance at School.

THE BAND TOURNAMENT.

OF PEOPLE.

burg Awarded 1st Prize-State College the 2nd-Organization Effected.

Last Thursday was the greatest day had lived at Centre Hill in a building for Hecla Park. The band tournament adjoining the Strohm residence. An- of Centre and Clinton counties being a other young man, Stanley Ryan, of new idea people came from all direc-Milton, was with him; both were about tions in numbers that completely over-True bills were found in the follow- and Keller for the pike company. Be- 18 years of age. They spoke of going taxed the capacity of the trains, while to Milton on Thursday morning and several thousand journeyed there by were not to be found. Neither of them private conveyances. The Central R. had left the Centre Hall station that R of Pa. carried about 7,000 passengers morning. Mr. Strohm concluded that which would make the number at the these were the persons who took his Park over 10,000-being one of the larg-David Finnegan, - Patton twp property and a party was sent in pur- est gatherings held in Centre county

> the two boys and conveyance to Milton. The forenoon was enlivened by music When James B. Strohm got there he from the different bands about the Park. found that his father's horse, which he Soon after dinner the crowd gathered Dollie C. Fye, - Pine Grove Mills at one time owned, was there, having about the pavillion where Prof. W. T. been traded to another party. The Meyer, director of the Bellefonte band. animal's mane had been cut off and the called the leaders of the bands togethtail closely docked changing its appear- er and stated that the object of the ance very much. They got an old dun gathering was to effect a permanent pony in exchange. Mr. Strohm identi- organization of the bands of Clinton fied his property and after some inquiry and Centre counties, and to hold future found Meyer's home and the young man gatherings. The officers chosen were: admitted his guilt. Ryan heard of the President, George A. Miller, of Lock matter and jumped a train for Williams- Haven; vice president, John F. Harter, director of the Millheim band, and sec-

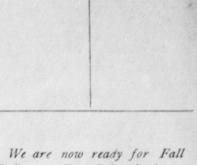
The Milton justice refused a warrant retary, S. W. Calderwood of the Mill on the ground that the act had been Hall band. It will be their duty to committed in Centre county. This prepare a constitution and by-laws and caused some delay in consulting an at- arrange for the next annual gathering. THE CONTEST.

The leaders of each band, to enter the ed. A telegram sent to the railroad contest, drew their numbers by lot for police at Williamsport brought about their order of performance. The three the arrest of Ryan. On Saturday even- judges were: Harry S. Krape, band The forty-first annual fair of the Un- ing the two young men arrived in master of the Repaz band, Williamsion county Agricultural Society will be Bellefonte. They were given a hearing port; Joel Ettinger, director of the held at Brook Park, Lewisburg, on Sep. before Justice Kechline, who bound Milton band; and Wm. A. Calhoun, 25, 26, 27 and 28. Excursion rates on them over for appearance at next term leader of the Lewistown band. They retired to a closed tent, near by the pavillion, where they could not see what

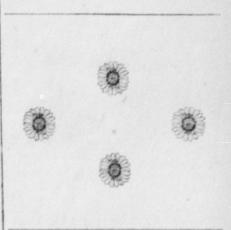
bands were playing and in that way their grading would be fair and impartial. The grading was on a percentage system ten points having been taken as follows: attack, ensemble, tone, shading, forte and pianissimo, tempo, accelrando, accentuation, legato and staccato. 1 was fair, 2 good, 3 very good and 4 perfect. The bands all played the overture "Crown of Victory," by Ripley. Owing to the lack of time 'W. M. B. March," by Hall, was not played but had been rendered by all the bands in the morning; there being about two hundred men playing.

The bands played in the following order and received the following grading:

Milesburg band, 21 pieces. Aaronsburg No. 1 band, 17 pieces. State College band, 22 pieces. Good Tempiar band of Lock Haven 25 pieces. Millheim band, 21 pieces. Colevilie band, 22 pieces. Lock Haven Military band 32 pieces.

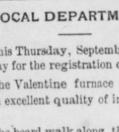


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out an excellent quality of iron at pres-

health during the past week. He is able to be about his room and expects to be out in a short time. Nothing serious is apprehended.

-J. C. Harper and family moved out of their Linn street home on Monday which was purchased by Harry Keller, and are now located in the Brew residence on Spring street.

-Boyd A. Musser, of State College, is now located in Bellefonte and has taken up the study of law in the office of Spangler & Hewes. He graduated from State College, last June, with high honors and we predict for him success in his present undertaking.

-The Christian Endeavor convenion, of Centre county, meets in Belleonte the latter part of this week in the Pesbyterian Chapel. An interesting program for the varsous sessions has been prepared. This society has largely increased its membership in our county during the past year.

