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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

The fires are to be relighted in the glass works here on the 15th.

Remember, the big races at the Fair to-day and the free-for-all to-morrow.

There were 93 scholars in attendance when the Rebersburg schools opened for the fall term.

A number of Look Haven gentlemen have begun the building of a half mile race track at that place.

R. B. Fore and Miss Carrie DeLong were married at the bride's home at Blanchard on Wednesday.

Judge J. G. Love is to be one of the speakers at Lakemont on Saturday, which is Grand Army day there.

County Supt. Gramley is the owner of a thoroughbred horse which is said to be one of the finest about Rebersburg.

Postmaster W. S. Miller, of Rebersburg, got ivy poison while working in his potato patch recently, and he is laid up with it.

There will be a musical and elocutionary entertainment in the union chapel at Pleasant View on Tuesday evening, Sept. 27th.

Frank Derstine, who came home from Niagara Falls to take a place in the store of Sim the Clothier, is ill at his home on Penn street with typhoid fever.

While oiling a threshing machine in Brushvalley last week Ira Brangart nearly lost his eye sight. The hot oil was blown into his eyes, burning them severely.

Mr. A. Kohlbecker and the members of his family are deeply sensible of the comforting consideration of their friends during the dark hours of their recent affliction.

The fifteenth annual reunion of the regional association of bucktails will be held at Gettysburg on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 10th, 11th and 12th.

Col. W. Fred Reynolds has received another consignment of Angora goats for his experimental farm up Spring creek. There were 311 in the car that arrived recently; making 600 in all in his flock.

The Bellefonte Central R. R. now coaches a semi-chair car. One of the old coaches has been rearranged on the inside so as to give up quite a little space in the centre of the car to wicker chairs and they add much to the comfort of the passengers who are fortunate enough to secure them.

A first class concert is to be given in the Pleasant View Union chapel on Tuesday evening, the 24th. That such well known musicians as Miss Ohnmaecht, Mrs. C. F. York and Nathaniel Bierly will take part insures its success and the program will be varied by several recitations by one of our best impersonators.

A. Miles Arney, of Centre Hall, who was an honor graduate from The Pennsylvania State College, has been called to accept the position as assistant in the electrical laboratory at that institution. He has resigned a good place with the General Electric Co. at Schenectady, N. Y. to accept the call. Mr. Arney is a son of B. H. Arney, Esq., of Centre Hall.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church of this place have announced that on Thursday and Friday, December 5th and 6th, they will hold a fair at which a New England kitchen will be one of the features. Mrs. Evelyn H. Rodgers will have charge of it and will be assisted by one hundred ladies of the church.

Mrs. Edith Sehad and J. L. Seibert, of this place, Nell Meek, of Johnstown, who is a member of the Centre county association, G. W. Leitzel and H. S. Brantch, of Spring Mills, and Coons, of Scotia, have been chosen delegates to represent the Centre County Medical Association at the state convention, which meets in Philadelphia Sept. 23rd.

The ninth annual convention of the Centre County Christian Endeavor union was held in the Presbyterian church, at State College, last week and was attended by quite a large number of delegates. County president J. A. Pratt, Revs. W. H. Brown, C. T. Aikens, Chas. Frick, W. F. Carson and Sec. Gammel, of the Bellefonte Y. M. C. A., were the principal talkers.

John F. Rummel, who came here from Gettysburg with N. L. Lieberman, the clothier, and afterward went to Sim the Clothier, is going to Cumberland, Md., to take charge of the clothing department of a large store there. He expects to leave here the latter part of the month and Mrs. Rummel will go with him. Frank Derstine, who left Montgomery's to go to Niagara Falls, will take Mr. Rummel's place at Sim the Clothier's.

Mrs. Wilbur F. Reeder gave a porch party at her home on north Allegheny street, Tuesday morning, in honor of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Borches, of Knoxville, Tenn. The guests included Misses Betty and Jennie Breeze, Lonisa and Ellen Valentine, Margaret and Blanche Cook, Mary and Nan Hoy, May Crider, Blanche Hayes, Mrs. Ernest Taylor, of Middletown, N. J., Mrs. T. K. Morris, Tyrone, and Rebecca and Christine Blanchard, Miss Marlowe, Richmond, Va., Patty Lane, Mrs. John M. Shugert, Anna Seohler and Adaline Harris.

