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THINGS ABOUT TOWN & COUNTY

THE CHANCE OF A LIFE-TIME .--Knowing that this fall's campaign will be one of education we have arranged to give the people of Centre county the wo best Democratic newspapers in the country at a phenomenally low price. From the present time until after the election the WATCHMAN and the New York weekly World will be sent to any address upon the receipt of seventy (70) cents. Think of it. Such an opportunity has never before been offered you and if you do not avail yourself of this chance to get all the latest and most reliable campaign news as well as a complete weekly resume of the doings of the world you cer anly can have no one to blame but yourself.

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-Miss Katharine Dale, of Lemont, is visiting Miss Elenore Mitchell.

-The Gerberich & Hale flouring mill, at this place, will be rebuilt.

- Miss Florence Aull, of Pittsburg, is visiting at the residence of P. Gray

Meek. -Mr. George Case and family are enjoying the sea bathing at Atlantic

-The good people of Milesburg

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Achenbach are spending their vacation at Bar Harbor, Me.

---The Undine fire company has a complete new outfit in suits and they look handsome.

___The report that the Nail Works operating it is a canard.

making their annual summer visit to friends and relatives in Bellefonte. -The upper end of Bald Eagle had

a fire on Monday night which consumed Emanuel Downing's barn near Vail.

-Mr. Geo. T. Bush, the book store man of this place, is attending a wheelman's meet in Washington, this

--- Chairman Schaeffer publishes his list of persons to hold the Democratic primary elections in another column of the WATCHMAN,

The Methodist Sunday School pic-nicked at the Park on Tuesday. The day proved a most delightful one and the six hundred children enjoyed the day at the popular resort.

-Esquire Reifsnyder, who dispenses justice about Millheim and is growing rich attending to his other callings, was a welcome visitor to Bellefonte on Wednesday.

-Mrs. Yarrington, of Richmond, Va. and her two bright little, children, Alec and Louisa, have come to spend the remainder of the summer with her mother Mrs. C. T. Alexander.

A very delightful cave party was given last Saturday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Corbet and son, of Clarion, and Mr. and Mrs. James Robbins, of Westport, who were visiting at Mr-Shortlidge's.

Mr. William Foster, of State College, one of the most successful farmers in the county and as genial a gentlemen as one will find in a day's travel, had business in Bellefonte on Tues-

-Gen. Beaver, of this place, Col. R. H. Thomas, editor of the Farmer's Rhone, of Centre Hall, will speak at the harvest home picnic of the Grangers, at Warrior's Mark, on July 30th.

The young people's society of Christian Endeavor held its first annual picnic at Hunter's Park, on Monday, and about two hundred attended. The Bellefonte orchestra accompanied the party and all reported having had an excellent time.

- Mrs Mary Parson and Miss Annie Stott started Wednesday morning for Punxsutawney, the former for a visit to her son Wesley, who is one of the leading merchants of the place, and whose head clerk is Mr. James Stott Miss Annie's brother, with whom she will stay the greater part of the summer.

Joe W. Furey, Esq., whose bright writings the readers of the WATCHMAN enjoyed for so many years, and who has been physically "under the weather" all summer, spent a short time in town this week. He has been visiting at his sister's, Mrs. Dale's near Lemont, for the past month trying to regreatly improved.

DID ANY ONE BEAT IT?-Charlie Wable who spent a portion of each of the last five days of the trout season on Logan's Branch and Spring Creek, between Mann's Axe Factory and this place, has the following record of each day's catch, which we doubt it any other fisherman in this section of the coun-

try can equal Monday, 12 hours, 38 fish weighing 81/2 lbs.
Tuesday, 14 " 36 " " 7/2 "
Wednesday, 7 " 18 " " 61/4 "
Thursday, 15 " 22 " " 63/4 "
Friday, 12 " 20 " " 11 " Total 60 134

The above is not a fish story but a truth that scores of people who examined and weighed the catch each evening can certify to. Most of them were purchased and used, or given to friends, by the big-hearted proprietor of the Central Hotel at Central City-Mr. Kohlbecker. When one takes into consideration the fact that the distance fished over is less its, and the balance of it populated so its banks that is quiet or concealed; that about ten o'clock piece time. there is not a day of the fishing season that one would find less than a dozen fisherman whipping the streams with fly or trying to lure the trout with grasshoppers or red worms; that illegal fishing with nets and out lines is carried on and geese are constantly on these streams, the wonder is that any trout at all are to be found in them at the close of the

