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EDITORIAL.
As a broncho buster Teddy Roosevelt "was some pumpkins." As a trust buster he isn't even a toy rattle.

DREW, Schley and Miles are sought to be extinguished as heroes, and Roosevelt to continue as a blatherskite.
When big sums of Uncle Sam's funds are missing, it is said they are "lost." The word "stolen" has become obsolete in the g. o. p. vocabulary.

A NEW mystery, a deposit of \$629,000, for Indian funds paid over, is "lost in the treasury records at Washington. Perhaps the leaking-out of this mysterious "loss"—not steal, of course—may result in a recovery of the "lost" deposit. "Lo, the poor Indian, whose untutored mind," sees friends in the pale face, who robs him all-around.

THE fact that neither Governor Pennypacker or any of his hangers on has prosecuted a single newspaper under the press muzzler law, is proof of the iniquitous wrong and unconstitutionality of the muzzler, and that they are afraid to bring any editor into court under that law. The press goes right along exercising its sacred, blood-bought, right of Freedom.

PRINCE ADELBERT, Emperor William's third son, accompanied by his adjutant, Captain Schimmelmann, will pass through America on his way to assume his duties on the cruiser Hertha, in Chinese waters. The Prince will travel by way of New York and San Francisco. When this young German—"Dutchman"—arrives here the "society" snobs, many of whom deny their German origin, will break their necks to be able to shake hands or be allowed to bow to him. Das sind die Amerikanische Frae-baendchen und Fatnicksen.

RECENTLY a western man who had come to the end of his race committed suicide leaving behind a letter addressed to the young men of America in which he solemnly warned them to avoid alcohol, gambling dens, places of infamous resort and everything calculated to degrade and defile. He declared that such associations shatter the fairest prospects and blast the brightest hopes. There is no doubt that his testimony is true, although it is not likely to have much influence in restraining young men, or old ones either, from following in his footsteps if their inclinations lead that way. Young man, remember.

No vice president, who became president by accident, ever succeeded in being elected to the presidency. John Tyler, on the death of President Harrison from illness, failed to be nominated for the office by the whig party. Millard Fillmore, upon the death of President Taylor, had a good administration, but the republicans refused to nominate him for President. Andrew Johnson, elected vice president, failed to be nominated by the republicans—they preferred to impeach him. Upon the assassination of president Garfield, by Guitau, who voted for him, vice president Arthur became president, and had a clean administration, but his party refused to put him in nomination for president. Upon the assassination of President McKinley, by Schoigoz who voted for McKinley, vice president Roosevelt became president, and many of the bosses of the party are quietly planning to prevent his being nominated by the republicans for the office. Time will tell about Teddy's fate.

To Catch Eels—New License.
The act of April 27, 1903, in regard to catching of eels requires a license. The provision is \$5 for a license, this license being to cover only a period from August 27 to December 1.

The act legalizes the use of baskets, which are to be bottomless, from sunrise to sunset, but baskets can only be used during the period from August 27 to December 1. The catching of eels must be licensed, the fee being \$5, to be paid to the county treasurer for the issue of the license, one dollar being allowed the treasurer for the collection and the remainder to be paid to the fish commissioners to be used in paying watchmen or wardens, who shall enforce the license act. The license must be renewed annually and the certificate must contain as well as name and address a description of the man to whom the license is issued. A certified copy must then be forwarded to the State Fish Commission's office in this city.

ROOSEVELT REVIEWED.

Since Mr. Roosevelt became President of the United States and has been in the limelight, the people of the country who want to keep up with the times and keep themselves posted on all the things that can be said for and against a man in public life, have been reading the many books that have been written by the fecund pen of the man who now occupies the highest office in the nation. Some of the students of this city have found that a peculiarity of Roosevelt's writings is that he has had very few kind words to say of any man who ever occupied a high place in this country; that on the contrary he has lambasted the life out of most of them. Take, for instance, his opinion of Thomas Jefferson, expressed in his "Naval War of 1812." In volume xi., page 198, of that work from the pen of Theodore Roosevelt, he was intemperate enough to say that Mr. Jefferson "was perhaps the most incapable Executive that ever filled the Presidential chair." That seems to be pretty tough on the author of the Declaration of Independence, the man who acquired the Louisiana territory, who was twice President of the United States, both times elected by ballots and not by bullets, who was the founder of the University of Virginia, and whose teachings have ever been the bulwark of popular government in this country as against the rule of the classes. Mr. Roosevelt seems not only to be an iconoclast, but of late years he seems to have become a painfully pragmatic preacher. He defends and proclaims the axiomatic at the slightest provocation. He is showing a reprehensible tendency to lecture the public on self-evident propositions, and to do it with a suspicion of sensation purpose, as, notably, in his warning against race-suicide and his recent sermon on decent living. The people of this country, if I am any judge of every-day human nature, do not like to be lectured. They think they know what they want and how to get it when they want it. That is one of the reasons why Grover Cleveland lost popularity while in the White House. If Mr. Roosevelt will continue in his present course he will very aptly illustrate the point of "Tom" Reed's sarcastic saying: "What I like about Roosevelt is his enthusiasm over his own discovery of the Ten Commandments."

