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The New Racket.

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Can it Be Possible

That the intelligent readers of this paper can be fooled by fakes, not facts, in advertisements—for instance:—

SEE OUR MIDDLE WINDOW FOR EXPOSE

Here's another fake—Buttermilk soap per box, 1 lb. The word "genuine" is avoided in last week's paper, but the effect is just the same.

Whenever it is necessary for the Racket to resort to such tricks to get trade, we'll fold our tents like the Arab, and as silently steal away!

G. R. SPIGLEMYER, SHEMSPIGLEMYER, JR

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

Last Sunday Robt. F. Hunter made a trip to Lewistown on his wheel.

Imported wraps and coats on display at Katz's, on Thursday, Sept. 26th.

McCarthy's Mishaps is one of the best, Garman's opera house, Wednesday, Sept. 25.

James R. Potter sold his livery business, at this place, to Mrs. Lizzie Lose, who will continue the same.

Lee B. Woodcock will leave this coming week to take a course in the Jefferson Medical College, in Philadelphia.

Wilbur Harris is enjoying a vacation of several weeks at this place. He will return to Harrisburg about the first of October.

Mr. Joseph Brisban, a former proprietor of the Centre Democrat, who left here to go to the war, is making his first visit to Bellefonte.

On Sunday morning we had the heaviest frost of the season. The roofs and buildings were quite white and vegetation suffered considerably.

Wm. Mayes, one of Walker township's prosperous farmers, made our office force happy by leaving a basket of fine apples with us.

The Penna. R. R. Company improved their surroundings at the station by putting down a first class vitrified brick street crossing.

Barney Ferguson in McCarthy's Mishaps will please you better than anything you have seen in years, at the opera house, Wednesday, Sept. 25.

The Undine band, of this place, made a great hit in Williamsport last week. They played well, and were much complimented by the newspapers of that city.

Last Saturday quite a number of the G. A. R. excursionists from this place to Louisville, Ky., arrived home. They all speak highly of their trip and the Southern hospitality enjoyed.

And now the girls are after Col. Dunham, the sporty editor of the Hornet, who is fast becoming a dangerous rival to Francis Spear, the man of all men among the ladies.

Fakers of all kinds, enroute for the picnic, stopped in town on Friday and Saturday evenings to entertain our people. Some succeeded in roping in the shekels.

The ox-roast at Hecla Park last Thursday, by the Knights of the Mystic chain, attracted over six hundred people to the park. Lock Haven and Mill Hill were better represented than Bellefonte.

Hon. Volney P. Cushing, the celebrated temperance orator, will lecture in the court house, here, Saturday evening, September 21st. The prohibitionists are quite active already and are opening an early campaign.

Ed. Harper, son of Mrs. J. A. Harper, has gone to Chicago where he has accepted a position with a railroad company in that place. His uncle, Mr. Charles Schreyer, is a prominent railroad man at that place.

J. C. Meyer, Esq., took a trip to Ridgeway, Pa., on Saturday, to serve papers connected with the Isaac Thomas vs. A. M. McClain litigation. This is an important contest in which judgments amounting to about \$20,000 are at issue.

The Magnet says the following people living at Coleville were ill with typhoid fever: Mrs. Geo. Rider, Miss Tessie Houser, Miss Lytle, Miss Leitzel, Mrs. Minnemyer, Miss Leah Myer, Michael Myers, Mrs. Ed. Poorman, Mr. Holabaugh, Clarence Tate, a son of Geo. Rhoades and a young child of Mrs. Billett.

SCHOLARSHIPS GIVEN AWAY

Winter Term in the Lock Haven State Normal.

TUITION AND BOARD FREE.

An opportunity for Some Deserving young Person to Obtain a Valuable Prize—The Centre Democrat's offer to be Awarded by Its Readers—Read the Conditions.

This week the CENTRE DEMOCRAT is able to make an announcement that will surely be appreciated. Knowing of the hardships and struggles many young men and women must face in order to acquire an education in the primary branches, and who must be satisfied with the elementary training in the public schools, because they have not the necessary means to pursue their studies in higher institutions, it is our intention to assist some such deserving person in Centre county, by furnishing a free scholarship to the Lock Haven State Normal, for the coming Winter term.

