

THE RACKET

G. R. SPIGELMYER. E. P. IRVIN.

Loads of new Fall and Winter goods, came to the Big Store this week.

The Notion Dept. easily the best and most complete in Bellefonte received important addition.

The Dress Goods Dept. was never in better shape to serve U. The New Weaves are especially pretty and must be seen to be appreciated. The names are expressive of newness and novelty, Lama, Dubarry, Chamois, Panama, Sharkskin, Unfinished Worsted Paradine, Side stripe waistings. Prices on this fine line begin at 50c. and run the gamut to \$1.75 per yard, and U can't buy 'em for a less price in the U. S. Trimmings to match.

G. R. SPIGELMYER.

Correspondents' Department

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Oak Hall.

Miss Nellie Holter returned to her home in Howard, after spending the summer here.

Mr. Stump, of Aaronsburg, spent several days last week with E. K. Smith and family.

Our schools opened September 1st, E. H. Williams, of Boalsburg, has charge of the High school, and G. W. R. Williams of the primary.

We are sorry to note the illness of Miss Barbara Hoy.

Messrs. Christian Meyer and George Garbrick, of Walnut Grove, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Bess Weber returned to Allentown on Monday to resume her studies at the woman's college at that place.

George Loubarger and wife are enjoying a vacation trip through the South.

N. J. Rishel visited his mother at Boalsburg, on Sunday.

J. Harvey Williams and son Ray, of Centre Hall, were in town, on Monday.

Sam Weber, Jr., left Wednesday for North Carolina where he has accepted a professorship in a college.

Hon. W. A. Murray and daughter, Miss Flora, of Boalsburg, were callers in town on Friday evening.

Misses Dollie Loubarger and Cathryn Dale, spent Saturday with their friends, the Messes Koss' at Hazel Dell, Linden Hall.

Wm. Zeigler spent Friday at the bedside of his father at Linden Hall.

Mrs. John Kline transacted business at State College, on Friday.

Miss Sue Wilson, of Boalsburg, was in town on Sunday.

Mrs. Adeline Kline, of State College, was a recent visitor in town.

Samuel Glenn, Sr., of the Branch, was in town on Wednesday.

E. K. Smith and family spent Sunday out of town.

Arthur Kline has secured a position with Manna Kline at Axemanns.

A number of people from town attended the Soldiers' Reunion at Hecla Park, on last Saturday.

Aaronsburg.

Dr. A. S. Musser has gone to Bellefonte to assist his brother in the dental office.

Misses Tammie Stover, Lisle Acker, Carrie Weaver and Sydney Gramley, have gone to spend an indefinite time at State College.

Chas. Mensch, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday with his parents.

Clyde Boob has secured a job at Pittsburg to which place he went on Tuesday morning.

Pierce Bright and William Keister started for Williamsport where they expect to locate for the present.

Our schools will open on Monday next, but quite a number of the younger scholars have the whooping cough.

Chas. Acker has gone to Altoona where he got a good job.

Miss Jennie Hull spent Sunday with Landlord King's at Coburn.

Miss Annie Edmunds has returned home after having spent a few weeks at Coburn.

Miss Catherine Smull was gladly welcomed home by her friends; she had spent the summer with her uncle at Mackeyville.

Wilmer Stover makes cider every Tuesday and Thursday; as a general thing the people keep him hustling on these days from early in the morning until late in the evening.

Miss Royer, of Spring Mills, Sundayed with her uncle Fred Limberts.

Beech Creek.

James Clark, Jr., and wife, of Bellefonte, passed Sunday in town with relatives.

Miss Mecca Deise is home from Williamsport on a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Bertha McGhee has taken charge of one of the public schools in Mill Hall.

Prof. Grahus Hubbard assumed charge of the schools of Unionville.

At the communion services in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening two persons were admitted to membership.

A young dog owned by Quig, Clark was killed by poison thrown in the yard.

Joseph Hubbard, of the township, has recovered from his recent illness.

The Howard base ball club will play here Saturday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. Following this game the second team of that place will try conclusions with the B. C. A. C.

The Pennsylvania Fire Brick company are compelled to increase the capacity of their plant and two new grinding pans will be installed as quickly as possible.

Potatoes are rotting in the ground.

Rock View.

Our primary school opened on Monday, and is taught by Miss Steele from Bellefonte; the Grammar will open Monday 15, and taught by Miss Stine.

Misses Caroline and Catharine Hoy spent the past week at State College.

Miss Carrie Smith returned home after a three week's visit at Snow Shoe.