There is some rather severe criticism of the President here in political circles in the national capital on account of the recent naval review. That review ordered by the President to be held practically in his back yard in Oyster Bay, partook very much of the autocratic methods of the Czar of the Kaiser. No previous President ever ordered the ships of the American Navy to come to his home in order to review them and make a war-like speech to the officers and men of the Navy. That review, for which there was no need or warrant, except to make a hoodlum holiday for the inhabitants of Oyster Bay and vicinity, cost the taxpayers of the country not less than fifty thousand dollars for powder burned in salutes to the Commander-in-Chief of the American Navy. He may next take a notion that he wants to review the American Army. If it does it will cost the people not less than a half million dollars to concentrate the troops for the review. The people need not be surprised at anything.

The Post Office Department investigation seems to have petered out completely. If anything is doing at the big pile on Pennsylvania Avenue no man can find it out. Since the statute of limitations let out so many who ought to be wearing stripes, it seems to have paralyzed the energies of the investigators. Although the Grand Jury in Brooklyn indicted George W. Beavers for complicity in the frauds and peculations in the Post Office Department, no attempt has ever been made to apprehend him and bring him to the bar of justice. It is believed here that the reason for this apathy on the part of the government officials is that Beavers is another one of those "Temple pullers," and the powers that be are not hunting for that kind of game. It is a safe wager that the last has been heard of sensational developments in the Post Office investigation. It looks as though the Interior Department would now become the center of activity in the scalawag hunting line, but nothing will ever be done there until there is a change of administration and a change of the brand of politics.

A MAN will run as fast as he can to cross a railroad track in front of a train. Then he will watch it till it gets out of sight. Then he will walk leisurely away. He seems to be all right, and probably is. This is a man. A woman in a street car will open a satchel and take out a purse, close the satchel and open the purse, take out a dime and close the purse, open the satchel and put in the purse, close the satchel and lock both ends. Then she will pay the conductor, who will give her a nickel back. Then she will open the satchel and take out the purse, put the nickel in and close the purse, open the satchel and put in the purse, close the satchel and lock both ends. Then she will feel to see if her hair is all right. This is a woman.

Governor Pennypacker appointed James D. Stoughton Register and Recorder of Clinton county, vice William A. Caldwell, deceased.

OUR HISTORICAL REVIEW

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tached to the belt. The colors of these originally were black and white, although on the belt there are other colors. These beads are a great curiosity, and highly prized as relics.

David, son of Galbraith Knox, of Buffalo Run, was instantly killed while felling a tree Feb. 9, 1814.

"There are still (1877) preserved among the descendants of the first settlers of the county a number of valuable Revolutionary relics; one of the most interesting is in the hands of W. W. Potter, Esq., of Bellefonte, great-grandson of Gen. Potter. It is a battle flag captured from the Royal Grenadiers on the field of Monmouth by the late Judge Wm. Wilson, of Northumberland county, who was grandfather (maternal) of Mr. Potter, its present possessor. This flag is of corded silk, of a rich yellow color. "The emblem at the upper right hand corner is composed of the cross of St. George, to denote England, and St. Andrew's cross in the form of X, to denote Scotland. The flag has the appearance of having been wrenched from the staff, and has a few blood stains on the device; otherwise, it looks as bright and new as if had just come from the gentle fingers that made it, although a century has rolled away since its golden folds drooped in the sultry air of that June day battle."

This precious relic of the revolutionary war is still in the possession of the Potter family, on Linn street, Bellefonte, at the home of John I. Potter, son of the above named W. W. Potter, Esq., and great-grand-son of Gen. Potter. The U. S. government has been anxious to add this flag to its relics of the Revolutionary War, but the Potter family are loath to part with it.

Unionville.

Miss Mary Kelley, of Pittsburg, is a pleasant visitor at the home of Martin Hogan. Mrs. Julia Stevens, of Clearfield, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fredericks.

Rev. G. W. McSherry and family, of Bolling Springs, Pa., are guests of Mr and Mrs. Milton Peters.

