# THE RACKET CORRESPONDENTS

No. 9 and 11 Crider's Exchange, Bellefonte, Pa ....

Buttericks Delineator, Fashion Sheet and Patterns for November now ready.

#### The Weather Prophet predicts a cold winter, U will soon need

Underwear and I would like U to know that our stock is complete and at its best. Underwear for Men.

Underwear for Boys, Underwear for Women, Underwear for Children.

and if U consult your own interest and pocket book, U won't buy a piece until U look through The Racket.

### The China Annex,

The sales in this department is showing a satisfactory increase. The stock of popular priced goods in Dinner and Toilet Sets, Lamps, Glassware and Brica-Brac is simply immense. We open today a box as big as a western house, direct importation from Germany, never opened until it reached our door. From factory direct to consumer at one small profit is modern ideal storekeeping.

G. R. SPIGELMYER.





General Shafter.

To-day the fall showing is ready. Handsome and well constructed

# CLOTHING

for men, boys and children. The price---possibilities that our vast buying gives, are hinted at in the descriptive list Roy Le to Bellefe tusiness. that follows:

Men's Clothing

"An honest tale speeds best being plainly told." We offer for Fall and Winter wear, all wool and handsomely tailored suits at \$7.50 -- the samples we show are the exact quality of fabrics, and are a few of many new and bright styles confined exclusively to

# OVERCOATS

All-Wool Kersey Overcoats in blue and black at \$7.75. Boy's (Vercoats at \$5.00 to 7.50. Children's Overcoats and Reefers \$1.50 to 7.50.

### SUITS

Boy's Suits at \$5, 6, 6 50 and 7.50. Children's Snits at \$1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50 up to \$5.00.

Guyer, Danlap, Knox Belmar and Army Hats. Pumpkin Contest to be decided on Saturday, Oct. 15, between the hours of 8 and 10 a. m.

Montgomery & Co., Progressive Clothiers. Bellefonte, Pa.

Startling ,ook going below cost. In Announcement the Two Weeks.

POWERS

SHOE

COMPANY.

The News Gathered From Various Sections

HAPPENINGS IN CENTRE CO

What Our Army of Alert Correspondents See and Observe Worthy of Note-The Local Happenings of Every Community Will be

#### Nittany.

Sunday afternoon.

We wonder what became of our neighbor, Mr. Hublersburg.

Sheriff Shaeffer is putting up a new hog pen and buggy shed.

Mrs. Tate was to Bellefonte and Milesburg several days last week. We are sorry to note that Samuel Martin has been very poorly the past week. Bub Miller, of Hublersburg, was the

Lock Haven to spend a week among friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Rothrock, of Lock Haven, were the guests of George Geobles

Mr. Culby and family, of Lock Haven, were the guests of his sister, Mrs. Rachel Rossman on Sunday.

Mrs. George Bartley and children, of

Hublersburg, were the guests of John and Tom Bartley last Friday. Miss Eleanor Shaeffer and Miss Verme Allison, of this place, were to Ceader

Springs to see their grandpa, Mr. Alli-Miss Mittie Winkleman, Mrs. Newt Dorman and Miss Bessie Pifer were to

Brushvalley several days last week, visiting friends. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Robb, of Bellefonte, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cole, of

Zion, were the guests of their mother, Mrs. Alice Robb, on Sunday. We should think chestnuts were plenty

enough that people wouldn't need to gather enough through the week. Mrs. Henry Snavely, Miss Ida Show-

the club house on Saturday to help Mrs. Peck take care of the farmers. see the ruins of their uncle John Mess- people, chiefly the owners of real estate, mer's buildings that were burned down a

#### Howard.

week ago.

some time, is seen on our streets again. Mr. Sweeney and wife and the Misses rendered by the corporations. Bennisons were fishing on Tuesday afternoon.

