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STATE TICKET.

For Governor—Colonel William A. Stone, of Allegheny. For Lieutenant Governor—Gen. J. P. S. Gobin, of Lebanon. For Secretary of Internal Affairs—General James W. Latta, of Philadelphia. For Judge of the Superior Court—William Porter, of Philadelphia, William David Porter, of Allegheny. For Congressman at Large—Galusha A. Grow, of Susquehanna, and S. A. Davenport, of Erie.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

Congress. THAD M. MAHON, of Franklin county, Legislature. E. G. SHEAFFER, Surveyor. A. B. EVANS, Coroner. H. F. WILLARD.

SHORT LOCALS.

No apples, no cider, no apple butter. The telephone line is to be extended to Richfield. Colonel John J. Patterson, is again in our midst. Mrs. Emmons is on a visit to her parents in Pittsburgh. Mifflin county is to have a County Fair this coming fall. There are 1550 surgeons at Santiago, a surgeon for every 20 men. Rev. Emil Levey visited in this place a few days recently. James Shanon, of Newport, sojourned in this place a day last week. Miss Emma Robinson, of Danville, is a guest of Mrs. E. F. Burchfield. Miss Mary Louden has gone to Cleveland, Ohio, to visit an uncle and aunt. The Misses Memminger, of Newport, are guests of Miss Annie Heck. The horses and mules bought on account of the Cuban war number 20,000. Property for sale.—For terms, apply to Mrs. Diane, Front St. George Parker, of Chester, is visiting his parents and friends in this place. There was storm and wet enough last Thursday to size up a first class equinoctial. Mr. and Mrs. Patton, of Altoona, were recently, guests of S. B. Loudon's family. Mrs. Emil Schott and Mrs. Ferd Meyers have been visiting relatives in Reading. Great reductions in the prices of all military goods at Mrs. Diehl's Front Street. Mrs. Wilberforce Schwyer and children are visiting friends and relatives in Lewistown. The Grangers picnic at William's Grove, will be held August 29th to September 3rd. Mrs. Nevin and daughter, Miss Pierce Nevin are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert McEwen. Miss Esther McKinley, a student of West Chester Normal School, is home on her vacation. Misses Julia and Nell Reynolds, of Harrisburg, are visiting relatives in the town and county. Colonel Showers has laid a new brick pavement in front of his property on Washington street. Squire Weidman has replaced the board walk at his place with a substantial brick pavement. The heat and moisture of the past 10 days has been putting corn ears on astonishingly small corn stalks. The second annual harvest home, held at McAlisterville last Saturday was enjoyed by all present. Dr. Harry P. Derr, James Thompson and Morris Schott spent a few days recently at Atlantic City. The country is for peace with Spain but it wants all it has won by its arms, including the Philippine Islands. WANTED.—A girl 16 to 20 years old, to do general house work, in a small family. Apply at this office. Rev. H. S. Gilbert, of the Port Royal Lutheran church, has tendered his resignation to take effect September 1st. At St. Michael's, Alaska, the sun rises at half past one in the morning and sets at ten o'clock in the evening. Go to Meyers for your clothing and furniture he will save you 25 per cent. Read his Bargains in this paper. The committee on the dance to be held at Port Royal, have arranged, Wednesday evening, August 10, as the time. Wm. Hoops, Esq., Dr. Derr, bank-teller James Thompson, Frank Pennell, Esq., and wife, went to Atlantic City, on Saturday. B. F. Junkin, of Port Royal, lost the ends of three fingers of his right hand by the whirl of a bicycle wheel that he was cleaning. Prothonotary Zelders has contracted with builder James Horning, for the building of a handsome dwelling house in the east end. The white winged messenger of peace has again come to take the place of the black and forbidden looking, winged messenger of war. A tall handsome flag pole was raised in Patterson on Saturday evening. On Thursday evening the flag will be raised with appropriate ceremony. Squire G. W. Wilson and Rev. S. E. Koontz will address the meeting. —Lost.—Certificate of stock, of the First National Bank, of Mifflintown, Number 49, containing five shares. The finder will confer a favor by addressing Samuel Schlegel, East Salem, Juniata county, Pa.