Mrs. John P. Brugger, who with her husband has been boarding at Johnstown, where the latter has his headquarters, being employed with Heintz & Co., returned home one day last week very ill with inflammatory rheumatism and has been confined to her bed ever since.

Mrs. W. Irwin and her two sons of Pittsburg, have been visiting for a week at the home of A. J. Griest.

The twelve year old daughter of Rev. Mumma has been seriously ill with typhoid fever but is now convalescing.

A closely contested game of base ball was played here on Tuesday afternoon between the Snow Shoe team and our home team resulting in a score of 4 to 3 in favor of the latter. The Snow Shoe boys put up a good game but were not "flap" enough for our team. Will Irwin of Pittsburg, "threw" the ball for our team and Harry Musser "caught" behind the "paddler." Clo. Irwin played on "first corner" Mont Musser second and Raymond Van, third, chaplain Underwood right "lot" Blair Holtzworth centre "lot" and Howard Holtzworth left "lot." The latter caught a beautiful sky scraper with both paws. Will Irwin "struck" twice second "corner" and once home run. It was a dandy game and was witnessed by two thousand persons—more or less. Our boys have lost only one game this season. They played two games all told. The Snow Shoe boys retired in good condition and when they left town they gave vent to their feeling of chagrin by their "College yell!" "We'll whoop'er up, we'll whoop'er up." "We'll whoop'er up again." "We'll whoop'er up for Snow Shoe team A jolly set of men."

William, the eight year old son of Wm. P. Fisher, Jr., fell from a loaded wagon on Tuesday, at the Fisher farm below town, and the hind wheel passed over both his arms and, but for the muddy condition of the road would certainly have been crushed. As it was he was seriously hurt.

One of the prettiest weddings that has ever taken place in this town was that of Miss Beulah Stere to Joseph Holt at the home of the bride's parents—Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Stere on last Thursday at 6 o'clock in the evening. The loop was looped by the Rev. Mamau James Stere, brother of the bride was best man and his young wife acted as bridesmaid. About 75 guests were present and enjoyed the event to their heart's content. To add to the pleasure of the occasion Zene Hoover and Miss Medie Hoover were married the same afternoon in Bellefonte by the Rev. I. Brown and, by special request, took their wedding supper with the first mentioned bride and groom and of course there couldn't have been anything else than loads of fun. The presents received by the former were numerous and valuable. The "trumps" were out in full force and kept up a racket till nearly midnight. This is the fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stere that is married to a Holt; two brothers of one family and two to brothers of another family.

Smullton.

Sunday, Sept 13, Rev. Smith will preach in the Methodist church here. It will be a communion service; love feast will begin at 9 o'clock and continue till 10 o'clock.

Annie Harry returned home on Friday, from Salona.

John W. Waite, of Smithport, Pa., and W. S. Breen and family, of Look Haven, also B. W. Waite and family, of Pleasant Gap, attended the funeral of Mrs. John T. Waite, Wednesday.

Henry Smull and T. S. Stover were to Bellefonte Monday, on business.

Henry Genzeli, of Sobey, was a caller at the home of Jacob Walizer, Sunday.

D. G. Smull is making a great improvement on his house by an addition to the south side.

Mayme Wolfe was to Lamar, Monday, to look up a boarding place, as we hear she will teach school over there some place.

ROOSEVELT'S feat as a buster ceased with the broncho. He has failed to bust the trusts, the post-office plunderers, the Indian land robbers, and scores of other wrongdoers, because—because they belong to and are workers in the "buster's" gang for his nomination.

RECENT DEATHS.

ELI B. FOLK:—died at the home of his brother Joshua Folk, Sunday morning. The deceased resided at Allegheny, Pa., Leaves a wife and three children.

MRS. Wm. T. LUCAS:—Died at her home in Howard Monday, aged 60 years. Her maiden name was Sarah Strunk. Interment in the Schenck cemetery.

AARON RYAN:—died at his home near Tusseyville Tuesday morning, 25, aged 45 years. He is survived by a wife and two small children. Interment took place at Tusseyville.

GEORGE E. FRENCH:—died at his home, in Moshannon Sunday, after an illness of a couple of weeks. He was formerly a resident of Philipsburg. He was aged about 74 years, a devoted member of the M. E. church.

MRS. O. S. WOOMER:—of North Philipsburg, died Monday morning, after a brief illness, taking seriously sick last Friday. All that medical skill and loving friends could do to bring about her recovery was done, but all in vain.

JACOB YEARICK:—Died at Jacksonsville Monday of old age, being in his 80th year. Years ago he ran the old Washington Furnace and later engaged in farming. He leaves eight children to mourn their loss. Interment at Jacksonsville.