This scholarship is worth \$51.00 in cash to any pupil. It will give him a term in one of the finest, best equipped normal schools in this State. It has a faculty of able instructors, all under the direction of Dr. James Eldon, principal, who has built up for this school a reputation that placed it in the very front rank.

In addition to the above proposition we have another, tuition for the winter term in the same school, for 12 weeks, worth \$15, will also be given to some deserving person.

HOW AWARDED.

The first intention was to give it to some school teacher in the county, but then it was suggested that there are persons not so engaged and have the time to spare during the long winter season. For that reason it will not be limited to any class, trade, color, profession or sex—it is free-for-all.

The CENTRE DEMOCRAT, as stated before, furnishes the scholarship, and will ask the readers and patrons of the paper to say who is worthy of the first liberal offer and to whom the second shall be given. The method of determining is simple. Each week, from now until the end of the year a blank coupon will be published, in every copy of the CENTRE DEMOCRAT which will entitle the holder to one vote. It must be cut out of the paper, and the name and post office address of the person for whom you vote must be plainly written on the blank lines indicated. These coupons can be either sent or mailed to the CENTRE DEMOCRAT office where they will be placed in a ballot box, locked.

NEWSPAPER COUPON.

The following is the Newspaper Coupon which will appear each week in this paper until the award is made:

The Centre Democrat Scholarship Coupon. Write in the blank space below as indicated, the name and address of person preferred to receive the CENTRE DEMOCRAT'S scholarship in the Lock Haven State Normal. NAME ADDRESS THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th, 1895. Cut this out, bring or mail to the CENTRE DEMOCRAT office. After 30 days from date this coupon will not be received.

It will be well to note that these coupons must be sent in before 30 days from the date they bear; after that time they will not be counted:

PREMIUM COUPONS.

In addition to the newspaper coupon, a "PREMIUM COUPON" will be issued upon the following conditions:

Any person sending in a new yearly subscription, or the subscriber, will be entitled to a premium coupon equal to 15 VOTES.

Any regular subscriber paying subscription in advance 1 year will be entitled to a premium coupon for 12 VOTES or 1 vote for every month paid in advance.

These premium coupons will be issued to any person entitled to the same, only upon request, and for whom they may want them cast, and must bear the signature of the editor of this paper.

AUDITING COMMITTEE.

On Wednesday evening of each week

this box will be opened by an auditing committee consisting of Wm. G. Runkle, one of Bellefonte's well-known young attorneys, and Robt. F. Hunter, clerk in the county commissioners office, who will select a third man. They will count the number of ballots cast, certify to the same for publication in each weekly issue. At the end of the year they will present the persons receiving the highest and next highest number of votes with a certificate, which when presented at this office will entitle them respectively to the scholarship and tuition prizes, described.

There are many persons in this county who scarcely know anything about the State Normal at Lock Haven and its superior advantages. In order to appreciate the value of this offer drop a card to Dr. James Eldon, Principal State Normal, Lock Haven, Pa., who will gladly mail you a handsome illustrated catalogue of that institution.

Persons interested in this contest should preserve this issue of the paper giving detail information, as in subsequent issues we may only publish the newspaper coupon.

NOTE: No one can purchase extra editions of the CENTRE DEMOCRAT for voting purposes, nor will coupons be sold in bulk to anyone, as was done in other similar voting contests in this county.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Chas. Schreyer and family have moved to Altoona.

Opening Fall Millinery and Wraps at the Globe next, Thursday, Sept. 26th.

Cleaveland Dinges and family, from Williamsport, are visiting friends at this place and Centre Hall.

"A Money Order" was good, but "McCarthy's Mishaps" will be better, on Wednesday, Sept. 25th.

Do not fail to visit the Millinery Opening at the Globe, next Thursday and Friday, 26th and 27th of this month.

At council meeting, on Monday night, the Fire Marshall dispute was settled by the election of Mr. Frank Waltz, of the Undine company. This unpleasantness should have been settled long ago.

D. P. Portney, Esq., acquitted himself in fine style at the Williamsport convention, last week. His address placing C. M. Bower, Esq., name before the convention was a masterly effort.

Miss Kate Lieb, of Bethlehem, Pa., came here last week to take her sister's children, the two oldest sons of the late Dr. Darrt, back with her to their uncle, Dr. Lieb, who is their regularly appointed guardian.

