

### The New Racket.

No. 9 AND 11, CRIDER EX. BELLEFONTE, PA.

There are enough smart people in Centre county to give us all the business ourselves and force of well trained clerks can possibly take care of, and they are the kind of people who fully understand the tricky advertisements and circulars constantly being pressed on them by stores that close their doors on days other than American Holidays. By this sign you can tell 'em.

### JUST IN TIME

for the cold snap. Second invoice Money All Wool Blankets at modest prices. When we say all wool you can depend on it. When they are mixed with cotton we tell you just as plainly.

We have also a big assortment All Cotton Blankets for little money and if you find any wool in 'em we will cheerfully take 'em back.

### A BALE OF FINE RUGS

Came to us to day. Among them a novelty—size x —fur bordered. They are very nice and price, for a wonder, is only one silver dollar. Also Smyria Rugs, large sizes, at a bargain.

788 feet of moulding for picture frames. If you have any picture you would like to have framed, it will pay you to let us do for you. Don't wait till the Holiday Rush to hand in your order.

And the half has not been told.

G. R. SPIGLEMYER, SHERIFF, BELLEFONTE, PA.

### CORRESPONDENTS DEPARTMENT.

(Continued from 7th page.)

#### SPRING MILLS.

Miss Emma Jamison left for Martinsburg, where she expects to spend the winter with her sister, Martin.

The funeral of Mrs. Charley Dillet was largely attended. Rev. Hock preached a very able sermon in both English and German. Smith Bros. had charge of the undertaking.

Wm. Blowers, from Gorton Heights, is home with his family, where he expects to stay till after the election.

TURN OUT:—Democrats, turn out next Tuesday and show the republican party that they are counting their chickens before they are hatched. You can stick a pin right here that Wm. F. Smith and Wm. J. Singer will be elected with a handsome majority.

James Strowser and lady, from Bellefonte, are visiting Robert Breons, on Sinking Creek St.

Thomas Jamison is now sporting a fine bay team of horses that he purchased at the Millheim horse sale.

SINGING CLASS:—A singing class has been organized for the benefit of the different churches. A good idea, so they may have better singing. All who can sing turn out and make it a success. Jacob Moyer will be the instructor.

FARM SOLD:—Peter Philips bought the old Malberger homestead for \$1500. Peter expects to move there and show his neighbors how to farm.

Rev. Illingsworth will go to Phila. to visit his sister.

NEW DEPARTMENT:—John Smith and brother, bought out Fred Meyer in the undertaking business. They are now ready for funeral furnishings. Embalming a specialty.

TIMBER OPERATION:—Long's timber tract, near Penns Cave, was sold to E. M. Huyett. They will operate it in a short time.

HOUSE BURNED:—Jessie Snyder's house was burned one day last week, near the Reform church on turnpike leading to Millheim. No insurance as far as we can learn.

A WARNING:—A married man from Millheim comes up here on the sly and looks 'up one of our young damsels. Shame, stay at home with your wife or your name will appear. A word to the wise is sufficient.

ABLE SERMON:—Rev. Hoch held communion in the United Evangelical church, assisted by Rev. Stapleton Presiding Elder, from Lewisburg. He is a fine speaker and preached a very able sermon.

Mr. Geo. Dunkle, who has been ailing for some time is again seen on our streets. Geo. is the best read man in politics that we have. He is on the wrong side of the fence.

Judging from appearance, Abe Miller's prospect can not be very bright, as he looked so sour last Saturday, when he was here seeing his republican friends.

C. C. King bought a horse a few days ago. Suppose Annie will get lots of buggy rides now.

They say it is fun to hear Charley, John and Howard, argue politics, as none know much about it; do they now?

VERY ILL: Mrs. Samuel Crawford, who has been almost blind for several years, now has gangrene and is in a critical condition.

Mrs. Elias Fetterolf is on the sick list she is very poorly.

Democrats turn out on the 5th of Nov. and cast your vote for Smith and Singer. Bov.

#### School Report.

The following is a report of Bell Grove School, Union Twp. for the first school month, ending October 25th, 1895. Whole number in attendance during the month, 32; average attendance 28; per cent. of attendance, males 92; females, 96; average, 94. You are cordially invited to visit us. C. V. DELONG, Teacher.

#### COBURN HAPPENINGS.

Good Soldiers—New Store—Shot the First Deer of the Season.

Our coal bins are filling up. Our merchants have always on hand—fingers.

GOOD SOLDIERS:—Women should make good soldiers, they are never afraid to face the powder. We have some in our town who are not afraid to face it.

