

THE RACKET.

No. 9 CRIDER EX. BELLEFONTE, PA.

U say U read the papers, probably U'r neighbor does not and that's why U are in position to take advantage of the

REBUILDING SALE

a while before he finds it out.

If U need UNDERWEAR U ought to know that U can buy as much of as little of our stock as U need for less money than most merchants pay for it.

If U need Dress Goods U ought to know that U can buy as much of as little of our stock as U need for less money than U can buy it by the piece from the man that makes it.

Shoes and Rubbers are in the soup too. U ought to know it.

G. R. SPIGLEMYER, SHERIFF.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

We print sale bills. More snow on Wednesday morning. The "Black Crook" will be the play of the season. There is plenty of steam heat and everybody is pleased. The young people are having plenty of fun at present coasting on our hills. Another reduction in prices occurred at Lyon & Co's. See their new advertisement. Edward Garman, the merchant, is on the sick list, confined to his home with an attack of "shingles." Nora Brown, Bellefonte, was recently granted an original widow's pension last week. Beaver & Dale will move their law offices to the second floor of Temple Court after the January term of court. The cold spell of weather came early on Sunday morning. Since then the thermometer has been hovering in the vicinity of zero. John Dubbs, the implement dealer, sports a handsome cutter. It is made entirely of steel. It is light in weight, substantial and cheap in price. "Dixie Land" booked for the opera house on Tuesday evening did not arrive. The company busted at Tyrone. No one was disappointed here. Another strike has occurred at Lyon & Co's. store—this time prices have gone down lower than ever. See their advertisement in another column. Mr. M. Fauble was to Buffalo this week for the purpose of attending a horse sale. He evidently intends to have some flyers at the next county fair. Wilbur F. Reeder, Esq., has resigned the chairmanship of the republican county committee. It is an office that contains a great deal of hard work. The Howard Hornet last week gave Steele Hunter, of Bellefonte, a stinger. Mr. Hunter was recently appointed a tipstaff by Judge Love, to which the Hornet files its disapproval. Mrs. Lovina P. Trezlyny, an aged lady resident, died at her home in Milesburg at an early hour on Friday morning. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. B. B. Hamlin, formerly presiding elder of this district, was recently elected chaplain of the House of Representatives at Harrisburg. It is almost unnecessary to remark that he is a Methodist. One day last week the boarders at Mr. Bickle's residence, on Howard street became quite ill and some were seriously affected. It is thought that the tea used by them that evening contained some poisonous ingredient. Some of our leading people think it would be advisable to call a citizens meeting for the purpose of nominating a decent boro ticket this year. The record of the past year, if kept up, would bankrupt us. The firm of J. S. Waite & Co., of Bellefonte, dealers in implements, carriages, etc., are financially embarrassed. They appeared to be doing a thriving business, but too great confidence in their patrons was their fault. No trust—no bust, is the safe guide. Judge Larimer, of Sioux City, was an arrival in Bellefonte Monday morning and is now a guest at the home of Mr. W. T. Spear, on West High street. The Judge will be well and favorably remembered by many persons in Bellefonte, he having at one time been a resident in this place. On Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock a building on Quaker hill was discovered on fire. The departments turned out promptly and prevented the flames from spreading. The building was burned to the ground. It was owned by Mrs. John Bradley. The origin of the fire is unknown.

FAREWELL RECEPTION

TO GEN. HASTINGS AND FAMILY

In the Armory on last Friday Evening—a gathering of Friends and Neighbors to say "Farewell."

