

Mr. Hayes has issued his proclamation calling an extra session of Congress to meet on the 15th of October, next. The last Congress adjourned on the 4th of March without having made any appropriations for the support of the army, for the year ending June 30th, 1878, so that after that date, our officers and soldiers must serve Uncle Sam on credit, until Congress again meets and appropriates money for that purpose.

Corn planting was interrupted for several days by copious rains. The rains however are very gracious and reasonable. Thank Providence for sunshine and rain.

If you want a good wagon made, George Felt of Aaronsburg will do it for you as well and cheaply as the next man. Read his card in another column, then try him.

STRANGE BREAK OF NATURE. In Centre Hall, a village at the foot of Nittany Mountain, in Potter twp., the trees grow right up through the middle of the side walks. It seems that even trees are determined to be eccentric in some localities.

Mr. J. J. Everett, the enterprising proprietor of the Bee Hive store, Lock Haven, has just returned from New York, with the largest, best selected and cheapest stock of Dry Goods ever brought to Lock Haven. The Bee Hive is your place for Dry Goods.

The Spigelmyers at Woodward have just received a large stock of Spring and Summer Goods, which they promise to sell as cheap as the cheapest. They are men whose word can be taken any day. True as preaching.

Mr. Alexander is up to time. He was to Philadelphia last week and is now busy as a beaver unpacking and marking goods. He marks his goods down—down—down, far below the freezing point, in fact very near to zero. Smart, active chap, that Willian. We feel ever so proud of our former pupil—so we do.

What a blessing to the poor would be such a wholesome purifier and preventive of contagion as Glenn's Sulphur Soap, could it be distributed among them. Why don't some philanthropist do this? D. pot Crittenton's No. 7 Sixth Avenue, New York.

Mill's Hair & Whisker Dye, black or brown, 50 cts.

Hon. W. K. Alexander passed over the rail road on the construction train, Thursday last, to a point one mile east of Fowler's. When he told us it made us feel quite rail roadish all over. Feel about half sorry that we did not take more stock or sign some bonds; yet we are willing to take matters philosophically and have no disposition to cry over spilled milk.

Our county fair is to come off on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—Oct. 3rd, 4th and 5th, next. Miss Lizzie Hiler promises to be on hand with her balloon, ascend to an altitude of some six thousand feet, then burst the machine and drop down on the same spot from which she started. Just how much this novel sight will tend to spread solid agricultural knowledge, the "Resolved" does not say.

We beg our friends and customers to spare us as far as law suits, or giving legal advice, are concerned. We are out of that business for ten years past and more, and have become very rusty since. Out of our aggregate stock of legalese we have managed to retain enough to keep out of law, and that is about enough for our own use. If you are determined to law you can get plenty of lawyers to serve you, and if that is too inconvenient or costly, our squire and Coburn ought to be able to help you out of your scrapes. Spare us we beg you, with your law troubles

The following article appeared in the Journal of March 15th, and is to-day re-published by request: Bellefonte and the Rail Road.

The Watchman of last week puts in a very strong and practical plea for the speedy construction of the projected rail road from Bellefonte to Lemont, to intersect our road at the latter point. To us it is a matter of surprise that a project so absolutely essential to the future prosperity of Bellefonte, should so long lay dormant and probably fall altogether for the want of a little energy and enterprise on the part of those most to be benefited by its construction.

Pennsylvania does not absolutely need rail road connection with Bellefonte. True, it would be a great convenience to us. We would have easy and speedy access to our county seat. Would prefer, as a matter of choice to give her our produce in exchange for her wares and merchandise; but if she will not, if she thrusts us aside, there are yet other places that will bid us welcome.

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The shoe store of Jacob Kamp, in Lock Haven, is one of the best in Central Pennsylvania. Mr. Kamp makes number one work and sells very cheaply. He is a square business man and a liberal advertiser. Our readers who go to Lock Haven will find it to their interests to buy of him. Read his advertisement in another column.

Important events cast their shadows before. There is a repairing and painting and papering and dress-making and trimming up generally going on at both ends of town, that is a joy to mechanics and an amazement to the outside world. The only possible reason we could give for all this extra activity is that preachers and treasures don't know what to do with all their money. That's all.