IT IS A GREAT FAIR.—The WATCHMAN has persistently used the word great in connection with its announcements of the Centre county fair that is being held at Bellefonte this week and we are happy to say that the result shows that it has not been without warrant. Though the weather has been anything but propitious the fair has gone on without interruption and the thousands who have visited the grounds have been well satisfied with the entertainment provided for them.

Every promise has been fulfilled. There are more and more varied entertainments than last year, the stock exhibit is nearly double as large and in every feature but one the fair surpasses expectations. The one short coming is entirely unavoidable, however, as it is due entirely to conditions over which the management has no control. We refer to the display of agricultural products. The early date of the fair and the poor crop season in Centre county are responsible for this, though in that department there are even more exhibits than will be found at most fairs in the State.

Owing to the uncertainties occasioned by the rain of Wednesday and yesterday morning the WATCHMAN has deemed it best not to publish a complete record of the exhibits and events of the various days until the next issue, when each will be given the attention it merits.

WEDNESDAY.

Wednesday was really the first pay day at the fair. While it opened formally the day before the races and various entertainment features did not get under full sway until Wednesday. Notwithstanding the heavy rain of Tuesday night and the threatening weather of the following morning there were about \$3,000 people on the grounds. They enjoyed themselves seeing the exhibits, throwing balls at the babies, ringing canes, drinking orange cider, visiting Col. Westlake's great show and the clever wild west aggregation until the track events were called. Then the Colville band and Prof. Harry Smith, with his troupe of gymnasts, jugglers, and trained dogs kept things going between the heats.

The races were all special but the running event. Owing to the failure to fill the 2:40 and 2:17 classes they were made special races.

1st RACE, REALLY THE 2:40 CLASS, \$40 EACH.
Lucille Wilson, ch. id., N. Baker Lewisville..... 2 1 1
Billy Howe, s. g., Palace Stables, Bellefonte..... 1 2 4 4
Geo. B., b. g., J. H. Fincher, Montoursville..... 4 4 2 2
Little Tommy, br. s., G. E. Brindle, Lewisport..... 3 3 3 3
Time 2:37, 2:33 1/2, 2:35, 2:34.

2ND RACE, REALLY 2:17 CLASS, \$60, \$40, \$30, \$20.
This race turned out to be a far prettier than it would had it been for a purse. The drivers got into trouble among themselves and then went in for blood. The result was that there was a real horse race. Wilson, who had evidently laid "Heart of Oak" up for the first three heats, went after Jordan, the Haws horse of Johnstown, and took the fourth heat in a pounding finish; it being so close that there was a great division of opinion among those at the wire as to which horse was really under first. The next heat the stallion won easily, but it was then too dark to continue it, so it was postponed until Thursday.

E. C. Jordan, ch. g., Haws, Johnstown..... 1 2 1 2 3
Heart of Oak, d. s., Enterline, Shenokin..... 4 4 1 1
Stretching Palace Stable, Bellefonte..... 3 1 2 4 4
Niama, b. m., Clarkson, Montoursville..... 2 3 3 3 2
Time 2:25 1/2, 2:22 1/2, 2:23 1/2, 2:23.

RUNNING RACE, PURSE \$100.
Phil Thompson, st. g., Myers, Philadelphia..... 2 2
Meyer, b. g., Worth, London Grove..... 1 1
Satie House, s. m., Burrows, Williamsport..... 3 3
Balo, s. f., Kleifer, Reedsville..... 4 4

THURSDAY.

Yesterday would have more than fulfilled the WATCHMAN's predictions of a ten thousand crowd had the heavy rain that fell in the morning held off for another day. There were fully 5,000 people on the grounds, however, and they all enjoyed themselves notwithstanding. The track was too heavy for any of the harness racers, but the runners were called out and gave a thrilling exhibition in the mud. As they were dashing down the stretch Susie Houze fell and rolled over her jockey, James Douglas, of Williamsport, several times. He laid unconscious on the track, but was not struck by any of the others. When carried away he regained consciousness and last evening was suffering only a little stiffness as a result. The judges then decided that the track was too muddy had called the race off.