Last Friday evening the new army was thronged with an immense gathering of people from this vicinity to bid General Hastings and family farewell, upon their departure to Harrisburg. A general invitation was extended to the public to attend the reception and it was largely accepted—it seemed as though everybody came—rich and poor, young and old. The Undine band and fire company all in their handsome new uniforms arrived at the armory at 8:30. The band took its position on the stage and rendered some fine selections. Company B. was on hand, it being their regular drill night, and they assisted in keeping the entrance clear and the crowd in order. When Gen. Hastings, Mrs. Hastings and daughter Helen arrived there were several thousand people in the armory who gave them a hearty welcome of applause. They took their position at the side of the room and began to receive the large lines of people formed to give them a parting hand shake and some kindly expressions of good will. After an hour had passed in receiving friends J. M. Dale, Esq., stepped on the stage and said that he believed it was the desire of the audience to hear from Gen. Hastings on this occasion. The General came forward amid thundering applause and began speaking apparently much affected by this kindly demonstration of his friends and neighbors which he considered the highest testimonial he could receive and to whose efforts he attributed much of his success and preferment. He thanked them for what they had done for him and assured them to always strive to merit their trust and confidence. The General never seemed to speak more earnestly than on this occasion and his closing sentences, calling upon the Divine Ruler for guidance, were grandly eloquent. At least two thousand people were present. Conspicuous in the audience were Dr. Atherton and most of the members of the Faculty of Pennsylvania State College and many students. Gen. Hastings is suffering from a large boil on his neck which makes his movements somewhat difficult. It is an unusually annoying to him especially at this time. He remained but a short time at the armory after his address.

A Double Crime.

An attempted double murder and suicide occurred near the town of New Columbia, Union county, on last Thursday morning. Wesley Pawling, a farmer, of White Deer township, went into the bed room of his wife and shot his 3-months-old child through the head. He then aimed the weapon at Mrs. Pawling, but in arising to see the cause of the noise she avoided the shot. As the murderer attempted to fire again Mrs. Pawling caught his arm and wrenched the revolver from him. Pawling did not try further to kill his wife but immediately left the house. Taking a carriage he went to his mother's house, a mile and a quarter away, and told her his child was shot and that she should go with him home.

After this he went to a neighbor's and asked him to go for a doctor. He then walked to the house again, and calling his wife to him, asked her if she would forgive him for his act. She said yes, and then he kissed her and went out. A short time afterwards Pawling's dead body was found hanging from a cross-beam in the carpenter shop, about 80 feet from the house. No cause for the awful tragedy can be ascertained. Family troubles or jealousy are supposed to have been the cause. The wife's wound is not considered fatal, but the child will die.

Pleasant Gap Pickings.

The convention held in the M. E. church last week, conducted by Prof. Johnson, of Rote, was a success financially. Quite a number of singers from a distance assisted him and all had a good time. A. J. Swartz and several of our young ladies expect to attend a convention at Boalsburg next week, conducted by Prof. Meyers. Wm. Ross was kicked in the face by a colt last week. No bones were broken, but his face was badly bruised. A. J. Swartz, of this place, assisted by Prof. Meyers, of Boalsburg, will hold a musical convention in the Lutheran church, at this place, commencing Feb. 11 and closing with two grand concerts on Friday and Saturday evenings 15th and 16th. Quite a number of singers from a distance have been secured, among them is the soloist of Altoona, Miss May Myter, she will sing some of her choice selections every evening during the week and especially on Friday and Saturday evening.

Where People Live to be Old.

Rebersburg, with a population of about 800 persons, has 30 persons aged over 70 years. Centre Hall, with a population of 600, has 18 persons over 70 years of age.

RECENT DEATHS.

The community of Zion was startled on Tuesday morning to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Elizabeth Gephart, which occurred at 5 o'clock that morning. On Monday she appeared to be enjoying her usual health, being able to walk about the house, and in the evening she ate a hearty supper and then retired. During the night she was heard making a queer noise, and when asked what was wrong she replied she had a pain in her head. After speaking a few more words to those around her she said, "be good, I want to meet you in heaven," and then slept away.

Mrs. Gephart was one of the oldest residents of that community, being 92 years of age. For a number of years she has lived with her daughter, Mrs. David Wise, on the old Gephart homestead, near Zion. Her husband, Henry Gephart, died 28 years ago. They were among the first settlers in that vicinity. She deceased in her younger days was an unusually strong, healthy woman. She would do all kinds of work on the farm, together with attending to her household duties. Until within the last year she would read and sew readily without the use of glasses. She raised a family of thirteen children, nine of them surviving her. They are: Henry and Mrs. Noah J. Stover, living in Kansas; Mrs. Henry Fiedler, Madisonburg; Mrs. James Taylor, Union county; Mrs. William Scholl, Centre Hall; Mrs. Harrison Kline, of near Bellefonte; Mrs. David Wagner, Houserville; Philip, of Zion; and Mrs. Wise, with whom the deceased made her home. Several years ago a family reunion was held at her home at which her descendants of five generations were represented. She was a constant reader, well versed in scripture, and for sixty-five years was a consistent member of the Evangelical church. Her oldest daughter, Mrs. Lucy Twitmyer, died several months ago. Deceased was a native of Dauphin county. The burial will take place on Friday forenoon in the Zion Union cemetery.