The highest musical authorities, as well as all who have purchased the Beatty Piano, are equally charmed with its beauty and purity of tone. The manufacturer has succeeded in imparting to its roundness, fullness and richness of tone, perfectly astonishing. None should be without one. See his advertisement. Address Daniel F. Beatty, Washington, N. J., U. S. A.

J. Newman, Jr., the King Clothier of Bellefonte, is one of the most liberal as well as successful merchants in Centre County. He sells an immense amount of clothing, and the more he sells the more he advertises, and the more he advertises the more he sells. The rule works both ways and works well. If you go to Bellefonte on business or pleasure, go to Newman and get suited from head to foot. You will thank us for having sent you there.

TO CORRESPONDENTS AND MINISTERS.—Communications, marriage and obituary notices, to insure insertion the same week, must reach us by Tuesday evening at the latest.

Whether the singing exercises held in the Academy Building at Penn Hall some weeks ago, were a success or not; whether the floor was propelled or not, and what amount was imparted, are questions that are now sufficiently discussed for the present. The public feel little interest in such matters.

YONEY. You were too late for insertion last week. Please make time.

What is a good, clever fellow? Well, the definition has a very wide range and it depends entirely on how and to whom you apply the term. A fellow is often said to be clever when he invites you up to "take something." When we apply the term to Mr. James Montgomery, whom Chief Manager of McMaigal's Hardware store, in Millheim, now Book Keeper at Mann's Axe Factory, near Bellefonte, we intend that it shall mean a very high grade of qualities, both of head and heart. A more generous and genial fellow than James one can not find in a day's travel. See

The country is flooded with Horse and Cattle Powders, many of which are about as valuable as so much saw dust. People should show some discrimination in what they feed their stock. J. Zeller & Son, practical druggist, Bellefonte, Pa., sell an article in that line, of their own manufacture, from well known and standard ingredients, which has real merits. This Powder at once acts, upon the secretions, consequently will arrest disease in Hogs, Oxen and Cows, as in Horses. If you go to Bellefonte, get some and try it. You will be convinced of its superior merits. Price, 25 cts. per pack, 5 for \$1.00

The suit of Adam Grenoble against the L. C. & S. C. R. R., better known as the Gregg township rail road case, was tried in our court last week, and a verdict rendered for Mr. Grenoble for \$562 and costs. This amount is specially made for the removal of out buildings, destruction of apple trees and garden, and for the building of fences. Nothing is allowed for right of way, the jury no doubt considering the advantages of the rail road fully equal to any losses on that score. This relieves the citizens of Gregg township, who had given bonds to the R. R. Co. guaranteeing a free right of way, from the payment of any damages. This is but right. Gregg has done her duty fully, without paying damages and the costs of an expensive law suit. We congratulate our neighbors on their good luck.

For the Journal. Mr. Editor:—In the last issue of your paper I see that "Yoney" and Franklin, both go for "Yoney." Now sir, to do "Yoney" justice, I will just say the amount taken in the evening of the concert, will not exceed three dollars, and also exceeding it to be a convention, while in progress they were very selfish with the convention they were holding without the assistance of any of their neighbors. They say, a crowd was not expected, why did they prop the floor if they did not expect a crowd? That's what puzzles the boy and rather think it puzzles them too. It is true, Spring Mills did boast about having a concert, but no doubt they thought like the Penn-Hallers, we'll postpone it because teacher ain't here. I rather think Penn-Hall has nothing to crow about postponing. In conclusion I would say, if they had given the printers a few dollars for posters, it might have been a case of necessity to prop. "Yoney" wrote the truth, and nothing but the truth. I ain always willing to give every one his due. Penn Hall, Pa. DEXTER.

One of the best Book Stores in Central Pennsylvania, is that of James Welch in Bellefonte. Full to repletion in its various departments, Mr. Welch sells at prices that defy competition anywhere. Just now he makes a speciality of paper and envelopes selling five cents per pack, and note paper at 7-10 cents per quire. We advise our readers to visit and buy at Welch's store when they go to Bellefonte.

Pettengill's Newspaper Directory. A very useful and interesting volume of 376 pages has just been issued by the old and well-known advertising agency firm of S. M. PETTENGILL & Co., New York, entitled PETTENGILL'S NEWSPAPER DIRECTORY AND ADVERTISERS' HAND-BOOK FOR 1877. The preparation of the work has involved much careful labor, information having been sought from every city, town, and village where even the smallest newspaper is published. The leading facts are given respecting 8,571 separate publications, designating the political or other distinctive character, the frequency of issue, the name of publishers, etc., and showing how many of each edition (daily, weekly, monthly, etc.) are published in each State and Territory in the United States and Province in British America.