The first day that trout fishing was allowed we counted, between Mann's and this place, 119 men and boys trying their luck. There has not been a day since that a dozen or more fisherman could not be found in this same distance, and vet with a common bamboo rod and a red worm bait,"big Charlie" takes 40lbs. in less than five days at the close of the season. All of which goes to show that took in the sights at Hunter's Park on | if Logans Branch and Spring Creek had half a chance, or had any kind of protection from the ravages of ducks and geese and illegal fisherman, we would have streams right in our town, that for trout fishing, would put to blush any of the far western or Canadian Streams we hear so much about.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE PARTY.-The plant had been purchased with a view to home of Mrs. Rebecca Curtin, widow of the late Austin Curtin, on the Rowan -Mr. and Mrs. Dick Garman, are farm located on the Bald Eagle creek, opposite Curtin's rolling mill, was, on last Saturday, the scene of a most enjoyable occasion. Mrs. Curtin had attained forgotten it. They came pouring in from all directions about noon, loaded with supplies for a most sumptuous repast. Many, and valuable too, were the presents laid at the recipient's feet : a handsome rocking chair was a conspicuous present, from C. C. Curtin, her son, of Lock Haven. Many brought aprous, which she kept tying on until literally weighted down with them. About forty person were served with a about 4 o'clock all retired but Mrs. who stayed to talk more fully over old good thing had been done.

Of those present, from Mt. Eagle were: Mrs. Enos Hicklin, Miss Lizzie Kyle has many larger ones it may be-Bathurst, Mrs. Wm. T. Leathers and Mrs. Eliza White; from Milesburg fence back to give them a chance to do there were Mrs. Thomas Taylor and their best. Nancy Aikens; from the near neighborhood, Mr. and Mrs. Lowry Shope, Mrs. Joseph Funk, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey and family, Beckie Harvey, Joseph and Oscar Harvey, Harry Kahn, Isabel Harvey, Julia and Clarence Bathurst; from Bellefonte, Mrs. Jno. Hoy; from Roland and vicinity Mrs. Jane Holter, Mary Barger, Polly Ann Dukeman, Henriette Shultz, Mr. and Mrs. Hen-Bathurst, Mrs. Jack Barnhart, Mrs. H. L. Barnhart. Mr. and Mrs. Hast Lyman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawrence Bathurst, from Lock Haven, Constans, Mrs. Curtin's youngest son. Roland and Lawrence Curtin were too far Friend and Grand Master Leonard distant to get home, though indeed they were not unexpected.

BELLEFONTE HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI Association,—On last Friday evening about thirty graduates of the Bellefonte High School met in the Bush House parlors, in this place, to form an alumi association. The meeting was called to order by Harry Keller '84 and after a few remarks by different old students it was determined that the organization of such a society would have a healthy influence over its alma mater. A permanent organization was thereupon effected with the following officers: President, Harry Keller, '84; Vice President Thomas Hutchinson, '85; Secretary, George R. Meek, '86; Treasurer, 'Boyd Musser, '89. A committee on forms and rules was appointed which will report at a meeting in the same place this

Tuesday night in town. He gets over are no bigger-hearted people living, but the county frequently in his business the printers summer outings are over for capacity of purchasing cattle and re- this season, and the work of furnishing November.

-W. Fiske Conrad, of Tyrone, has been nominated for Assembly by the Democrats of Blair county.

-Altoona is said to be in debt to the tune of \$400,000. Bellefonte has something to live for after all.

-Mr. R. H. McGee, an old typo and at present the head of the Lock Haven fire department, accompanied by his friend Mr. Webb, attended the Logan Picnic on Thursday.

-Mr. P. B. Zentmyer, one of the prominent business men of Houtzdale, and an all over Democrat, was in town, on Monday, on his was to the State College to make arrangements for enrolling his son among its list of students.

-Mr. Aaron Williams who hopes to be the next Congressman from this than two and a half miles; that part of district has been up the Bald Eagle valthis distance is within the borough lim- ley harvesting the past ten days. Mr. Williams, as we are told, is a whole thickly that there is scarcely a rod along team in the harvest field, especially

Sunday morning. Both are well known at night and that great flocks of ducks young people and have the congratulations of many friends in this vicinity.

> -Mr. Garner, of State College, company will be the looser.

-Lock Haven is now exciting itself about getting a tin-plate factory established in that place. They can buy one it is said for \$10,000 cash. If it don't amount to more than the one that burned down in Philadelphia a few months ago, it would be a dear investment at the figures they have already raised-\$150.

