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WESTWARD.

NIAGARA EX leaves Renovo.... 4 20 p m
" " " Driftwood.. 5 14 p m
" " " Emporium 6 00 p m
" " " St Marys... 7 05 p m
" " " Ridgway... 7 35 p m
arr at Kane.. 8 45 p m
ERIE MAIL leaves Philadelphia 11 55 p m
" " " Renovo.....11 05 a m
" " " Emporium..... 1 05 p m
" St. Mary's..... 1 55 p m
" Ridgway ..... 2 22 p m
" " " Kane.....3.40 p m
" arrive at Erie..... 7 50 p m
ERIE EX leaves Renovo..... 12.00mid't
" " " Driftwood.....1.18 a m
" " " Emporium.....2 20 a m
" " " St. Marys.....3.21 a m
" " " Ridgway.....3.51 a m
" " " Kane.....5.30 a m
" " arr. at Erie.....10.05 a m

EASTWARD.

DAY EX leaves Kane.....6.00 a m
" " " Ridgway.....6.56 a m
" " St. Marys.....7 05 a m
" " Emporium.....8 10 a m
" " Driftwood..... 8 58 p m
" " Renovo .....10 10 p m
ERIE MAIL leaves Erie.....11.20 a m
" " " Kane..... 4 05 p m
" " " Ridgway..... 5.16 p m
" " " St. Mary's..... 5.48 p m
" " " Emporium..... 6.55 p m
" " " Renovo..... 8.55 p m
" " arr. at Philadephia... 6.50 a m
PHILAD'A EX leaves Erie.....7.00 p m
" " " Kane.....12.00mid't
" " " Ridgway...1.07 a m
" " " St Marys...1.34 a m
" " " Emporium..2.30 a m
" " " Driftwood..3.29 a m
" " " Renovo.....5.15 a m

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ERIE MAIL..... 5:16 P. M.
PHILADELPHIA EX. .....1:07 A. M.

Westward.

NIAGARA EXPRESS.....7:35 P. M.
ERIE MAIL..... 2:22 P. M.
ERIE EXPRESS..... 3:51 A. M.

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Elk Advocate.
THURSDAY, JUNE 1 ST, 1876.

PEAS are up.

HOT weather, isn't it?

Good time for ice cream.

POTATO bugs are on the wing.

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CALL at the ADVOCATE office for cheap job work.

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WHERE! oh! where is the hand organ man?

STRAWBERRIES have appeared in this market.

BUTTON up your mouth is the latest slang phrase.

ARE we to have a celebration here on the 4th of July.

JOHN G. HALL is having a large barn built on his farm.

VISITING cards neatly printed at this office. Give us a call.

IT is expected that company H. will go to the Centennial on August 10th.

NEARLY all the cases set down for trial at the late term of court were continued.

WORK has been commenced on the priests' house near the Catholic Church,

THE surgical operation performed on Capt. Schoening's dog Pete, was successful.

THE Republican National Convention will be held at Cincinnatti on June 14th.

DR. HALL says that irregular meals surprise a man's stomach and get it out of order.

KNAPP Commandry No. 40 Knights Templar went to Philadelphia on Wednesday.

LAST Tuesday was Decoration Day, and a legal holiday although only observed by the banks in this place.

JUDGE L. D. WETMORE and associate judges Chas. Luhr, and J. K. Whitmore were on the bench at the late term of court.

STAR spangled stocking are now all the rage for ladies. The small boy must not sing "say can you see" or make any remarks about "shooting on the spot" if they are hauled down.

WE give the official report of the military parade at Corry on the 24th. The parade was held about two miles from Corry. Field and staff officers present 7. Total number of officers present 29; total number of men 482. Including the musicians there were over 550 men in the field. The day was pleasant and the parade a decided success. The troops were reviewed by Gov. Hartranft and staff and inspected by Adjutant Gen. Latta.

