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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Vogels minstrels Friday night, Oct. 18th.

It is said that there will be a light chestnut crop this season.

This is the week of prayer in the Presbyterian church in this place.

Patronize the Academy festival in the W. C. T. U. rooms this evening.

The venerable Joel Johnson is seriously ill at his home on east Bishop street.

October 25th has been designated as Arbor day in the public schools of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. John Noll has been confined to her home on Pine street with an attack of tonsillitis.

The rummage sale that you have heard so much talk about will begin on Nov. 1st.

Irvin Gray's "Luella Mc" won a hard seven heat race and first money at the Milton fair last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd A. Musser are pardonably proud of the fine boy baby that came to grace their home on east Linn St., Tuesday morning.

Rev. Ambrose M. Schmidt, of Lancaster, will preach, morning and evening, in the Reformed church in this place on Sunday, Oct. 12th.

The musicale at Mrs. Archie Allison's, on north Allegheny street, Friday evening, was very much of a success. They made \$28 for the Petriken hall.

Liveryman Sam Brooks lost a valuable horse with colic on Friday morning. This makes the fourth animal that he has lost during his short experience in the livery business.

Gregg Curtin, of this place, who has been connected with the Westinghouse Co. in Pittsburgh for the past seven years, has been transferred to New York, where he is to be an inspector of work.

The members of the faculty of the Pennsylvania State College gave a reception to the students on Friday evening. It took place in the armory and there was dancing after refreshments were served.

Dr. Klump and Paul Sheffer were out coon hunting a few nights ago, but they ran up against two kitty-cats that put the hunters and their dogs clear off coon scent and they had to come home.

The United Evangelical church will have a chicken and noodle supper in the room next door to the post office on Friday and Saturday evenings Oct. 11th and 12th. All are invited to give them a liberal patronage.

The John W. Vogel minstrels come to Garman's on the evening of Oct. 18th. Arthur Deming is not with them this time, but Arthur Rigby and Charley Gauo are and they are as clever a pair of minstrels as are on the boards.

Drs. Hayes, Sebring and Klump performed a very difficult operation on Mrs. Daniel Switzer, of Spring Creek, on Sunday and she is said to be doing as well as could be expected. It was for strangulated hernia.

Gen. James A. Beaver spoke in the Trinity Methodist church, Lock Haven, on Sunday afternoon, in the interest of Y. M. C. A. work. It was a large and enthusiastic meeting and will undoubtedly bear fruit of the sort that was hoped for when it was arranged.

Miss Redifer, Miss Harkness and Miss Wynau gave a reception to Miss McElwain and Miss Snyder at "the Cottage," at the Pennsylvania State College last evening. Miss McElwain is about to sever her long and useful connection as lady principal and professor of history at the college and Miss Snyder is to be her successor.

Very necessary improvements were made this summer in the residence and the main building of the Academy in the interest of the faculty and students. To help defray the expenses of these improvements, Hon. James Milliken has made a very liberal contribution. This fact will be learned with extreme gratitude by every friend of this time honored institution.

The Bellefonte society of Royal Arcanum is preparing a banquet and reception for two dignitaries of the order who will be in town on the evening of Oct. 17th. Grand secretary Webster C. Weiss, of South Bethlehem, and grand regent W. H. Druckenmiller, of Sunbury. It will be given in Arcanum hall in the Uudine building and the following capable committee has been appointed to look after the details: Charles Smith, Edward F. Garman, Jacob Lyon, Herman Holtz, Grant Hoover, Al Baum, Edward H. Hoy, C. K. Hicklen and Frank F. Kerns.

Our friend Smith of the Centre Hall Reporter is a great theorist. He figures out that because, T. G. Wilson, of that place, recently raised a potato stalk that had four finely developed potatoes, weighing five and one-half pounds hanging to it, that he ought to have 1,175 bushels to the acre. To get this number he figures eighty hills to the square rod and each hill yielding one potato as the one mentioned above. But don't you know, Wesley, that you have no more right to expect such a yield than you would to imagine that if your old cat had kittens in the bake oven they would be tea biscuit.