-A number of the members of Co. "B," have been home on leave of absence since they were called to Homestead, and all report that the boys are having a pleasant time, and expect to return without experiencing the dangers of a battle or having the blood of any poor fellow upon their conscience.

-On Tuesday evening next the you do not understand what a "rainbow tea" is, go and see the gourgeousness of it, and taste of its many colored excellencies. There is nothing else like it under the sun, and you'll miss a real treat if you fail to enjoy this one on next Tuesday evening.

-Mr. Kyle McFarlane knows how dinner supplimented by ice-cream, and to do other things besides run a hardware store. Yesterday morning he Jane Holter and Mrs. Jane Whiteman brought to this office a gooseberry measuring 23 inches in circumference, and times and then left about sunset; feel- tells that is one of the least that grows on ing, like the rest of the guests, that a his bushes. We doubt if any other fruit raiser in the county can equal the come necessary for him to move his

-As a result of a stroke of paralysis which that good woman received just about a month ago, Mrs. Thomas Miles. of Milesburg, died on Sunday evening. She was in her 63d year and had reared lows: a family of which any mother would be proud. Mrs. Miles was a woman beloved by the entire community in which she dwelt and her demise will be a sad blow to the many whom she befriended. Interment was made from St. John's Roman Catholic church, in this place, on Wednesday morning.

-According to the Lock Haven Daily Democrat, of Monday; the District Attorney of Clinton county as gotten himself into a pretty predicament. Not satisfied with the severe threshing he received a few months ago at the hands of the man whose home he had ruined, he induced the erring wife to accompany him to Williamsport, on Saturday, where the betrayed husband found them in a room in the Crawford house. District Attorney Brungard and his paramour were held under \$500 bail for adultery.

-The WATCHMAN force acknowledges the receipt of an invitation to attend a Harvest Home Basket Picnic, to be held under the auspices of Warriorsmark Grange, at Warriorsmark, in Funk's Grove, on Saturday, July 30. 1892, and at which Ex-Gov. Beaver will deliver an address. It would give every person connected with this office pleasure to accept the hospitality of our gran--Ex-Treasurer D. C. Keller spent ger friends at Warriorsmark, for there us to stay at home and work.

SUDDEN ENDING OF A BUSY LIFEfeelings of sad duty and conscious inability that we would render a tribute to the memory of Mr. S. Austin Brew, who was killed last Thursday evening on Pine Creek, near Jersey Shore, where he had gone, on Tuesday, to superintend a large saw mill that had recently been erected at that point. At the time of the accident -- as we understand -- he was near a pile of logs directing how they should be moved when suddenly they started, and before he seemed to realize the danger, one struck him, killing him almost instantly. Perhaps no one in this town was better known or held in higher esteem, and when the first telegram came announcing the terrible accident it was as a thunder bolt out of a

Born in Ireland, 70 years ago, last December, he came, with his parents Thaddeus Brew and Mary Curtin, to this county when he was but 9 years during part of last week. old. A resident of Centre county from that time, he was universally respected for his genial disposition, his great -Mr. Georgh H. Hazel, of Axe integrity of character and his pleasing Mann and Miss Mary Sluttman, of generosity. With large natural re-Pleasant Gap, were married at the sources of energy, a good constitution, Lutheran parsonage in Boalsburg, on aptness, industry and good judgment, he was a man who had never grown old and who kept abreast of the times in business, church and social life.

clear sky to the entire community.

Mr. Brew was first married to Miss Margaret Thomas, who died in 1865, whose barn was struck by lightning and and afterwards he married Miss Kathdestroyed last week, an account of arine Patten, of Wilkesbarre, who with which was given in the last issue of the his six children, Constance, of Toledo, WATCHMAN, was lucky enough to have | O.; George T., of Swantin, Md.; Harry, almost his entire loss covered by insur- of Tyrone; William P., of Pittsburg; and ance. The Pennsvalley Insurance Tom and Miss Minnie who reside at home, survive him. Mr. Brew was an only son and of his four sisters three are still living; Mrs. Hamilton, and Mrs. allowed last year. McClain, of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Nolan: who lives in Washington.

His tuneral, Sunday afternoon from his home on Spring street with additional services at St. John's Episcopal church, of which he had been a consistent and devoted communicant for years: was one of the largest that has ever been seen in this community and gave evidence of the popularity of the noble man who had been so suddenly called to meet his Maker.