C. M. Bower, Esq., of Bellefonte, was seen in this place on Thursday. Was attending the funeral of Mrs. Henry Bower.

William Stover and family, of Anaronsburg, spent Sunday with J. Stover at this place.

Messrs. Meyer and Glasgow received their handsome computing scales. They are highly pleased, and it is a great improvement.

This must be Indian Summer. Theodore Hosterman and wife of Fielder, spent Sunday at this place.

Jack frost seems to be lost. William Meyer and wife, spent Sunday at Linden Hall.

The house of Jessie Snyder was destroyed by fire on Friday evening. The property was insured in the Loganton Insurance Co., for twelve hundred dollars.

SHOT A DEER:—The boys were out hunting last week and sure they fetched some venison home. The deer was shot by Edward Campbell, he is sure not to fail. How is it Ed.

John Stonebraker and Samuel Wilson are home from Milroy, where they are employed by Monroe Kulp of Shamokin.

NEW STORE:—We heard of another store to open in our town in the near future. Come Mr. L. you will find this a good point in the mercantile business. We have three merchants, and still there is room for one more.

#### FREE SCHOLARSHIP.

To Lock Haven State Normal for the Winter Term.

THE CENTRE DEMOCRAT will give away a free scholarship to the Lock Haven State Normal, for the Winter Term which commences January 6th, 1896, and continues 12 weeks. This will entitle the recipient to all the privileges of that institution, tuition and boarding, and is worth \$51.00 in cash. In addition to the above we will give a second prize, tuition for the Winter Term, worth \$15.00.

Persons paying their subscription in advance will receive *Premium Coupons* entitling them to one vote for every month paid in advance, or 12 votes for a yearly advance-paid subscription. Any person sending in a NEW, cash subscription will be entitled to a *Premium Coupon* equal to 18 votes.

The votes will be counted each week and the result announced by the auditing committee: Messrs. R. F. Hunter and Wm. G. Runkle, Esq.

The person receiving the largest number of votes will be awarded the prize. The voting will be done by coupons cut out of the regular issues of this paper and sent to this office and placed in a box for that purpose and counted each week.

In another column of this issue we give a cut of the Lock Haven State Normal, also a brief prospectus of the courses and expenses. Any person interested in this scholarship should drop a postal card to "Dr. James Eldon, Principal State Normal, Lock Haven, Pa.," and you will receive a beautifully illustrated catalogue of this famous institution, free, by mail.

The following is the newspaper coupon. Cut it out and vote for some deserving young man or woman whom you think would appreciate this scholarship:

**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.

**THE COUNTY.** The following is the total number of votes cast for the above mentioned scholarship, to date:

NAMES.	NO. VOTES.
Bertha Atwood, Bellefonte	563
Wm. Corman, Benner twp.	468
Miss Lena Baum, Bellefonte	344
Cyrus F. Hoy, Zion	71
Wm. Deitz, Howard	68
Elery Gussallus	58
Gertie Dolan, Bellefonte	44
Anna Heverly, Blanchard	22
Roy Bell, Pleasant Gap	18

The following number of votes were cast for the week ending Oct. 30: Bertha Atwood, 403; Wm. Corman, 199; Lena Baum, 111; Elery Gussallus, 41; Gertie Dolan, 1. Expired ballots (past the 30 day limit when counted), Wm. Corman 18; Lena Baum 1.

**ROBT. F. HUNTER, } Com.  
W. G. RUNKLE, } Com.**  
Wednesday, Oct. 30, '95.

#### PENN HALL SQUIBS.

FIRE:—The house, occupied by Jesse Snyder, one mile east of town, was burned to the ground on Friday afternoon. The fire originated on the second story. By the good work of the neighbors, nearly everything of the household goods was saved. We understand Mr. Snyder has an insurance amounting to \$150.

Maj. J. B. Fisher started to Philadelphia and other eastern cities, on Saturday morning, to buy his stock of fall and winter goods.

J. C. Condo made a business trip to Loganton last Tuesday.

Mrs. H. F. Weaver and F. M. Ream, made a business trip to Nittany on Saturday.

The Misses Mary Swarm and Lucy Musser, visited Madisensburg on Sunday.

SINGING CLASS:—There is some talk of organizing a singing class at this place. There is no reason for not having such an organization, (as there is enough of good material here to make it a success, and there are a good many young folks here that are in need of such instructions. Why not have it?)

