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Prices talk louder than anything. We can save you from 15 to 35 per cent on all your purchases. We have done it before and will do it now. We have just opened a line of Fall and Winter goods:

Good Canton flannel 41/2c per yard to 15c; fine white flannels from 15 to 65c; Shaker flannels from 4c up to the best. New patterns fall dress gingham from 5c upward. A good yard wide unbleached muslin 4 cents; heavy yard wide sheeting 5 cts; yard wide ticking from 6c up to the finest linen twill; all wool serges from 25c up to 1.25 per yard; all wool suitings in the new mixtures, suitable for dresses and coats, 30c to \$1.

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DISSENTING OPINIONS.

Our republican friends are bitterly denouncing the democratic party for that portion of its platform which relates to the criticism of the supreme court. It must be remembered that five of them declared the act constitutional. Here is what the other four U. S. Justices say, and they are considered men of great legal obility:

"As I cannot escape the conviction that the decision of the court in this great case is fraught with immeasurable danger to the future of the country, and that it approaches the proportions of a national calamity, I feel it a duty to enter my protest against it."

Dissenting opinion: Brown, J. "Considered in all its bearings, this decision is, in my judgment, the most dis-astrous blow ever struck at the constitu-

tional power of congress.' Dissenting opinion: Jackson, J.

"It is, I submit, greatly to be deplored that, after more than 100 years of our national existence, after the government has withstood the strain of foreign wars and the dread ordeal of civil strife, and its people have become united and powerful, this court should consider itself compelled to go back to a long repudiated and rejected theory of the constitution by which the government is deprived of an inherent attribute of its being, a necessary power of taxation.'

Dissenting opinion: White, J. "The practical effect of the decision today is to give to certain kinds of property a position of favoritism and advantage inconsistent with the fundamental principles of our social organization, and to invest them with power and influence that may be perilous to that portion of the American people upon whom rests the larger part of the burdens of the government, and who ought not to be subjected to the dominion of aggregated wealth any more than the property of the country should be at the mercy of

Dissenting opinion: Harlan, J. Income tax cases, 158, U.S. Reports,

ages 658 et seq. Their denunciation of the repeal of the act is concluded in stronger language

than that of the Chicago platform.

For School Libraries. Under the law, passed by the legislature in 1895, school boards in township as well as in the cities and boroughs, are empowered to levy a tax of one mill to establish school libraries.

A FREE SCHOLARSHIP.

To the Lock Haven State Normal, for the Winter Term.

THE CENTRE DEMOCRAT will pay all expenses,-tuition, board, light, heat, State Normal, at Lock Haven, Pa., for some deserving young lady or gentle-

of cost, and the readers and patrons of butter for his bread on the following the paper will be asked to award the Sunday. We are catching on to such printed in each issue, cut and properly addressed, will be used. They can be mailed or sent to this office, where they ship schools will open on the 5th of will be placed in a sealed ballot box, and October with the following corps of mailed or sent to this office, where they counted by the judges, each week.

PREMIUM COUPONS: Persons paying their subscriptions in advance one year, Lendenslayer; Knoll, C. T. Packer. can secure a premium coupon, at this office, which will eptitle them to 12 votes. or one vote for each month paid in advance. Any person sending in a NEW

to a Premum Coupon, equal to 18 votes happy thought, Clarence. No extra copies of this paper will be sold to any parties desiring to secure the coupons. The coupons must be taken from our regular edition only.

On Wednesday evening of each week coupons counted by the Judges-Messrs Al S. Garman and S. D. Gettig, Esq., and the same published.

The following is the newspaper destination. coupon. Cut it out and vote for some deserving person, who would appreciate the

******* The Centre Democrat.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1896.

....SCHOLARSHIP COUPON

Write in above lines the name and address of person whom you wish to receive the scholarship in the Lock Haven State Normal. Not good after 30 days. Forward same to the Centre Democrat office where it will be counted.

THE COUNT.

The following is the number of votes cast for the above scholarship, to date: Wm. B. Rerick, Benner twp.,......3319 Miss Mary Twitmyer, Pleasant Gap, 2650 Alma Stine, Zion, ... Sudie J. Varnell, Mingoville ... Willis Knox, Bellefonte......