Miss Esther McKinley is home with her aunt, Mrs. B. C. Powell, spending her vacation, from Chester Normal School studies. After spending several months with Miss Lora Harley, Miss J. M. Mechtley has returned to her home in Adamsburg. Mrs. Carlos Don Bush, and adopted daughter, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. Bush's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Etkin. The corner stone of the new Capital building at Harrisburg, is to be laid to day Hon. A. K. McClure is to deliver the address. E. Derr and friend Mr. Martin, students at Philadelphia Dental College, are spending part of their vacation at the former's home. The State Government is organizing a new National Guard, to take the place of the old guard that is now in the United States service against Spain. Within the past week Judge Lyons, had iron bars placed across the well in front of his house, three feet under ground and then masoned over and the pavement relaid. The drought and heat were both broken by the rain of last week and by Saturday the weather was delightfully cool. The heaviest of the mauling storms is reported from Philadelphia. Hon. James North, with his grand son, George Jacobs, has returned from an extensive trip in the middle western country, Chicago, Duluth and other sections of that part of the United States. A patriotic flag raising will take place at Cuba, a mile and a half north of town, on Saturday evening. Judge Lyons, Representative Keller and Rev. Mr. Fabs, each will deliver a speech. "My dear," he said, "when I saw the moon last night I thought of you. It was beautiful." "And I thought of you when I saw it," replied his wife. "It was full." One of the Spanish war ships, the Infanta Teresa, sunk by Schley while attempting to get away from Santiago, has been raised and is to be repaired in the United States navy yard at Norfolk, Virginia. "Had your vacation yet?" "No; I am waiting for it to get hot again, so that I can go away and realize that the boys are having a warm time in town while I am enjoying myself." The corn has been doing very well since the soaking rains of last week, but it will take a great deal of hot weather and a larger quantity of water than usually falls at this time of the year, if all the corn in the county is to ear well. The Cosolamus Harvest Home Picnic will be held in Brown's woods next Saturday, August 13. Hon. L. E. Atkinson, Wilberforce Schwyer and Rev. A. P. Frank, will address the meeting. The McAlisterville band will furnish the music. BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY, John Howard Harris, President, College, leading to degrees in Arts, Philosophy and Science. Academy, a preparatory school for young men and boys. Institute, a refined boarding school for young ladies. School of Agriculture, with practical courses. For catalogue, address the Registrar. W. M. C. GRETZINGER, Lewistown, Pa. Mrs. Margaret Garman, mother of John M. Garman, Esq., and Hon. T. C. Garman, died recently at Harrisburg, aged 78 years. Her four sons were her pall bearers, a most fitting tribute to the love and respect they have for the memory of their aged deceased mother. It is with a ghastly hand that the progress of humanity and free government for Cuba is dealing out affairs at Havana. Horse flesh there is selling at \$1 a pound, eggs 35 cents each, bread 28 cents a pound, all other things at proportionately high rates, and 10 to 12 persons found starved every day. The Philippine Islands should become the property of the United States by treaty of peace, they are our property by the right of conquest, just as Porto Rico and Cuba are. Don't give up the Philippines. American humanity and peace should be as good on the other side of the globe as on this side. Bloomsfield Times, August 5th.—Last Friday night during a storm lightning struck the barn of Jeremiah Baker, near Kistler, destroying it with almost all of its contents, consisting of this year's wheat and hay crop. There was an insurance of \$200. Our Kistler correspondent gives particulars. Clothing merchant, D. W. Harley, has entered upon the 54th year of his successful business career, at the corner of Bridge and Front streets. A generation of people have come and gone since he began business. He is the same genial capable business man as in past days with as good a bargain for his customers as ever. Call and see him. The Buses of Juniata and neighboring counties, in connection with St. Stephen's P. E. Sunday School, Thompsonstown, will picnic in Thompsons woods on Saturday, August 13th. The rite of baptism will be administered to three nuptials, by the Rev. J. M. Koehler silent missionary, in the church at 10.30 a. m., after which the picnic will immediately proceed. All are invited. The oldest inhabitant has not seen the oats crop in Juniata in the plight it now is. The crop was cut and bound by machines and the rain has saturated the sheaves. The old way of cradling cuts left it spread on swath, and in any spurt of fair weather it could be bound and hauled in. The bound sheaves do dry between showers and that's the trouble. Robert B. Nixon, moved to Newport, Perry county, on Monday. Mr. Nixon is known far and wide as the popular landlord of the Jacobs House, in this town, he is a quiet polite gentleman, given to attending strictly to his own business. He has had an extensive experience as the landlord of a hotel, and he has always given the highest satisfaction to the patrons of his house, and that is a guarantee that his hotel at Newport will be up to date, and command a large and profitable patronage.