Base Ball.—About 500 people went up to Hunter's Park on Tuesday to see the Tyrone and Bellefonte clubs play off the championship game which was postponed from last Saturday, As the ladies of the Christian Endeavor will visitors had lost every game on their many friends and neighbors had not entertain their friends, and as many of trip, before reaching here, it was hoped the public as will be pleased to patro- that Bellefonte would be able to down nize them, in the chapel of the Presby- them and drop into second place, but a terian church, with a rainbow tea. If few timely hits combined with careful base running helped them to score a victory over us.

The game was the first played under the new organization and proved most satisfactory to everyone. Our players did the best they could and it was all that could be expected of them. They are not expected to cope with all the professionals who can be gathered up in the State and their defeat is not looked upon with any discredit whatever.

The clubs were made up as follows: Tyrone - Gill, c; McCormick, 1b; Dunn, p; Allen, If; Sheeder, 2b; Beam, m; Shelley, ss; Metcalf, 3; McIntosh. specimen brought to this office, and if r f. Bellefonte-Musser, 2; Woodcock, 3b; Woodcock, ss; Patchen, 1b; Howell, p; Houck, lf; Harris, cf; Stuart, rf; Hartswick, c.

For the home team Woodcock L. and Patchen took the fielding honors while Stuart helped out wonderfully at the bat. For the visitors, Gill, McCormick and Sheeder played a beautiful game. The score by inning was as fol-

200020001-584 Bellefonte 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0-2 8 7 The Bellefonte club left on the early train Wednesday morning for Clearfield and won from the boys out there by the score of 7 to 6. Saylor was in the box for our team and pitched a fine game up to the seventh inning when he was relieved by Atherton. Otherwise the boys played in the same positions they occupied in Tuesday's game. A feature of the Clearfield contest was the home run hit made by Patchen.

CAMP MEETING IN BELLEFONTE .- A home camp-meeting will be held in the Evangelical church, Bellefonte, Pa., commencing on the evening of the 2d and closing on the evening of the 9th of August. On Sunday the 7th the church is to be dedicated, Bishop Stanford, of Harrisburg, will officiate. A goodly number of ministers will be present during the entire week. Any person wishng to tent on the green near the church can rent a good tent for \$2.00 for the week or bring their own tent and put it up free. All are invited to this gospel feast. For further information address the pastor, E. W. Koontz, Bellefonte,

___Mr. William Jenkins has done a very philanthropic deed in having the the dances at the pavilion. old brick pavement, in front of his High street home, replaced by a fine concrete walk. More than one person learned to swear just at that point. In wet weath- from the many merry people we saw cruit his health, and we are glad to note ports the Democracy hopeful and enthu- the best county paper in the State, to its er those loose bricks used to squirt little getting off the trains last evening we returns to his home in Lock Haven static over the prospect of success in readers, requires every mother's son of streamlets clear up to the knees of unwary pedestrians.

-- The Americus orchestra of Lock AUSTIN BREW .- It is with mingled Haven furnished the music for the Logan's dienic at the Park yesterday.

> -\$2600 is the amount Henry Gentzel has drawn from the Patrons' Insurance company for his recent loss by fire.

-The Bellefonte Bicyle club numbering eighteen members is sporting new uniforms of navy blue jersey cloth.

-Miss Eliza Snell, who was here attending her uncle Mr. Brew's funeral, left for her home in Binghampton N.Y., vesterday morning.

-The Bellefonte orchestra has received its new instruments. A bassoon, several French horns, and kettle drum are among the new pieces.

-Mr. Sturges Charles, well known to many Bellefonte readers, and one of the prosperous business men of Hast ings, called on old friends hereabouts

Mens black and brown cheviot, suits \$3.50, 6,00, 6.50, 7.00, 8.00 10.00 upward. Lyon & Co.

-The prospects are that Centre county will loose one of her best citizens in the removal of Mr. J. W. Hoover, of Scotia, who purposes visiting St. Paul with the intention of permanently locating there.

-The best styles of mens dress pants \$2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00 and 5.00.

The annual adjustment of the salaries of presidential postmasters has been completed for the year, and our two offices filled by presidential appointment-Bellefente and Philipsburg -will pay the same salaries that were

-Ladies blazers in tans and other light shades \$3.00 \$3.50 and upward. Lyon & Co.

The Quarterly Conference of the United Brethren church will be held in this place to-morrow, Saturday, and Sunday. Rev. T. P. Orner, presiding elder, of Altoona, will preach Saturday evening and at both the morning and evening services on Sunday.