Miller Herman and Wm. Keen spent Sunday with Frank Keen.

Verna Lebkicher, of Snow Shoe, visited her friend Pearl Hoy last week.

Ezra Smith, an old soldier of the war, and Nathaniel Zettle attended the Reunion at Hecla on Saturday.

We have quite a young saddler in our neighborhood who made a bridle out of white neckties and trimmed it with red and blue. How about C. S. Z?

There was a young boy in our community wanted to go to Pittsburg and was just five minutes too late to board the train to go with his companions. So now Charley thinks there is no place like home since that woman gave him a tongue lashing on his way back.

Emanuel Swartz and wife, of Clintonville, and son Elmer, of Madisonburg, visited the former's son here.

Don't forget preaching at Axemann, Sunday evening.

Rebersburg.

Some of our farmers were very anxious about the weather conditions.

We are pleased to see Messrs. Kuhn & Moyer taking control of the butcher shop and ice cream stand, formerly occupied by W. J. Bair.

Lloyd Walker and family and Chas. Miller who are engaged in business in Pittsburg are at present visiting friends and relatives of this place.

Mrs. Geo. Musser and daughter, from Virginia, are at present among friends of this place.

Rev. Sholl is visiting his mother.

Noah Brungart had the misfortune of being seriously hurt, caused by the coupling pin of his machine breaking, allowing the machine to crush into the engine, while going down hill.

Messrs. C. C. Bierly and W. F. Bierly and families were to Nittany valley over Sunday.

Our schools opened with a large attendance, by what we have learned the primary grade has sixty, the intermediate 31, the high 25.

Miss Abbie Gilbert, who had an operation performed sometime ago is very ill at this writing and is not expected to live.

Coburn.

T. F. Meyer and Nicodemus Luse spent Monday in Bellefonte.

Among our visitors on Sunday were John and Clymer Stover and their families, and Wm. Guiswite, of Aaronsburg, and H. N. Meyer and wife of Millheim.

Our grain and coal dealer W. L. Hosterman shipped a car load of potatoes on Tuesday. He bought them at 25c. per bushel net.

Mrs. Hess and her accomplished daughter Atta, of Shickshinny, spent a week as the guests of S. R. King and wife.

Harry S. Snyder and wife visited the former's grand-parents at Spring Mills on Sunday.

Andrew Harter and wife returned from Altoona Monday and brought their two grand-children, May and James, with them.

Andrew Vonada spent a few days at Penn Cave, last week.

The scribe of High valley and his wife attended Harvest Home services in the Reformed church on Sunday afternoon. Something unusual to see the scribe come out of his valley on Sunday.

Susie Stonebraker and Jennie Cornas are working in the "schmitz" factory.

THE LARGEST HARVESTER.

It is Self-Moving, Cuts a 39 Foot Swath and Weighs Over 100 Tons.

What is said to be the largest automobile in the world, and the largest combined harvester, as well, is now at work on a big ranch in central California, where it is being used in cutting 40,000 acres of barley. The big machine consists of a traction engine capable of handling sixty-five tons and which takes the place of sixty horses, a header or mowing machine, which cuts a swath thirty-six feet, and a threshing machine all complete. The threshing machine and header are run by a 30-horse power engine, entirely separate from the traction machine, save that they both get steam from the same boiler.

The apparatus moves over the ground at different speeds, according to the thickness of the crop, while all the time the header and thresher are going at full speed, whether the grain be thick or thin. The average speed made is three and a half miles an hour and 100 acres a day can be threshed by the machine.

The drive wheels of this monster traction engine are eight feet in diameter and have tires forty-eight inches wide, on which are ridges an inch and a half high. Eight men are employed on the thresher. Half a minute after the header starts to work the threshed grain begins to fall into the sacks on the other side from where it is cut, while the straw falls into a cart behind. The heads are carried away from the header by a draper, or moving belt, forty-eight inches wide. They are carried through a colander, which breaks the beard from the barley and shells it at the same time, then by a narrow belt through two cleaners and finally to a bin from which it is sacked. The sacks are sewed and set aside as fast as filled. When twelve sacks have been filled they are allowed to slide off the cart on which they are stacked to the ground. Likewise when the straw cart is filled it is dumped.

This giant automobile is sixty-six feet long and half as wide, weighing over a hundred tons. It uses oil as fuel, necessitating the use of four horses to haul oil and the water for the boiler as it travels around large areas.

IN ADJOINING COUNTIES.