Amos Ward, Stormstown ... Chas. Fisher, Zion.... AL. S. GARMAN, } Com. S. D. GETTIG,

Thursday, September 17, '96.

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—San Francisco Examiner.

CORRESPONDENTS DEPARTMENT.

ROMOLA GLEAMINGS.

COME AGAIN :- Misses Belle and Lillie Harrison, of Sunbury, spent a few weeks at the home of their uncle, Mr. W. Robb. Their time was very pleasantly spent in enjoying the beauties of nature in the centre of the old Keystone state. They failed to visit Penns Cave, but interested themselves at other places of note, among them being Cats mines and Hecla Park. Messrs John and Charles were their champions, and they acted their part to perfection. Ladies don't forget to come again.

50 PER CENT. SMILE:-Chas. Daley was lit up with a 50 per cent. smile when he glided through Romola last Sunday. We wondered where he was going, but learned later it was a Mill Hall lady he was out to catch. The place where she is visiting is not definitely known, but it is somewhere along Bald Eagle, between Howard and Eagleville.

Mr. James Gunsalis is doing considerable thrashing in our vicinity at present. Wm. Hoover, Reddy' Eaton's success washing and furnished room-for the or, was just a little rattled when he be-Winter Term of 12 weeks in the Central gan measuring, but all went well after a little experience in the business.

SNEAK THIEVES :- Thieves have been getting in their work in several places man, in Centre County. This will entitle the recipient to all the privileges of that institution.

This will entitle in our valley. On Saturday night, Sept. Sth., Mr. Kingley Packer had about 3 lbs. of butter taken from his cellar. Who-This scholarship will be furnished free kind, for he left Mr. Packer sufficient by a popular vote. Coupons sneaks and you had better be making yourself scarce, or you will get it where the chicken got the ax.

CURTIN SCHOOLS :- The Curtin townteachers:-Quay, Grammer, Sam'l But-ler, of Jacksonville; Primary, Miss. Car-K. DeLong; Mann, Miss Maggie

He STAYED :- Our worthy townsman, intended. He had hired to unload | schooners but gave it up thinking to ing. himself, "I must stay at home or YEARLY cash subscription will be entitled Kinley will surely lose Curtin twp." A

Messrs C. T. Packer and R. C. Daley spent last Saturday eve in Bellefoute. lyde there must be some attraction, or did R. C. take you with him to drive?

Messrs D. E. and H. P. Robb are getting along very nicely with their schools the ballot box will be opened and at Instanter, Elk county. Harry went there on his wheel, but we think he took another route or else he was fascinated by one of Philipsburgs' ladies, as he was one day late on reaching his

> Miss. Blanche Wensel has gone to Bellefonte where she will assist Miss Overton in the primary department at the Academy.

INJURED:-Mr. Fred Robb had the misfortune about two weeks ago to be severely injured by striking his leg with a scythe-snath. At this writing he is improving under the careful attention of Dr. L. R. Hensyl. We hope for his speedy recovery.

Mr. Wm. E. Confer and family, of Howard, spent last Sunday at the home of our merchant, Mr. Wm. Robb.

Mr. J. F. Holter took a flying trip through this section. Frank, we are glad to see you occasionally. Miss Maud Brickly is attending school

at the Bellefonte Academy. Mr. L. O. Packer is enjoying this fine weather with his best girl in Pennsvalley. Dick, how is the pear crop this season?

Quite a number of our people attended the business men's picnic at Hecla. Mrs. S. F. Kline, of Howard, paid her sister, Mrs. H. S DeLong, a visit this as a yawning placket?

Ino. M. Robb made a flying trip to Eagleville last Sunday with his new match team of grays.

AXE MANN.

Mrs. Hannah Poorman died at her home, in this village, on last Thursday morning at 4.30 o'clock. Her age was 73 years and 1 mo. She was a faithful and consistent member of the Lutheran church. The funeral took place Saturday morning at 9.30 o'clock in the Lutheran cemetery, at Shiloh. Rev. Lesher officiated.