Roy Leathers and sister, Minnie were to Bellefonte on Tuesday, transacting

is the third car this season.

to pile so much corn in the cribs. The Disciples No. 1 are having a series of meetings in this place at this writing. to pay it all in the final summing up. One addition thus far. The meetings The Democratic party does not believe are conducted by Mr. Winters.

was made on Sunday. SURPRISE: -A few days previous to other than to amend them where it this writing Mr. Yeager and Miss Elsie should be made clear that they are un-Long went away on a visit. When they This will encourage some of our other.

maids, for the town is full of them. The ladies of the United Evangelical Locher, Main street; proceeds for the the best interests of the people. benefit of the Sunday school. An invita-

tion is extended to all. DEATH: -The only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Pletcher died with brain fever on Wednesday. She became excited on Friday, at the reception of Company B. She was afraid the soldlers would shoot her. The child was four years old and everybody's pet. funeral services were held on Friday and were very largely attended. Interment was made in Schenck's cemetery.

### Mt. Eagle.

corn crop, which appears to be about the Unionville. best in this vicinity.

be very quiet; not much is said on either Morgan Lucas. side, yet the time is just coming when an awakening will be a good thing for our reformers to get to work.

Our schools, in this end of the township, have been in progress for a week | The Rev. preached a very able sermon with very gratifying results. L. A. from the 12th chapter and 14th verse of Leathers has charge of the town school; Pauls epistle to the Corinthians. H. W. Reeder, Pieasant Hill; and W. F. Leathers, Kennedy. With these teachers in charge, this end of the township is expected to hold its own.

About forty of our young people quiet-ly slipped to the home of Miss Ester G. Leathers the other evening while she, with her brother and nieces were busily engaged in playing and singing, bursted in upon her and interrupted the music. She was compelled to acknowledge a complete surprise. Several birthday presents were placed upon the table and a most enjoyable evening was spent. The Misses Della and Blanche Budinger, of Snow Shoe, introduced a new game, which was the most enjoyable thing of the evening.

If everyone knew The superior quality Of Hood's Pills. Their gentle, easy Action, their prompt effect upon The torpid liver and inactive bowels,

The One True Blood Purifier.

It would be only a short time when They would be used to the exclusion Of every other kind. Hood's Pills Are the only Pills to take With Hood's Sarsaparilla,

WHO PAYS THE TAXES.

DEPARTMENT The Poor Man Assessed, Proportionately, More Than the Rich Man.

In his speech at Gettysburg, Mr. Jenks showed that the machine boast that the cost of the state government is gotten from the corporations, which, if true, would be small consolation to the average taxpayer. This, because of the total amount of taxes collected in the state, only about \$12,000,000 are collected by the state, while \$38,000,000 are collected Gladly Published-Send the News, We will by the counties, municipalities, etc , and the bargain of the machine with the corporations is, that if they pay the state tax, they shall be exempt from all other Mr. Searls preached an able sermon on forms of taxation. In other words, the people pay, in county and municipal taxation, more than three times as much as is collected as state tax. The people pay all, indirectly, of course, and directly they pay in this way more than \$3 1894 ...... 5,014,642.18 for every \$1 that passes into the state treasurer's hands. Under the democratic party, before the war, and in every other state in the union, the corporations guest of Will Shaffer on Sunday after- pay their full share of local, as well as state taxation, so that the rule in Pennrather than to the people.

But it is not true, as the machine apologists seek to show, that the corporations ing to the report of Auditor General through with) the sources of the state income were as follows:

From financial corporations and From corporations (railroads, etc.) and association. 8 362, 210, 39 5.983,689.71

From the countles in tax on per-sonal property, liquor licenses, Other sources, notaries public, fees of officers, fines, etc.....

-\$12,913,843.56 Grand total ..... This completely explodes the contengather them on Sunday. They could tion of the machine that the corporations pay, as the foregoing figures show, but the state. ers and Miss Lillie McCaleb were up to little more than half of them. Of the Frank Minick, wife and sisters were ing authorities in 1896 they contributed something more than \$43,000,000, so that as the tax-yielders the people, whose ag-Charles Lucas, who had been sick for made to give up, under machine rule, over six dollars for every one dollar sur-