WALTON GOSS:—A son of Mr. and Mrs. James Goss, of Philipsburg, died on Monday at Pittsburg. He was taken ill about four weeks ago with smallpox, but recovered from this and took some other disease, which resulted in his death. He was aged about 22 years.

MARY WAITE:—wife of John Waite, of near Rebersburg, died Sunday, at the age of seventy-eight years. Deceased leaves a husband, who is in delicate health, and six children, namely: Daniel, George, Frank, John, Mrs. Anna Breen and Mrs. Charles Beck.

MRS. Wm. HUNTER:—Died Friday morning at Axemann, of consumption, she had been suffering a long time. She was a good christian woman, a kind and affectionate wife and mother. She was aged 67 year, and leaves a husband, one son and three daughters all married: Mrs. Jas. Wilson, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Alexander Frazer, of Altoona; Mrs. Harry Sampel and Boyd, of Axe Mann, and one brother Charles Heverly, of Bellefonte. Interment at the Lutheran church at Pleasant Gap last Sunday.

MRS. Wm. H. BROWN:—died Sunday morning. She had been a most patient sufferer for years with that dreaded disease cancer. Everything that human skill and power could do was done for her. She underwent painful operations several times in the best hospitals in Philadelphia, for cancer, but none were successful. Her husband preceded her to the grave about 10 years ago. She leaves to mourn her death the following children Jennie, Mary, Walter, David, William, Arthur, Benjamin, Harry and George. Interment in the Catholic cemetery Tuesday morning.

MRS. MARY WAITE:—Died at her home at Smullton on Sunday 23rd, at the age of 78 years. Deceased was a daughter of Jacob Gramley and was born in Miles township. She was married to John F. Waite and ten children were born to them, four of whom have preceded her to the world beyond. Her husband and six children viz: Samuel, of Pleasant Gap; Mrs. Wm. Breen, of Look Haven; Mrs. Beck, Frank and George, of Rebersburg, and John Waite, of Smethport, remain to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother. Interment was made in the Evangelical Association cemetery.

SAMUEL LEWIS:—died at his home at Dix Station in Bald Eagle valley, Sunday morning, August 23, aged 65 years, 8 months, 16 days. He was a man of many noble qualities. A good man in all his dealings, dearly loved by his family, and respected and admired by any with whom he came in contact in his business. For many years he was a trusted employe of the P. R. R. Co. He leaves to mourn him his wife and 10 children: Lloyd, of Snow Shoe Intersection; Harvey, Lawrence, Dorcey and Minnie, of Tyrone; Mrs. Emma Schultz, of Altoona; Nannie, Walter, Frances and Ella at home. He was buried at Cross Roads cemetery on Tuesday morning, Rev. Dillen of Port Matilda officiating.

A YEAR'S TROUT FRY.

The following is a list of trout fry shipped into Centre county, during the past year as compiled from the Annual Report of the State Fish Commissioner: Centre county, from June 1, 1901, to June 1, 1902, received from the hatchery at Corry, trout fry, to the large number of 132,000; consigned to the following named persons in different localities as named below, which will be of interest to our fishermen as well as to the readers of the Centre Democrat in general, for whose information we have compiled the same:

- J. W. Kepler, Pine Grove Mills—6,000.
S. Zimmerman, Mifflinville—6,000.
C. B. Neff, Centre Hall—4,500.
Potters Mills—to each of the following 1,500.
J. H. Bittner, F. A. Carson, Wm. McKinney, J. S. Reich.
Howard—to the following each 1,500.
W. Weber, Baiser Weber, John Weber, W. R. Gardner, Jno. Flinch, W. R. Gardner.
Philipsburg—the following each 1,500.

G. E. Lamb, L. Mitchell, Eli Carter, J. E. Harr, Wm. Devine, John Todd, Wm. Riley, H. Wolfe, Geo. W. Herrington, S. R. Burns, H. J. Goss, Thos. Norris, A. Lichtenhalar, Benj. Robinson, Harvey Nelson, E. S. Womer, A. M. Paul, E. Marshall, H. Wood, H. K. Hoffer, H. W. Todd.

Bellefonte—to the following each 1,500.
Jas. Lose, Wm. Derstine, T. H. Gettig, W. O. Cassidy, H. J. Jackson, G. H. Klingsley, Jr., W. C. Heinele, Geo. J. Weaver, Geo. A. Eberhart, A. G. Archey, Miles E. Osmer, H. P. Barnes, Grant Hoover, K. B. Montgomery, J. A. B. Miller, Edmund Blanchard, J. Hilleman, S. Kline Woodring, H. P. Harris, H. Miller, J. Bell, D. F. Fortney, Jno. Kinsley, Jno. J. Bower, Ed. Schrom, C. M. Heister, Jno. A. McGinley, A. F. McGinley, Geo. Cunningham.
Ira E. Snyder, Coburn—1,500.
Wm. Johnson, Jr., Poe Mills—1,500.

