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CORRESPONDENTS DEPARTMENT

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 Gladly Published—Send the News, We will Publish it.

Mingoville.

Geo. Ghast, of Lock Haven, was seen in our community on Sunday.
Rob't Narmish and lady friend took a drive over to Centre Hall on Sunday.
Mrs. Whipp and son, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday with her brother, John Smith.
Wm. Maize has been very sick for the last couple weeks, but is better at this writing.
Ollie Yarnel expects to move from the Hinds house into the Zimmerman house, in a few days.

A hunting party expects to start for the mountains on Monday for a few day's deer hunt.
Some of our people have butchered, while others are getting ready to butcher in a few days.

Gov. Hastings Sundayed at the Club House. He is taking a few days' hunting quail, after being turned under by the Quay Machine.

Mr. Malone, one of Allegheny City's leading saddlers, is circulating among acquaintances and expects to take a few days' hunt for deer.

By the number of woodchoppers in W. R. Shope's lumber job, the people will not suffer much cold this winter. They are as numerous as bees in a buckwheat patch, in August.

We wonder if the postoffice aspirant does not feel rather sore since Arnold's defeat, as he claimed the appointment here if Arnold was elected. We, as mail receivers here, would rather have it left where it is.

Shuman Zimmerman met with a painful accident on Thursday, of last week, while building a stable. He cut his thumb almost off. It is very painful at this writing, as he severed one of the large leaders.

Chas. Gobble quietly passed away on Tuesday morning. He had been a sufferer for many years with general breaking down of the system. He leaves to mourn his loss, one brother, Jacob of Nittany. His wife preceded him to the grave several years ago. Interment in the Zion cemetery.

Rebersburg.

Rev. Muma's sale was fairly well attended on Saturday afternoon.
Rev. Muma and his family moved to a charge near Harrisburg, on Monday.
Mrs. Ella Loose is now staying with her parents, since her husband, Cook, left.

Henry Sholl has been repairing his house, making it larger during the last week.
Forest Ocker, of Centre Hall, and Miss Orpha Bierly were married on Sunday evening.

Misses Lulu Erhard and Annie Nearhood are visiting their friends at Salona and Lock Haven.
Edward Nearhood and his brother-in-law, Forest Ocker, of Centre Hall, were flying visitors in our burg on Sunday.

Rev. W. W. Sholl, of Pine, while he was at the old home, preached twice for Rev. Romig, in the Evangelical church.
Mrs. Rose Diehl and her baby left on Tuesday for Bellevue, Ohio, where her husband is working at his trade, and at which place they will begin housekeeping.

Coburn.

Hunting is all the go, at this place. We had a snow storm Monday evening.
We had part of winter the last few days.
John Garthoff and wife Sundayed at Poe Mills.

Andrew Harter and wife visited at Centre Hill, over Sunday.
Sheriff Cronister, of Bellefonte, was seen in our town Tuesday.

Boyd Vonada, of Rebersburg, made a visit at this place, on Sunday.
Harry Corman, of Rebersburg, had his better half in our town Sunday.

We have neglected for some time to send in any news from this locality.
Wm. Kreamer and wife, of Millheim, visited friends at this place Sunday.

Peter Kisler and wife, of Rebersburg, were seen in our town on Sunday. Come again Peter, and stay longer.

Sober.

Lewis Rote wears a broad smile and says "Just as I expected. It is a girl."
Benjamin Breen had bad luck with one of his fat hogs, by the breaking of one of its legs.

Possums are a very scarce animal in this country, but last week L. P. Smith was lucky enough to capture one of the spotted little animals in a rabbit trap.
Mrs. Mary Shunk died last Friday morning about 3 o'clock, at the home of her grand son, James Miller. She was an old lady and well known throughout the country. Her age was 79 years, 3 months and 19 days, which was also the cause of her death. The interment took place in the Cross Church cemetery at Georges valley, on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Brown officiated and Smith Bros. conducted the funeral. She leaves to mourn only one child, Mrs. Mary E. Madara, of this place.