It is notorious that everywhere the poor man's cottage or the small farmer's holding is assessed at a far greater percentage of its real value than are the Another car load of cattle left this larger properties of wealthy individuals place for Philadelphia, on Tuesday. This and corporations. It is the poor man operation on the first Monday in May of therefore, that is most injured by the this year, 1898) and that there is almost The farmers of this section are busy machine taxation system. He pays in as urgent a call on their part, to be pertax many times as much in the first instance, and in one way or other is made in further taxing anybody. The Repub-DEATH:-The death of Mrs. Sellers, an lican machine, on the other hand, is aged lady of this place, occurred on Thursday. She had made her home busily engaged in devising new schemes with Dr. O. W. McEntire. The remains of taxation to meet their steals and exwere taken to Fillmore, where interment travagances. The Democratic party that banks have paid, as bonus to those would not alter the present tax laws acting as intermediaries to secure deshould be made clear that they are uncame home the people were surprised to fair to any particular class. The Demolearn that Long had changed to Yeager. | crats believe in economy, but are not | ings "on the Hill" of recent years can content to sit silently by and have their Republican opponents gather glory from church, of Howard, will hoid an oyster a tax system that is not, as they falsely and ice cream supper on Saturday even. and impudently contend, in any sense, a ing, Oct. 15th, at the residence of John benign scheme from the standpoint of

### Runville.

A young daughter arrived at the home of Jacob Lucas. Rev. Kelley was to preach at his new

circuit, over Sunday. Mrs Susie Steward, of Winburn, is at present visiting friends in this place.

Mrs. Jacob Reasner, of Marsh Creek, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Kate Sen-

Miss Myrtle Freil has gone to live as Franklin Deitz is busy housing his hired girl for Martin Brower, of near

The politicians in our vicinity seem to with Mrs. Shopes parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rev. Hummel preached the first round

on the Runville charge over Sunday. The church was well filled with anxious hearers at this place on Sunday evening Lost, on or about the 27th. of Sept.

Edward Poorman had the misfortune of osing a purse containing twenty seven dollars in bills, viz: one twenty, one five and one two, and not certain but might possibly been a couple small pieces in silver. It was lost between Snow Shoe and Runville. Any person finding and presenting the same to the looser will be liberally rewarded.

Mrs. Angaline Curtin, widow of John Curtin, of this place, died at the home of her son Harry McClincy in Union town-ship, Oct. 2nd, and was buried at the Mesiah cemetery Oct. 4. Mrs. Curtin was an active member of the United Brethren church. One son and two daughters survive her: Emma, single; Harry McClincy, residing in Union twp; Mrs. Manda Peters residing in Central

### What Dr. A. E. Salter Says.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Gents;—From my personal knowledge, gained in observing the effect of your Shiloh's Cure in cases of advanced Con-sumption. I am prepared to say it is the most remarkable Remedy that has ever been brought to my attention. It has certainly saved many frem Consumption. Sold by Krumrine Bros., Bellefonte, Pa.

# TREASURY BALANCES.

their Manipulation in Debauchery of Our Politics -- How a Beneficent Democratic Law Operated to the Profit of the People and Was Surreptitiously Set Aside by the Machine -- The Proof That Democrats, When They Are In, Do Real Reform Work.

The state treasury balances, whether real or fictitious, have never since 1888 fallen below \$3,687,035 and have gone as high as \$6,679,854. According to the reports of the auditor general and state treasurer they have been, for the last ten years, as follows : .

1888 .....\$3,687,035.65 1889 ...... 3,969,587.53 1890 ...... 4,426,645.45 1891 ..... 6,679,854.55 1892 ..... 6,000,644.95 1893 ...... 5,830,308.07 1895 ..... 3,429,654.07 1896 ..... 5,062,604.19 1897 ..... 5,136,700.03

Average .... \$4,923,767.66 These are the balances at the end of each fiscal year. The monthly balances are approximately the same. No money Mrs. Bert Beck and children went to sylvania is a favor to the corporations is kept in the treasury. It is all in the banks. Here we have, therefore, an average of about \$5,000,000 constantly in the favored fiscal institutions. This is so large a proportion of the total repay all the state tax. The fact is they sources of many of them that financiers pay little more than half of it. Accord. say a sudden withdrawal of the whole line would create something like a panic. Indeed, that reason has more Mylin, in 1896 (the last auditor general's than once been put forward to stay rereport published, though 1898 is nearly forms intended to prevent the carrying of such balances, by cutting down taxes when the balances have been real, or requiring that the money be paid out when they are manufactured. When banks are without adequate money resources of their con, depositing with them ceases to be e.e.

