

THE RACKET.

No. 9 and 11, CHERRY EX., BELLEFONTE, PA.

HERES A GOOD ONE

I saw "a moral pointed and a tale adorned" on the train the other day. The hero of the story, a bald headed old gentleman, was to be the star speaker at a political meeting that evening.

THE NEW ANNEX

will drive competition "up into the clearing and * * * * * Stick a pin here.

Our Fall and Winter Stock is complete in all departments, and U are cordially invited to walk through the store and C how it is Urself.

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Our great five dollar assortment of Men's all wool, winter weight suits consist of all the latest colors in chevots. They are exactly five dollars cheaper than you can buy elsewhere. See them. FAUBLES.

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In Large Quantities Reduces the

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which has just been opened, has been purchased of the largest manufacturers, who have made the manufacture of clothing a life-study. The result is that the cloth in our clothing are bought right. The clothing is cut right. The garments are made and fit right.

We bought large quantities and accompanied our purchases with cash; received large discounts, and can sell you good clothing cheaper than ever.

WORTHY YOUR CONFIDENCE

- Men's good heavy Chinchilla Cloth Overcoats \$12.75. Men's heavy Gray-Mixed Cloth Overcoats \$13.00. Men's dark blue and black all-wool Beaver Overcoats from \$5, 6, 8.50, 10 and upwards. Youth's and Boy's Overcoats in all kinds of cloths from \$2.50 up to finest all-wool. Little Boys' Overcoats, in all styles, from \$1.49 up to the best all-wool. Another large lot of Pants, made to sell for \$2. We sell them for \$1.25. Handsome dark Men's Suits, all-wool, for \$4.99. Heavy Cheviot Men's Suits, all-wool, for \$5.00. Heavy dark blue, black and brown Men's all-wool Cheviot Suits at \$7.50 and 9. Men's fine all-wool Dress Suits from \$9.00 up to \$12 and 15. A beautiful line of Youth's Suits in all the different weaves and mixed and plain cloths \$3.00 up to 10 and 15. Boys' School Suits from 95c. up to the heaviest all-wool cloths. Boys' fine Dress Suits from \$1.50 to 5. The latest styles in Men's Hats. The largest stock of Boots and Shoes in the county. The most complete assortment of Men's Children's and Ladies' Marine and all-wool Underwear from 7c. a piece up to the finest Medicated Underwear. Ladies' Coats and Capes from \$1.98 up to the finest all-wool, Beaver and rough cloths. All the new weaves in Dress Goods from 5c. a yard up to \$1.50.

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WALNUT GROVE GLEANINGS.

Our quiet little village has not been represented in the Centre Democrat of late. The writer will try and furnish such news as may be of interest to its many readers.

FARM SOLD.—Cyrus Durst has sold his farm to Prothonotary Smith, of Bellefonte. While we are sorry to lose Mr. Durst, as a friend and neighbor, we will be glad to welcome Mr. Smith to our neighborhood.

John From shipped several barrels of apples to his landlord, Rev. Mr. Groh, of Carlisle.

John Gingrich and best girl were visiting friends about Colyer, over Sunday.

Davy Breon made a flying trip to Centre Hill, on Sunday. He says he feels about six inches taller since a certain Miss called him Mr.

Some of our boys attended the political meeting at Colyer, on Monday evening. The boys say they didn't see what they wanted.

By the appearance Sam wore when he drove through town on Saturday evening, he must have some pleasant thoughts for the future—now is your time, Sam.

Miss Lizzie Slack, of Rock Grove, made a pleasant call on her aunt and cousins the Misses Kimpert.

STATE COLLEGE NOTES.

The foot ball game here, on last Saturday afternoon, between a team from the Western University, of Penna., and the home team, resulted in an easy victory for State. The visitors were under the training of Geo. Hoskins, States former trainer, and were expected to line up a strong team, but the game was poor and weak. Score, P. S. C. 10; W. U. of P. 4.