The Best Plaster.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on to the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with pain in the chest or side, or a lame back, give it a trial. You are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. Pain Balm is also a certain cure for rheumatism. For sale by F. Potts Green, Bellefonte.

Howard.

Some of our townsmen have butchered already.
Joseph Diehl shipped a car load of corn the other day.
John Diehl, of Lock Haven, was in our town the past week.
Mrs. B. Lauth has roofed all her houses, the past week.
W. P. Lucas has put a new roof and a new spouting on his house.

Hellow, here we are. The election is over. Hurrah for old Centre.
The Evangelical church has been improved by putting in a heater.
A. J. McClintick and wife, of Lamar, were in our town one day last week.

Miss Maud Hopkins is still at Harrisburg where she has been for some time.
Mrs. Wm. Snyder, of Blanchard, was a guest of E. C. Dietz, on Friday of last week.
Chas. Weaver and wife from across the mountains, are the guests of W. P. Rishel.

Clarence Daley, of Curtin township, has recovered enough to be in our town on Monday.
George Leathers has returned to Emporium again, to assist his brother Fred in painting roofs.

Messrs. Samuel Morrison, Frank Cole and Clarence Osker were in our town on Friday of last week.
The boys had lots of fun here on hollow-teen. It turned out alright, at the other fellow's expense.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fletcher were to Clintondale after a mess of pon-hoss and sausage, on Wednesday.
Wm. Mayes' business has increased so much as to compel him to have a stone cutter from Philadelphia.

D. R. Wilson shipped a car load of fine porkers to Philadelphia on Wednesday, ranging from 50 to 600 pounds.
Grant Hoover, of Bellefonte, and Mr. Clark, of Philadelphia, were in our town on Tuesday; object life insurance.

John A. Daley and Wm. H. Long are nooses on our streets so much since the election. They are among the missing.
Thomas Pletcher, our new saddler, has moved to town. He formerly resided about a mile and a half down the creek.

Our boys of Company B are home to stay. Uncle Sam has no further use for them. They came back wiser and better boys.
Philip Ettle, of near this place, we are sorry to say, has been seriously ill the past few weeks and is not improving very much.

Franklin Dietz, of near Mt. Eagle, shipped some of his extra fine stock of porkers from this place to Altoona, on Monday.
It is the "Howard Hustler" formerly Howard Hornet, Proprietor, F. S. Dunham; Editor, Col. Wm. Hopkins. Success to ye.

An ordinance has been passed at this place prohibiting bicyclers to ride on the pavements. Please take warning and avoid trouble.
The death of Balsler Weber spread a gloom over our town which will not be overcome for some time. He was a first class citizen and a friend to all.

Jessie Lucas husked 1,000 bushels of corn this season, with what little his father and a couple more of the family husked. How is that for husking?
Wm. Mayes' house is almost completed, all but one more coat of paint. It will be a very comfortable residence, as well as an improvement to our quiet little town.

Harry McCaleb, formerly of Nittany, who has been a gunner in our navy on the Indianapolis during the recent war with Spain, was seen in our town on Saturday and Sunday and left for Philadelphia.

The writer did not get one of the special issues, and have not heard of any of my neighbors getting one and would be very glad to have the matter looked after, as it would be very profitable, perhaps, to a great many.

Franklin Dietz, of Mt. Eagle, was in our town on the evening of the election to hear the news, and declared he would not go home until he heard news about two or three hours past midnight without that news.

HOWARD NO. 2.
Philip Ettle is improving some at this writing.
Anyone desiring a pet can get the same at George Confer's, at 50 cents a piece.

James Heverly, Jr., was home from Cross Forks, Potter Co., to vote for the victorious democrats of old Centre.
Clyde Long has taken a relapse of typhoid fever, and will require the best of care, if restored to health again.

John Strunk and Mr. Frantz, of this place, selected last Thursday, the rainiest day of the week, for butchering.
Dr. John Kesigie, of this place, purchased a new conveyance and has traded horses. So now he has a new outfit for business.

A new crossing was put in front of our merchant, Jackson Kline's, to the opposite side of the road. Something that was needed very badly.
Ira C. Johnson butchered last Friday. Another Ira C. from Jacksonville, was present, and since Alta Heverly has returned the joke by sending him home with a pig's tail on his back.