It is notorious that the machine has been in large part maintained from interest privately paid on the deposits to its leaders. Smedley Darlington, of the collapsed West Chester bank, openly admits that he paid such interest, and glories in it.

Responding most reluctantly to popular protests against the outrage and demand that it cease, the legislature of pay all, even of the state taxes. They ment of 1% and 2 per cent interest to 1897 passed the act requiriaz the pay-

The state treasurer selects the de-\$50,000,000 collected by all the tax levy- positories with the approval of the board of revenue commissioners. The members of this board are the auditor over to Pennsvalley one day last week to something less than \$7,000,000 and the general (Quay machinite) the state treasurer (Quay machinite) and the secretary of the commonwealth (the head of the Martin machine). And since most of the depositories are with the gregate property is worth very little Quay machine, it will be seen that that more than that of the corporations, are machine has everything in connection with this business nicely within its own control.

The best possible proof that this matter of the state balances has been a source of unusual profit to the favored banks, and that they have been willing contributors to the support of the machine, in return for the favor of the deposits, abides in the fact that no word of open protest has been made mitted to continue as depositories as ever. Possibly the law will curtail to some extent the machine gain therefrom, and that of the individual beneficiaries. But the money is worth to the banks that carry it more than the 11/2 and 2 per cent they are required to pay for its use, and it may be safely assumed that the machine leaders are not unaware thereof. There are stories posits, sums in excess of 11/2 and 2 per cent. And, while it might be some what difficult to legally prove these allegations, no one familiar with the do. be found to doubt their accuracy.

It is the boast of the machine leaders that the state has never been to any serious extent a loser through the fallure of banks carrying state deposits. Where such failures have occurred the loss is alleged to have fallen upon the treasurers and their bondsmen, or upon the wealthy machine politicians who have afterwards felt it incumbent upon them, or been in effect compelled, to make the treasurers and bondsmen good. The act of 1897 inaugurates a new order of things in this connection. Section 4 of the act provides that the state treasurer "shall not be held personally liable for any moneys that may be lost by reason of the failure or insolvency of any bank, banking institution or trust company, selected as aforesaid." Hereafter, therefore, bursted banks, if there be insufficiency in the bank's bonds or default in their bondsmen, will mulct the treasury and

the people instead of the treasurers. The act referred to is a concession to popular opinion created largely by Democratic platforms, Democratic newspapers and Democratic stump orators, but it is far from being as safe for and profitable to the state as was an act originating with the Democrats in 1883, and passed by the legislature of that year and approved by the then governor, Robert E. Pattison. That act was known as the Humes' sinking fund act, and provided that when state bonds were not to be had the surplus moneys in the sinking fund should be invested in United States bonds. It was the custom in those days to carry the big end of the balances in the sinking fund, presumably because, when moneys go into that fund, there is no legal way of getting them out again, except to pay the state's bonded debt, and having large sums there insured large sums for distribution among the banks. There were about \$2,500,000 then in the sinking fund, and not quite as much in the general fund. Senator Humes (Democrat) the father of the act, pointed out that \$2,000,000 of the sinking fund balance, which was not needed to take up bonds, could be utilized to save the state during the term the bonds then outstanding had to run from one to three and a half millions. The bill was fiercely fought by the retainers of the Republican machine in both houses, and did not pass the lower body until the night before the adjournment, when it did not have a single vote to spare. However, as already stated, it signed by Governor Pattison and became a law. For eight years it remain-

ed in operation, and it is the testimony, both of those who had to do with the execution of the act and of the books, that it operated largely to the advantage of the treasury. It brought the state considerably more than 11/2 or 2 per cent on its moneys that would otherwise have been farmed out to the banks gratis, and it involved absolutely no possibility of loss.

Its repeal was not actual, but virtual. It was not manly, but tricky, after the manner of all the doings of the machine. In 1891 legislation was had largely lessening the flow of money into the sinking fund, so that there remained in that fund practically nothing to be invested under the Humes act. This was not because the balances carried were any less. In fact, they were larger in that year and the year following than ever before or since. But they were kept mainly in the general fund, and the brinks got them again, and the machine treasury and the machineites reveled correspondingly.