MRS. MALISSA HAGERMAN.

Malissa Irwin, relict of Lewis Hagerman, deceased, died after a short illness, at her residence on East Linn street, Monday noon aged nearly 80 years. In 1846 she was married to Lewis W. Hagerman, with whom she lived happily until his death which occurred at Howard, Pa., May 28, 1856. She bore him two children, John Irwin Hagerman and Sarah Brooks Hagerman, both of whom survive her. Her death was due to a general giving way of her physical resources. She suffered much pain during her illness and lost her sight and hearing but her death was painless and came quickly. She will be buried this Thursday afternoon in the friends burying ground.

After a long sickness, Mrs. Amelia P. Rhoads, wife of Mr. Thomas Rhoads, painter and paper hanger, died at her residence on Beaver street, on Friday, Jan. 11. Deceased was born at Potter's Mills, June 6, 1839, making her age 55 years, 7 months and 5 days. She was the daughter of Magdalene and William Wilkinson. Her husband and six children survive her, namely, Mrs. William Michaels, Mrs. William Handley, Nettie E. Albert and Huston, of Bellefonte, and Ambrose of Sunbury.

Mrs. Mary, relict of Reddy Powers, died on Thursday morning, of last week, at Philad., aged about 60 years. She is survived by seven sons and two daughters. The family resided at Bellefonte some years ago where the husband died. Mrs. James Nolan and Mrs. Michael Connelly, of Bellefonte, are daughters of the deceased.

Mr. Abram Holter died at Howard, Pa., Wednesday morning the 9th, between the hours of 6 and 7 o'clock, of paralysis. Mr. Holter was one of the oldest and most honored citizens of that borough. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife and seven children. He was 66 years old at the time of his death. Funeral took place on last Saturday.

George W., a three month old son of Percy S. and Ida M. Blackford, of Bellefonte, died very suddenly on Saturday morning 12th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bowmaster, Union township, who are Mrs. Blackford's parents where she had been visiting. Interment in the Union cemetery at Unionville the following Monday.

Mrs. Ester A. Baney, wife of David Baney, died at the residence of Frank Baney, on East High street, Thursday night at 9 o'clock. Deceased had been ill for a long time and was aged 68 years. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

John Fetzer, one of Boggs township's oldest citizens, was suddenly stricken down by paralysis on Friday, January 4th, from the effects of which he died on the 6th inst, aged 71 years, 6 months and 21 days. His remains were interred in Messiah's church cemetery on the 8th.

Harry McMurtrie died at his home in Coleville on Sunday night, aged about 21 years. He was affected with neuralgia that finally turned to his heart and caused almost instant death.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

The "Black Crook" is coming to Bellefonte on Tuesday evening, January 20th.

There will be a county convention of the Christian Endeavor society on February 6 and 7 at State College.

The midwinter sale at Lyon & Co's., to dispose of winter stock, is attracting a great deal of attention. See their advertisement.

Manager Garman thinks he booked his best attraction for the season when he made a date for the "Black Crook," Tuesday evening, January 20th.

The gas company are furnishing many of their patrons with an improved lamp that gives a steady light and consumes less fuel than the ordinary jet. Many of them are used at this place.

Harry U. Tibbens, a graduate of the Bellefonte High schools, recently became editor in chief and manager of the Altoona Graphic News. Mr. Tibbens is a young man of ability and will make a success of his venture.

The University Extension Course should be patronized by every intelligent reader in Bellefonte who appreciates literary culture. Go to the Presbyterian chapel this evening and acquaint yourself with this system of education.

Young Mack Reeber, while performing on a horizontal bar in the basement at the public school building, lost his hold and fell on the hard cement, striking first on the side of his face. He is badly used up and swollen about the face. That is a part of every boy's experience. We learn by falling.

There is some talk of organizing a river league for the coming season. Those interested in the matter are dead in earnest and are determined to make the thing a sure go. It is likely that the new league will include Williamsport, Lock Haven, Bellefonte, Tyrone, Sunbury, Danville and Bloomsburg and probably Shamokin.