All of yesterday's races will be run today and on Saturday the great free-for-all will go with Ainsworth, Rosebud and the other fast ones in the string. Remember this. The fair will continue on Saturday.

Shippman's company in "Pudd'n-head Wilson" appeared at Garman's, on Wednesday night, and played to standing room. The crowd was a deserved one, for a better balanced, more capable cast has never been seen on a Bellefonte stage. All that is in Mark Twain's clever comedy was produced at which no policeman was necessary to keep the gallery quiet we consider that we have paid the players of Wednesday night a high compliment. Miss Louise Ripley, as "Roxey" was exceptionally strong; William S. Gill portrayed Twain's misunderstood lawyer to a nicety that was delightful, while Miss Niblo as "Roxey" and William Colvin as "Sheriff Blake" were characters who lent materially to the success of the production. But it is unfair to particularize because the entire cast was first class.

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The best day of the Fair will be to-morrow.

Sweet, the crack centre rush of last season's Bucknell foot ball team, will be at State this fall. He is a splendid player and will add much to the strength of the blue and white.

Mrs. John M. Dale gave a theatre party Wednesday night for her guests, Miss Marlowe and Miss Margery Knowles, of Richmond, Va. After the play a supper was served to a number of young people at the Dale home on Linn street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Alonzo Hoffman have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter Caroline to Mr. W. Harrison Walker, of Bellefonte. The ceremony will be performed on Wednesday evening, September 25th, at 8 o'clock, at the bride's home at Pleasantville.

The engagement of Miss Annie M. Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Brooks, of Pleasant Gap, and Harry Gentzel has been publicly announced. The wedding, which will be the social event of the month at Pleasant Gap, will be celebrated at the home of the bride's parents on Thursday, the 26th, at 5 o'clock. Mr. Gentzel is a son of Henry Gentzel, but his home is now in Altoona, where he has been employed for more than a year.

At the entertainment in the Methodist lecture room on Thursday evening, given under the auspices of the Epworth League, for the benefit of the church debt obligation, Miss Elizabeth Faxon got into herself an ovation which she amply deserved. She is a bright and clever girl; so clever that many of her sketches are living likenesses of the characters she impersonates. Her forte is imitating children and light and amusing characters, though her repertoire includes widely different roles. If she is wise, too, she will keep to the line in which she shines particularly, for in these days comedy is far more in demand than drama or tragedy. There were other attractions there, too, that evening. Will Van Tries and Russell Blair contributed much to the success of the entertainment by their mandolin and guitar playing. Misses Helen and Enalio Williams played several duets and Miss Sarah Fitzgerald sang quite a pretty solo.

HEIRS CONTESTING FOR MILLIONS.—The following telegram from Pottsville, which appeared in the Philadelphia papers recently will be of interest to many Centre county families, since a number of them are of the Moser family tree. The case involves millions of dollars which the Mosers claim from the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company.

While there are no Mosers in this county the Mosers are the branch that will come in for a share of the immense sum, if the suit is won. The Mosers of Centre county were originally Mosers, the change of name being on record in the Court house here.

Pottsville, Pa., Sept. 3.—President Judge O. P. Bechtel to-day set down Sept. 17th as the date when the famous Moser case, involving millions of dollars, will be tried in the Schuylkill county court. John G. Johnson and other Philadelphia lawyers have been engaged in the case. The suit involves the title to land comprising nearly the entire borough of Tamaqua, and also valuable coal lands on which the Lehigh Valley coal company has seven collieries. If the plaintiffs win over 500 families will lose their homes.

THE GOLDEN ROD DANCE.—The Golden Rod dance, the last of the summer series in the Armory here, last Friday night, was a great success. The armory was beautifully decorated and there were so many guests from a distance present as to make it an affair extraordinary. Chappell's orchestra furnished the music.

Among the out of town guests were John M. Gates, Chas. A. Cass, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas K. Morris, and Miss Cass, Tyrone; Miss Anne Barnes, Patton; Harry Anderson, Chicago; H. L. Evans, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Morris, Pittsburg; Miss Pettit, Robert and Harry Fay, Altoona; Miss Edwards, Pittsburg; James Mathers, Cleveland; Miss Fredericks, Flemington; Mrs. I. S. Cooper, Ithaca, N. Y.; Miss Chapman, Miss Shaffer, Miss Peters, Howard Curtin and Richard Lane, Philadelphia; Miss Sanderson, Flemington; Mrs. Joseph Borches, Knoxville, Tenn.; Mrs. Tonner, Washington, D. C.; Messrs Piper and Lawson, Williamsport; Mrs. F. K. Lukebach, of Phillipsburg.