Joseph Thompson, one of the promising men for State's first foot ball team, had the misfortune to have his right leg broken at the ankle, while at practice on Tuesday afternoon.

The vandals who make it their business to break the globes on the electric street lamps ought to be apprehended and dealt with according to law.

Instructor H. K. Munroe, will occupy rooms in the Foster flat, as will also Profs. Colcord and Hopkins and Dr. Frank J. Pond and his mother.

Gray Fleming and Wes Slagle have rented one of the rooms in the Holmes building. Gray will put in a line of bicycles and sporting goods.

AARONSBURG.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stover Sundayed with friends in Sugar Valley.

W. Phillips greatly improved his store room by giving the ceiling a good coat of whitewash.

Mrs. H. Weaver spent a few days last week at Fiedler.

Miss Cordelia Acker is teaching the Elk Creek school and seems delighted with her school.

Mrs. H. C. Crouse has again gone to Rebersburg to carry on the millinery trade.

Wm. Guisewites and A. P. Maize were to the Lewisburg fair and report having a very nice time.

Miss Beula Bright is housed up for the past week with a sprained ankle.

A glance at our great assortment of Men's all wool suits will reveal—the exact same goods that others are asking \$10.00 for, is a saving of \$5.00 of interest to you. FAUBLES.

WORTHY YOUR CONFIDENCE.

The success of Hood's Sarsaparilla in conquering scrofula in whatever way it may manifest itself is vouched for by thousands who were severely afflicted by this prevalent disease, but who now rejoice over a permanent cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Scrofula may appear as a humor, or it may attack the glands of the neck, or break out in dreadful running sores on the body or limbs. Attacking the numerous membrane, it may develop into cataract or lodging in the lungs lead to consumption. Come as it may, a faithful course of treatment with Hood's Sarsaparilla will over come it, for working upon the foundation of all diseases, impure blood, the system is clarified and vitalized, and vigor, strength and health restored to the body.

The Centre Democrat.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1896.

SCHOLARSHIP COUPON.

Name: Address: 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 COUNTY. The following is the number of votes cast for the above scholarship, to date: Wm. B. Rerick, Benner twp., 4796 Miss Mary Twibmyer, Pleasant Gap, 4240 Alma Stone, Zion, 698 Sadie J. Yarnell, Mingosville, 15 Willis Knox, Bellefonte, 8 Amos Ward, Stormstown, 6 Chas. Fisher, Zion, 2 AL. S. GARMAN, } Com. S. D. GETTIG, } Thursday, October, 8, '96.

WALLACE RUN.

Last Thursday evening a carriage load of speakers came from Bellefonte to hold a prohibition meeting. At 8 o'clock the meeting was opened by a male quartet, followed by prayer by Rev. C. C. Miller. The prohibition question was mildly discussed for most of the speakers were too strongly attached to their party.

ACCIDENT.—The other day Mr. Jack Johnston, who was chopping for Mr. Geo. F. Walker, severely cut his ankle. Mr. Johnston was brought home by Mr. Walker. At this writing he is again able to be around.

Some of our young men are misbehaving quite a good bit, while at religious services. We would give a word of advice—please do not repeat the misbehavior, or you might be dealt with according to law, and that is very severe for an offense of that kind.

Rev. Geo. Emengizer, of Pittsburg, preached a very able sermon on Sunday evening, in the U. B. Church. The sermon was very plainly illustrated and much appreciated by the large audience.

Willis Poorman boasts of the largest apple on the run, it measures 1 1/2 inches in circumference.

The plasterers are at present at work at Michael Witherle's house. Mike believes in preparing for a cold winter.

Mr. Daniel Poorman and son Claud were visiting at Marsh Creek over Sunday.

Miss Iva Poorman was visiting her many friends at Snow Shoe, over Sunday.

Rev. J. F. Kelley was visiting a few days at Bush Hollow, this week.

The people are at present speaking of starting a singing class here. We trust they will have it organized for there is a great talent for music here, and should be cultivated.

