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People In Centre County Preparing For Eternity.

BELLEFONTE, July 21.-It has lately been rumored around here that there is throughout Centre county, as well as in Bellefonte, a certain secret mutual organization that preach and are preparing for the end of the world, which they confidently believe will be next year, 1890, Throughout this county alone, from the most accurate data possible to obtain, it is safe to estimate that there are at least 1,100 and possibly 2,000 adherents of this strange organization, if organization it can be termed. So far as it was possible to penetrate into their working, no real perfected organization with legalized officers and appointed head could be found, but simply a mutual association who work in great secreey, and who look to the most pronounced one in their midst as the proper one to lead.

The majority of the adherents are professors of Christianity, and members of different denominational churches, and no special church is represented more than another. The Bible they take for the foundation of their belief and the occurrences of the day as proof that their belief is well founded. Most prominent among the events brought up to prove their faith is the recent mul-tiplicity of floods and fires, with wars and rumors of wars, the in-crease of crime and disaster and the crease of crime and disaster and the uprising of prophets and false teachers. The association's work consists briefly of preaching its doctrine and substantiating it by practice, in making preparation for the final dissolution of this world. The only man who could be prevailed upon to say much about the association and belief was C. D. Miller, a wealthy farmer, and one of the strongest ad herents of the belief. He said :

"I believe the world will come to an end in 1890, and there are hundreds of others-more than a thousand, perhaps-throughout this country that believe the same thing. This belief and association has been This belief and association has been current for years, and must in no wise be connected with the prophe-cies of 'Mother Shipton' or any of the kind. It has sprung solely from the kind. It has sprung solely from the teachings of the Bible, and every day is made more plain and convincing by the events occurring will yield about 2200 bushels of lime around us. I tell you what it is, we if he is successful with it. all want to think less of self or accu mulating money and such other material things, and give more attention to the preparation of ourselves for the final dissolution which Sunday. is sure to come. When as ked as o when he first believed the end of the would be in her friends. 1890, he replied : "As far back as fifteen years ago I prophesied that the end of the world would be in 1890, and that as it neared that time the prophecies in the Bible would Williamsport, Md., are visiting be fulfilled and made very plain to everyone. Mr. Miller then called attention to the recent floods. "We believers in this doctrine anticipated all the startling disasters that have lately occurred, though, of course, we did not know at what time or place they would occur. But all these recent floods, large fires, earthquakes, railroad accidents, increase of crime, prophecies and teachings of this rare quality. later day have all been predestinated. and are a sure sign of the approach of the end." Mr. Miller could not definitely say just why the year 1890 was set as the time for the end of the world, but in some unaccounted way they felt certain that was the time. Mr. Miller is a well informed and intelligent man, and is thoroughly sincere in what he teaches. The believers mode of work is to preach to their friends. The only object in view, so far as could be learned, was to have all prepared spiritually. In some places churches have taken up the idea and preachers are discoursing over the theme to their congregation.

By the time this is seen in print, the oats will all be cut and the greater part of it stored away. The crop is unusually heavy. On Saturday forenoon as John A. Fetterolf was coming home from the Seven mountains, just as he had passed Lick gap, a large buck re deer bounced out of the bushes into the road not over ten yards ahead 1714 Chestout St., of him where he stopped, and looked without the least visible seign of of fear. Seeing the boldness of the animal, and the recollection of his adventure he had with the panthers just about a year ago, the hair comat the vetern slayer of his species, menced to crawll up and stand out in all directions, whereupon John ask-"What do you want ?" The ed. deer of course did not answer, and John continued, "You chappie must not think that you can scare me, I have seen some worse looking fel-lows than series are not the premises about one mile north-west of Troxetville, on

lows than you are. "I am the man that stood one whole night up in Wolf swamp with my back against a pine tree keeping an old she panther with her cubs at bay, with nothing to defend myself but this trusty old barlow," at the same time he got his knife out and made a double-quick charge on the antlered monarch, who slowly gal-loped off towards Moll's, making gestures with his tail as much as to say, "Johnnie, catch me if you can." Saturdav, August 10, 1889, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following Valuable Farm situate in the Township aforesaid, bounded as titute in the Township aforesaid, bounded as too clock, A. M., the following Valuable Farm situate in the Township aforesaid, bounded as and west by lands of Robert Middleswarth and Henry Hartman, containing 136 ACRES and 36 Henry Hartman, containing 136 ACRES and 36 there the adapted to the raising of all kinds of grain. It is supplied with an excel-ment as a dower in the premises and the other and as a dower in the premises and the other and ag of sale. GEORGE NORMAN, Attract A count for heirs lows than you are. say, "Johnnie, catch me if you can."

John says he was a beauty, with large horns, which were as black as a cart-whip. The horns are all black at this time of the year. The velvet REAL ESTATE! not being scoured off yet.

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Thursday, August 15, 1889,

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mal died of lung fever. Miss Jane Getz arrived here from Russia two weeks ago and is mak-ing her home with her sister, Mrs. Mandel Friedman. She was accom-panied on the voyage by her niece, who has taken up her abode with relatives at Selinsgrove. MINISTRATORS' NOTICE Let-ters of Administration on the es tate of Abraham Kauffman, late of Spring township, Snyder county, Pa., dee'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons the undersigned, all persons the undersigned, all persons the undersigned, all persons the undersigned. ABRAHAM G. KAUPPHAN, July 11 '89 Administrator. Turkeys Side.

WM. J. WEIAND,

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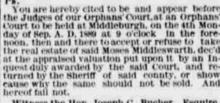
Notice to Heirs.