The Till Family, Rock Band Concert Company, will give an interesting musical entertainment in the M. E. church, Thursday evening, Sept. 10th. The concert will consist of ringing bells, swinging harps, musical glasses, zithers, mandolins, guitars, ocarinas and several other instruments. Every member of the Till family is a musical genius.

Mrs. Mary F. Blanchard and her daughters, Misses Rebekah, Anna and Christine, departed on Monday evening for Boston. Miss Rebekah will go to Wellesley College, where she has been attending school for the past year. Mrs. Blanchard, with her other daughters, will remain in Boston for at least a year, perhaps longer. Her son Fred, departed on Monday morning for Princeton to enter the College at that place. During Mrs. Blanchard's absence from town Mr. Hendrickson and family will occupy her residence on East Linn street.

Marriage Licenses.

- Egnot Milota, Gorton Heights
Clara Jurrikski,
James Currie, Clearfield co.
Mrs. Catherine Davidson,
David B. Steele, Bellefonte
Bertha M. Shook,
Harry V. Gentzel, Spring Mills
Sarah E. Barger,
Elijah Kellerman, Benore
Sallie Potter, State College
Wm. Buggy, Clearfield co.
Alice Hepler,
Lyman Bickel, Walker twp
Hannah Pierce,
Wm. H. Corman, Zion
Cora Garbrick,

Died in Altoona.

Landlord A. S. Garman went to Altoona, on Saturday evening, to attend the funeral of his cousin, John S. Evans, a groceryman in that city. Deceased was formerly an employe of the P. R. R. but owing to his failing health, he embarked in the grocery business last October. He was a member of the ill fated expedition, headed by Contractor Thomas Collins, which left this country for Brazil some twenty years ago to construct railroads in that country. The hardships he endured while on this expedition sowed the seeds of disease.

Successful Operation.

On Wednesday, of last week, an operation was performed upon Philip Beezer, of Bellefonte, in the German Hospital, Philadelphia. He was thought to be afflicted with appendicitis and the diagnosis was correct. A large abscess was found that would likely have proved fatal had it not been removed in time. On Monday he had so much improved that the drain from the incision was removed and the stitches were drawn together. He is recovering as rapidly as possible, considering the gravity of the case.

A BATCH OF BREEZY LETTERS

Gathered by a Corps of Alert Correspondents.

FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTY

What is Going on Outside of Bellefonte—Happenings in other Communities—Favorable Crop Reports—Other Interesting Items.

SNOW SHOE GOSSIP.

A Few Society Pointers—What Some of the Young Men are Doing.

OFFICE MOVED.—The boys moved their office from Haynes store to the platform.

M. J. Kelly spent Sunday in Karthaus. GOT SICK.—J. S. Smith went to Karthaus on Sunday, and was sick on Monday. It can't agree with him to go out driving.

Harry Gausallus, and T. P. Kelly, drove to Karthaus on Sunday.

Philip Zindel made a short trip to Karthaus.

GOOD RUNNER.—Will Burns and Thos. Hayes say that fellow who was at the platform, on Saturday evening, could run faster than the train on the P. R. R. Miss Annie Walker, of Jersey Shore, is spending a week with her parents of this place.

STOPPED.—What is wrong with the young man that goes to Houtzdale. His girl must have gone back on him, for he has not been up for a couple of weeks.

Mike Sexton was in Bellefonte one night last week.

W. S. and R. T. Haynes returned home on Saturday from Phila. and New York, where Jim was purchasing his fall and winter goods.

NEEDS ASSISTANCE.—Boyd Shank, Buddinger's popular clerk must think O'Brien can't get home at night without his assistance. Boyd what is the attraction?

Herb Walker spent a couple of days in Jersey Shore last week.

THAT OFFICE.—It seems to bother the boys who have their office behind Haynes store, because some of their members were not mentioned.

Wm. B. Rankin and family, spent Sunday in this place.

Mr. John A. and M. J. Kelly drove to Bellefonte on Tuesday.

W. A. Lathrop, Genl. Supt. of the L. and C. Coal Co., was a guest of Supt. Jas. F. Marsteller last week.

Quite a number of people from Moshannon, are attending the Grange picnic.