The 25th annual Harvest Home at Pannemaker's Island on Saturday attended by a number of people from this town and community. The day was fine; the attendance was large. Rev. John W. Speddy, of Port Royal, Rev. James A. Memminger, of Lancaster, and Rev. Mr. Derstine, of Waterford, each made a speech appropriate to the interesting occasion. W. S. Arbogast, has again become the landlord of the Jacobs House. His many friends come in to greet him heartily. The traveling public recognize in him a quiet, gentlemanly, firm landlord, every ready to serve their wants at moderate rates and the local customers from all parts of the county find his rooms and board satisfactory. He has always been a favorite landlord in Juniata county. The six Spanish men of war that Schley destroyed at Santiago was a loss of twenty million dollars to Spain. The cost of the loss of the Manila fleet that Dewey destroyed is not known, but with merchantmen captured from Spain it is a fair estimate to say fifteen million dollars will not pay the losses mentioned. The total naval loss to Spain as far as heard from is no less than thirty five million dollars, on ships and ships arms. An inventor of guns declares that he can make an electric gun, that if planted at Key West in the United States, can throw shells into Havana, Cuba, at the rate of 3600 shells an hour. To plant the gun ready for use he says will cost a million dollars. With such a gun England could shell a large part of France and the French would not know where the shells came from, being too far away to hear the noise of the gun. Henry Hambricht died at his home in Fernhaght township, Juniata county, Pa., about four miles north of Mifflintown, on the 5th inst., of the ailments that come with age. He was aged 83 years. He was, born in Lancaster county, but came to Juniata many years ago. Internment in the Mennonite cemetery in Lost Creek Valley on Wednesday, August 10, 1898. Wm. Snyder was the funeral director. The Philadelphia North American of July 27th said. Robert W. Reid, of Roosevelt's Rough Riders, was among the first wounded in the engagement on June 24 at La Guasimas. He is at present in this city. He was struck with a Mauser bullet in the back of the right hip and the ball went all the way through the hip to the front pocket of his canvas trousers, where it struck a large knife he carried, glanced upward, ripped open his abdomen, and then grazed his chest. His pants and shirt were pierced eight times by the ball, which strangely, went through four of his pockets. People used to believe that to be struck by lightning it was necessary to be under something that first received the bolt, and then the person would be struck, that the person struck would have to be under a tree or some other object that should act as a conductor of the lightning, but such is no longer the belief. On the 3rd of August during the great rain in Philadelphia, from 10 o'clock in the morning to 1 o'clock in the afternoon, when 6 inches of rain fell, William Noble was caught in the storm on the street and both, he and his horse were killed by lightning. There is trouble in the Sixth Massachusetts Regiment about salutes, the white officers refused to salute the colored troops. The example of Daniel Webster in Washington might be followed to the better feeling of all parties. Webster in passing along Pennsylvania Avenue, pleasantly tipped his hat to a colored man. The person who was with Webster took occasion to remark, "Senator you seem to be unusually polite to niggers, but such is not done where I come from." "Well," replied Webster, "I have made it a rule of my life never to let an act of politeness extended to me pass unrecognized." At Colorado Springs on the 25th of July, during an electric storm, young Arthur Robinson was struck by lightning in a most remarkable manner. He was riding horseback and was coming down a hill when a bolt of lightning struck him in the center of the head, tearing his hat to pieces and passing down his body, making a scarily mark, and then entering the horse, which was instantly killed. Robinson was picked up by a pedestrian and taken to a farm residence, where a physician, by working with him all night, brought him to a state of consciousness. He will recover, it is said, but his sense of hearing is lost. Somerset Herald.—Notwithstanding the fact that he is 83 years of age, John Queer, the veteran trapper of Lincoln township, Somerset county, killed the past season 57 muskrats, 25 coons, 24 chickens, 5 mink, 11 weasels, 7 foxes, 3 chicken hawks, 1 owl, and caught the fore paw of a gray wolf. Mr. Queer would readily pass for a man of 60. His eyes are clear and bright, and he is still able to hit the bulseye at a distance of 200 yards without calling man's eyes sprang into requisition; his step is spry and light, while his complexion is of the tint of a rich pink rose. Last fall he thrashed 13 bushels of wheat with a flail. He attributes his remarkable vigor to his outdoor life. Rev. M. Fosselman, in a highly interesting and religiously instructive sermon, delivered at the Evangelical Campmeeting at Tuscarora station last Sunday, declared as among modern miracles, the sinking of the Spanish war fleet at Manila and at Santiago. He declared the prayerful act of Captain J. W. Phillips, of the battle ship Texas, a noble recognition of the overruling influence of Providence. It is remembered that after the destruction of the Spanish fleet of Cervera, at Santiago, Captain Philip called to together all his men of the Texas, and made confession to God. Mr. Fosselman quoted Captain Phillips' prayer, as follows: "I wish to make confession that I have implicitly faith in God. I want to ask you all to uncover your heads with me and silently offer a word of thanks for this goodness toward us all."