The public schools of this township opened on Monday, with a good attendance, and more to be enrolled. With good instructors, free text books, and a compulsory school law, there is no reason why we should not have a successful year.

Mr. Michael Sennet is at this writing, laid up with neuralgia, we trust he may soon recover.

On Saturday the gold bugs were holding a meeting in the school house, and if they expect to take their sneak in the White House at Washington, as they did into the school house they might be badly disappointed. They not even conferred so much honor to the school board as to ask for the house and in fact they went into the house in some way but not by the school house key. There must have been more pluck than— in fact the meeting had so much effect on some of our democratic friends that one got so sick that he could not reach home that night, and so had to stay at J. B. Lucas' till Sunday morning and then being too weak caught James Witherle's horse in the field and rode home, and it was a gold bug horse and when he got away from his master concluded that he might as well stay away for the silverman's oats measure was so much larger than the gold bugs. Some of the silvermen saw the speakers take blankets and all into the room and concluded that they brought their bed along; but said they could stay and speak for weeks and not convert them. The thought expressed that "the better element of the democratic party" left them and the free silver men have assailed their flag," this is a rather strong expression but our silver friends have faith enough in their party not to be effected by such talk.

FLAG PRESENTATION.

Saturday evening, Sept. 26, Capt. Robert M. Foster Post at Lemont, No. 197, had a public meeting, it being an occasion of receiving a new flag. The flag was a present from Thomas, William and Robert, sons of Capt. Foster who lost his life at Gettysburg. Robert being the only son living in the county, it was through him that they received this flag. Thomas resides in Phila., and William in Lewisburg. This flag is a beauty, being silk with name and number of post together with staff shield and belt. None of the Bros. being present on motion the flag was received and a minute of the matter placed on record and a copy sent to each. The commander then called J. C. Sowers who was a member of Capt. Foster's Company C. 148 Pa. V. I., who in a nice speech told us of some of the trials of camp life, also gave us some of the funny things that happened, there were five members of his company present. Each one gave a little reminiscence of their soldiers life, also spoke of their Captain and his death, also the respect the sons showed to their father. Lemuel Osman, who was near him when he fell in the wheat field, was appointed color sergeant and in all the parades will carry the new flag. After hearing from strangers the commander then read a paper on the war, the amount of men asked for, at each call giving the grand total sworn into the service which was very interesting. In closing I will say there was a full house, and I believe all went away pleased.

State College Wen.

On Saturday the State College boys had their second game of the season and scored another triumph. The visitors were from the Western University of Pennsylvania and they played well, having with them Hoskins, State's former trainer. It was a close fought battle in which the home team won by a score of 10 to 4.

Stricken With Paralysis.

A week or so ago Mr. G. W. Lonzberger was stricken down with paralysis, at his home on Nittany mountain. His left side is paralyzed and he is confined to his bed. He still remains in full control of his mental faculties, but is very weak. Mr. Lonzberger is up in the seventies and it is hoped that in spite of his great age he will recover again.

WAS ADAM 65 FEET TALL?

A Chicago Man's Theory of the First Man and His Stature.

At various times within the last few years assertions have been made by many thinkers that Adam and the antediluvian people were of extraordinary height, but many other thinkers (who have never thought much about the matter) have laughed at the assertions and cried "bosh!" I, too, am of the opinion that there was something more about Adam that was extraordinary beside the number of his years, says a correspondent of the Chicago Times-Herald. To prove the same by a course of mathematical reasoning, we will take Noah, whose life was twenty years longer than Adam's, and who is quite as well known for his generosity to the human and animal races. According to Genesis Noah lived 950 years and then died. The average life of man to-day is seventy years. It is a well defined rule in nature that animals, bipeds and quadrupeds live about three and one-half times the number of years required for their individual maturity.