#### STATE COLLEGE NOTES.

Mr. W. C. Patterson and Mr. A. F. Markle, returned on Tuesday from a business trip to Pittsburg.

MOUNTAIN WATER:—The State College Water Co., will have the new water supply here in a few days. Then our people will be treated to the luxury of pure mountain water—an almost inexhaustible supply. The company certainly deserves great credit for the rapidity with which they have pushed their pipe line through.

NEW SHOP:—Liveryman O. F. Shaw has started a saddler shop with H. V. Sowers, in the Buck building.

HAULING WATER:—The long dry spell is proving very hard on many farmers, many of whom have to haul water a long distance. Thos. Decker said he had hauled nearly five hundred barrels.

#### About Appendicitis

Grape growers are taking heart over the statement of Dr. Hunt Mc Guire, the celebrated Virginian surgeon and authority on appendicitis. They have affected to believe that the idea of this peculiar disease being caused from grape or other seeds seriously interfered with the consumption of the cheap and popular fruit. It is said that many persons became afraid to eat grapes, while others diligently crushed the pulp of the fruit and rejected the seeds, which make the process of eating very slow. In a paper read before the Virginia Medical Association Dr. McGuire said that in all the operations he had performed for appendicitis he had never seen a single grape, tomato or cherry seed, and he added that he was glad to make the statement since it might tend to allay the fears of the public as to the supposed dangers arising from eating these fruits. Appendicitis is due to native inflammation, the cause of which has never been discovered.

#### To Keep Apples.

Charles Bulkley, of Osceola, has some apples in his cellar that were placed there over a year ago and are still of fine flavor and as sound as bullets. The *Eskian* Journal says that the plan Mr. Bulkley has of preserving apples for so long a time is a simple one and one which can easily be practiced by every producer of fruit. The plan is to wrap each apple up separately in a piece of common newspaper—being particular to have the fruit entirely covered and prevent as far as possible the fruit from being exposed to the air. They can then be put into a box or barrel and be stored in the cellar. All the apples must be free from bruises and sound.

#### Shot By a Highwayman.

G. Potter, of Johnsburg, formerly of Philipsburg, was held up by a footpad on Tuesday night, of last week, on a lonely bridge. Potter tackled the robber who shot him through the body. The robber ran away, and Potter managed to crawl to a house, where he was taken care of. Fortunately the ball missed the vital organs, and it is thought that the wounded man will recover. His father is Mr. Mack Potter, of Johnsburg, and his mother is a sister of Messrs. Robert and David Kinkaid, of Philipsburg.

#### Escaped from the Asylum

John Mallory, of this county, who has been undergoing treatment in the hospital at Harrisburg for strange hallucinations, made his escape from that institution a few nights ago and walked the entire distance from Harrisburg to his former home at Rebersburg. He covered the distance of over 100 miles over mountains and valleys in less than two days' time and without eating or resting. Mallory now seems to be in his right mind. He refuses to state how he made his escape.—Reporter

#### Saratoga Arrives.

The schoohip Saratoga, after an extended cruise of five months in European ports, returned to Philadelphia last Wednesday, 23rd. Gales along the coast caused the ship to be several days overdue and some people in this section were much concerned. On this ship were John Shrom, Dale Musser and George Runkle, three, Bellefonte lads. The first two are now visiting at their homes, this place.

### IMPORTS INCREASED.

BUT THE AMERICAN MARKETS ARE NOT "FLOODED."

The Increase Consists Mostly of Raw Materials—Comparison of Wool Imports Under New Tariff and McKinley Show an Industrial Revolution.

No friend of the new tariff pretends to dispute the tendency of the new tariff to stimulate import trade, says the Philadelphia Record. It was perfectly natural that there should be an increased demand for certain classes of foreign woollens when the extravagant McKinley duties of nearly 100 per cent on these fabrics were reduced to 50 per cent. But there is no "flooding" of American markets with foreign fabrics to afford any justification for protectionist clamors. On the other hand, the imports of wool, hemp, flax and other raw materials of American industries since their removal to the free list have increased vastly beyond the increase in the imports of foreign fabrics of these materials.