LIEUTENANT FREDERICK A. DALE MARRIED.—Lieutenant Frederick Allport Dale, assistant surgeon, U. S. A., was married to Miss Caroline Maude Kern, at the cottage of the bride's father, 215 Pacific avenue, Atlantic City, at noon, on Wednesday, September 4th. Their marriage was very unostentatious, no one being present but a few of their nearest relatives. Mr. David Dale, of Lemont, was the best man and Miss Margaret Chapman, of Philadelphia, was the maid. The bride was gowned in white crepe de chens with lace yoke and sleeves. She wore a white hat and carried lilies of the valley. The groom wore his military uniform.

Immediately after the ceremony a breakfast was served at the cottage, the bride having out the wedding cake with her soldier husband's sword.

Lieutenant Dale is the eldest son of Dr. and Mrs. J. Y. Dale, of Lemont. After a course of study at The Pennsylvania State College he was graduated from the medical department of the University of Pennsylvania. Later he was appointed lieutenant and assistant surgeon in the regular army and ordered to Manila. He returned to the States last month in charge of the Fourteenth infantry and is at present on a month's leave. His bride is a daughter of Howard R. Kern Esq., of Philadelphia, and is a most attractive young woman.

DIED VERY UNEXPECTEDLY.—While driving with her husband and child from their home in Milesburg to Catholic church, in this place, Sunday evening, Mrs. Alois A. Kohlbecker was taken suddenly ill and seemed unable to get her breath. They were on Allegheny street, near Crider's Exchange, at time and she was lifted from the wagon and taken into Zeller's drug store. Her struggles to get enough air into her lungs to keep from suffocating were pitiable indeed, but though several physicians were hastily called nothing would give her relief and she died in a very few minutes. It is supposed that death was caused by fatty degeneration of the heart, though she had never been sick a day in her life before the end came.

Mrs. Kohlbecker was born in Pittsburg July 25th, 1852. Her maiden name was Annie Mary Seigworth. She married Alois Kohlbecker in September, 1870, and to their union sixteen children were born. Ten of them survive their mother as follows: Louis, Monongahela City; Mrs. Felix Vallimont, Kane; Frank, Harvey, Emma, Estella, Francis, Josephine, Lena and Ollie, all at Milesburg.

Mrs. Kohlbecker was a most devoted wife and mother. Her every thought and endeavor was for her family and in her sad death they have experienced an unexpected bereavement that only Him who doeth all things well can comfort. She was a consistent member of St. John's Catholic church in this place and requiem mass for the repose of her soul was celebrated there by Father McArdle at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

MRS. W. FLETCHER BIDDLE.—Mrs. Jane Biddle, wife of W. Fletcher Biddle, of Buffalo Run, died at her home near Waddle's, on Friday evening, of diabetes. Mrs. Biddle had been under a physician's care for some time but she was not considered seriously ill until the Sunday previous to her death. On that day, while returning from the home of her mother-in-law, nearby, where she had accompanied her husband for a short visit, she fell unconscious to the ground and was with difficulty gotten to her home. From that until the end she was unconscious most of the time. Her maiden name was Wasson and she was born at Lemont.

She was comparatively a young woman and very energetic and industrious. That she was kind is known from the fact, that having no children of her own, she had taken several forlorn little ones and given them good homes. She was a member of the Methodist church and her pastor, Rev. Runyon, conducted the funeral services at her home on Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. She is survived by her husband and an adopted daughter. Interment was made at the Branch.

MRS. JOHN W. MORRIS.—Mrs. Eleanor Britton Morris, formerly of this place but now of Johnstown, died at her home here on Saturday morning. Mrs. Morris, whose maiden name was McClellan and whose girlhood days were spent at Potter's Mills, was a woman of attractive personality and much ability. She was a relative of the Potters and Irvins of this county and was in her 55th year. She was twice married, the first time to H. T. McClellan, who was manager of the Baker Iron works at Allegheny furnace, and some years after his death to John W. Morris, who survives her with his daughter Mrs. Mary Morris Cooper, of New York. She was a member of the Second Presbyterian church of Johnstown and her pastor Dr. Booth conducted her funeral services Monday morning. Interment was made in Altoona.