Official Report of Review and Inspection at Corry, May 24, 1876.

HEADQUARTERS 17TH REG'T
7TH DIV. NATIONAL GUARD. PA.
ERIE, PA., May 27, 1876.

The companies of this regiment assembled at Corry in obedience to orders on Wednesday, May 24th. The Titusville Citizens Corps joined in the ceremonies by invitation from the Division Commander. This corps and the Oil City Greys (Co. D) were the first to arrive, and to them were assigned the honor of escorting the Governor and staff and the Division Commander and staff to their quarters. This was done in a very excellent manner, judging from my experience at the review of the 15th regiment at Greenville the previous day. I ordered the various companies as they arrived to march to their quarters and report at 1 o'clock P. M., for duty. At that hour line was formed, considerable delay occurring from the companies not understanding their proper position in line, which was changed from the former positions held by them, owing to the promotion of the second senior Captain to the position of Major. I was ordered to march directly to the parade ground and be prepared for the parade at once. Line was formed on the parade ground, but owing to the imperfect dress of some of the companies I ordered the "guides on the line," and established a more perfect line, presented the command to the Commander-in-Chief and was ordered to "pass in review," wheeled into column of companies and ordered the command to "forward guide right march." Several companies had passed the former right of the line when I discovered that the music had not advanced, at once, ordered the regiment back to the original line, and once more started with the music in advance, owing to some of the companies not taking the "right guide" properly, the passage was only fair, wheeled again into line and presenting the command, the review was ended. The inspection being next in order, wheeled into column of companies and after some delay in having the "left guide cover" opened ranks and was inspected by the officials present. After the spection, by request of the Governor, a new line was established for dress parade. Some of the companies were very slow coming out to the line and in throwing out the guides; several lieutenants failed to come to the front at the proper time. In several companies the men were very unsteady at the "parade rest." By request of the Governor the band of the Titusville Citizens Corps officiated at the dress parade and with very great satisfaction to all. The command was then marched back to to the city, the right of the line being given to our guests, the Titusville Citizens Corps. The trains being in waiting no parade in the city was made. A large majority of the officers failed to observe the "manual of the sword" properly.

Company A, Vincent Guard, Corry, Captain J. B. Brown, thirty-five rank and file; discipline, conditinn, instruction, military appearance, arms, accoutrements and uniform superior. Ranks shoul have contained more men.

Company B, Erie Guard, Erie, Captain Adam Kurtis, fifty three rank and file (including band). Discipline, military appearance, arms, accoutrements and uniform superior.

Co. C. McLane Light Guard, Erie, Capt. J. J. Riddle, forty-one rank and file (including drum corps.) Discipline, condition, instruction, military appearance, arms, accoutrements and uniform superior.

Co. D, Oil City Greys, Oil City, Capt. J. A. Wiley, thirty-six rank and file. Discipline, condition, military appearance, arms, accoutrements and uniform superior. Should have had more men in the ranks.

Co. E, Cooperstown Guard, Cooperstown Capt. J. S. Gates; forty-eight rank and file. "Old reliable," only one man absent. Discipline, condition, military appearance, arms, accoutrements and uniform superior.

Co. F, Perry Infantry, West Freedom, Capt. J. S Roney; thirty rank and file discipline, fair; condition, poor; instruction poor; military appearance, poor; arms, fair; accoutrements poor; uniform passable; too many absentees.

Co. G, Sheridan Guard, Erie, Capt. John Craine fifty two rank and file (including band) discipline, condition, instruction, military appearance, arms, accoutrements, and uniform, superior; some men unsteady at dress parade.

Co. H, Ridgway Fusilzers, Ridgway, Capt. Fred. Schoening, forty-two rank and file. Discipline, condition, inspection, good. Arms, accoutrements, and uniform fair. Men very unsteady.

Co. I, North East Guard, North East, Capt. Bronson Orton, sixty rank and file (including band.) Discipline, condition, instruction, military appearance, arms, accoutrements and uniform, superior. The largest company on the ground.