Thus man in this century matures in twenty and dies at the age of seventy years. Dividing the age of Noah by three and one-half, we find that he reached his maturity in about 270 years. The average man of to-day at maturity measures about five feet and weighs about 125 pounds. Five feet in twenty years is equivalent to three inches in one year. Applying the same rule to Noah's maturing years, we find that at his maturity he was sixty-seven feet tall and weighed 1,875 pounds. It stands to reason that if Noah was so great in body that the originator of the race must have been equally as large. Reckoning backward the line of descent is as follows: Noah, Lamech, Methuselah, Enoch, Jared, Malral-el, Cainan, Enos, Seth and Adam, and there were giants in those days.

HONEY AS A FOOD.

It is Easy of Digestion, Beneficial in Some Cases of Disease.

Probably most people consider honey as the equal in value for food of any sweet sauce—no better, no worse. All should know that it possesses one great superiority—ease of digestion. The nectar of flowers is almost wholly cane sugar. The secretions added by the bees change this to grape sugar, and so prepare it that it is almost ready for assimilation without any effort on the part of the stomach; in fact, Prof. A. J. Cook once styled honey "digested nectar." It will be readily seen that honey is a very desirable food for those with weakened digestive powers. If a person is very tired, "too exhausted to eat," it is astonishing how a few tastes of honey will act almost like magic. Almost no effort is required to make it ready for assimilation. Persons suffering from some forms of kidney trouble will find that honey is a much more beneficial food for them than is cane sugar.

In eating comb honey, many strive to eject every particle of wax, fearing that, as wax is indigestible, nightmare and other troublesome consequences will follow an indulgence in warm biscuit and honey. It is true that bread is more easily digested than warm biscuit, as the latter is inclined to "pack" in chewing, but it may surprise some to know that comb honey is really an aid to the digestion of hot bread or biscuit. The philosophy of the matter is that the flakes of wax prevent the packing, while the honey readily dissolves out, leaving passages for the gastric juices to enter the mass of food. The flakes of wax are indigestible, that is true, but when warmed are perfectly smooth and soft, and will not injure the most delicate membrane; in fact, they act as a gentle stimulant, and are beneficial in some forms of alimentary difficulties. The unpleasant symptoms from which some suffer after eating honey may often be removed by drinking a little milk.

Demoralizing Effect of a Gown.

"If I want to make use of it," exclaimed Miss May Robison, "I have 'A Woman's Reason' for going to the bad. In that play, you know, I played the part of a sporting spinster. You saw my clothes, I suppose? They didn't look to be very much. Just two plain tailor-made sporting looking gowns. But perhaps they didn't cost. Phew! Well, the play ran three weeks and here I am with those sporty gowns on my hands. If I wore them to the Twelfth Night Club they would turn me out, on the ground that no men were admitted. If I wore them on Broadway I'd get either \$10 or ten days. There is no alternative for me in this matter. I've never played the race in my life, but I shall have to begin next summer just to see if I can't get even for those gowns."—Evening Sun.

Question.

"Why is it," the Cumminsville race inquired, with the air of one pleased with the sound of his own voice, "why is it that the man of 40 or thereabouts can realize so well how old he is when he is talking to a youth of 18, but seems to forget all about it when he meets a girl of that age?"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

For Boston Use.

Highest—What are you doing with that old "First reader" Poeticus—E'm writing "Woodman, Spare That Tree" in words of five syllables for the Boston public schools.—Philadelphia Record.

Letting Him Down Easy.

He—May I call you mine, Agatha? She—This is leap year, Willie, and you should know that in matters of this kind during '96 it's manners for men to wait until they're asked.—Wiener Caricatures.

John Alden, 9, In John I's House.

John Alden, the ninth of that name, is living in John Alden's house at Duxbury, Mass., which was built in 1660, and in which the original John Alden lived during the latter part of his life.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

PRESBYTERIAN CONFERENCE.