FARMER'S DAY AT THE COUNTRY CLUB

Saturday was a red letter event in the history of the Nittany Rod and Gun Club. Few of the one hundred and fifteen members of the very small organization were at the club house, but it is just as well that they were not for there was no room for them anyway. It was "farmers day," the one on which all the land owners and tenants over whose property the Club has hunting privileges gather there for a good time and coming, as it does, just after the fall seeding has been done and before the corn husking is begun there is a lull in the farm work that enables them all to load up their families and hie off to the commodious club house for a day of pleasure.

Saturday was an ideal fall day, cool and bracing, with just enough warmth lingering in the October sunshine to temper the wind that swept about the grounds, sending the early fallen leaves as wierd dancers and making the corn fields sound like a monster rattle box.

Fairly in the morning the guests began to arrive. Those from nearby farms walked, others were in spring wagons, buggies, bicycles and on horseback. They came from the Bald Eagle, "over the ridge" and Nittany valley in such numbers that by noon Supt. Brower had a party of more than four hundred on his hands. Owners, tenants, hirelings, women and children were there in abundance and the grizzled little man who dispenses hospitality in the name of the Club was happy as the proverbial big sun flower. He had spent many days and driven many miles in the effort to miss inviting no one, consequently he could not but feel gratified at the way they had responded.

The ladies spent most of their time indoors, admiring the pictures and furnishings of the house and enjoying the music that some of the younger ones seemed continually pounding out of the piano in the main reception room. The older men lounged about the porch listening to the Zion band, while sending great clouds of smoke heavenward from the conchas that were free as air that day. The younger fellows played faro, roulette and pool and it was surprising to see how dexterously some of the artists of the plow handle used their cues.

There was a round of such pleasure before the dining room doors were thrown open for luncheon, then the ladies and children were served first. There was a bountiful supply of cold chicken, meats, relishes, salads, cake and coffee and there was no stint of service. Everyone was looked after considerably, but the announcement that the shooting match was to begin soon caused many of the men to fly to the kitchen and ask to have their hands out to them. There were about sixty served in this way and three hundred and sixty served in the dining room.

As early as possible after luncheon those who had entered the shooting contest for the fine Syracuse Arms Co. hammerless double barreled shot gun assembled at the traps and were ready to try their sight for the first time at blue-rock.

There were twenty two entries. It didn't cost anything to go in but each contestant was supposed to furnish his own gun and ammunition and the report of some of them would have put to shame the 13 in. guns of the Oregon. Most of the powder would have done to have smoked meat with and we have our suspicions that some of the shooters used rags and corn stalks for wads. There seemed to be an air of confidence on all sides, but one of the boys whispered to us that Shuman Zimmerman or Lawrence McMullen would get the gun. We had heard that the latter had broken eight out of ten without half trying at a practice shoot the night before, but when we recalled the stories of Zimmerman's deadly aim at deer and bear we concluded that there would have to be some shooting to get the handsome trophy away from him.

Perry Gentzel was selected as judge, Ferd Dunkle referee and Charles Bartley scorer. Then the contest began. Aside from the little cheers as each one of the favorites in their respective communities stepped to the score there were only two exciting incidents in the contest. John Workman contributed one of them. He had a gun that wanted to go off at any old time and it kept him so busy watching the hammers, to keep them in their place, that he didn't have time to see the flying pigeons. We would like to have bet a little on John, but they must have been afraid of him or they would never have given him such an uncertain gun. The other incident was a phenomenal shot made by William Barnhart. He got a very fast right quattering bird that he didn't see until it was well on its way towards Hublersburg, then he turned around two or three times, threw his gun up in the air, pulled the trigger and—wonderful to relate—a little cloud of dust was seen in the sky and that blue rock was no more. Mr. Barnhart traveled on the glory of that shot for the next five rounds, and he had a right to.

The score resulted as follows:

Rounds 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Tot

Robt. Wells.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Jno. Mayes.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

A. Lucas.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3

Clyde Lee.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3

H. Dorman.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Merrill Shearer.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Jno. Workman.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1

S. Zimmerman.....1 0 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 7

W. Barnhart.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2

J. Barnhart.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

H. R. Curtin.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Chas. Shearer.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Wm. Fulton.....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1

Chas. Lee.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Wm. Carson.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Joseph Weaver.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1

Jacob Weaver.....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 2

J. C. Fravel.....1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 3

O. P. Orr.....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1

L. McMullen.....1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2

F. H. Weaver.....0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 2

Wm. Alkey.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

While the shooting was going on the ladies were greatly interested in the drawing for the two fine Domestic sewing machines that had been offered to them by the