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The peach crop in Nittany valley, it is said, will be very light this year and the total number of bushels gathered will not be over 500. A few years ago the orchard of Dr. Dunn near Mackeyville produced over 3,000 bushels, says the Express.

Prospectors employed by the D. H. Parker estate on the Parker farm near Wallaceton have discovered a fine lot of soft coal and a five-foot vein of the finest quality of fire clay. There is an abundance of both within a half mile of the Beech Creek Railroad.

Sheriff H. Dill Loveland, of Clinton county, when his term of office expires next January expects to become a citizen of Lycoming county. He is making arrangements to open a store at Antes Port, known as Jersey Shore station of the Philadelphia & Erie railroad.

The huckleberry picker in Sugar valley having the best record this season is Katie Boone, who in one day picked thirty-five quarts. The largest family of pickers is probably that of Alex Lehman, near Carroll. Alex has just an even dozen helpers, besides himself and wife.

A suicide is reported from DuBois, the victim being Mrs. Maud Stoner, wife of S. B. Stoner. An examination of Mrs. Stoner's personal effects showed that she had everything in order for departure. Her belongings had all been placed carefully in her trunk, with her wedding robes.

The Pennsylvania railroad company has completed plans for increasing the capacity of the Juniata shops, about one mile east of Altoona, almost 50 per cent. The present capacity is 120 locomotives annually. When the present extensions are complete the annual output will be fully 200.

A man boarded the express at Curwensville last week, who had a well developed case of smallpox. He was picked off the train by the board of health at Clearfield. The passenger coaches were promptly disinfected and no serious results are apprehended from the passenger's careless act.

Statisticians say that the huckleberry crop of Snyder county in the season just closing will aggregate 15,000 bushels of berries. The shipment from Benfer, has reached 4000 bushels, and that of McClure Station almost 5000-bushels. This with shipments from other places and amount consumed will reach about 15,000 bushels. The average price paid pickers was about 7 1/2 cents a quart.

Lieutenant Frederick B. Kerr and Miss Emily Bigler were married at the Presbyterian church, Clearfield, Thursday.

The groom is the second son of ex-Congressman James Kerr. He served with distinction for three years in the Philippines. The bride is the second daughter of E. A. Bigler, ex-internal revenue collector and granddaughter of the late Governor Bigler. After a tour of the principal cities, Mr. Kerr will join his regiment near Omaha, Neb.

The Clinton County Prohibitionists met at Agar's park Saturday afternoon, and nominated the following county ticket: Assembly, J. F. Good, of Renovo; probonatory, Dr. H. E. Brady, Lock Haven; treasurer, G. M. Hills, of Mill Hall; sheriff, James R. McDonald, of Renovo; commissioners, David Salmon, Lock Haven, and W. H. Stoner, of Lamar township; auditors, C. H. Edgar, of Wayne township, and Isaac Loveland, of Porter township. I. C. Stoner was elected county chairman.

Charles Sherwood Welch, son of Z. S. Welch, of Romola, who served in the Spanish-American war, and while serving as a soldier in New Mexico, met with quite an accident recently. He was riding his pony when a stampede of 300 wild ponies run onto him and trampled him and his horse to the ground. He came out with a dead pony, a broken leg and arm, and three broken ribs, but he has now recovered enough to be able to be around and at present is visiting his uncle, Lester Welch, in Denver, Col.

The transient assessment in Philadelphia has already been shown up, and a great number of bogus names will be stricken off by order of the court. The ringsters will not be permitted to do as they please this year. An honest ballot in that city will mean the election of the Democratic reform ticket.

After killing every measure asked for by the miners in the last legislature, Quay and Penrose are pretending sympathy for the distressed strikers. This won't deceive the men, and at the polls in November they will settle with the boss tools of the coal monopolists.

Every day since the Erie convention the prospect of the election of its ticket has brightened. In every part of the state there is a rising tide of public sentiment in favor of Pattison, Guthrie, Nolan and reform.

Every Democrat has something to do this year. Let every part of the organization be strengthened, every doubtful voter be looked after, every public meeting made a brilliant success.

OUR HISTORICAL REVIEW.

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Haven, had just commenced to preach when the Bucktails marched upon the ground and took seats. Instead of the trouble that was anticipated, at least one-half of the soldiers were converted, and among that number was a nephew of the preacher, whom he had not seen since he was a child. He made the discovery when taking the names of the converts. Mrs. Proctor says it was one of the greatest revival meetings she ever attended.

She thinks that possibly some of the Bucktails that will attend the reunion at DuBois this week attended the bush meeting.

GRANGERS' PICNIC.