Two runaways took place on Monday near Wm. Horner's. Mr. John Rishel was injured to some extent but not serious. Another young lady had her wrist un-jointed. There were more people scared than injured.

Several of our young ladies and gentle-

Miss Lizzie G-had the misfortune of running against a gentleman of over weight the other evening at Hecla park. The fat man grunted and Lizzie said, is that you, Ben?

LEMONT.

Wm. Dreese and wife from Adams-

Rob't Osman, an employe in the Brant House, of Bellefonte, is spending a week with his mother of this place.

Many of our people were hindered from attending the Grange picnic in the fore part of the week on account of the bad weather, but if the weather is favorsilver speeches.

The full session of the Pennsylvania State College opened Wednesday of this week, and judging from the amount of trunks that were handled by our station agent and assistant at this place, as compared with previous sessions, the number in attendance must be greatly increased at that institution.

John Bathgate, a worthy young man from near here, is at present in the business of training horses for the young ladies around here to ride. On Tuesday evening he gave his first lesson, by try ing a trip to Boalsburg, with a young lady friend of his and it is reported as a suc-

James Osmon, one of the section men here, is rejoicing over the advent of a new daughter which arrived last Wednesday. Jim can tramp twice as many ties now as he could before.

STATE COLLEGE.

College opened Wednesday morning with a large number of new students. The private school here will be conducted this year by Miss Mabel Bishop, in the R. M. Foster building.

Dr. John F. Harter has arrived in town, and will hereafter be associated with his brother, Dr. W. S. Harter, in R. C. Daley, didn't go to Buffalo as he the practice of dental surgery at their beautiful new office in the Holmes build-

> Warren P. Smiley, a former assistant in the dept. of chemisty, has been re-engaged and has entered upon his duties with that dept,

Dr. Pond has just returned from Gernany, where he has been putting on the finishing touch to his chemical education, and has accepted a position under his brother, Dr. G. G. Pond, in the chemical

Dr. Wm. Frear has just returned from a business trip to Wilkesbarre, Pa.

Wm. Foster, Esq., of Lewisburg, is visiting his brother, Robert M. Foster. Rev. B. H. Hart, of Jersey Shore, will deliver an illustrated lecture on Odd Fellowship in the M. E. church on next Monday evening. The public is most cordially invited to attend.

Where Woman Fails.

As an inventor woman is almost a complete failure. Over 950,000 applications have been filed in the United States patent office in the last 59 years, and there is a legend in the model room nesday .- Lock Haven Democrat. that only five of them were made by women. Strange to say, these had nothing whatever to do with affairs of the sex. One of the inventious was a car coupler, another a hay rake, a third Hall, to Emory Hoy, of Philadelphia, a lamp post, the fourth a car seat, and the last a sorgum mill. With this amaz- the home of the brides-elect's parents. ing revelation, how can we expect woman | Only the immediate friends and relatives to bend her intellect to so small a thing were present.

Have We Any?

Every town, says an exchange, has a liar, a sponger, a blatherskite, a smart Aleck, some pretty girls, a girl who giggles, a weather prophet, a neighborhood feud, a woman who tattles, a man who knows it all, a boom once in a while, one Lincoln Republican, one Jeffersonian Democrat, more loafers than it needs, men who see every dog fight, somebody that wants the earth, a few meddlesome women that are not wanted on earth, and a street that could be improved.

-The gormandizer likes it because it is fine. The workmen like it because it quenches his thirst, enriches his blood, and strengthens his muscle. It is cheap. The mother likes it—it keeps her boys at home. The women of America like it, because it takes the place of intoxicants. man visited Grange park on Sunday This Hires Rootbeer. Campaign parad-with the intention of going to church. This Hires Rootbeer. Campaign paradHighest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Baking ARSOLUTELY PURE

A GIVE-AWAY.