In the Estate of Henry Gerhart, inte of Centre Township, Snyder County, Pa. dec'd. Township, Snyder County, Fa. dee'd. I Township, Snyder County, Fa. dee'd. I To William Gerhart of Millroy, Pa., Jesse Gerhart of Centre township, Snyder Co., Pa., Suan Gerhart, Intermarried with Henry Ray of Franklin township, Snyder Co. Pa., Amelia, In-homer county Michigan, Catharine intermarried with Samuel Hackenburg of Bellvus, Sandusky county, Ohio, Jane intermarried with Henry Wolf, of Lewisburg, Union county, Fa. George Gerhart who is now dead but leaves to survive him the following children viz: Amanda Inter-married with Wilson Musser of Mexico Juniata county, Pa. Mary Intermarried with Joseph Hafley of Dolge, Dodge county, Nebraska, Sarah Gerhart intermarried with H. M. Alexander o Saticoy, Ventura county, California. Hannah Gerhart and Isaac Gerhart of Lewisburg, Pa. the last twe are minors and have for their guar dian Adam B. Waiter of Franklin township, Snyder county, Pa.

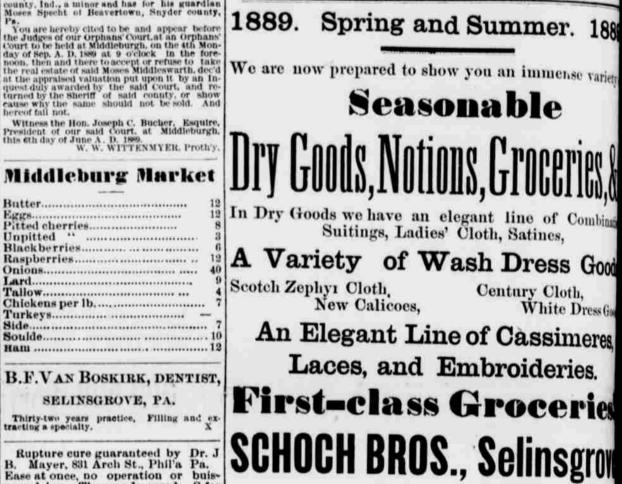
Snyder county, Pa. You are hereby cited to be and appear before the Judges of our Orphans' Court, at an Orphans Court to be held at Middleburgh, on the 4th Monday of SEP. A. D. 1889 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to accept at refuse to take the Real Esste of said Henry Gerhart, dec'd, at 'the appraised valuation put up-on it by an inquest duly awarded by the said Court, and returned by the Sheriff of said coun-ty, or show cause why the same should not be soid. And hereof fail not. Witness the Hon. J. C. Bucher. President of our said Court at Middleburgh, this 6th day of June, A. D. 1889. W. W. WITTENMYER, Proth'y

Notice to Heirs.

In the estate of Moses Middleswarth, late of Beaver township, Snyder county, Pa. To Eliza Middleswarth, widow, Ner R. Mid-dleswarth of Evens, Iowa, Mary, intermar-ried with Jonathan Leaper of Eddyville, Wap-plow county, Iowa, Catherine, Intermarried with Milton Fall, of Frederick, Monroe county, Iowa, Archie Middleswarth, of Beavertown, Snyder county, Fa. Louisa, intermarried with isaac Hackenberg, of Trocelville, Snyder county, Pa., David Middleswarth of Beavertown, Sny-der county, Pa., Robison Middleswarth of Hea-ver Springs, Snyder county Pa., Franklin Mid-dleswarth, Beaver Springs, Snyder county, Pa., and Reuben Middleswarth who is now dead but leaves to survive him the following children, viz : Maggie intermarried with John J. Frain of Council Binfis, Iowa, Ellen intermarried with ——Hinkle ofSt John, Lake county Indiana Charles Middleswarth, Remington, Jasper county, Ind., a minor snd has for his guardian Moses Specht of Beavertown, Snyder county, Pa. You are hereby cited to be and appear before



Witness the Hon. Joseph C. Bucher, Esquire President of our said Court, at Middleburgh this 6th day of June A. D. 1889. W. W. WITTENMYER, Proth'y



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Mr. and Mrs. William Middleswarth of Missouri, visited relatives tration-A No. 111 boot with a foot at this place for a few days last inside and a suspicious business week.

farmers. He has a traction engine. Albert Hackenburg, living on the undersigned. Rine's farm, has put up a stack that June 24, '89,

Edgar Smith and Elmer Wetzel have opened subscription schools. Rev. Mumma and his congregation held communion services on

has been back to Beavertown to visit

W. P. Taylor, agent for the Pennsylvania Bible Society has canvass ed the town and sold many bibles. Rev. and Mrs. Charles M. Aurand, friends here. He preached in the Lutheran church on Sunday eve-

mng Farmers are busy with their oats. Some have finished garnering the excellent crop.

News are scarce. The folks at the writer's home all unite in returning warm thanks to Hon. G. Alfred Schoch and lady for a mess of exceedingly fine plums of CITIZEN.

The Bucktails.

Sergt. W. H. Rauch, of Philadel-phia, Secretary of the Regimental Association of the "Bucktails," or First Rifle Regiment, P. R. V. C., has issued and mailed to each comrade on the roll a "postal' card, measuring seven by twelve inches, notice of the coming reunion at Philipsburg, Centre county, on the 21st and 22nd of August next, and special suggestions added, each with an appropriate comic illustration, as follows :

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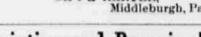
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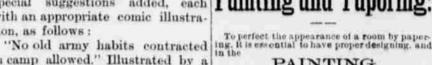
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