

THE RACKET

Here and there in the Big Store Any way you look bargains stare U in the face. The Racket has been a good store from the first day it started but it was never quite as good as it is to-day. Hard work with a good honest intention to make The Racket the best store in Centre county, is beginning to tell.

Do U need a size 16x20 Crayon Frame? I bought a two-horse wagon load of 'em. Elegant frames for \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

SHOE DEPARTMENT—The best shoes for the least money.

CHINA ANNEX—Just in, a car-load of China, Glass and Lamps, at Racket prices.

G. R. SPIGELMYER

ESTEY CHAPEL ORGAN.

To be Given to Some Church or Sunday School.

Read the following conditions of awarding the Estey Chapel Organ. Note particularly two kinds of votes—coupons cut from the paper, and premium coupons issued at the office:

CONDITIONS OF AWARD.

NEWSPAPER COUPONS:—A blank ballot or coupon will be printed in each copy of the paper and the name can be filled in same for whatever church, Sunday School or religious organization you may want to vote. These votes should be sent in to this office at once, as they will not be counted after they are six weeks old, and the date and number of each will appear on them.

PREMIUM COUPONS:—Any person who pays his subscription in advance will receive a "Premium Coupon" that will entitle him to 2 votes for each month his paper is paid in advance, or 25 votes for a year in advance. No one can pay for more than 4 years in advance. Any person who sends in a *New Cash* subscriber to this paper can get a Premium Coupon, entitling him to 4 votes for each month in advance or 50 votes for a year. No subscriptions will be received for less than 6 months.

Substitutions:—In no case will substitutions be allowed during this contest. By that we mean where a subscriber discontinues his subscription and then has some other member of the family or household subscribe in order to get the benefit of the NEW subscription rate. This practice formerly caused us a great deal of annoyance in revising our list. In any case where a substitution or change in name has taken place, and it is discovered, such votes will not be counted.

A ballot box will be kept in this office, under lock and key, where the votes can be deposited and will be counted each week by two judges and the result will be published regularly.

You are invited to call and examine the instrument, now on exhibition at Gephart's Music Store, Bellefonte.

JUDGES' REPORT.

The following is the result of the fourth count of coupons, Wednesday evening, Nov. 6th:

WEEKLY COUNT:

Liberty Baptist Church, Blanchard.....	321
Kreamerville M. E. Church.....	426
U. B. Church, Pleasant Valley.....	48
Evangelical church, Bellefonte.....	844
Evangelical church, Aaronsburg.....	7
Total	1646

TOTAL VOTE:

Liberty Baptist Church, Blanchard.....	749
Kreamerville M. E. Church.....	898
U. B. Church, Pleasant Valley.....	186
Evangelical Church, Bellefonte.....	1507
Evangelical church, Aaronsburg.....	66
Total	3406

A. M. SLOTTMAN,
THOS. I. SEXTON, Judges.

The following is the "NEWSPAPER COUPON;" cut it out, as some one will be anxious to have same:

CUT THIS OUT.

The Centre Democrat.
NEWSPAPER COUPON.

No. 7. NOVEMBER 7

This coupon entitles the holder to ONE vote for the handsome.

ESTEY CHAPEL ORGAN

(Sold by M. C. GEPHART, in Centre County.) to be given to some Sunday School or Church in Centre county, by THE CENTRE DEMOCRAT.

This vote cast for:—

This coupon, if held longer than 6 weeks from date, will not be counted. Send by mail or personally to this office and have it deposited in the Ballot Box.

CUT THIS OUT.

CORRESPONDENTS

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Millheim.

Mrs. Mina Evans, of Potters Mills, spent the week with her brothers, J. H. and W. H. Reifsnider, before going to Pittsburg, where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. L. H. Lanall.

John Sankey, of Millinburg, is visiting his friends and acquaintances at this place. He lost his speech several years ago, but has improved somewhat and is able to understand what is said to him.

Igeu Musser, of Wilkensburg, returned home on Monday to attend the election. He expects to leave again on the 15th.