The Grange Picnic and Exhibition at Centre Hall will open tomorrow (Saturday) and continue through Friday of next week.

The tents have been erected and the tented village is ready for occupancy. The following program for the week is unusually interesting and will no doubt attract a very large crowd:

Saturday, Sept. 13—Opening of camp and assignment of tents. 7:30 p. m. Entertainment in the Auditorium by the Standard Concert Co.

Sunday, Sept. 14—2:30 p. m. Harvest Home services, conducted by Rev. G. W. Kershner, of the Reformed church.

Monday, Sept. 15—Opening of exhibition and placing of exhibits; also assignment of tents. 7:30 p. m. Entertainment by the Standard Concert Co.

Tuesday, Sept. 16—10 a. m. Formal opening of the Exhibition by Mr. George Dale, Worthy Master of the County Grange; address of Col. James F. Weaver, Lecturer of the County Grange. 11 a. m. The Republicans will open their meeting. Addresses will be delivered by Judge Samuel W. Pennypacker, Senator Boies Penrose, Hon. Chas. Emory Smith, Ex-Postmaster General; General Thomas Stewart, Adjutant General; Hon. S. R. Dresser, Republican nominee for Congress; Hon. A. E. Patton, nominee for State Senator; Gen. D. H. Hastings, and others. 7:30 p. m. Entertainment by Standard Concert Co.

Wednesday, Sept. 17—10 a. m. Address by Hon. A. M. Cornell, Lecturer of the State Grange, and an entertainment by the young people of the Grange; recitation by Miss Emma Brewer of Delaware county. 2 p. m. Addresses by Hon. Lee L. Grumbine, candidate for Lieutenant Governor on the Prohibition party ticket, and Dr. B. H. Warren of Chester county. 7:30 p. m. Entertainment by Standard Concert Co.

Thursday, Sept. 18—10 a. m. Address by Hon. J. T. Ailman, Secretary of the State Grange. 11 a. m. The Democrats will open their meeting, when addresses will be delivered by Ex-Governor Robt. E. Pattison, Democratic candidate for Governor; Hon. G. W. Guthrie, democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governor; Hon. W. T. Creasy, Democratic State Chairman; Hon. D. E. Hibner, Democratic candidate for Congress; Senator W. C. Heinle, and others. 7:30 p. m. Entertainment by the Standard Concert Co.

Friday, Sept. 19—10 a. m. Addresses by members of the County Grange, and others. Recitations and music by young people of the Grange. 2 p. m., closing exercises.

The above program may be changed as circumstances require, but positive assurance has been given that all the named speakers will be present during the week.

The committee has been untiring in its efforts to make ample arrangements for the comfort and entertainment of all who may be in attendance at the exhibition. The camp arrangement will be the best and most attractive ever provided. Ample tent accommodation for all.

The new speedway will be ready by the time of the opening for the use of all who may desire to try their horses either for speed or for pleasure.

The committee hopes to have the cordial co-operation and patronage of all the people of Centre county in making this the most instructive and interesting gathering ever held at Grange Park.

Dr. H. P. Armsby, Director of the Agricultural Experiment Station of The Pennsylvania State College, has been relieved from duty as Dean of the School of Agriculture in order to enable him to give more exclusive attention to the work of research and investigation, especially that very important branch which the College is now carrying on in co-operation with the Department of Agriculture through the operations of the unique Respiration Calorimeter. Professor Wm. A. Bouchout has been provisionally appointed Acting Dean.

Excursion to Union Co., Fair. For the benefit of persons desiring to attend the Union County Fair, to be held at Brook Park, near Lewisburg, Pa., September 23, 24, 25 and 27, the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. will sell excursion tickets from Bellefonte and other points, valid to return until September 27, inclusive, at reduced rates. Special return trains will leave Brook Park on September 25 for Coburn, on September 26 for Glen Iron and intermediate stations at 5:45 P. M.

To Des Moines. For the meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., to be held at Des Moines, Ia., September 15 to 20, 1902, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell special excursion tickets to Des Moines from all stations on its line at reduced rates. Tickets will be on sale from September 11 to 14, inclusive, good to return until September 22. For specific rates and further information apply to nearest ticket agent.

SNAKE STORIES.

A Couple Real Good Ones Come from Sugar Valley.