-Mr. James Nolan, a former Bellefonte boy, but for years chief chef at the Arlington Hotel, Washington, is visiting friends in Bellefonte. We are glad to know that "Jimmie," is as good a Democrat as he is a workman, and that means that there are none better.

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-From all parts of the county we hear reports of a most abundant harvest of wheat, most which has been housed in the best of order. With the big vield of last year, supplemented with the bountiful crops of the present season, our farmers have reason to feel that if the Republican party does deal unjustly with them in the matter of taxation, the good Lord remembers them in their time of need.

-Bedford cords 30 to 75 cents,

SOME OPERA HOUSE BOOKINGS:-August 4th. Lillian Kennedy in "She Couldn't Marry Three." August 26th, Vreeland's Minstrels. September 7th, Kellar, the Magician. September 12th, Jane Combs in the"Bleak House." Sep. 20th "The Silver King." Sept. 26, Frohmen's Minstrels. Oct. 10th, Alfred Kelcy in "Widow Murphy's Goat." Nov. 21st, Markham's Comedy Co. one week. Nov. 30th, Sweney, Alvido, Gormon & Goetze's Minstrels. Dec. 16th, Aiden Benedict in "Fabio Romani." Dec. 30th, May Smith Bobbins in "Little Trixy," Jan. 10th, 1893, Chas. T. Ellis, Jan. 20th, "Carter's Fast Mail." Feb. 6th, Herbert Cawthorne in "Little Nugget." March 6th, Kittie Rhoades Comedy Co. one week.

--- Mens black dress suits \$8.00, 8,50 9.00, 10.00, 12.00 and 15.00. Lyon &

THE LOGAN PICNIC. The greatest gala day the Park has known was celebrated yesterday when the Logan Steamer company, with its friends, went up to have a picnic. The bright morning augured well for a pleasant day and long before train time crowds of gayly attired maidens gathered about the station in readiness to go. About 10:30 the Zion band turned into High street, to a lively march and proceeded toward the railroad. The Undine fire company was following it, with the Logan boys bringing up the rear. All looked fine in their natty clothes. Twas not long until the train departed and when the Park was reached amusement of different sorts were participated in. Boating, tennis, base-ball, dancing, etc., all added to the enjoyment of the picnickers. The Americus orchestra, of Lock Haven, furnished the music for

As entertainers the Logan boys are hard to surpass, as their 600 guests yesterday, are enthusiastic in testifying and concluded that our firemen had scored

Dog DAYS .- Tuesday last, July 12, marked the beginning of what is known as "dog days," which precede and follow the helical rising star Sirius-in the constellation of the Greater Dog. The extreme heat of this season of the year, although to us palpably the effect of the continued high position of the sun, was connected by the ancients with the appearance of this star in the morning. They considered the dog star as raging, and gave the appellation as dog days. The liability of dogs to rabies in consequences of the heat of the season was connected with the same star, though there was nothing but accident in the collusion, and they butchered these animals without mercy. The season lasts six weeks and is considered an unhealthy one.

—Dress gingham 64, 7, 8, 10, 12 15 and 20 cents. Lyon & Co.

DEATH OF A FORMER CENTRE COUN-TY CITIZEN.—On the 4th of July at his home in Blaine, Nebraska, Mr. J. W. Zeigler, quietly passed to the great hereafter. At the age of 18 he moved from this county to Stevenson county, Ill., where he resided for five years and then emigrated to Nebraska where he made his home until the time of his death. While in Illinois he joined the Christian church of which he was an exemplary and honored member during the balance of his life. He was highly respected as a citizen, was a member of the Knights of Labor, of the Farmer's Alliance, and since boyhood has been an active and earnest advocate of Democratic principles. He leaves a wife and nine children, one brother and six sisters a number of whom are residents of this county.

—Boys suit \$1.20 1.50 1.75 2.00 and upward Lyon & Co.

AN OCTOGENARIAN VISITOR, -Several weeks ago Mr. McAlarney, of Port Matilda, came down to Bellefonte to see how the capital looked. He walked about the streets with an air of a man of 50 years, instead of one who had scored off 82 mile stones on life's journey. Mr. McAlarney is one of the pioneers of the Bald Eagle Valley and has been a Democrat, staunch and true, ever since there was a Democratic party to belong to. During his stay in town he was entertained by Recorder Morrison.

MOUNTAIN LEAGUE STANDING TO Won Lost P. C Philipsburg 500 Tyrone Bellefonte Clearfield

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