Spring Mills—the following each 1,500.
J. M. Smith & Bros., W. P. Alexander, Jno. Smith & Bros., Jno. Smith & Bro., Jno. Fenshtaker, Jno. Smith & Bro., Jno. Smith & Bro. M. Sennet, E. R. Hancock, Runville—1,500.
C. Bigler, C. Bigler, Pleasant Gap—1,500.
One hundred and thirty-two thousand trout fry, sent into our county, for the year ending June 1, 1902. We can safely say that in former years the average has not been less. Now, the question is, what becomes of all these trout. Lawful and unlawful fishing does not cover over 50,000 per year. Then added to this, there is the natural increase; the Democrat can safely estimate that as being 150,000 per year—which would make a grand total, for the Centre county streams, of 282,000 young trout per year.

YOUR FALL SUIT to be correct should bear this famous mark Alfred Benjamin & Co MAKERS \* NEW YORK Fabrics rich and durable, because shrunk in the BENJAMIN plant—not sent out at great risk to public shrinkers. Styles correct, because designed by New York and London style-creators. Fit perfect, because measured on a model of your figure. Tailoring right, because made in sanitary workrooms by salaried artisans—not in unsanitary sweat-shops by hasty, slovenly piece-workers. The price is right. Your money back if anything goes wrong. For sale by us only. MONTGOMERY & CO. BELLEFONTE, PA.

The newspapers of Oklahoma are severe on storekeepers who do not advertise properly. The following shows the method of attack: "A donkey stopped into a store and the proprietor approached the beast and asked 'What are you doing here? You know this is no place for a donkey.' 'I am here,' said the donkey, 'because I saw your advertisement on the fence that surrounds my pasture. I know you too must be a donkey or you would place your advertisement in a paper where it would be read by people, not donkeys. Being lonesome to-day I thought I would be neighborly and make a fraternal call.'"

—Our Semi-annual half price sale is still on. Montgomery & Co.

FINEST PURE OLIVE OIL Salad Dressing, Olives, Pickles, Sardines, Potted Meats. SECHLER & CO., Bellefonte, Pa.

OPPORTUNITY For Young People The Smith Premier Typewriter Co. PHILADELPHIA, PA.

KELLER'S BUSINESS COLLEGE, LEWISBURG, PA. Dear Mr. P. H. Keller:—The students that you have referred to us have been so uniformly successful in passing our examination and holding their positions we secured for them, that we would be glad to have you refer to us as many more of your graduates as you possibly can at this time. Since January 1st, seven hundred and ninety seven (797) desirable stenographic and book-keeping positions have been filled through our Employment Department. The calls received to date are 50 per cent. greater than they were at this time last month. We are simply overwhelmed with orders for stenographers and wish all students could be made realize the necessity of attending a good school and remain until they have completed their course. There is a position for every one who will thoroughly prepare themselves for the stenographic profession. Awaiting your reply with no little interest, we remain, Very respectfully yours, SMITH PREMIER TYPEWRITER CO. "B." Mgr. Employment Dept.

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Well Bought is Half Sold. You are familiar with this old business proverb, you believe in it too; it states a truth. But maybe you're making the common mistake about it in thinking, "well-bought" means cheaply price, when the fact is it means a lot of other much more important things first. The idea in the proverb is that buying has a direct relation to selling—the first step in selling; that you should consider in buying the things which made selling easy: the better bought the easier sold. In the clothing business these things are more than price; they are Style, Quality, Design, yes, price too; price last. With careful planning in having clothes made to my own ideas—maybe paying a little extra for better linings, a trifle more for hand shaping and hand work; avoiding those whose prices were too small to be consistent with reliable goods, as well as those whose prices were above the grade of their clothing. Closing from the best makers the world over, so that all these things—Style, Quality, Design, Tailoring, PRICE—all in all—make Sim's clothing most valuable to the wearer. Fall and Winter Suits and Overcoats are now being shown. It is the largest, best line of clothing we've ever shown. Styles a little snappier, tailoring well improved, prices lower, everything considered. We needn't go on and talk of the merits of these clothes—hundreds of well dressed men and young men know it already. Never been a fitter time to get acquainted with Sim's clothes—to know that being well bought they're half sold. Sim, the Clothier. BELLEFONTE'S MODERN STORE.