Compare the imports of raw wool during the seven months ending July, 1895, with the same period of 1894. In the seven months of freedom the imports of wool amounted to 141,762,923 pounds, valued at \$19,063,151, against 36,907,704 pounds, valued at \$4,020,669 in the former period under the McKinley duties. No one can mistake the significance of these comparative returns of trade. What enhances their significance is the fact that since wool was put on the free list the bulk of its imports consists of the qualities for making clothing. Under the McKinley tariff, on the other hand, the wool imports consisted mainly of the coarse grades fit only for making carpets. Thus in the seven months of 1895 under consideration the imports of clothing wool amounted to 87,667,010 pounds, valued at \$13,990,745. In the corresponding seven months of 1894 the total imports of wool amounted to 36,907,704 pounds of the value of \$4,020,669, and of these imports 26,272,660 pounds consisted of coarse carpet wool valued at \$2,305,628. The little remnant of 10,635,044 pounds, valued at \$1,815,041, was imported for making clothing.

To any one who can read and understand these comparative returns of wool imports under McKinleyism and under the auspices of a free trade mark an industrial revolution. The Textile Manufacturers' Journal asserts that the promise of "diversified" production under free wool remain unrealized. As a professed organ of the woolen trade it can perceive "no tangible confirmation of these claims in the actual experience of the past few months." What, then, is the meaning of the vast increase in the importations of the finest fleeces in the world's markets and of the corresponding decline in the imports of coarse and cheap wool? Do not these facts demonstrate the promptness and decision with which American manufacturers of woollens have seized their opportunity to enter the world's markets and select the best varieties of wool in order to diversify and improve their production? It is not necessary to trace the fleeces of Australia and Argentina from the custom house to the mills where they have been converted into fine cloth, rivaling in quality the best products of European looms. In regard to this industrial revolution, The Record confidently appealed from the organ of the woolen manufacturers to the manufacturers themselves, who know whether or not they have used the great varieties and increased quantities of imported wool for diversifying and enlarging production.

In presence of the beneficent change brought by the genius of commercial freedom the woolen manufacturers of the United States are threatened in Republican party convention with a restoration of the McKinley duties on wool. If the Republicans return to power, they are to be shant out of the markets for the best varieties of foreign wool once more by prohibitory duties and driven back to the coarse wool whence they may be able to sort a small quantity to mix with the domestic product in making clothing.

Such is the "diversified" production that is promised them under a restoration of the McKinley act. In order to reconcile the manufacturers to a reactionary policy portentous of disaster they are offered the lure of a revival of the extortionate McKinley duties on woollens, with a return of the era of smuggling and fraudulent undervaluations. But even if the great mass of American consumers be left out of the account the American manufacturers of woollens, after enjoying the policy of free wool, will never consent to its surrender.

The Republican Dictator. It is quite flattering to Boss Quay that there should be a report that the chairman of the Republican executive committee of Ohio waited upon him and asked him to express no presidential preference until after the November election in that state. It puts him in the light of president maker and boss almighty—a dictator for the whole Republican party. It will be strange if Boss Platt does not sooner or later exhibit some jealousy of so all prevailing a boss.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

New York Democrats United. The State Democrats who bolted the Syracuse convention have resolved, with just two exceptions, to support the state ticket. On national and state politics the New York Democracy are united from the Atlantic ocean to the lakes, and when thus united they never fail of success.—Philadelphia Record.

Constitution Doesn't Count. Everybody knows that bounties are unconstitutional, but high tariff legislation has never taken the constitution into account. Really the sugar men are as much entitled to bounty as if they got it from a tariff schedule.—Exchange.

#### BENNER TWP. SCHOOL REPORT.

The directors of Benner district report for the school year ending on the first Monday in June, 1895, as follows:

SCHOOLS.	
Whole number of schools	7
Average number of months taught	6
Number of male teachers employed	5
"    female	2
Average salary of males per month	\$32.50
"    females	\$32.50

  

SCHOLARS.	
Number of male scholars attending all the schools in the district	125
Number of female scholars attending all the schools in the district	107
Whole number in attendance	232
Average daily attendance of scholars	158
Average percentage of attendance	61
Cost of each pupil per month	\$1.41

  

TAX AND RATE PER CENT.	
Number of mills levied for school purposes	2
Amount levied for building purposes	\$124.24

  

ACCOUNT OF TREASURER.	
Receipts:	
State appropriation for the year ending June, 1895	\$1378.18
Balance on hand from last year	225.99
From Col. including taxes of all kinds	964.55
From all other sources, as sales of houses or lands, liquor fines, etc.	12.00
Total receipts	\$2590.42

  

EXPENDITURES.	
Henting, repairing, etc.	\$ 408.43
Teachers' wages	1418.58
School text books	225.99
School supplies, other than text books, including maps, etc.	268.15
Fuel and contingencies	271.04
Fees of collector and Treas.	101.21
Salary of secretary	50.00
Other expenses	148.75
Total expenditures	\$2359.16
Amount due treasurer, if any	130.41

  

RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES OF DISTRICT.	
Amount due district from all sources	\$891.15
Total resources	\$891.15

  

LIABILITIES.	
Amount due treasurer, if any	\$145.74
Amount due on unsettled bills, if any	115.60
Total liabilities	\$261.34

  

RESOURCES IN EXCESS OF LIABILITIES.	
Estimated value of school grounds and buildings	\$4500.00
Witness our hands this 15th day of July, 1895.	
F. BOSCH, Secretary.	G. W. MILLER, President.
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A winter campaign has been opened by Lyon & Co. See their new advertisement in another column.