The Presbyterian Synod of Pennsylvania will meet in annual session in this place on October 15. The Pennsylvania Synod is one of the largest delegated ecclesiastical bodies in the world, embracing all of the Keystone state, West Virginia and the Missions of West Africa and Zacatecas, Mexico. It has a representation of 1,071 ministers, 1,184 churches and 197,291 members, with an average Sunday school attendance of 207,228. The Synod will be made up of 116 ministerial and 94 elder delegates. Eleven years ago the Synod met in Bellefonte, but since that time it has increased its field of work considerably. Last year it was held at Butler. The present officers of the Synod are: Moderator, Rev. John V. Stochton, D. D., Erie, Pa.; vice moderator, Rev. Samuel W. Miller, D. D., Saltsburg; stated clerk and treasurer, Rev. Robert Hunter, D. D., of Philadelphia; permanent clerk, Rev. John J. Beacom, Pittsburg. The committee of arrangements, consists of Rev. William Learie, D. D., and Elders Judge James A. Beaver, James Harris, Austin O. Furst, J. C. Weaver, Geo. L. Potter and Samuel Shaffer.

At the first session on Thursday a new Moderator will be chosen, who will then appoint his committee.

Thursday afternoon will be devoted to the report of the synodical sustentation, and a very important part of their deliberations.

On Friday reports from committees on literary institutions will be in order. The remainder of the week will be devoted to customary work.

As a better idea of the vast work done in the Pennsylvania Synod a cursory statement of the statistics as reported last year might be interesting. Throughout the synod there was contributed for home missions the enormous sum of \$210,910, for foreign missions \$178,584, education \$28,998, Sunday school work \$30,853, church erection \$51,863, relief fund \$36,085, freedmen \$36,986, synodical aid \$21,630, aid for colleges \$18,835, general assembly \$18,688, congregational \$2,195,351, miscellaneous \$217,303; a total of \$3,042,303. In addition to the above the Sunday schools contributed to the various branches of work \$109,100, making a total of \$3,211,210. The above more plainly than anything else shows the magnitude of the work done for the cause of the Christian religion by the Presbyterians of Pennsylvania and West Virginia. In the entire field there are 24 Presbyterians, and of this number Philadelphia is the largest with 135 ministers, 74 churches, 32,546 members, and contributions amounting to \$667,675 or a little more than one-fifth of all the money raised in the synod. Pittsburg is next in rank with 99 ministers, 71 churches, 18,046 members and contributions aggregating \$363,655. The total of money raised in the Philadelphia and Pittsburg presbyteries is over one-third of the entire amount contributed. The smallest presbytery in the synod is Wellsboro, with but 14 ministers, 17 churches and 1,384 members.

The committee of arrangements has most everything in readiness for the gathering in this place. The synod will be held in the Presbyterian church, which has a capacity of seating 900 or more. Every arrangement has been made for the entertainment of the delegates. For this purpose the following committee of ladies has been at work for some weeks past. Mrs. Austin O. Furst, Mrs. John P. Harris, Mrs. Geo. L. Potter, Mrs. William Wilson, Miss Mila Humes and Mrs. Wm. Laurie. Already delegates have been elected from ten Presbyteries in the synod but the entire number will not be elected until about a week or less before the convention of synod.

A glance at our great assortment of Men's all wool suits will reveal—the exact same goods that others are asking \$10.00 for, is a saving of \$5.00 of interest to you. FAUBLES.

Good Report.

Secretary Cota, of the Bellefonte Y. M. C. A., makes the following report: "This has been the most prosperous year in the last five; they have raised over \$1,700, paying their annual expenses of \$1,700 and \$500 on their debt." That is much better than formerly reported. The Y. M. C. A. deserves support.

Biliousness

is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache,

Hood's

...the only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Caution. All persons are hereby notified not to meddle, or in any way interfere, with the following goods and chattels which are now in the hands of J. D. Gardner, namely, lot of grain in the ground, lot of corn in shock, lot of buckwheat, lot of potatoes, six pigs, as I have this day bought the same and left them in the care of John D. Gardner.

JOHN LYONS. WILLIAM LYONS, Agent. OCT. 1st. 1896.

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