The following give-away article was

taken from the Indianapolis Journal: "It was stated in an article in yesterday's Journal that the consumption of wheat during the years 1894 and 1895 was \$250,000,000 less than if it had been up to the per capita consumption of 1892. The statement should have been to the effect that if the per capita consumption of wheat in 1884 and 1895 had been up that of 1892, 268,000,000 bushels more of wheat would have been consumed at were kindly cared for by Mr. and Mrs. home in those years. The reason why the consumption fell off was the loss of wages incident to the change in the tariff policy by the Democratic congress and president. Had these 268,000,000 bushels been kept out of the markets of the world better prices would have been ob-

That is the best possible answer that could be given to the charge of overproduction. The trouble is underconsumption, and when the Journal tries to make us believe that it was tariff legislation which caused people to stop buying whatever to do with the matter, he was wheaten flour, it shows what straits it is discharged. put to, to give an excuse for the inevit. able. The reason was because the people Mrs. Reifsnyder is spending a few days had no money to buy the flour, and the at Lemont at present. reason they had not was because their work as producers for the last ten years has not paid expenses. The present tariff is one of the highest ever know in burg, Pa., are at present visiting their son Irvin, the P. R. R. agent. of this reached a point where the tariff will not help things until the financial question is

Li Hung Change paid the finest tribute to Washington that the Father of his Country has perhaps ever received. and WINTER able on Thursday, a great many have Country has perhaps ever received. concluded to go and hear the great free "The three foremost men in history," he said, "have been Napoleon, the Chinese Emperor Yaon, and George Washing-

"Napoleon created an empire which was speedily destroyed."

"Yaon created an empire and pro-

ceeded himself to rule over it." "Washington built up a great nation, and then stepped aside, leaving others to

Morning Wedding.

On Wednesday morning a quiet wedding took place at the home of Mrs. M. L. Jackson, on Allegheny street Bellefonte. The contracting parties were Miss Matilda K. Wilson and Rev. C. M. Smith, of McConnelsburg, Pa. Rev. Black, of Boalsburg, officiated. Only near friends of the couple were presen Rev. Smith, is a minister, and several years ago was located at Hublersburg. In his bride he will find an estimable lady who will prove a charming helpmate in lifes journey.

Good Speaker Coming.

Hon. Nick. M. Edwards, of Williamsport, will address the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity, in the Court House, on Wed. evening, Sept. 23. He will give a complete version of the silver question and will also open your eyes on the income tax. Under auspices of Bellefonte T. C. Hopkins is moving into one of Bryan and Sewall club. Be sure to go the flats in the Foster building. and hear him. Bring your friends with

Died in Illinois.

Ex-Judge George Wolf died at Freeport, Ill., on Tuesday September Sth. Judge Wolf was born in Centre county, near Potters Mills, Dec. 3, 1826. He left here in May 1849, and resided in Illinois since. He was elected county Judge eight years ago. He was a brother of John Wolf, of Potters Mills.

For the Tabernacle.

A number of men are at work on the lot, First street and Bellefonte avenue, leveling the ground and getting it in shape for the erection of the evangelists' gospel tabernacle at Lock Haven. The tent will, it is expected, be here Wed-

Married.

The marriage of Miss Anna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mingle, of Centre occured Thursday, 10th at 1 o'clock, at

Day of Atonement.

Wednesday evening at sunset the Hebrew fast Day of Atonement will commence, and will continue until sunset Thursday evening. All orthodox Hebrews will close their places of business and will observe the holiday.

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have taken a pill till it is all over." 25c. C. I. Hood & Co., Proprietors, Lowell, Mass. The only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparillo

Their Horses Shied.

Wednesday afternoon, 9th while T. B Thomas, wife and child, of State College, were driving along the P. and E. railroad above Ferney towards Cross Forks, the horses shied near a short curve at a passing train and threw the occupants out. Mr. Thomas' leg was bruised; Mrs. Thomas' arm was broken and her face D. Moriarty until Thursday when they returned to State College.

Was Discharged.

Calvin Horner, of Centre Hall, who was arrested last week as an accomplice of Wm. P. Maize, accused of extortion by the Union News company, was arraigned before Alderman Huff, of Altoona last Tuesday, September 8. As there was no verdict to show that he had anything



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