#### GOOD GOVERNMENT.

The Nation Feels the Benefits and Justice of Democratic Legislation.

The whole country, after suffering so long from the results of Republican misgovernment in congress, is now recuperating with marvelous gain on account of Democratic good government. Trade and labor under Democratic tariff of the people are more active, steadier and more profitable, and there is not a corner of the land that does not feel the stir of a newer and better industrial life. And the reason is plain to every citizen, whenever he stops to think of it, because it is the simple, self evident reason of experience.

The citizen has felt everywhere—in the counting room, the mill, the workshop, the warehouse, the field, the street and the home—the wrongs and injustice of Republican legislation during its many years of power.

But the citizen feels now the benefits and justice of Democratic legislation during its few years of power. He realizes that "Cleveland times" mean prosperous times and can be inviolated to support no scheme to disturb existing business conditions merely to gratify Republican hopes for preferment and office.—Boston Globe.

#### Forker and His ilk.

Forker was smart enough to humiliate Sherman, McKinley, Nash and the rest of his opponents in the Republican state convention, but he had not the foresight to kick the McKinley tariff hobby to pieces until it was too late. Fact is, Forker and his faction do not seem sometimes to be politicians of skill and finesse, but merely creatures of luck and beneficiaries of lung power and brute force.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

#### Growth of the Iron Industry.

An illustration of the improvement in the iron industry is furnished by the Tennessee Coal and Iron company, one of the leading pig iron manufacturing companies of the south. Its sales last August footed up 107,923 tons, as compared with 56,700 in August, 1894.—St. Louis Republic.

#### Maryland Democrats Intact.

The Maryland Republican managers are hard at work keeping Hon. Lloyd Lowndes off the stump. His inclination to boast of what the Republicans will do in Maryland next year, in case of success this year, was not causing a rapid disintegration of the Democracy.—Washington Post.



### STYLISH GENTLEMEN

All buy their Clothing from us. We handle nothing but the best makes. We are NOT trying to see how trashy and cheap we can sell you goods, BUT HOW GOOD. We leave the \$3 and \$4 suit sales to our competitors. We want you to have clothes from us that will wear, will stay nice, will fit and give you such satisfaction as will bring you back to us. Our \$7.50 line for a medium price suit and our \$10.00 line for fine Dress Wear are sure to please you and save you money.

See our Overcoats. An immense variety and by far the prettiest assortment in Bellefonte. You will buy if you see them.



#### Relative to Voting.

A man who failed to be assessed can vote at the November election by calling two men who will swear that he has been a resident of the district for days. But if he fails to pay State or county tax, assessed within two years, immediately preceding the election, there is no legal power that will secure a vote.

#### Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by Geo. W. Jackson & Co.

Red wheat, per bushel	60
Eye, per bushel	45
Rye, per bushel	45
Corn, ears per bushel, new	45
Corn, shelled per bushel	42
Oats—new per bushel	28
Barley, per bushel	35
Buckwheat, per bushel	40
Hams	30
Ground plaster, bertons	9.50

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

Apples, dried, per pound	15
Cherries, dried, per pound, seeded	18
Beans, per quart	14
Onions, per bushel	100
Butter, per pound	22
Tallow, per pound	60
Country Shoulders	30
Sides	30
Hams	30
Hams sugar cured	32
Breakfast Bacon	15 1/2
Lard, per pound	25
Eggs per dozen	20
Potatoes per bushel new	20
Dried Sweet Corn per pound	30

Doll's Shoe Store ( Bellefonte ) Doll's Shoe Store

## CLOSING OUT SALE!

Owing to failing health I find it necessary to dispose of my entire stock of

## BOOTS AND SHOES

In order to retire from business. Goods will be sold

## REGARDLESS OF COST!

This sale includes everything in the store from a dainty slipper to a heavy boot. Everything must go. Sale inaugurated this week.

## DOLL'S SHOE STORE