POLK LINN DIES SUDDENLY.—Polk Linn, a well known resident of Eagleview, died suddenly at his home in that place on Monday. He became ill on the previous Friday and the physicians who were called in decided to perform an operation on Monday. When they arrived from Lock Haven that day they found him in such a state of collapse as to make an operation impossible. He died at noon that day.

Mr. Linn was 56 years old and is survived by a widow and daughter. Only a few weeks ago their son Frank died with typhoid fever and Mrs. Linn is prostrated with the burden of sorrow that has been hers recently.

SISTER EUGENE IS DEAD.—Sister Eugene, whose worldly name was Ella Glenn and whose parents were Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Glenn, of near Curtis' Works, died at her home here on Thursday, September 5th, after a long and wasting illness with consumption. She was 50 years old and was a member of the order of St. Benedict.

Surviving her her brothers, John and Andrew, of Roland; Mrs. Susan Dolan, of California, and Mrs. Margaret Dexter, of Washington, D. C.

Interment was made at Howard on Saturday morning.

Jacob Fisher, one of the oldest residents of Lamar township, Clinton county, died at his home near Lamar, on Monday. Deceased was 84 years old and was buried at Cedar Hill, on Wednesday. Adam Fisher, of Milesburg, and Mrs. Herbert Nyhart, of Hecla, are two of the thirteen children who survive him.

Mrs. Francis A. Trowbridge, of Des Moines, Iowa, the only sister of Hon. A. O. Furst, of this place, died in that city on Saturday and was buried there Tuesday morning. She was born in Nittany valley but shortly after her marriage to the late W. F. Trowbridge she moved to Iowa, where she has since resided.

News Purely Personal.

Mrs. John Walsh and her interesting trio of girls are in Jersey Shore visiting relatives.

Mrs. H. C. Schreyer, of Chicago, is a guest of Mrs. Minnie Harper, on west Linn street.

Mrs. W. I. Fleming and her son Ward, returned from a visit to the Pan-American on Monday.

W. E. Tyson and J. J. Loughrey, of Tyrone, were in town to spend Sunday with some of their friends.

Miss Cecelia Sanderson, of Mill Hill, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Marguerite Potter, on Linn street.

William Grauer, of Altoona, was an arrival in town on Monday evening and has been enjoying the fair this week.

Will Kepler, of Ferguson township, was mingling with the crowd that took in the fair and races on Wednesday.

J. C. Meyer Esq., with Mrs. Meyer and their daughter Edna, returned from a trip to the Pan-American on Tuesday evening.

Miss Ursula Bayard, of Spring street, departed, on Sunday afternoon, for a long visit with friends in Canton and Cleveland Ohio.

After a visit to her aunt, Mrs. A. C. Thompson, in Phillipsburg, Miss Elizabeth Hartsock, has returned to her home in Buffalo Run.

J. M. Derr, city bill poster Derr's blind son, left for Overbrook, on Tuesday, there to resume his studies in an institution for the blind.

Miss Florence Rhone, of Centre Hall, was in town on Tuesday on her way to Wichita, Kansas, where she will spend the winter with an uncle.

Mrs. Maria D. Rhoads, of Linn street, has returned home, after quite an extended stay at Chautauque and other favorite resorts of hers.

Misses Sally Fitzgerald and Daisy Barnes left for Lock Haven, on Monday morning, to continue their studies in the Normal school there.

Mrs. Bridget Kelly, once a resident of Bellefonte, is here from Altoona, visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles McCoy, of north Thomas street.

W. Harris Cook, of Altoona, arrived home Saturday, and is spending his vacation at his father's home, Chas. F. Cook's, on north Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckenroth, all of this place, are taking in the national encampment of the G. A. R. at Cleveland this week.

Mrs. Thomas Norton, of Lewisburg, was an arrival in town on Monday. She was called thither by the serious illness of her brother, Dr. Thomas R. Hayes.