David Wilson, our creameryman, purchased a carload of hogs for the eastern markets. It was the first carload ever shipped from this point. They numbered 112, and some weighed over 500 lbs.
The election passed off very quietly, but when the returns came our disappointed candidates began to feel sick.

John A. Daley was so sick that he had a tooth pulled, thinking that would bring relief.
Mr. Sweeney, our fisherman, is packing his goods to leave for his home in Washington Co. He has been here for nearly three months and while his friends at home are anxious for his return, we are sorry to lose him.

The holloween party, of this place, did quite a great deal of mischief in different places this year. Some of the boys were caught in the act and were glad to bring the things back. Those not caught in the act were laughing in their sleep, but a few trips to the Squire's office turned the tune and the remainder was also returned, but in the night time the same as taken away. Boys you must not go so heavy or a few of you will be hauled over the coals, as J. B. W. was getting ready to do.

Runville.

Mr. Elias Hancock is at present on the sick list.
Sallie says if Sam don't soon make a selection, she will.
Annie Lucas and Lizzie Walker are again widows; girls, girls.

Boys, roll call is at half past seven o'clock, at Ed. Poorman's store.
There has been a new mansion erected on High street by James Witherite.
We have some fair daisies in our community who get very angry when they are called hired girls.

We can say that this is one of the leading places for gossiping. It is a good thing, my royal friends, push it along.
There may certainly be an attraction in Runville for the Milsburg boys, but Ella says there is just one that can drive Mr. Bullock's fine horses.

The writer would like to know what has become of Roy and Alvin, as they haven't been seen in Runville for some time. If any one should come in contact with those gentlemen, will know them, by their ice cream hats.

Rev. Kelly, who has been our pastor for three years, has moved to New Florence, and we must say, there have been many sad hearts since the news of his departure, but we hope the prayers and the many good wishes will accompany our faithful leader.

We must say that some of the democrats have been more liberal this year than ever before. Daniel went to such great trouble as to send a republican, who had been working in Cameron county, a pass to come home and vote the republican ticket. Daniel no wonder you had to go up Salt river.

MR. DUWELL.

Hastings Rusticating.
Governor Hastings and his family were rusticating last week at the club house of the Nittany Rod and Gun Club, which is located at Hecla Park, five miles from this place. The very best of entertainment was provided and they had a pleasant time.

The Governor entertained the following distinguished guests: Frank Thomson, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad; David Martin, of Philadelphia, Secretary of the Commonwealth; J. W. Latta, Secretary of Internal Affairs; Horatio Hackett, Register of Wills at Philadelphia; Attorney-General McCormick and Hon. Henry Cochran, of Williamsport. They enjoyed themselves in hunting over the large game preserve, shooting quail and pheasant and other game. Mr. Martin is credited with being one of the best wing shots who has visited the game preserve this season.

Penn Valley Educators Trump in Illinois.
Prof. Perry O. Stiver, a native of Pottery Mills, many years a resident of Freeport, Ill., is on the Illinois Democratic state ticket, for Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Cyrus Grove, son of that well-known Gregg township farmer, John Grove, has been nominated by the Democracy of Stevens county, for County Superintendent of Schools.

Centre county has sent many of her sons west where they became useful citizens and reflected credit upon the county of their birth.—Reporter.

To Elevate Morals.
A curious plan for elevating Georgia morals has been formulated by a well-known citizen of Atlanta. He proposes that each county shall decide by vote on January 1 of each year, who the worst man in the county is, and that the man receiving the highest number of votes shall on the ensuing February 1 be hanged. It is claimed for the plan that it would induce bad men to emigrate, and that the "complimentary vote" received by those who had just begun to be bad, but were not generally recognized as such, would tend to create a desire within them to be enrolled among the wellbehaved.

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By eradicating from the blood the scrofulous taints which cause it. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures catarrh, promptly and permanently, because it strikes at the root of the trouble.