Emanuel Bower husked 930 bushels of corn off of 7 acres. Who can beat that? Mrs. J. Frank Torbert, of Jersey Shore, has been visiting friends in this place, during the week.

Dr. John F. Alexander and daughter, Grace, of Centre Hall, spent Saturday in town.

W. Randall Musser was home from State College, over Sunday.

Miss Bess Sturges was home for several days from Dickinson seminary.

The horse sale on Saturday brought a big crowd to town. The average price was over \$125.00. There were some fine horses sold.

Mrs. Lydia Musser and granddaughter, Lida Stamm, returned from Philadelphia Monday morning. Thursday they expect to leave for West Union, Ia.

Geo. Rimestone is on the sick list. His daughter, Rebecca, of Ohio, is home on a visit.

Mrs. W. S. Musser and Mrs. Geo. E. Mensch, called on Rebersburg friends Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Mary Miller is visiting in Snyder county.

F. F. Wetzel is putting down a stone walk in front of his residence, on North street.

On account of the continued drought, Elk creek is getting so low that the millers must resort to other means to do their grinding.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Keen was buried in Fairview cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Emanuel Eisenhuth, the High valley scribe, transacted business in town Saturday. He said the Georgetown scribe must have gotten lost, as there are no items from that place.

Geo. Armbruster, of Farmers Mills, was in town, on Saturday.

The election passed off very quietly, the vote was short.

Hublersburg.

Election at this place passed off very quietly on Tuesday. The vote was light. Holloway Hoy and wife were to Bellefonte on Monday.

Farmers in this vicinity are about through with their fall work. Next will be butchering and feasting on sausage.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Noll, of Madisonburg, were visitors at the home of their son, H. H. Noll, on Saturday.

Mrs. B. W. Rumberger has gone to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. E. N. Boob, of Bellwood, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kessinger went to Potters Mills on Saturday, on a visit to their son Harvey and family.

Perry Weber and family, of Nittany, were Sunday visitors at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Geo. McCausley.

Everybody is wishing for a good rain, as many cisterns are getting quite low.

Mrs. Auman, son Walter and wife, of Johnstown, and Mrs. P. Auman, of Spring Mills, were guests at the home of Jas. Love on Sunday.

Mrs. David Vonada, who was reported on the sick list some time ago, we are sorry to say, does not seem to improve any in health.

The funeral of Jacob Dunkle last Thursday was one of the largest ever held in this place. He was a man of sterling character and his large funeral shows the estimation his fellow citizens held for him.

Pleasant Gap.

A quiet election at this place, on Tuesday.

The last wild turkey shot, at this place, was brought in Monday by Boal Spicher. Earnest Stine returned from Altoona, Saturday. Earnest is spending his vacation hunting.

Whinfred Noll left, Tuesday, for Pittsburg, where he will be employed in the advance station, by the P. R. R. Co.

Charles Packer who was shot accidentally some time ago, is improving slowly.

The latest pace for catching wild turkeys, is setting out lines. Be careful Mr. Fisherman you don't get fast in your own hooks.

Wm. Keamey is well pleased over his new boarder.

James Kerstetter is getting a horse power in shape for chopping his meat, etc.

Fearon Showers, of Bellefonte, spent a few days visiting with friends, at this place.

The chicken and waffle supper held on the 26 of last month, was more than a success. May hold another in the near future.

Buffalo Run.

John Eron and daughter, Kate, of the Branch, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Crape over Sunday.

There was a social held at Hendersons, on Thursday evening; the young folks report having a fine time.

House cleaning is near done, and then we will have a sale of old maids. We think the number is about fifteen; is the highest bidder the gainer.

It is said that some of our farmers while hauling fodder, upset one load twice on the level; that is bad, Piggie and Wess.

J. C. you had better come back and get your chimney, it looks so very lonely without your house.

—We guarantee our Good-Year Glove rubbers—Yeager & Davis.

Spring Mills.