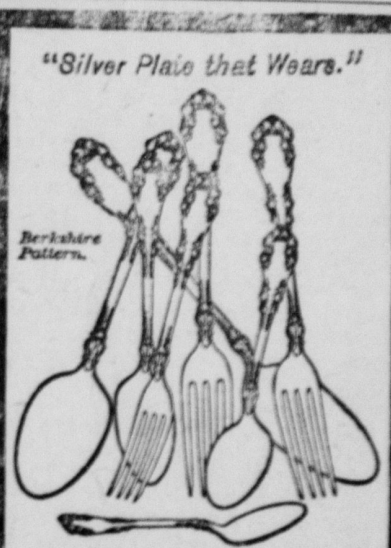
The greatest snake story we have seen this season has been sent from Sugar Valley to the Philadelphia Record. After giving a description of the beautiful valley being overrun by the reptiles, the correspondent says: "Dogs and cows died of rattlesnake bites; copperheads were found in springhouses, where they fed out of the family milk pans; black-snakes were plentiful among the stone piles in the fence corners, where they preyed upon the flocks of young turkeys, or glutted themselves on quail; the venomous, flat-headed blowing viper was found in henhouses robbing nests, and the meadow or milk snake in three instances was found fast to the udder of a milch cow, partaking of an unbidden feast. Snake killing parties were organized, and as a result many of the reptiles were captured, killed and their carcasses burned. One family, named Miller, in which there are five half grown boys, has as trophies of this summer's onslaught on snakes almost 60 sets of rattles and as many skins. The latter, if in good condition, find ready sale at 25 to 50 cents apiece.

ONE MAN'S REMARKABLE RECORD. George Strobert, a berry picker, kept actual account of the number of snakes he killed while berrying, and his record is remarkable. He killed this season 118 rattlers, six of which had each 21 rattles. These were monsters, of the yellow species, as thick as a man's arm above the elbow. He dispatched 22 blacksnakes and nine copperheads. He also turned his attention to woodchucks, commonly known as groundhogs, and in five weeks of berrying he and his dog together captured seven. It was while digging for what he supposed was a groundhog that he had one of his snake experiences. He had a four foot wire prong, which pressed against the furry side of a groundhog and then twisted, gives a firm clutch, and the animal can be withdrawn. He felt a moving object down in a hole, and drew out his clutch, expecting to see a groundhog. But his prize was a large rattlesnake that had taken refuge in the woodchuck's hole, and which the sharp gagged rod had wound itself into. The snake was as mad as a hornet, but was soon dispatched.

No Substitute Offered. Say what you will about druggists offering something "just as good" because it pays a better profit, the fact still stands that ninety-nine out of a hundred druggists recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy when the best remedy for diarrhoea is asked for, and do so because they know it is the one remedy that can always be depended upon, even in the most severe and dangerous cases. It is for sale by Green's Pharmacy.

WORTH AN EXPERIMENT.

The Centre Democrat's correspondents in the past two weeks reported the large number of bushels of huckleberries shipped out of this county from the Penns Valley mountain district alone, principally from Coburn and Spring Mills, making several thousand bushels for the season for which the pickers got five and six cents per quart wholesale. In the other districts of the mountains bordering the valley perhaps as many more bushels were shipped, along with hundreds of bushels for home consumption. On the west side of the county, if the figures were obtainable, there were, no doubt, many hundreds of bushels picked in the Bald Eagle ridges and other mountain sections. Many of these berries were retained at home, and in the Bellefonte curb market, at 8 and 10 cents per quart. The huckleberry crop this season in this county, was worth a good many thousand dollars. These berries are always marketable and the Democrat makes reference to these facts believing that it would prove profitable to cultivate the huckleberry. They are easy growers and hardy, and by extra attention and care could be made to yield well and finer quality than in their wild state. Contemplate the number of quarts that can be gathered from an acre in the mountains, and if cultivated, how much greater would be the yield of still finer berries? Who will have enterprised enough to make the experiment and put to good use our otherwise almost worthless mountain soil? Here is a chance to make a name for the one making a successful experiment.



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19c.	60c.	\$1.25
45-inch Black Henrietta Silk finish, worth 65c. a yard; special price	Values like these should interest all purchasers of Dress Goods. Prices are lower than any goods of corresponding quality have ever been offered. Samples sent on application.	All wool Black Kersey, heavy, 54 inch, used for Coats and Skirts; worth \$2 a yard,
39c.		\$1.25
Remnants. Short lengths of Novelties in Dress Goods, selling regularly from 75c. to \$1.25 a yard, for	44-inch Cheviot, pure wool, shrunk; usually sold for \$1 a yard,	Black Mohair, plain and figured; never sold under 50c. a yard. We offer at the special price,
39c.	59c.	29c.
No samples can be sent of these as they are only small pieces.		

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