Club. One to go to Bald Eagle and one to Nittany valley. A. A. Fletcher and Kline Zimmerman took charge of the drawing and everything was done to make it fair. Ladies who were unable to get there were given the same chance as those present. Everyone of the 155 persons over whose property the Club has hunting privileges was numbered and the numbers placed in a box. In another box were placed 154 blanks and 1 check containing the word sewing machine. Then a check was drawn from each box at the same time and, so on until the one containing the word "sewing machine" was drawn out and the number with it was announced. The list posted on the front of the Club house showed that Mrs. I. M. Harvey, of Curtin's Works, was the lucky woman and she got an elegant machine for nothing. Mrs. Ellis Vonada, of Zion, was the other winner of a machine and Wm. Orr, of Jacksonville, got the \$50 agricultural implement.

That ended the drawing and as the day was well spent the guests began to depart. By twilight the last of them had gone and Supt. Brower sat down for a moment's rest before beginning the work of setting things aright for a little party of Tyrone folk who had dropped in to spend Sunday at the Club. Of course no one can tell what was running through the mind of the capable concierge of the Country club, but is there anyone who would not have felt proud over such an accomplishment. Never before had farmer's day turned out more than one hundred and seventy five guests. He had over four hundred, fed and treated them royally and secured forty new names to the privilege list. It was a day for him to be proud of and his guests left with a better feeling than ever towards the Club, carrying away with them the memory of an event that has become established as a gala one for the farmers of Nittany and Bald Eagle valleys.

The rummage sale will begin on Nov. 1st.

Lock Haven is trying to secure the location of a stooking factory at that place.

Forestry commissioner Rothrock was in Lock Haven on Monday negotiating for the purchase of 10,000 more acres of land for the State's reservation.

Division No. 2, A. O. H. of Lock Haven, will give their fifth annual ball and concert in the armory in that place, on Wednesday evening, October 23d. The Germania orchestra is to furnish the music.

S. E. Condo's general store at State College was closed by the sheriff on Tuesday of last week and on Friday the creditors asked that a receiver be appointed. The Hon. Robert M. Foster was appointed to act in that capacity.

Lester Crispen, a Mill Hall lad, fell on the jagged ends of a bottle, while playing with companions, on Monday evening, and out both leaders and artery at his wrist. It was a very ugly wound that required fifteen stitches to close.

The Erie flyer on the P. & E. that left Lock Haven at 3:12 Sunday morning, collided with a freight train near Sterling Run. Engineer Harry Snodgrass, of Renovo, was killed and a number of other trainmen suffered broken limbs and other injuries, though no passengers were hurt. The wreck was due to a wrong order to the freight.

The commissioners of the county are going to have a sale on Tuesday, Nov. 12th, and it looks as though there will be an opportunity for some one to get a nice property down at Huston right cheap. When the Bald Eagle, Nittany and Brush valley turnpike road was abandoned Centre county had to pay certain damages and consequently became owner of the company's property in this county. The toll-house, stable and other buildings south of Huston are part of it and they are to be sold next month. The buildings can either be removed or a 99 year lease can be secured from the Walker township supervisors for the ground, and the buildings permitted to remain.

There are no developments in the new lime trust worth mentioning except that the options on properties about this place have been extended another month. This would indicate that the trust has been unable to effect its organization as speedily as it was announced would be the case some weeks ago and that it will be necessary to carry on the work of organization to November 5th, when the combine will be launched, if the stock can be disposed of. The American Trust Co., of Pittsburg, is to underwrite the entire issue of \$6,000,000. Robert K. Cassatt, son of the president of the P. R. R. who was generally supposed to be slated for president of the trust, stated, on Saturday, that he had no idea of being the president.

Council met on Monday evening with president Gerberich and members Walkey, Destine, Gherrierty and Cunningham present. Very little business of importance was transacted. The Market committee reported the collection of \$9 fees and council granted the privilege to the Y. M. C. A., and other property holders along north Allegheny street, to lay a sewer down the street to enter the main sewer at the rear of Munson's lot. Henry Brockerhoff appeared and asked for a rebate of taxes on the Brockerhoff mansion, at the corner of Spring and Bishop streets, on the ground that it is occupied only about seven months in the year. The report of the Finance committee showed a balance of \$833.89 in the treasurer's hands and then bills to the amount of \$1,433.11 were approved and council adjourned.