Co. K, Union City Guard, Union City, Lieut. R. B. Wilkins, thirty-nine rank and file. Discipline, conditiod, instruction, military appearance, arms, accoutrements and uniform, superior. C. W. LYTLE, Col. Comd'g.
J. W. LEACH, Adjutant.

Centennial Letter.

SPLENDID WEATHER AND SPLENDID SIGHTS—THE ATTENDANCE INCREASING—MORE ABOUT UNCLE SAM'S GENERAL DISPLAY—POSTAL FACILITIES ON THE GROUNDS—SOME INTERESTING SUBJECTS FOR FUTURE LETTERS—A FEW OTHER THINGS BRIEFLY MENTIONED.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

Philadelphia, May 31st. 1876.

The attendance at the Exposition increases somewhat and has been generally better than last week. For some days past the weather has been most delightful, and aside from the slight drawback of a few unfinished buildings etc., this is really the pleasantest time to visit the Exhibition. The trees, flowers, grounds and all surroundings look as fresh and beautiful as a May Queen, and Fairmount Park is just now the most attractive place to be found anywhere. There is no dust and oppressive heat to be encountered, and travel both on the road and about the city is not accompanied with many discomforts which will be inseparable from it in midsummer. Yet most likely the great rush of visitors will come then, for Americans as a rule, select the season of the year for pleasure trips, when travel is a burden rather than a pleasure—when it is too hot to stay at home. There are still people who do not realize the discomforts of two in a bed, in a seven by nine room, in the middle of July, and that is why the crowd is expected to be the largest about and after the glorious Fourth.

Last week I gave a pretty full outline of the government agricultural display, but only "fooled round the edges" of the United States building proper, which I think will, after all, attract as much notice from the average visitor as any part of the exhibition. Uncle Sam's "Centennial Branch Post Office," which occupies a space forty by sixty feet in the south-west wing of the building, is as complete and well-ordered as any city in the country possesses. It is inclosed by a walnut partition with glass front, and has five hundred convenient lock boxes. There are ten carriers employed and 50 boxes for disposing mail stationed at various points on the grounds. The clerks speak all languages and the deposit boxes are lettered in English, French, German, Spanish, Italian and Japanese. Hourly trips are made to the main city post office by the Centennial mail wagons, which are handsome vehicles with drivers in uniform One of the carriers is a John Chinaman whose quque hangs down his back as natural as the curl of a pig's tail.

The space occupied by the PostOffice Department, proper, is 40 x 40 feet, and displays many interesting exhibits. The little Envelope Machine and nickle plated Baxter Engine, mentioned before, which is now turning out 22,000 envelopes per day, with the new Centennial Stamp, attracts a constant crowd around the bronze railing by which it is inclosed. A model mail catcher upon a car inside the building, built on on a scale of one inch to the foot, and near the envelope machine, calls forth the admiration of the younger visitors. This car runs on a track twenty feet in length, and catches a minature mail-bag as it passesses along at full speed, illustrating the practice of fast mail trains. There are cases containing specimens of all mail-bags, pouches, etc., used by the department. Specimens of all the locks and scales used, and samples of making and canceling stamps, together with six highly ornamental frames containing specimens of all stamped envelopes, official envelopes, postal cards and postage stamps ever used in this country. These are furnished by the Columbia Bank Note Company, the present contractors, and are a valuable directory to the stamp gatherers

The Interior Department makes a good display. The Patent Office shows 5000 models arranged in classes, 60,000 patents bound in series; a central office of administration in which the workings of America's favorite bureau is illustrated. Strangely enough, one finds the Patent Office section of the Interior Department in the possession of the original Declaration of Independence, and the Commission of General Washington from the Continental Congress; also the relics of Washington, his clothes, camp equipage, punch-bowl and furniture. The National Museum once sought a fire-proof place of deposit in Washington, and so did branches of the Government. The Patent Office—about one-sixth of the present building—was selected as a safe place. This was about 1840, and now the Bureau and Department are rewarded by the proud opportunity to display what they have so long and so carefully kept and so jealously guarded.