Jacob McCool, who has been afflicted with a diseased foot for over two years, confining him to his bed the greater part of the time, and whose wife was buried last week, will be moved to the residence of his son-in-law, Fraiel Snyder, and thereafter will be nursed by his daughter, Mrs. Snyder. All the household effects of Mr. McCool will be sold on Saturday, 9th.

A day or two since I inspected about as complete a truck and scale combined, as ever came under my notice. The scale has a capacity of 800 lbs, and after weighing, in an instant the platform can be thrown off the pivots, and the material wheeled anywhere. S. S. Condo, one of our active young men and an expert wagon painter, is the agent for this very convenient truck.

C. L. Finkle has bought the entire stock of mdse. of H. C. Robison, and will continue the business. Mr. Robison will occupy the residence about being vacated by Mr. McCool.

Hollow eve was celebrated here about as usual. The boys kept within bounds, and simply removed gates, and a few wagon wheels, but committed no violence. The little girls amused themselves by throwing corn against the windows.

Hot water heating seems to be gaining favor with our people. Several parties are making arrangements to have it introduced into their residences. It is said to be superior to steam heating—perhaps.

Last week I made a visit to the new millinery bazaar of Miss Lizzie Stover of our village, and was almost lost in the bewildering profusion of hats and caps displayed on her tables, some of them are marvels of perfection and rare beauty. The extreme style for winter wear is odd but strikingly handsome and meets with ready sale. Miss Stover has been doing an excellent business since her return from the city, and may be forced to increase her assistance.

On Thursday or rather Friday last, there was quite an exodus of hunters from here, but as yet I have heard of no deer having been captured. Some report having secured wild turkeys, coons and—wild cats, but the deer were invisible.

Moshannon.

J. K. Johnston, of Bellefonte, was in our town one day last week, shaking hands with his many friends.

Sheriff Brungart made a business trip to our town, recently.

Wm. Quick, Jr., of Bradford, visited a few days at his former home, near this place.

Lottie Miller has gone to Jersey Shore for a few weeks.

Maurice Gleason, one of our industrious young men and who has been working at Brisen for some time, was home for the election.

John Lucas was home a few days from Warriorsmark, where he is engaged in the lumber business.

A birthday and quilting party was held at the home of Mrs. Sophia Vaudes, on Wednesday of last week; a large number were present and report a very enjoyable time.

Dave Lucas moved from this place to Beech Creek, recently.

Deck Craft, will occupy the new house erected by F. D. Weaver, in our town this summer.

The news has just reached the scribe, that Mr. Burst Brown, a former resident of this place, was married on Oct. 24th, at the home of the bride in Snow Shoe to Miss Bessie Leathers. The groom is a fireman on the Beech Creek Railroad and is now located at Munson.

A Hollow'een party was held at the residence of Thos. Gleason, on Thursday of last week. A delightful evening was spent by all present, and will look forward to the return of a like occasion.

Ed. Shannon's stable came within one of being burned to the ground, recently, by some incendiary. An opportunity for an insurance agent.

West Brush Valley.

Lost—The Madisonburg scribe. Harry Fisher, of Beech Creek, is visiting in this section.

E. B. Shaffer, of Lewisburg, spent last Sunday under the parental roof at Madisonburg.

Rev. C. B. Hartman preached a very interesting sermon in the Lutheran church at Madisonburg last Sunday forenoon.

Some of our farmers attended the horse sale at Millheim last Saturday afternoon.

It is reported that one of our sportsmen shot a wild turkey last Sunday morning. That sort of fellow should be a little careful.

Evans Weaver contemplates going for turkey. Whether he goes for Turkey in Europe or turkey in the mountains is not known.

An outbuilding of Hoy's School house was completely wrecked last Thursday night.

Evans Yearick contemplates going in one of the western car shops in the near future.

I wonder what L—M— was talking about while going home from town last Saturday evening. "Wore net my sawma ga'end sella mohls."

Zion.

Arthur Vonada has gone to Madisonburg to attend school.