Here we have the convincing proofs that, when the Democrats are in, they do real reform work, and that the great ado recently made in so-called independent reform circles touching the

state? Dare you assert that Philip Gorl, of Shechequ Bradford county,

Greiner, of Luzerne county, now serving sentence in the Eastern penitentiary for murder, who, as a political reward from the machine, received nearly \$1,000 from the padded pay roll, and who visited Harrisburg but three days during the session, performed any service to the state?

"Dare you assert that Jonathan Jones, of Schuylkill county, who testified under oath in a libel case at Pottsville in November, 1897, that his name was placed on the padded pay roll by Senator Coyle, a Quay senator, who drew for him \$900, though he, Jones, was not once in Harrisburg during the session, performed any service to the

"I have in my possession other names that were on the padded pay roll, and the amounts of salary they received, and stand ready to furnish before and stand ready to furnish before a court of record indisputable proof that these men performed no labor for the state, and that the money was paid as political rewards.

WANTED—Information as to the present address of Jared C. Logan, former address Akron, Ohlo. An account of \$9.06, for unpaid subscription, against said party, will be sold at a liberal price. Address this office.

public official, and not as a private in-

"Chairman Elkin, though you have been declared an unfaithful state offi- MONEY TO LOAN. been declared an unfaithful state offi-cial and have been dismissed for cause from public office, and though your at-from public office, and though your at-state security. Apply in person or address, M. G. BUNKLE, sion of your guilt, and your explanations, in the light of historical facts, have convicted you of the grossest misrepresentations, still, under the principle of law that grants immunity to a coplotter who turns state's evidence and gives testimony that will result to the good of the public, there may yet be left a chance for you to save yourself, in some degree, if you will give to the people of this state the inside history of that fatal indemnity bond transaction."

## Kreamerville.

John Wolfe lost a valuable beifer one day last week.

Chas L. Beck was to Lock Haven a ew days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Herbert Stover were to Loganton, Sunday. Luther Miller moved to Smithtown where he is teaching school.

Chestnut gathering has been quite an nteresting event of the past week. Frank Housman an wife were to visit

friends in Madisonburg, Sunday. Here we are again, with a little budget of news, after a silence of a few weeks. Miss Nellie Brindle, a young and fair 'belle" of Centre Hall, is at home on a

risit to her parents. WANTED :- A few men and women that can mind their own business to take the place of some here that don't.

At the barn of J. P. Frank on last Fri-day forenoon, C. McC. Gramley thrashed 272 bushels of oats in 21/4 hours. Abraham Brindle has a visitor from Tyrone, we did not learn the name, but

s a young gentlemen, some relation to the above. Husking corn is one of the leading occupations at present, and lots of tables are brought forth by the talking of bush-

els husked per day. On Saturday evening Dr. Monroe, presiding elder of the M. E. church, will rive a discourse in the church at this place. It may be a good treat, so let us

all go to hear him. We have some people in our town that are so well at carrying news that they won't take time to chase a flea from the surface of their nose, but rather carry the noble practice of "tell tale." It will pay anyone to buy a broom and sweep the rubbish from their own door.

Thursday evening brought a cheerful cene to the home of Serenes Harry, when his daughter Erma was united in matrimony to a Mr. Stoner, of Salona, Clinton county, and on the following evening the calathumpian band of this place gave them some of their choicest music. Of course the result was satisfactory and we made old Salona haul out the segars. We wish them a long and a happy life. Rev. George of the Reformed church performed the ceremony.

WANTED—Several Trustworthy Persons in their own and nearby counties. It is mainly office work conducted at home. Salary straight \$300 a year and expenses—definite, bonafide, no more, no less salary. Monthly \$75. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope, Herbert E. Hess, Pres't., Dep't M., Chicago. x51



To Our Subscribers-Important.

requested us to announce that they have several thousand sets of the finest coin silver-planted with the workers of the Democratic party.

THE PADDED PAY ROLL.

Mr. Wanamaker, in Reply to Chairman Elkin, Gives the Names and Records of Some of the Men Who Were on the Roll.