-The Krights of the Golden Eagle Commandery, accompanied by the Bellefonte band, gave an open air drill on the diamond Monday evening. They wore their new uniforms for the first time in public and made a handsome appearance. H. S. Taylor conducted the drill.

-On Wednesday afternoon, of last week. Willie, the yeung son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Keichline, while playing around in the machine shop of Wetzel brothers, got his hand in a cog wheel right hand were so badly crushed that recover a balance due. The verdict was amputation was necessary.

-Very few squirrels have been killed since the opening of the season, September 1st. Editor Harter, who is somewhat of a nimrod, tramped many miles last Saturday, with Wm. Cassidy, and they didn't see a single bushy tail They made very little noise when they returned to town.

-John Walte received a handsome white enameled bicycle from the Cleve- walk. About two years ago James Solt, disposed of twenty-five of their wheels ner of Logan and Allegheny street. this season. Thus far he sold thirty- The board broke causing him to fall fine style. two machines this year. That is a heavily, injuring his limb so as to consplendid record.

officials to look after the walks.

REPORT OF THE GRAND JURY.

To the Honorable, the Judges of the Court of marter Sessions of the Peace in and for the county of Centre, August Sessions, 1884. The Grand Inquest of the Commonwealth of ennsylvania inquiring for the county in all matters relating to the same, do respectfully

matters relating to the same, so respectivity resort: That they have acted upon forty bills of in-distiment, of which thirty-two were found true bills and eight ignored. Also approved two petitions for county bridges. We beg leave further to report, that we have visited and inspected the county buildings and our observations prompt the following suggestion: At the county jail the bath room needs repairing and cleaning. The inside of jail we find in a good, neat and clean condition; the outside of dwelling portion needs painting and stone work pointed, the roof should be repaired and we would also recommend that a new range be placed in the kitchen. At the court house, we recommend that an addition of twenty-four feet be added to rear

At the court house, we recommend that addition of twenty-four feet be added to and of the court house for the perpose of en-arging the grand jury room and witness room we would also further recommend that an iffee for the use of the Sheriff be fitted up in

The unsightly barb-wire fence surrounding The unsightly barb-wire fence surrounding the park, between the court house and jail, should be removed. From the appearance of the ceiling in the court room the roof of the building is in bad condition and should be re-paired immediately. We respectfully tender our thanks to the Honorable Judges and District Attorney for their courtesy and assistance rendered us dur-ing our deliberations. Bellefonte, Pa., Aug. 30th, 1394.

SECOND WEEK.

The attendance at court this week is about the average. The first case tried was George W. Campbell ys Hannah Groves, administrator of Dr. W. C. Groves, deceased. This was a suit to for plaintiff, \$3.50. Part of the account was debarred by the statue of limita-

tion. W. E. Church vs Julia Kitz, executor of etc., of W. R. Miller, deceased. Suit to recover salary claimed to be due plaintiff as book keeper; verdict for plaintiff, \$241.40.

James E. Solt, vs Bellefonte Boro, an action to recover \$20,000 damages for injuries received from a defective board

damages that is being tried this week, Meyer and Charles P. Hewes; the to Miss Caroline M. Bashore, of West good dancing floor will be erected and a arising from injuries received from a boro by Clem Dale, the solicitor, assistfall on a defective board walk. Phil- ed by Gen. Beaver. The case was heard known here, as the son of the late Dr. ipsburg has had a taste of this 'business and argued on Tuesday. Wednesday George Swartz, who resided here for which is expensive in any event. It is morning the court addressed the jury. many years. He is a graduate of the business office at 1315 Filbert street, importance in these days of close econa warning to property owners and horo A large audience was present to hear Bellefonte High school and of Dickin- Philadelphia, as so much of their busi- omy and short incomes to make a dollar the charge to the jury. They returned son college.

At the meeting of the Bellefonte Board of Trade, on Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Wm. Shortlidge; Vice-Presidents, Hammond school's history. The attendance in Sechier and Wm. A. Lyon; Secretary, the different schools was as follows: Clement Dale; Treasurer, John P. Harris. A number of communications were read and other matters periaining Fox, 41; Miss Carrie Weaver, 45; Miss to the organization discussed.

To the Western Penlitentiary.

On Monday morning Sheriff Condo, who gave his name as Geo. Rown, and Miss Bessie Dorworth, 68 a total of 286. And. Weaver, convicted of theft, to the Western Penitentiary near Pittsburg. Centre county has quite a delegation there at present, with more to follow.

Sold Out.

The effects of W. F. Wise & Co., of Tyrone, were sold at sheriff's sale on first discovered by some women while Thursday. The venture of presenting berrying. He was not afraid of women the Herculaneum at Atlantic City and but would flee at the presence of a man. Philadelphia is what caused the finan- Wonder ul stories are told about the cial troubles. It was a loosing venture. marvelous strength of the captured

Attention Comrades.