Next comes the Treasury Department with a profuse display of money, not gold and silver altogether, but printed money. The array of specimens of Treasury notes of every description and denomination ever issued, is a study for the admirer of beauty and fine art. In no land under the sun is so much skill shown in the manufacture of paper money. The paper for the continental money was made only a few miles hence, at the "Ivy Mills," and the mill is running yet and in the hands of a descendent of its old proprietor, but when the writer visited it some time ago, it was making a nasty kind of thick wrapping paper of straw and old ropes. Franklin used to get his paper there. Even if the old mill has been burned down once or twice, it is—more certainly than the boy's old jack-knife which had had five new blades and four new handles—the same mill, and it ought to drop the straw and junk and make some more hand-made, water-mark, linen-stock paper with some of old Benjamin's shrewd advice printed on it in old-fashioned type.

And here is the Navy Department which shines—as it has a right to do—in bunting. One reads the history of the American flag suspended from the columns in the various forms of the colonial and conventional periods; the pine tree, the English "Union," with a red and white "fly," a white anchor on a blue field, and eventually the flag of to-day, showing largest of all, as if it had grown in size as well as developed in design. The navy shows a variety of guns for special services, such as boat howitzers and gunwale guns; it also has piles of naval stores, with smelling ropes, and things to eat and to wear; the provisions to go to the great cook's, galleys and the furnishing of the men's kits; the instruments of the Transit of Venus expedition, as the War Department has those of the Signal Service. This Department has also some boats of the Polaris expedition, one scow made in an emergency from an abandoned vessel. Around lie many piles of shot and shell and of material suggestive of long service, when "they that go down to the sea in ships," have to depend upon the forethought of the providers, who must be ready to supply everything from a mainyard to a sewing needle at a moment's notice. We pass with great interest the more scientific portion of the collection, the compasses, barometers, sounding instruments, ship's logs, and velocimeters. One begins with the arts of peace, and wanders through the building to the south-eastern end. He steps out at the door with the big guns on each side, which are pointed in mimic hostility at the other building, and stands upon the terrace to listen to the music of the band which plays in the pavilion near by.

One letter covers so small a portion of the whole exhibition, that I am obliged to stop after having just begun. Probably Machinery Hall and the State buildings will be the next most interesting feature to your readers, and following these we will journey through the main building. This last is the place to study human nature. I cannot think of any place where one would find such a variety of specimens of the genus homo, in, as the naturalists say "all stages of preservation." Coming down from the government building yesterday, I passed through the carriage manufacturers' structure, and have never so fully realized the force of that familiar smile "pretty as a red wagon," as I do after a glance at the fine display of vehicles. It was stated last week that shovers of "the queer, were working of counterfeit fifty cent pieces through the outside speculators in change, but I cannot learn that much was done at it, and of course it has been wholly stopped now

It is about settled that there will be no further reduction in railway fares, and so the committee appointed by the Centennial Commission to confer with the railway authorities have reported. The Pennsylvania Central people assert that they would do passenger business at an actual loss if they acceded to this demand, as the extra Centennial travel at the low rates would not equal the falling off of regular business.

BY the death of Levi Stine, one of the jurors in the Yost murder trial at Pottsville, the case cannot be resumed till July, and the additional cost to the county will amount to many thousands of dollars. Kerrigan, the man on trial, is accused of the murder of policeman Yost at Tamaqua, under instructions from the Molly Maguire organization, and some startling revelations were expected during the judicial investigation. The death of the juror gives the prisoner a longer lease of life.

A STEADY increase of paying visitors to the Centennial exhibition is claimed. Cash admissions on Saturday last, 18,182.