Mrs. Letitia Thomas and her daughter Miss Mary, left for Philadelphia on Monday. They had been spending part of the summer with the Mitchells on north Thomas street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Porter Lyon, with Deborah, their infant, are here from "Heartsease" for the fair and it is needless to say that grandpa Mitchell is in his element.

Miss Grace Armor arrived at home from Tyrone, on Monday, having brought Ben and Elizabeth Jones with her. Her father, Mr. Claude Jones is critically ill with typhoid fever.

Having recovered from the illness that necessitated remaining here for the Phillipsburg schools had opened Miss Jennie Morrison was able to depart for that place on Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Barnes, of Washington, D. C., is a guest at the home of Wm. P. Humes, on north Allegheny street. Mrs. Barnes will be remembered as Miss Nell Boal before her marriage.

C. T. Gerberich, A. Y. Wagner, A. Lukenbach and Harry Hestrich, all well known Bellefonte millers, were in Williamsport to attend the convention of the State Millers Association this week.

John H. Miller, of Rock Springs, was an arrival in town on Tuesday. He came down to look after some business in the country near here and then returned in time for the fair on Wednesday.

Mrs. F. K. Lukenbach, with her children, are here from Phillipsburg on a visit to relatives. Frank came over on Friday and spent a few hours with them and then returned again on Wednesday for a day at the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Swab, of Johnstown, arrived in town on Saturday and will spend the fair week with their relatives here. "Mickey," as we know him before he left Bellefonte, is looking well and we are glad to say, still getting along nicely in the bustling Cambria iron district.

William Fishburn, who left his home in Centre county about eighteen years ago, to try it in Nebraska, was an arrival in town on Tuesday and expects to spend some time visiting his brothers and other relatives here. He is farming in Nebraska and has met with considerable success there.

Mrs. George Brandon, who has been a guest at the home of her sister Mrs. Frank Nagney for the past week and whose stay this time has been rather doleful owing to the fact that she has suffered so with a large carbuncle that she has not been able to get out at all, will return to her home in Carlisle to-day or to-morrow. Her daughter Winifred is with her.

Cap't. Harry Simler and his son John were arrivals from Phillipsburg, on Tuesday afternoon, and are spending the week at the fair. The latter has just been mustered out of the regular army, after two years and seven months service in the Philippines with the 7th Inf. He is a fine, soldierly looking young fellow and says he liked the army life very much.

Miss Jennie Crittenden, who was home for the first time in two years from Waterbury, Conn., for a week's visit, left yesterday for Buffalo to spend the remainder of her vacation at the exposition. Her sister, Miss Lillian, went with her to Buffalo to complete her course in kindergarten work which she has been studying for two years and more. They were accompanied by their father, Rev. Crittenden, who was on his way to Emporium bent on a goodly mission as usual.

Dr. W. S. Glenn and his daughter Bess, with Miss Mildred Garner, of State College, were in town on Monday on their way home from the Pan-American. The doctor was in the line at the temple of music, on Friday, waiting his turn to greet the President, when the assassin Colozos made the murderous assault on the Chief Executive. He heard both reports of the pistol and says words wouldn't describe the actions of the people when they learned what had happened.

William H. Houser, of Grand Island, Neb., with his niece, Mrs. E. E. Glenn and her children, are in Centre county for a visit of two months with relatives in their old home county. Mr. Houser has many brothers living about Bellefonte and anticipates a pleasant time with them, after his absence of eighteen years. He is a prosperous farmer, near Grand Island, but says they have the same trouble out West that our Centre county husbandmen experience, that is, they find it almost impossible to secure good farm hands.

John Beeser, formerly of this place, who has grown to like it so well at Pansuzatway that he hadn't been back to see his friends here for two years, arrived in town with Mrs. Beeser, on Wednesday morning, and will stay until after Sunday. They stopped to visit Mrs. Beeser's parents at Julian, on Tuesday, and came very near getting storm straid there, a condition that would have broken Johnny's heart, when all the fast horses and horsemen in the country are circulating about Bellefonte. There is nothing a Beeser likes better than a fine horse and while John told us he came over to see his friends we have our suspicions that the fair had more to do with it than anything else.

Arthur Irvin, of Julian, who has charge of his father's large store at that place, took yesterday off and came down to enjoy the fair.