Charles Fisher has returned home, from Windber.

Mrs. Ed. Cole is ill at this writing. Frank M., you had better look out or "Pauny" will get after you.

Rev. W. K. Diehl held communion services last Sabbath morning, with a large attendance.

Charley, you must not blow that horn too hard.

We wonder why Miri was left the other Saturday evening because Kiah got ahead of him.

There were a good many from here attended the funeral of Jacob Dunkle last Thursday.

Miss Helen Rockey started to High school on Monday, at Hublersburg.

Miss Verna Lesh, of Salona, spent Sunday with her grandmother.

Mrs. Caroline Lesh was on the sick list over Sunday.

Wonder what attraction that certain girl has over at Will Royer's?

Oak Hall.

Messrs. Stover and Allen, of Boalsburg, weatherboarded the postoffice last week.

Misses Anna Kaup and Anna Dale were guests of Mrs. Jane Musser at Bellefonte on Saturday.

Maurice Klingler accompanied by his mother, transacted business at Bellefonte, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dale attended the Keller-Mayes wedding, at Houserville, on Wednesday evening.

Ad. Hartwick and L. K. Dale, of Pine Grove, spent several hours in town, on Thursday.

Messrs. E. B. and John Peters, members of the Modoc hunting party, left on Thursday morning for a few weeks hunting trip.

David Campbell, of Linden Hall, was noticed in town, on Friday.

Wm. Fry visited his parents near Pine Grove, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zeigler attended the funeral of one of Nathaniel Zeigler's children of Rock Hill.

Mrs. Wm. Kaup and daughter returned from a two weeks' visit among friends at Bellefonte and Axemann.

Mrs. Clayton Eiters has been ill for the past week. We hope for her speedy recovery.

James Peters was in Oak Hall, on Saturday.

P. S. Dale purchased a team of horses at O. W. Bowersox's sale.

Tuesday, Mrs. Amanda Walker, of Boalsburg was a visitor in town.

Mrs. Elmer Williams and son, of Altoona, were visitors at Wm. Rishel's, last week.

Miss Anna Dale, our enterprising book agent, spent several days last week at Centre Hall.

Miss Anna Kaup accompanied Miss Janet McFarlane to the Branch, last Friday, where they were entertained by Mrs. Geo. Mitchell.

Mrs. Ezra Tressler entertained her friend, Miss Izora Rupp, on Sunday.

The dance on Wednesday night was reported a success.

Harry Wagner and Joe Stone were to Rock, last Wednesday.

Misses Sue and Mary Stone and brother Hebron are visiting at Port Matilda and Altoona.

Hallow'een passed off very quietly in town. Some of the youngsters threw corn and unhinged the same old gates they have been playing with for a number of years, on Hallow'een. One of them happened to be chained fast and that one they did not remove.

Miss Lillie Dale, of Dales Summit, passed through town, on Sunday, on her way to Boalsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Wagner, of Bellefonte were Sunday visitors at the home of their son, Harry.

Mr. and Mrs. George Raiston and son, of Lemont, were in town, on Sunday.

Merchant W. H. Close received some new goods, last week.

Mrs. Tamme Keller and son Harry, of Linden Hall, were guests of J. H. Williams, recently.

Lemont.

Mr. Bausman, of State College, spent a very pleasant evening last week with relatives in this place.

Aguinaldo Mothersbaugh, of Boalsburg, passed through here, last Sunday.

Arthur, Musselman, '05 of State College, was seen with one of our fair maidens on Thursday, evening.

A very pleasant and enjoyable Hallow'een social was held at the home of I. J. Dreese, on Friday evening. The largest crowd ever known to be at a social in this community was there that evening, there being 142. The entertainment consisted of recitations by some of the younger folks and a recital by Miss Clark, of Williamsport. There was all kinds of music, consisting of singing, piano, baritone and violin, together with the Lemont orchestra. The refreshments were ice cream, cake, coffee, cocoa and all the different kinds of fruit of the season. Those present from a distance were Messrs. Colvin, an escaped convict from the Sing Sing prison, China; Fenstermacher, of Chambersburg; Fox, of Hughesville; Elder, of Elder's Ridge; and Christiane, Fugate, Gray and Lyons, of State College; Mr. and Mrs. Ginger, of Bellwood, Pa.