Encampment at Pittsburg, are request- long hair. Flowing locks, two feet in ed to meet at the Post rooms at 9, a. m. length, hung down his back and his sharp on Monday, Sept. 10th, to march hands are said to resemble long birdin a body to the station in good time for like claws. the 10.20 train.

From Milton to Lewisburg.

\$36,000.

HORSE stealing in Centre county seems to have become an epidemic of late

nish music every night of this week the fire from spreading and extinguish. National Encampment of the G. A. R. for a dancing party.

-A large number of republicans in sured. from Beliefonte attended the meeting of the Republican Clubs of Penna., at Harrisburg, Pa., on Wednesday. A. in Smith's grove, at Greenburr, under land Bicycle Company, on Monday. It a cripple, who walks with a cane and Wilson Norris, Esq., a young man the auspices of the Greenburr band, on turns out from forty to fifty dozen was a premium given him for having crutch, stepped on a board near the cor- formerly of Bellefonte made the address Saturday, September 15, all day and

Fairview, Pa. Morris Swartz is well first class orchestra englaged.

The borough schools opened this morning with a total attendance of 613, the largest attendance on opening day in the Brick building-High School, 90; Mr. Roy Mattern's school, 46, Miss Rosa Bridgie Curry, 52; Miss Bella Rankin, 53, a total of 327.

Stone building-Prof. John S. Harrison, 75; Miss Jennie Strickland, 43; and D. L. Zerby, Esq., of Millheim Miss Annie McCaffery, 39; Miss Millie no more. It is claimed, however, that escorted Miles Walker, the horse thief Smith, 35; Miss Jennie Longacre, 26;

Captured at Last.

The wild man who for some time past county by his presence there was captured on Friday last by a posse of nearly a hundred citizens. The man was man. He is said to be nearly seven feet All comrades going to the National in height and his body is covered with

Three Houses Burned.

On Thursday morning, of last week, ed the remains. A" the properties were

Harvest Home Jubilee.

A havest home jubiles will be held present. A grand parade will take fine him for a long time. The defend. Morris E. Swartz, now located at Rid- ments will be provided, among them made, -Bellefonte boro has a suit for ant was represented by Messrs. J. C. dlesburg. Bedford county, was matried shooting of clay pigeons for a prize. A

nessecomes from that city.

lion band, 20 pieces. The decision of the judges awarding first prize, silver cornet, to Milesburg, and second prize, silver slide trombone, to the State College boys, was received with both approval and dissatisfaction. That was expected. All of the bands did well and each was accompanied by local enthusiasts who differed with the decision-but could not change the re-

sult. Each band was given the privilege to hire two additional players, and several bands had as high as eight and ten, most of them professionals. The following bands were also pres-

ent but did not enter the contest: Madisonburg, Mill Hall, Rote and Sugar has terrorized the citizens of Potter Valley; also representatives of the Pleasant Gap band, making in all thirteen bands.

The large attendance was more than was expected by the managers of the enterprise. The boarding house was unable to meet the demand for meals and some went without dinner.% The Bellefonte band will clear about five hundred dollars for their trouble. That will put them upon a good financial footing.

Half Rates to Pittsburg.

The Pennsylvania Railroad announces that excursion tickets will be sold at half rates, September 6th to September 10th, good to return until September A charter was granted last week to fire broke out in Wm. Grassmire's 25th, with a minimum rate of fifty the Milton and Lewisburg street rail- house, at Milesburg, and in a short time cents. It is expected that this will be way company. The capital stock is the entire structure with most of the the largest Grand Army Encampment contents were consumed. The flames that has ever been held, from the fact spread to the adjoining residences of that the name of Pittsburg is remember-Col. Weaver and Mr. L. C. Bullock and | cd by every veteran, as it was the first they too was destroyed but most of the'r eity to establish a Subsistence Commithousehold goods were removed. The tee. The Pennsylvania Railroad will -A street plano arrived in town on two fire companies from Bellefonte re- be prepared to carry every person who Saturday and has been engaged to fur- sponded. They succeeded in keeping may desire to attend this, the 28th

New Shovel Factory.

The new shovel factory at Philipsburg which was erected this summer 's now doing an immense business., It employs a goodly number of men and of welcome and acquitted bimself in evening. Several good bands will be from the small fire shovel to the largest mine shovel. It is a paying institution -On Tuesday, August 23th. Rev. place at 10 a. m. All sorts of amusc- and ready sale is found for all shovels

> -We earnestly call the attention of the readers of the DEMOCRAT to the announcement of Lyon & Co., on page -Jenkins & Lingle have opened a four of our paper. It is of paramount go as far as possible.



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