A great rain storm struck Philadelphia on the afternoon of the 3rd inst. The rain records were eclipsed, and the strokes of lightning were more numerous than ever heard of in the city in our storm. The William Penn statue on city hall was struck by lightning 16 times, that was as often as George Washington was shot at by a big Indian at Braddock's defeat. Washington was not hurt, and the Penn statue was not hurt; the lightning ran harmlessly down the copper rods to the ground. The 6 inches of plum water that fell was to much for the under ground sewers to carry off. The surface gutters were not equal to the flood, whole streets from house to house looked like canals instead of passage ways for foot and wagon travel. Cellars and all under ground business places and dwelling places were flooded, and people in many places had difficulty in escaping. Lightning started many fires. The storm was about 15 miles long and wide. The war news almost eliminated the summer installment of make stories from the columns of county newspapers. City papers don't experience the delights of a snake story. The local habits of city people make them unsympathetic on such subjects. It is only the country born who have experienced the thrill of the scare by a snake in field of bush that can appreciate a snake story, but amidst the war talk a snake story comes to the front through the Huntingdon Journal of August 4th as follows. Stephen DeArmitt, of Jackson township, while walking through one of his fields saw a commotion among his sheep, on approaching them he discovered a large black snake which had commenced to swallow a lamb. Mr. DeArmitt who had a long cane with him attacked the snake and after hitting it several blows, at the same time avoiding the snake getting too close to him, succeeded in killing it, it measured 8 1/2 feet long. San Francisco, California, papers of July 27, make lengthy mention of the conferring of scholarship degrees, and honorary degrees upon Rev. Philip Graff, who, some years ago preached for the Lutheran congregation of Mifflintown, and for the Lutheran congregation in Licking Creek valley. It was during his ministry that a handsome and substantial church was built by the latter congregation. Since going to California Mr. Graff has united with the Free Baptist Church, and is appreciated to his true worth. The San Francisco, California Call of July 27th, says. Rev. Philip Graff, M. A., pastor of the First Free Baptist Church of this city, has received official notification from the governing board of Bates College, Lewiston, Me., that he has been honored with the degree D. D. Bates College is the foremost seat of learning of the Free Baptist denomination in the United States, and a degree from its faculty is highly honored. The distinction has been conferred upon Dr. Graff in recognition of the range and wealth of his scholarship and the literary ability shown by him as a preacher and theologian. Outside of the definite pastoral sphere he has been an industrious and prominent leader in the Chautauque movement, a frequent contributor to magazines and a lecturer. Some of these have been adopted as standard theology by some Eastern colleges. As a linguist Dr. Graff is specially known, being a master in the Hebrew, Aramaic, Greek, Latin, German, French and Italian languages. PATTERSON ITEMS. There was a great time last Saturday evening in raising the red, white and blue flag pole. The cost wharf men expect to raise the flag next Thursday evening. Miss Emma Fowles has returned home after a pleasant visit to friends in Harrisburg. Misses E. K. of Harrisburg, are the guests of Mrs. Ed. Hughley, on Foster street. Miss Edith Moley gave a very pleasant party at her home, Monday evening in honor of her friends. They all had a very pleasant time and wish she would invite them again. Mrs. Strayer and daughter, Miss Minnie, are spending a few days at Atlantic City. The Misses Fowles, of Danville, are visiting their sisters, Miss Emma and Mrs. E. A. Cranney. Mr. H. C. Kaufmann, of Altoona, Ohio, is visiting relatives in this place. A great number of our young folks attended the Campmeeting at Tuscarora on Sunday. LAST OF THE SEASON. PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD EXCURSION TO ATLANTIC CITY, Etc. Thursday, August 18, is the date of the last of the Pennsylvania Railroad low rate twelve-day excursions to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Anglesea, Wildwood, Holy Beach, Rehoboth, or Ocean City, Md. A special train of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches will leave Pittsburgh on above-mentioned date at 8.55 a. m., arriving at Altoona 12.15 p. m., where stop for dinner will be made, reaching Philadelphia 6.25 p. m., and arriving at Atlantic City, via the Delaware River Bridge route, the only all rail line, at 8.40 p. m. Passengers may also spend the night in Philadelphia, and proceed to the shore by any regular train from Market Street Wharf or Broad Street Station on August 19. Tickets will be sold from the stations at the rates named below:—

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