Miss Buelah Dale, of Bellefonte, is visiting with Miss Roxie Lucas.

Mrs. William Glenn was at the home of Edward Armstrong, on Sunday.

Andrew Gregg, an employe of the Bell telephone Co., is spending a few days with his family in town.

Misses Weber and Herman, of Howard, spent a few days last week with their friend, Mary Dale.

Margie Goheen and Dora Meyer passed through our town, last Saturday.

Dr. Tate, of Bellefonte, and Dr. Sullivan, of Philadelphia, called on O. H. Bathgate, on Sunday afternoon.

There was a select party at Helen Thompson's, on Hallow'een night.

Prof. Krise, principal of Lemont schools, spent Saturday and Sunday with his family in Centre Hall.

Joe. Weaver, of Bald Eagle, came to stay with his father a few weeks.

George Glenn has partially changed his boarding place, since Mrs. Lyle is keeping boarders.

Miss Ella Bottorf was enjoyed very pleasantly by Linn Christian at the social, on Friday evening.

There will be preaching services in the Methodist church every evening until next Monday. The services to be conducted by Mr. Goodhart, of Clearfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eiters are spending a week visiting friends in Penn svailey.

From Illinois.

B. F. Gramley, of Kaneville, Ill., had the misfortune to break his arm October 25; he is 65 years of age and a former Centre county man; his aged mother resides in Rebersburg.

Joseph S. Gramley, of Aaronsburg, spent Sunday, October 27, with his cousin Mrs. Kate Fuller, at Eiburn, Ill., and his visit was very much enjoyed by the family. He likes Illinois so well that he intends making it his home; he thinks \$22 a month is far ahead of \$13 a month.

—Warm shoes for cold feet—Yeager & Davis.

Roland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bridge with their daughters have been spending a week with Mrs. Bridge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. L. Neff.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Funk entertained some of their friends on Wednesday. Among the guests were Col. Curtin and wife and Mrs. White. They report having eaten a fine wild turkey dinner.

Mrs. Funk knows how to get up a good meal.

The latest—a dance at Sherwood White's.

A very enjoyable Hallow'een party was given by the Misses Neff.

Frederick Curtin, was home a week hunting; he was quite successful, having killed a number of quail. Fred has grown very much since he was home in July.

The Junior League of Roland will hold a social at the band hall Saturday night, the 9th. Ice cream and cake will be served. Come and help the little folks.

Mrs. Jas. Curtin, Miss Velta Williams and Harry Curtin were invited guests at Rev. Boggs', of Howard. No doubt they had a fine time, as quite a number were present, we have heard.

Mrs. B. H. Williams has not been so well. Too much turkey probably the cause.

We noticed our former operator, W. S. Stoner, made a business trip to Roland last week. He looked old fashioned.

Mrs. H. R. Curtin was in Bellefonte this week.

We have heard that our genial and obliging operator, Mr. Fletcher, is going to Bellefonte. Hope it isn't true.

Brush Valley.

Corn husking is a thing of the past. D. I. Feidler and wife spent Sunday at the home of Josiah Rossman at Penn Cave.

Last Sunday forenoon Rev. N. J. Dubs, the "Little Giant," preached an able sermon in the German language in the United Evangelical church.

October was very dry compared with the rest of the months of 1901, the total precipitation of rain for the month being but 3/4 inches.

James Peck, of Penn Cave, will leave for the Seven Mountains, where he will do some blacksmithing for a lumber camp.

We were all surprised one day last week at the appearance of a female buckster. How did it go?

Henry Wolford, of Rebersburg, the up-to-date book agent, passed through this section selling books.

Last Thursday evening the Hallow'een boys visited Prof. Hagan's property. Boys