The rich, pure blood which it makes, circulating through the delicate passages of the mucous membrane, soothes and rebuilds the tissues, giving them a tendency to health instead of disease, and ultimately curing the affection.
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Poor old Swallow is still wagging his jaw at the politicians. He was the worst disappointed man in the lot.

SOME of our republicans can not get over the election. It was a bitter pill, but they must swallow it.

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For sixty days we'll give absolutely without cost a full set of six War Memorial Spoons to every family sending us a cash order for Household Furniture selected from our catalogue, no matter whether the order be for \$1 or \$1,000. This means that we're going to add fifty thousand names to our list of permanent customers. We're going to demonstrate that it pays to send direct to the factory for furniture. This distribution will cost us thousands of dollars—and make us thousands of friends. Each spoon is of a different design—four U. S. Battalions, including the Maine Soldiers in Camp in Cuba, and Morro Castle. These spoons are not the cheap kind, advertised extensively at \$1.00 to \$1.50 a set. They are warranted best coin silver plate on a base of pure nickel silver (not low grade brass). They will wear for years and become a priceless heirloom for future generations. Send for a copy of our catalogue today. You should enclose a stamp or two to help pay postage. QUAKER VALLEY MFG. CO., 51 W. Harrison St., Chicago. X6

AN UNRECOGNIZED SOCIETY.

A stranger representing "The Home Society of Pa.," has, within the past week, been organizing a branch of said society in Bellefonte churches, and many persons evidently consider it a new theme in this community. Should some of our good friends have taken a county paper and read the same they might have plainly seen that such an organization, only under a different name "The Children's Aid" has been in existence for ten years. In fact, for the past five years the work has been carried on so successfully in a quiet but modest manner with but few workers and in all these years of ardent labor providing for the welfare of destitute and neglected children, this society has not received \$20 from the county for their work.

Many times has the treasury been so scant that some of the officers were compelled to take the children under their own roof, boarding them free of cost, until a suitable free home was offered, and after all these years of labor, which in truth it may be called, it seems to us, the community do not pay much of a compliment to these good women who have carried on this work, in caring for the outcasts, and saving dollars for the tax-payers, that they would allow a stranger to take money as well as merchandise from the town, and appropriate this for outside work, when the mission is right at your door and has not been recognized for years. The women who are engaged in this work, do it from the love of humanity only, and throughout twenty-seven boroughs there is but one paid officer. Whereas "The Home Society" has eight well paid workers, to the writers knowledge, though there may be more.

A short time ago the general superintendent of this branch came in the county and was asked by a very poor man, who was ill, and utterly unable to provide for his two little ones, if the "Home Society" would receive his children and provide good homes for them. The reply was, "Yes, provided you give me \$50 for the boy and \$50 for the girl." The poor man was crushed, as such a sum was a stranger to him. He then came to the Aid Society, the ladies kindly took his little ones, clothed and boarded them, defraying the expenses, save \$5 which was given as a thank-offering by the father. This illustration is only given to cite one of the many cases of which the Aid Society is subject to.

It is the earnest wish of the ladies connected with the Aid Society, that the Home Society shall be zealous in their work and add to their band as many unselfish, christian workers as the Aid Society possess. May all give a helping hand. X.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hood's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hood's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It is prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood-purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.
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J. M. CARSON,
Pottery Mills, Pa.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
By virtue of a certain writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, Pa., and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Court House, in the borough of Bellefonte, Pa on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1898, at 10 o'clock, the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that certain message, tenement and tract of land, situated in Unionville borough, Centre county, Pa., bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning at a post on the north side of Allegheny street, thence by an alley north 25 degrees west 30 feet to High street, thence along said street 121 feet to an alley, thence along said alley south 28 degrees east 100 feet to Allegheny street, thence along said street 121 feet to the place of beginning. Thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house, and other outbuildings.

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White Linen Doylies, conventional and floral patterns, pure linen, sizes 6x6 to 12x12, prices 3 to 10 cents each.
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Cushion tops, in colored linen, ticking, canvas and various new materials, stamped in floral, conventional and cross stitched patterns, every color and design worth having. Top and back, 50c and 75c each.

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Doylies—7 to 12 inches—prices 3 to 8 cents each.
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