Miss Lida Garbrick and Miss Rosetta Musser, of Lebanon, are visiting J. F. Reeser, of this place.

Mr. Robert Haddock, of Mahaffey, is spending a few days with his parents of this place.

Mr. W. B. Buddinger and wife, spent a few days in Williamsport last week.

REBERSBURG JOTTINGS.

Reformed Missionary Convention—Successful Picnic—Married Men Won.

Mr. and Mrs. Jared Kreamer were visiting in town for nearly a week. We are always glad to see you Jared.

MISSIONARY CONVENTION.—Tuesday was a very busy day for the women of the Reformed church, preparing for the Reformed Missionary Convention, beginning the evening of the same day. The regular programme for the evening was set aside to give Rev. Hoy, late missionary of Japan, a chance to lecture. The Rev. gentleman was somewhat embarrassed, owing to the misreading of his baggage which contained his brains, as he said, but he convinced the audience that his brains were not in the baggage by a lecture of an hours length. He lectured on Japan, their customs and superstitions. The convention postponed organization until Wednesday morning, beginning the evening of the same day. The regular reports of delegates from the different sections. In the evening Rev. Gerhart, of Bellefonte, preached a very able sermon, after which the convention held their final meeting, deciding to meet next year at Lewisburg.

Mr. Chas. Mumma, who was married recently, returned home accompanied by his wife. Young America gave him a serenading on Wednesday evening.

UNION PICNIC.—The Union picnic on Saturday was a success. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves, especially at dinner. The forenoon was devoted to speeches, by Messrs. Illingsworth, Sholl and Mumma. Rev. Brown was not present until in the afternoon, he had gone to Greenbush to attend a picnic of the same stripe. The Booneville Silver band, furnished the music, which was very creditable indeed, under the leadership of Mr. Thomas Harter. The collection taken for the band amounted to six dollars; they gladly received this and went on their way rejoicing.

WALKERS DAIRY.—Mr. Thomas Walker passed through town on Thursday, with three cows, which he purchased in Pennsylvania. He seems to be going right into the dairy business.

A FIZZLE.—The show on Saturday evening, was a fizzle, as reported by those who were there.

BASE BALL.—The contest, between the base ball teams of town, ended in favor of the married men. The score was 15 to 18, some heavy batting was done. It ended however in a good deal of big talking.

HAS A RECORD.—Mr. W. C. Corman wishes to make known through these columns that he can now carry his head as high as those other young fathers, because he also, has a girl baby.

THE FARMERS.—The farmers are through sowing and are busily engaged in cutting off corn. The crop is a very good one.

Miss Lucas, from Bloomsburg, Pa., is visiting at Sid Krumrins.

Mr. J. D. Meyer, from Centre Hall, and Mr. Glen Heller, from Somerset County, students of F. and M. College, were the guests of J. N. Moyer on Sunday.

Mr. Thos. Small and wife, from Mackeysville, were in town over Sunday.

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GARMAN-CRUSE.

On Wednesday evening members of the immediate families and a few intimate friends, assembled in the Episcopal church, to witness the marriage ceremony of Miss Rebekah Garman and Charles Cruse, of Bellefonte. The hour fixed for the ceremony was 7.30, at which time Prof. Goodwin began the strains of Lohengrin march. Mr. Daniel Garman entered with the bride, Miss Rebekah, and proceeded up the aisle to the chancel where they were met by the pastor and the groom, Mr. Cruse. The bride was attired in a brown traveling suit, trimmed with velvet and jet, wore a hat to match same, and carried a prayer book. They then proceeded to the altar where the ceremony was consummated—the regular ring service of that church being used. This over, the happy strains of Mendelssohn's march arose from the large pipe organ, as the newly married couple proceeded down the aisle. They took carriages at once for the C. R. R. of Pa., depot, departing on the 8 p. m. train.

They expect to be at home at their newly furnished residence, on Linn street after Saturday Sept. 28.

The wedding present from the groom was a handsome diamond and pearl pendant. They were the recipients of many useful and valuable presents from friends in this section and elsewhere.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. Daniel Garman, of this place, and is a young lady of attractive manner and appearance, whose many womanly graces will make her a most affectionate helpmate through life. Mr. Cruse is an energetic and promising young business man of this place. They have our most kindly wishes.