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte post office not called for January 14th, 1895: Miss Annie Andrews, Mr. C. Bowen, Mr. William Crain, Miss Lucy Gorham, Mr. Patrick Garrett, Mr. John S. Harris, Prof. A. E. Hough, Mr. Harry Hoy, John E. Hytte, Mr. W. E. Kames, Miss Rebecca Parry, Mr. Lloyd Reed, Mr. Thomas Shirr, S. Marie Stevenson, H. James Saxton, R. G. Thomas and Mr. A. J. Zeigler. When called for please say advertised. DAVID F. FORTNEY, p.m.

The Undine band with a number of the fire company went to Snow Shoe last Thursday for a sleigh ride and spent the evening with John Uzzle. Their trip out was not very pleasant, as it rained nearly the whole way. As soon as they arrived they were seated around a large table filled with everything that a man could wish. During the evening there was all kinds of music and a general good time. The next morning Mr. Uzzle took the boys through his deer park, where he has fourteen fine deer, and then drove to Clarence where his son George keeps a first class hotel. In the afternoon they returned home, all well pleased with the treatment they received from the big hearted landlord.

Met With an Accident.

David Stine employed as a car inspector at Bellefonte, met with a serious and possibly fatal accident Tuesday afternoon while in the performance of his duties. He was making some repairs to the under-rigging of a freight car when a shifting engine pushed another car against the one at which he was working. Being thus taken unawares he was caught by the brake rigging of the car and so seriously injured that when taken out he was unconscious and he most likely sustained internal injury as well as some broken bones.

Silver Wedding.

On Monday evening, February 11th, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Goodhart will celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary at their home near Centre Hill. A number of invitations have been issued to relatives and near friends for the occasion. Mr. Goodhart is one of the democratic members of the Commissioner's board and is well known to most of our readers all of whom, no doubt, join with us in extending our congratulations.

Caught in Pittsburg.

The young man sailing under the name of Frank Adams and engaged in fleeing hotel keepers by means of worthless checks, was arrested in Pittsburg several days ago while spending some money around a pool table. This is the chap that fled hotel keepers at Phillipsburg, Altoona and other points.

Must be Filed This Month.

All certificates of nomination for township and borough offices must be filed in the county commissioner's office on or before February 1. It is also imperative that the first name of all candidates be written in full.

Death of Mrs. Potter Iddings.

Wednesday evening, December 19, Mrs. Potter Iddings, deceased, at her home in Pine Grove aged 38 years, 11 months. She leaves a kind and loving husband and three children to mourn her loss.

A CITIZENS TICKET

SHOULD BE NOMINATED THIS YEAR.

How a Cowboy Student was Initiated at the College—Other Interesting Paragraphs.

In view of the fact that there are certain political roosters in both parties in Bellefonte who always manipulate the nominations for boro offices, and remembering that the expenditures during the past year have been extravagant and unwise and that each year we are being plunged deeper in debt—a heavy burden on every property owner—it is deemed wise by many leading citizens to nominate a Reform Ticket and present it to the earnest, sober-minded taxpayers of Bellefonte for their approval. Council needs a reorganization—a shaking up. There are too many axes being ground there.

Our school boards could show economy in various directions. The street committee should be removed with censure for their deliberate extravagance.

The overseer of the poor has been farming his office long enough. It is a sluice-way for many a dollar. Tax payers should demand a new, clean, honest, capable man.

A citizens committee could select a ticket for these places that would meet with success.

Cow Boy Student.

Among the curiosities, at State College, this season, is a young chap from Texas who seems proud of his nativity and evidently takes pride in impressing his "Cowboy" manners upon his fellow students. It was not an uncommon thing to see this representative of the Lone Star State parading about the campus in true cowboy style. A large sombrero was on his head while he carried a brace of threatening revolvers in a leather belt about his waist and his other garments were consistent with that of a "Terror" from the plains.

One night, recently the boys were out looking after fresh-men and introducing them, according to the time honored custom, into the mysteries of college life. This process is more commonly known as hazing. When they came to the Texan's door it was locked and they were notified from the inside that he was not receiving callers that evening, also warned them not to intrude as the consequences might be severe.

A brief consultation was held, then a rush and a boost, and in went the door and the gang of hazers. A surprise was in store. Mr. Cowboy was sitting by his table with a brace of revolvers in hand. The intruders were politely invited to sit down, about the room but no one should attempt any familiarities if they placed any value on their lives. The boys accepted the invitation, and advice as well. They entertained their host with ringing college songs and jokes until he truly thought they were not intent upon any evil.

At an unguarded moment one of the boys leaped upon the Texan's back, others soon relieved him of his weapons and in a short time he was put through a course of sprouts that was truly humiliating to this terror of the plains.

The Lone Star from Texas had to take his medicine like every other ordinary fellow, and is a wiser man for it.

Guilty of Manslaughter.

The trial of Amasa Winchester, at Lock Haven, concluded by the jury after two hours deliberation returned a verdict of manslaughter. He was tried for the killing of Wm. Reeder, at that place, last September. The commonwealth prosecuted for murder in the first degree.

On Monday afternoon Winchester was called before court for sentence. His attorneys made brief addresses for clemency. His sentence was eight years and six months. Winchester was fortunate when one considers the enormity of the crime.

University Extension Lecture.

Last Thursday evening the second lecture, by Dr. Rolf, was delivered in the University Extension course in the Presbyterian chapel to a fair sized audience. His subject was "Charles Lamb," and it proved unusually interesting. The next lecture will be this Thursday evening at same place, subject "Thomas Carlyle," the Scottish essayist and biographer. We can not too strongly urge our people to take an interest in this system of literary work.

Five Brothers.

Israel, John, Jacob, Jefferson and James Stover, five brothers, who reside in the state of Michigan, are at present visiting their friends in this county. They are brothers of George M. Stover, of Aaronsburg, and of Jackson and Daniel Stover of near Feidler. Their mother, who is 81 years of age, resides with her son, Jackson.

Encouraging.

The people at Phillipsburg are very anxious to see the electric street railway materialize. The Journal says: "The contract for the erection of the Electric Railway Power House will be let in a few days. The bids were all in Saturday and will be considered and acted upon."

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Issued During the Past Two Weeks—Taken From the Docket.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Location. Includes H. A. Gentzel (Greig twp), Rachel Walizer (Miles twp), John Quick (Morrisdale), Carrie M. Walk (Taylor twp), Frank Capani (Spring twp), Catharine Ammerman (Bellefonte), A. J. Graden (Spring Mills), Mary A. Mowery (Aaronsburg), Al Beezer (Bellefonte), and Said Oswald (Milesburg).

Foster on the Weather.

My last bulletin gave forecasts of the storm wave to cross the continent from 14th to 18th, and of the next, from Japan by way of Behring sea, will reach the Pacific coast about the 18th, cross the western mountain country by close of 19th, the Missouri valley and Western Texas 20th, Mississippi valley, eastern Texas and upper lakes 21st, Ohio valley, lower lakes and east gulf states 22d, and the eastern states 23d. The warm wave will cross the western mountain country about 18th, the great central valleys 20th, and the eastern states 22d. The cold wave will cross the western mountain country about 21st, the great central valleys 23rd and the eastern states 25th. This disturbance will large increase the rainfall of this month, a considerable portion of which, in the northern states, will be snow. The cold wave will be most severe in the eastern states, and snows may be expected in the far west about 20th, upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys 22d, Ohio valley 23d and New England 24th. The month will close with cold weather in eastern states and rising temperature in the west.

Addition to State College's Faculty.

The short agricultural and creamery courses opened Monday with forty-eight students, representing nineteen counties of Pennsylvania and the states of New York, New Jersey and Ohio. Additions to the regular college teaching force have been made in H. B. Gurler, late expert on dairy awards at the World's fair; C. S. Beech, from the dairy bacteriological laboratory at Madison, Wis., and Leonard Pearson, of Philadelphia.

Institute at Howard.

On Friday Hon. John A. Woodward, who is a member of the State Board of Agriculture, was a pleasant caller at our office. He is engaged in arranging for the coming institute to be held in the Methodist church, at Howard, on Wednesday and Thursday, February 6th and 7th, 1894. The first session begins on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Some of the best informed farmers of the state will be present and an excellent program will be prepared. All sessions are free.



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Beat those prices if you can and watch for brands. If in Butter Milk see that you get the genuine as we offer.

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