Miss Mary Devling, of Clearfield, whose position with the Peale, Peacock and Kerr coal company could well be envied by many of the "sturdy oaks," was in town yesterday visiting Mrs. Frank Warfield.

J. A. Harris Esq., of Williamsport, was in town on Wednesday visiting his uncle James Kelly. He was on his way to Chicago, where he expects to locate for the practice of law. His brother was recently murdered in Chicago and if the murderer is apprehended the young lawyer expects to assist in his prosecution.

Remember, the big races at the Fair to-day and the free-for-all to-morrow.

A BURSTING PULLEY DISFIGURED HIM FOR LIFE.—The chain of ill-luck that seems to have fettered Arthur Young to bad fortune dragged him to a frightful calamity on Monday.

He is the 28 year old son of George Young, of Hecla park, and soon after his marriage to Emma Minnigh, of Nittany, they moved to Cross Forks, where Arthur worked on a lumber mill. Last winter he buried his youngest child, shortly afterwards the family was burned out of house and home, barely escaping from the flames in their night clothes. Then Arthur took typhoid fever and nearly died. He had just recovered sufficiently to go to Nittany to visit his wife's parents for a few days, when this latest misfortune befell him.

On Monday afternoon he walked down to Shower's saw mill, near the station at Huston, and was sitting near the shingle mill reading a newspaper. It was about 3 o'clock. Suddenly the pulley on the governor shaft on the engine became loose and, at once, the engine started off at such a terrific speed as to cause the large pulley that ran the shingle mill to burst. It was directly under the place Arthur was seated and burst with such force as to throw fragments in all directions. One part of it went clear through the roof, while another struck the young man on the point of the lower jaw, smashing the bone and his teeth into fragments. Dr. Huston was called to the scene as speedily as possible and removed many small particles of the bone, but being unprepared to do more he was sent to the Lock Haven hospital.

Though very weak from the loss of blood he regained consciousness and the latest report is to the effect that he will recover, though he will be disfigured for life.

GRAND ENTERTAINMENT AT HOWARD.

Miss Minnie Weldon is arranging for an entertainment that is to be a revelation in the show line to the people of Howard. It will be for the benefit of the Catholic mission in that place and St. Bernard's choir, with the best home talent and several Bellefonte amateurs, will make up the cast. It will be given in Lucas' hall on Saturday evening, September 28th, and will be uproariously funny.

COOKING SCHOOL.—The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church have secured Herr Edward Detels, the eminent German professor of cooking, for a course of six lessons. They will be given in the chapel and will begin on Sept. 23rd at 2 o'clock. The price for the course will be \$1.50.

The best day of the Fair will be to-morrow.

LOST.—On Tuesday, Sept. 3rd, either in Bellefonte or on the road between Bellefonte and Curtis' Works, a small black shawl, with colored border. A liberal reward will be paid for its return to Austin Curtin, at Roland.

Philadelphia Markets.

The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening.

Wheat—Red.....	75 1/2
"—No. 2.....	63 3/4
"—Yellow.....	62 1/2
"—Mixed.....	55 1/2
Oats.....	38 1/2
Flour—Winter, Per Bushel.....	2 15 1/2
"—Penna. Roller.....	2 00 1/2
"—Favorite Brands.....	3 00 1/2
Eye Flour, Per Bushel.....	2 50 1/2
Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1.....	12 00 1/2
"—Mixed.....	12 00 1/2
Straw.....	7 00 1/2

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. WARNER.

Red wheat.....	65
White wheat.....	55
Corn, shelled, per bushel.....	55
Corn, ears, per bushel.....	55
Oats, per bushel.....	35
Barley, per bushel.....	50
50 Ground Plaster, per ton.....	\$20 to 9 50
Buckwheat, per bushel.....	40
Cloverseed, per bushel.....	\$8 to \$7 80
Timothy seed, per bushel.....	\$2.00 to \$2.35

Bellefonte Produce Market.

Corrected weekly by Seohler & Co.

Potatoes per bushel.....	75
Onions.....	60
Eggs, per dozen.....	13
Lard, per pound.....	10
Country Shoulders.....	10
Bides.....	9
Hams.....	12
Tallow, per pound.....	3
Butter, per pound.....	30

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