A Good Opportunity.

Mr. A. A. Pletcher, at the recent sheriff sales, purchased the J. B. Crawford, mill site and 109 acres of farm land at the gap near Nittany, Pa. He offers this property at private sale. It will be sold separately. The mill site and tenant buildings will be offered in one part and the land in another. This is a splendid location for a grist and flouring mill; good water power. As there is no mill between Clintondale and Bellefonte, a distance of 17 miles, and being in the best grain belt in the state, as a milling location it can not be surpassed.

For further information address

A. A. PLETCHER, Nittany Pa.

Watch Found.

About two months or so ago, while Hon. John A. Woodward, of Howard twp., was driving his cattle through one of his fields, he in some way or other lost his gold watch, valued at over \$100. He searched the field thoroughly, but all in vain. On last Tuesday morning Newlin Hall, an old resident of that neighborhood, while passing through the field in question, was lucky enough to find it.

Good Company.

The Garman opera house was opened on Monday evening with an excellent production "The Money Order." They carried with them an exceptionally fine lot of scenery and all the members of the company were good actors. It was appreciated by all present and highly commended. Mr. Garman strongly recommended this attraction and he was correct.

Bailey Named for Judge.

The Huntingdon democratic county convention last Tuesday nominated John M. Bailey for president judge of the Huntingdon-Mifflin district, William Price for associate judge, ex-Sheriff David Wilson for sheriff, J. Murray Africa for county surveyor and W. M. Henderson for chairman of the county committee.

Another Well.

The Salt Lick Gas and Oil Company have decided to sink another well in search of gas or oil. A contract was signed this week with the drillers to begin a well, about three miles from Karthaus, and go down at least 1600 feet. The new well will be about two miles north of the first test one.

Public Sale.

L. F. Bronell, living one mile west of Milesburg, will offer at public sale on Tuesday, October 22nd, all his farm stock, implements and household goods. He has a lot of fine hogs, and his stock is all in good condition.

Millinery Opening on Tuesday, Sept. 26th, at Katz's.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by Geo. W. Jackson & Co.

Table with 2 columns: Grain type and price per bushel. Includes Red wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Barley, Buckwheat, Grouplaster.

PROVISIONS, GROCERIES &c. (as corrected weekly by Bauer & Co.)

Table with 2 columns: Item and price per unit. Includes Apples, Dried apples, Butter, Tallow, Country Shoulders, Sides, Hams, Ham steak, Breakfast Bacon, Lard, Eggs per dozen, Potatoes, Dried sweet corn.

TAIBLES



YOUR BOY is at school and now, more than ever, will you feel the need of good clothing for him. No matter how careful your boy may be, he is more or less hard on clothes. They all are. You can supply him with the best just as easy as an inferior make.

The Mrs. Jane Hopkins make of childrens clothing are considered by all first class dealers, the best made. The seams are all stayed, double knees and seats and patent waist bands, and all ways made of the class material that guarantees wear. We have them in all wool suits from \$3 up. See us and we will fit your boy out for less and better than you have ever had it done before.

A FOOT BALL given away with every \$3 clothing purchase for the boys

TAIBLES

A Few Changes.

When John C. Miller moves to the country in the Spring to become a farmer his home, on Linn street, will be occupied by Mrs. J. V. Thomas and daughter, Miss Mary. Mrs. Thomas has rented her home to Mrs. Wister Norris, of Overbrook, who will take possession the latter part of this month.

Ivory Soap advertisement with decorative border and text: FORTY MILLION CAKES YEARLY. IT FLOATS. SOAP.

WHEN YOU VISIT BELLEFONTE

Take the time to visit this store and look over the superb stock in every department.

Your visit to the store may be the means of defraying the whole expense of your trip to the city. Others have had such experience here—why not you? GARMAN'S.

Black Dress Goods. It would be impossible to keep abreast of the present demand for Black Moiré, Serges and Stollans had not a long look ahead and a clear discernment of present conditions led to ample provision long in advance. GARMAN'S.

BETTER BLACK GOODS. Pick up any one of the half hundred styles shown here and you will find a texture, dye and finish that are vastly ahead of the ordinary article. Careful buying does it for you, for us, and the prices are on this low level. Garmans.