CAPTAIN TAYLOR BANQUETS HIS COMPANY

In becoming recognition of their having unanimously chosen him to be their captain for another term of five years Capt. Hugh S. Taylor tendered the men of Co. B, Fifth Reg. N. G. P. a banquet in their armory on Friday evening. Only a few "distinguished guests" were honored with an invitation to share a pleasant evening with the soldiers and all were of one opinion in pronouncing it a great success.

In addition to the captain and forty-five of his men there were Gen. John I. Curtin, Asst. Surgeon R. G. H. Hayes, Serg. Maj. Boyd A. Musser, Hon. Fred Kurtz Sr., James R. Hughes, Francis Speer, R. A. Beck and George R. Meek, were gathered about the two long tables when caterer Harrison began to serve the various courses on the card. After the menu had been looked after with that efficiency that only soldiers know there were a number of happy little speeches highly complimentary of the captain and encouraging to his men. One incident that was brought out we propose to tell, because it is something that every citizen of this community can well be proud of.

When the Second Brig. was preparing for its encampment at Somerset last August a detail was sent ahead from each company to have the camp in readiness when the great army of soldiers arrived. Capt. Taylor sent Corp. Royer with the following detail from Co. B. Privates Bayard, Smith, Dukeman, Brachbill, Markle and Hartscock. They arrived at Somerset a few hours ahead of the camp equipment and, with several hundred other soldiers, were lounging about the station waiting for its coming. Meanwhile a passenger train pulled in and Brig. Gen. John A. Wiley stepped off. He advanced along the platform, through the entire party of soldiers, without receiving the slightest mark of recognition due any officer, until he approached the Bellefonte boys. As soon as they noticed him they sprang to attention and were the only ones in hundreds of Guardsmen there to salute the commanding officer of the Brigade. Of course Gen. Wiley merely returned the salute at that time, but the moment he got into his carriage he sent for Corp. Royer and asked him who he was, as well as his men, and from what regiment and company they were.

Now don't you think that Gen. Wiley will be proud to see Captain Taylor and his company heading the line past the reviewing stand at future dress parades and don't you think Captain Taylor did well to banquet such honorable soldiers as he commands and aren't you proud that the boys from Bellefonte are gentlemen, as well as soldiers, and not the ruffians who have disgraced themselves and the Guard at so many points?

A FORGER AT WORK.—A young man wearing glasses and a light colored Alpine hat is wanted at State College and Tyrone for forging the names of D. G. Meek and W. E. Meek, both Ferguson township farmers, to checks of \$35.50 and \$35.25 respectively.

Last Friday the young scamp walked into Finberg's store at State College and said he would like to buy a watch. Manager Cusner showed him several and he finally picked out one valued at \$15. In payment he tendered a check drawn to Ward Daughenbaugh by Willie E. Meek for \$35.25. Mr. Cusner having no reason to suspect the validity of the check gave up the watch and the balance in cash.

The next day evidently the same fellow visited Walton & Acklin's jewelry store in Tyrone, where he selected a watch and deposited a pair of glasses for repairs, then offered a check in payment, drawn on the Blair County Banking company in favor of Lin Archie for \$35.50. The name of David George Meek, of Fairbrook, was on the check as drawer. Mr. Acklin, not liking the looks of either man or check stepped out to consult vice president Gates of the bank as to the validity of the paper, but before he returned the man had skipped and has not been heard of since.

The Tyrone bankers knew that David George Meek always signs his checks "D. G. Meek," consequently they branded it as a forgery. The police of that place were notified at once and a sharp look-out kept about the station, but the stranger did not try to leave town by rail, at least. The Tyrone authorities communicated with State College and found that the man who had worked Cusner tallied in every particular with the one who had tried to work Walton & Acklin. He was about 25 years of age, wore a check suit, light slouch hat, spectacles, had a smooth face and weighed about 175 lbs.

On Tuesday Mr. Cusner went to Tyrone to learn anything further he could, but the forger had completely disappeared.

There is a Ward Daughenbaugh employed in the Jenkins iron works at Howard, but he could not have been the man, for he was at the works both Friday and Saturday.

On Wednesday another forged check turned up at State College. It was signed by a farmer named Black and was made payable to Mr. