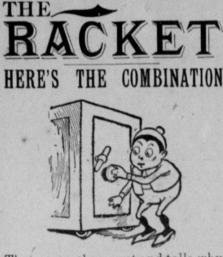
## THE CENTRE DEMOCRAT, BELLEFONTE, PA., THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 1897.



That opens the secret and tells why "The Racket" is now and always has been a busy store since the door was opened for business, January 1st. 1889. Standard goods at uniformly low prices, no misrepresentation, one price to all, up to date ideas and an honest effort to make the store worthy of the place and

the people. JUST IN

20 Dozen Men's Outing Shirts at 20 cents, regular price for same healing up nicely. quality 35 cents.

100 Ladies' Waists-Dimities and Lawns with pocket for dress shields, this seasons latest and best styles, price 69 cents, worth twice that. Another lot of Boy's Duck Knee Pants at 18 cents. Nice enough for "Sunday-go-to-Meetings."

White Cloud Soap, it floats, whiter than ivory, quality specially fine, a silver plated spoon with 10 cent cake and a spool of silk with a 5c cake.

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#### To do Business,

look like it. Dress like a man who has business to do and does it. Only tailor-made clothes have a business appearance, and our made-to-order

CORRESPONDENTS presented good show DEPARTMENT Mrs. Dr. Fisher, and her son Frank, of Boalsburg, were visitors at the Stuart residence, on Tuesday. The News Gathered From Various NEW POSTMASTERS : - The postoffice fight is over, and Mr. John W. Stuart is Sections to be the official representative of Uncle

HAPPENINGS IN CENTRE CO

What our Army of Alert Correspondents see and observe worthy of note-The local Happenings of every community will be gladly Published-Send the news we will town. Publish it.

FIEDLER.

This place was almost deserted last Sunday, most of the people having gone to attend campmeeting.

J. W. Winklebleck and H. S. Winklebleck have each purchased a handsome family carriage, from a party of Mifflinburg.

The Creamery has stopped running, The Creamery has stopped running, so we are informed, and some of the hast week visiting friends at Port Mapatrons have taken their butter home | tilda. and will dispose of it themselves.

Frank Guisewite, our Post Master. had the misfortune to burn his hand, while working in the blacksmithshop last week. It was very painful and inconvenienced him for several days, but is

The Ladies And society, of St Paul church, expect to hold an ice cream rental home, at Rebersburg, over Sunsociable, on next Saturday evening, day Aug. 7th. They will also serve other Rev. Kelley preached a very able ser-mon in the U. B. church, on Sunday refreshments, such as oysters, cakes, and confectionary. To be held on the public School grounds. All are invited. text was St. John 6 chapter; 68 and 69 WARNING: We have been requested

verses. His next appointment is Aug. to warn a young man from Woodward, who has been prowling around here where he has no business, that he had better make himself scarce, or he will be

entertained with the business end of the old man's shot gun. A word to the wise is sufficient.

ARM BROKEN:-Johnie, second son of George Kreighbaum, met with a serious accident on last Sunday. He was at Samuel Boyer's, and the children were good going on August 21 to 23, and good runnig what we call a flying jinnie, and Johnie becoming dizzy fell to the to return not earlier than August 24, nor ground breaking an arm and inflicting several severe gashes in his head. Dr. Musser reduced the fracture and the patient is doing well.

A new town has sprung up in our vi-cinity, one-half mile north of Swamp all points on its system to Philadelphia town, and the mill hands have painted hand boards, that will invite all the Jew peddlers. The name is "Jew town" and has quite a number of inhabitants, but strange to say they are all men. The town is noted for its venomous reptiles. T. C. Hosterman killed a snake on Tuesday which had 17 rattles. clusive.

## LINDEN HALL NOTES.

Mr. Calvin Coble is happy over the arrival of a son.

Quite a few of our people attended campmeeting on Sunday. Miss Maud Miller, of Pine Grove, is isiting her sister, Mrs Frank Wieland. Mr. Joseph Page, of Bellefonte, was spending Sunday at his parental home. Mr. Isaac Tressler had a slight stroke special rates, conditions, etc., apply to suits and overcoats are recog- on Sunday. Hope he will soon recover. nearest ticket agent.

Thursday evening, to a fair house, and FOR STARTING THE FIRE.

Sam, here, for the next four years.

Gossips are as thick as wassups.

visiting at William Walker.'s

Bush Hollow

evening.

15.

WALLACE RUN.

Charley Shawley Sundayed in our

Miss Emma Curtin spent Sunday, at

Miss Clara Bartroff, of Mill Hall, is

Miss Clara Shope, of West Virginia, is visiting her mother Mrs. Ellen Friel.

Lizzie Johnson of Snow Shoe, at present.

The farmers are busy putting away their crops, and preparing for thrash-

Mr. William Eckenroth, of Fleming

William and Homer Walker started

for the lumber woods, again after spend-

C. S. Lucas and his sister, Maggie M.

evening, to a very large audience, his

Special Excursion Rates.

The Pennsylvania Railroad will sell

tickets at half rate, or single fare for the

round trip for the National Encampment

These tickets will be sold and will be

For the annual meet of the League of

American Wheelmen at Philadelphia,

ing at Mt. Gretna, Pa., August 3 to 12,

1897, the Pennsylvania Railroad Com-

pany will sell excursion tickets from all

points on its system east of Pittsburg and

Erie, and west of and including Philadel-

phia, to Mt. Gretna and return at reduc-

ed rates. These tickets will be sold Au-

gust 1 to August 12 inclusive, good to re-

turn until August 20, 1897, inclusive. For

was a very sick man in a box car in the

medicine would be cheaper than a funer-

al, he investigated the case. The charge

ed. A bath heads the unalterable rules

the evidence for the necessity of the job

was overwhelming. The patient finally

agreed, and while the process of renova-

tion was in progress, it was discovered

that the supposed man so dressed when

taken in charge, was a buxom woman of

about 165 pounds. She was allowed to

tarry a day and was then furnished with

one of those fabulously low priced July

outfits advertised by our merchants, and

sent out in the direction of Harrisburg.

On leaving she remarked that if her 31/2

cent per yard uniform held out until she

reached that city, she would discard it

for men's attire again, because dress

goods won't go on freight trains. She

has been on the "road" for sixteen years

Rumored Railroad Changes.

road company doing away with certain

divisions on their main lines has again

been revived. It is stated that if the

Baltimore and Canadaigua division of

the North Central be extended to Sun-

bury, and that the Philadelphia and

Pittsburg divisions be extended to Lew-

istown a great saving in expense would

be made by doing away with division

superintendents, extra crews, etc. It is

also reported that the land where the

Cereal Coffee Drinkers Beware!

If you have been deceived and tried

Special Treatment.

The talk about the Pennsylvania rail-

and had not washed in that time.

G. A. R. at Buffalo, August 23.

later than August 31, 1897.

Lucas, visited at Mr. I. A. Zeigler's pa-

ing a short time at home.

was a visitor in our town on Saturday

Mrs. Annie Lucas is visiting Mrs.

The Use to Which the Fisherman Puts His Discarded Nets.

In the majority of households an old newspaper is the material most commonly used to start a fire, and the adjustment of this material is a matter of considerable art. There should be enough of it to make a flame sufficient to ignite the wood laid upon it, and it should be put in with just the right degree of looseness so that the air will circulate through it and make it burn freely and to the best advantage. But there are this purpose-the homes of fishermen. Here, year in and year out, day after day, the fire is started with a chunk of discarded tarred netting, and there is

nothing like it. seaweed floats against it in a tide way, or to break with a big catch of fish, it is condemned. It may be whole and look all right, but it doesn't pay to take any risks with it. Some fishermen using a considerable number of nets may have half a ton of such netting in a year. They use it to start fires, and give away some of it. Formerly they sold it for

junk, and they do so now occasionally. though not so much as they did. It brings a cent a pound. This netting has been tarred again

and again with fine, thin tar and it is thoroughly saturated. The net may be 6 feet deep. A length of it is rolled up, and the roll is then flattened down. The flattened roll may be 6 inches wide, and it is cut off with an ax into chunks of perhaps a foot in length, just enough to lie nicely on the grate of a kitchen range. It is thoroughly dried before it is used. It all ignites quickly, and burns fiercely and uniformly, with a bluish fiame and rather a pleasant odor. A properly laid fire with a section of old tarred netting to start it never goes out. Whoever attends to the kitchen fire in the fisherman's house prepares it, if possible, the night before and palls a strand from the tarred netting out through the bars of the grate in front. To start the fire in the morning all that is necessary is to touch a lighted match to the end of that tarred rope yarn Some of this tarred netting has been

that purpose, if at all, only on roads running through or near fishing districts. And, as said, it is now rarely sold. The fisherman uses it to start his own fire, and the man who has more than he wants gives to his neighbor .--New York Sun.

#### A Costly Joke.

A Berlin correspondent tells as true a story about a joke that resulted somewhat seriously for the man who invented it. This person was incredulous about the discriminating appreciation

of wines which a distinguished friend

UNDER WATER.

Sunlight to a Depth of Fifteen Hundred Feet.

Sunlight penetrates the sea to a depth of more than 1,500 feet when the water is perfectly clear. Recent experiments made in the Meditranean about 15 miles off the coast of Corsica confirmed this by photographic exposures at that depth. Ordinarily sunlight at the depth of 165 feet is no stronger than the light of the full moon, while at 325 feet it is no more houses in which paper is never used for than a mere twilight. At 650 feet the darkness is total under ordinary circumstances.

In some parts of the ocean, where the water is almost crystal clearness, there When a net gets tender, so that it is are exceptions to this rule. The spotted likely to burst when a body of kelp or corals near Mindea, in the Indian Ocean, are clearly vissible from above, although imbedded about 175 feet below the surface, and the Carribean Sea is also as clear as crystal, and objects lying at the bottom are seen even at considerable depths .- Philadelphia Record.

### Wild Cats Plenty.

J. W. Swoope, the Huntingdon trapper says, the big wild cat den, on the Warriors Ridge, had eight wild cats in it, two old ones and six young ones about half grown. He caught seven near the den and an old he one at a rabbit's hole about 50 yards away from the den.



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REDUCED RATES TO THE SEASHORE.

Extremely Low Rate Excursion via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The Pennsylvania Railroad company, whose constant object is to give its patrons the cheapest rate compatible with good service, has arranged for excursions to the seashore Thursdays, Aug. 5 and 19, from Erie, Fassett, Bellefonte. Shenandoah, Dauphin, and intermediate stations on branch roads.

Excursion tickets good for 10 days will be sold at the following low rates for the round trip, and intermadiate points at a corresponding reduction, good going to Philadelphia on trains designated:

Rate to Rate to all Atlastic City points via

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via Delaware M	larket St. Train Train
River Bridge.	Wharf. Leaves. Leaves
Lock Haven \$5 60 Bellefonte., 5 85	\$5 60 7 30 a m 11 20 a m
Centre Hall 5 35	5 75 6 30am 2 15pm 5 25 7 13am 3 02pm
Mifflinburg., 4 60 Lewisburg., 4 60	4 50 8 44 am 4 27 pm 4 50 9 05 am 4 47 pm
Phila. Ar.	3 00 pm 11 15 pm

Passengers for Atlantic City holding tickets via Delaware River Bridge route may use regular trains leaving Broad Street station at 6:05 p. m. on day of excursion, or 9:20 a.m., 2:33, 3:22, and 7:os p. m. the following day, or any regular train from Market Street wharf Aug. 6 or 20. Passengers holding tickets via Market Street wharf may use any regular train via that route on Aug. 6 or 20. Tickets do not include transfer between Broad Street station and Market Street wharf.

For full information apply to E. S. Harrar, division Ticket Agent, Williamsport, Pa., or to ticket agents at stations.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ilis, BIIlousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

August 4 to 7, the Pennsylvania Railroad sold to start the fire in locomotives. Such a thing is not unbeard of as the all points on its system to Philadelphia use of cotton waste and oil for this purand return at rate of a single fare for pose, but a sheet of old tarred netting the round trip. No rate less than twentylaid over the grate bars beats the cotton five cents. Tickets will be sold and will waste out of sight. Still, locomotives be good going on August 3 and 4, and have multiplied and tarred netting cuts good to return until August 9, 1897, inno figure as a means of starting the fire in them. It is perhaps now used for For the United Brethren Camp meet-

nized as models of correctness in attire. Our fits are always perfect. With an assortment of woolens embracing everything desirable for this season, our patrons enjoy advantages in the choice of fabrics not offered elsewhere in town. Although we rank first, our prices are moderate.

### Jacob Gross. The Fashionable Tailor, BELLEFONTE, PENN'A. High Street.

### NORMAL SCHOLARSHIP.

THE CENTRE DEMOCRAT will pay all expenses,—tuition, board, light, heat, washing and furnished room—for the Winter Term of 12 weeks in the Central State Normal, at Lock Haven, Pa., for some deserving young lady or gentle-man, in Centre County. This will entitle the recipient to all the privileges of that institution.

This scholarship will be furnished free of cost, and the readers and patrons of the paper will be asked to award the same, by a popular vote.

The Centre Democrat.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 1897.

-SCHOLARSHIP COUPONK-Name

Address

Cut this out, fill in name of some de-serving young lady or gentleman and send it to this office, where it will be counted. If held over thirty days will

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THE COUNT. Violette Wolf, Centre Hall..... 4109 Ida M. Showers, Zion...... 3611 WEEKLY COUNT.

The following is a list of the votes

The following is a list of the votes cast during the past week:—Ida Show-ers, 211; Violetta Wolf, 275; We hereby certify that the above is a correct statement of the number of votes cast in the Scholarship Contest up to date. WM. T. ROYER, W. HARRISON WALKER.

Aug. 5, 1897.

Bellefonte, Pa.

Miss Weaver, of Aaronsburg, was the guest of Mrs. Carper over Sunday. Joe was happy Mrs. Mary Page and grand daughter, Director Koble was notified that there

Miss Anna, were the guests of Mrs. P. C. Bradford on Thursday.

What is the meaning of the broken upper yard, and knowing that a little bottle found along the public road. The married men certainly were happy. Mr. Musser, and two sisters, Misses was removed to the farm below town Anna and Alka, spent several days of and the necessary medicine administerlast week with their sister, Mrs. J. H.

Mr. Jas. Smeltzer, foreman of Centre of the place, to which proposition the Hall, and Wm. Bradford, son of Frank stranger demurred most radically, but Bradford, agent, was seen in our town ast Tuesday eve.

Miss Jennie Dunkle, of Centre Hall, was seen in our town one eve last week, but did not stay long enough for us to converse with her. Call again, and give us an opportunity to do so." Mrs. Bartol and three daughters Misses Belle, Mary and Nellie and son Wm. of Lewisburg and Mrs. Winsor and servant, of Tennessee and Mr. Thomas Hines and daughter Lenora, of Osceola Sundayed with Mr. Daniel Hess.

The United Evangelicals held a meeting on last Tuesday eve to settle on a place to build their church and to transact other important business, concerning the building of it; but rain prevented the coming of some. Therefore they have thus far decided to build it in front of the school house.

#### AARONSBURG

Thos. Weaver has gone to State Colege, to work at his trade. Quite a number of our people were to campmeeting on Sunday. Miss Emma Jordan made a business trip to Spring Mills, on Monday. D. O. Bower, of Laurelton, spent a day with his brother, John Bower. Sr. Rev. Hacker, of Allentown, spent a ew days with Prof. W. T. Myers. Harvey Musser, of Akron, Ohio, is making his annual visit to the burg. Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Musser, of Bellefonte, spent a few hours with Mrs. John musser's.

George Miller, of Vicksburg, was up to see his best girl. That is all we'll say, Cornelia. etc., at that place. Miss Elizabeth Height, "of Pittsburg,

returned home after spending a week at Wm. Houser's. Rev. A. J. Irey, of Warren, Pa., preached a very able sermon in the Reformed church, on Sunday forenoon. The three Bell sisters, of Bellefonte, came down on their wheels to tarry a few days at the residence of Thomas

STATE COLLEGE NOTES.

Mr. George M. Downing, of Radnor, Pa., is visiting Geo. C. Butz.

J. Calvin Sauers has gone to William

sport to visit his brother Wm. Mrs. Fleming and Miss Fannie Wright are visiting friends in Franklin, Pa. The appointment of Mrs. Woods in Boalsburg, will please her many friends greatly.

All new patients calling upon Dr. Salm, the specialist, will receive treatment from him, during his next visit, at the following rate: \$5 per month or six

months for \$25 dollars. This is a special The DeLong Minstrels showed on rate for that visit only.

Lo ! He Was a Woman.

Sunbury Daily : A few days ago Poor

of his claimed to possess, and to test the matter invited him to dine at a hotel whose landlord had previously been instructed to set before the connoisseur a bottle of excellent moselle. It was to bear no label or other marks to distingnish it from "vin ordinaire," and if questioned the landlord was to say that it cost only a small price. The invitation was accepted, and the plot was carried out. The guest had bardly taken a single sip from his glass, however, before he proved the injustice of his host's suspicion by exclaiming over the merit of the wine. He summoned the landlord, and on hearing that its price was 3 marks instantly ordered 1,000 bottles of the same vintage. The order was. filled, and the host, rather than reveal the failure of his trick, paid the difference between the alleged and real price, which amounted to something over 4,000 marks.

#### English Lawyers.

In the United States the names applied to lawyers are usually attorney and counselor at law. In Great Britain there are barristers at law, who are counselers, learned in the laws, qualified and admitted to practice at the bar; solicitors, who are attorneys, advocates or counselors at law, who are authorized to practice in the English court of chancery; sergeants at law, who are lawyers of the highest rank and answer to the doctor of the civil law. Only after 16 years of practice at the bar can one become a sergeant. Queen's counsel are eminent lawyers, who are given by the government that title, and from their number all the judges are chosen.

## Delicious English Muffins.

To make English muffins scald a pint of milk, and while hot add 2 ounces of butter. When lukewarm, add half a teaspoonful of salt, half an ounce of compressed yeast dissolved in 2 tablespoonfuls of warm water, and 2 cups of flour. National Guard encamped last year at Beat thoroughly and set aside for 2 Lewistown has been purchased as a site hours. Bake in greased muffin rings on for the company's round house, yards, a hot griddle.--Mrs. S. T. Roger in Ladies' Home Journal.

#### Basely Deceived. "Yes," she said bitterly. "I must

If you have been deceived and tried one of the cheap bran substitutes now on the market, claiming to be the original and to have great food value, and you got a pound of poorly roasted bran for your 25c. and a poor, weak, sickish drink (what can you expect from bran), don't discouraged but try Grain-O. It is made from solid grain, nicely browned and 2 pounds for 25c. Grain-O takes the place of coffee at ¼ the price. Get a package of your grocer to-day. tf confess that he deceived me as to his habits. "Does he drink or gamble or anything of that kind?" inquired the other. "No. Before we were wed he led me to believe that he had a habit of talking in his sleep about all his doings. And he does not."—Indianapolis Journal.

Friendships are not uncommon between the cat and dog, and have been known between a dog and a wolf, but the mutual attitude of the weasel and rat is invariably war-war that is waged to the death.

The telegraph lines of the world ag gregate 1,069,123 miles. America has more than half-548,832 miles.



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