The book is elegantly printed from new type, and, beside its mine of information, it contains portraits of leading New York journalists, and illustrations of many of the places where the publishers transact their business in New York, Philadelphia and Boston. It is sold at the low price of \$1.00 per copy, and is certainly cheap at the price to any business man who does advertising, or to any person who is interested in the extent of the Newspaper business in America.

DIED. Near Harrisburg, several days ago John Bright, father of Wm. L. Bright of Aaronsburg. (Age not given.)

CHURCH DIRECTORY. Services in the Lutheran Church, Aaronsburg, next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. German. The collection for church officers will be held at the same time.

Rev. J. H. Peters will preach in the Evangelical Church, Millheim, next Sunday morning. English.

Rev. G. W. House will preach in the M. E. Church, next Sunday evening.

Lodge and Society Directory. The Millheim Cornet Band will meet in the Town Hall on Monday and Thursday evenings.

Providence Grange No. 217 P. of H., meets in Alexander's block on the 2nd Saturday of each month at 6 P. M. and on the fourth Saturday of each month at 1 P. M.

The Irving Literary Society meets in the Town Hall, every Friday evening.

The Millheim B. & L. Association meets in Town Hall, on the evening of the second Monday of each month. Millheim Council No. 309, O. U. of A. M., meets every Saturday at 7 o'clock, p. m., in their Council Room, Wilt's Building.

Degree Meetings will be held on or before the full moon of each month. B. F. MILLER, C. CHAS. H. HELD, Sec.

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EVERY SOLDIER who was wounded or disabled in service, can get a pension by writing to John Kirkpatrick, Cambridge, Ohio.

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ELEGANT CARDS all styles with name, for 10 cts. post paid. J. B. Husted, Nassau Co., N. Y. 4w

PINK copy curious letter, 1 pk. comic cards, 10 cts. stamp. Fun Card Co., Middleboro, Mass. 4w

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FUN package comic Envelopes, pk. comic cards, pack scroll cards, 21 c. book of all for 10 cts. & stamp. Novelty Co., Middleboro, Mass. 4w

HARDWARE. JAMES HARRIS & CO., Dealers in Hardware, No. 5, Brockerhoff Row, BELLEFONTE, PA. HARDEST HARDWARE STORE IN CENTRE CO. PA. Complete line of Hardware of all kinds at the LOWEST PRICES. The Celebrated Barley Sheaf Cook Stove & Anchor Heater. CALL AND SEE.

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Reduced Prices. Motto Frames, with Back and Glass, 30 and 35 cts. Rustic Frames, 8x10, with back and glass, 30 and 35 cts. Motto, many New Styles, 5 cents. Envelopes, 4, 5 and 6 cents per pack. Note paper, 5, 7 and 10 cents per quire. Fancy Box Paper, 2 Tints, only 15 cents a box.

WALL PAPER. A Great Variety of NEW STYLES just received, and selling lower than ever before. Good Styles of Brown Paper for 7 cents per Bolt. Best quality of White Paper 11 to 14 cts. per Bolt. Brown and White Splints, of all sizes from 8 to 25 cents per bunch. Our Goods are all plainly marked in Figures and sold at one price only, and to do no injustice to any, the terms are strictly cash to all.

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AGENTS WANTED FOR HISTORY CENTENIAL EXHIBITION. It contains nearly 400 fine engravings of buildings and scenes in the Great Exhibition and is the only circular and pamphlet published. It treats of the grand buildings, wonderful exhibits, curious facts, great events, and is a treasure to all who are interested in the history of the Great Exhibition.

Daniel F. Beatty's PIANOS & ORGANS. CAUTION.—The proprietor I have edited and the celebrity of my organs and pianos is so well known that I have no need to say more. My organs and pianos are made by the best workmen and are of the best material. I have a full description of the various styles of organs and pianos in my catalogue, and also have my organs and pianos on hand.

George Fehl, Wagon-Maker, AARONSBURG, PENNA. All kinds of Wagons made to Order. 25 FANCY CARDS 15 styles with name 10 cts. Post paid, J. B. HUSTED, Nassau Co., N. Y.

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