In his Media speech Mr. Wanamaker said:

"Chairman Elkin, for shame. Dare you stand up and assert that all the politicians who were on the padded pay roll performed any service to the state? Dare you assert that Philip The Quaker Valley Mfg. Co., of Chicago, have

WANTED-Several Trustworthy persons in who was appoid to pay a political debt the machine owed to the now discarded Louis Piollet, and who drew from the padded pay roll \$1,080, ever performed any service to the state?

"Dare you assert that James R. Greiner, of Luzerne county and peaking the state to manage our business in their own and nearby counties. It is mainly office work conducted at home. Salary straight \$2.00 a year and expenses—definite, bonafide, no less salary. Monthly \$75. Beferences. Englose self-addressed stamped envelope, Herbert E. Hess, Pres't., Dep't. M. Greiner, of Luzerne county.

#### BARGAINS, WANTS, ETC.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A good Hartford Bley-cle will be sold for \$15.00 cash. The wheel is almost as good as new and can be seen at

WANTED—Any information of the present address of G. W Smith, recently of Boyce-ville, Va., will be considered a favor if sent to

WANTED-The present address of William Raymond, formerly of Beilefonte, Pa., by The Centre Democrat. W ANTED-The present postoffice address of John Gifford, recently of Osceola Mills, Pa., by the Centre Democrat.

FOR SALE.—A copy of "Commemorative Record," biographies in Centre, Clinton, Union and Snyder counties, just published. List price \$45, will be sold at a reduction. Inquire at this office.

public official, and not as a private individual, and all interrogatories are addressed to him as the official head of
an organization.

HOE MALE URLAT AB account to against John A. Murdock, Philipsburg, Pa.
for ten year's subscription. This will be sold at a very liberal reduction. Address
THE CENTRE DEMOCRAT,
Bellefonte, Pa.

Attorney-at-Law Bellefonte, Pa.

WANTED—Several Trestworthy Persons in this state to manage our business in their own and nearby counties. It is mainly office work conducted at home Salary straight \$3.0 a year and expenses—definite, bonafide, no more, no less salary. Monthly \$75. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope, Herbert E. Hess, Pres't., Dep't M., Chicago. x51.

## LEGAL NOTICE

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Wm. J. Thompson, dec d, late of Potter township.
Letters testamentary upon said estate having been granted by the Register of Wills to the undersigned, ali persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having ciaims, to present them for settlement.
All claims against estate should be presented to J.G. Irvin. of Oak Hall, who is authorized to act for the executor.

EDWARD E. MITCHELL.
Orvis, Bower & Orvis.

Executor. Estate of Wm. J. THOMPSON, dec'd, late of

Orvis, Bower & Orvis. Attorneys.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE. In the matter of the assigned estate of C. C. Loose, of the township of Miles, county of Centre and state of Pennsylvania.

The undersigned having been appointed assignee of the estate of C. C. Loose, notice is hereby given to all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement,

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W. J. CARLIN, Assignee,
Fortney & Walker, Atty's. Rebersburg, Pa.

PUBLIC SALE

By virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court there will be exposed to public vendue of out-cry, on the premises in Pine Grove Mills, on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15th, 1898, at one o'clock p. m., the following property: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the village of Pine Grove Mills, in Ferguson twp., bounded on the south by the main road leading from Boalsburg to Spruce Creek; on the east by lot of Rev. Daniel Moser's heirs; on the north by land of J. H. Mitchell, and on the west by lot formerly owned by Jacob Zimmerman, being the property of the late Elizabeth U. Eckel, dec'd, having thereon erected one two-story frame dwelling house, saddlers shop, stable and other outbuildings. The lot also contains a variety of good fruit trees.

TERMS:—Ten per cent, on day of sale; one-half on confirmation of sale and delivery of deed; balance in one year to be secured by bond and mortgage with interest on the premises. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15th, 1898. premises. Fortney & Walker. Attorneys for estate.

D. W. MILLER, Administrator

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

CAMPAIGN RATES The Centre Democrat will be sent to any new address in Centre county, for

5 Cts a Month

B.—No subscriptions will be re-ceived at this rate after the elec-tion, or for less than THREE or more than SIX months.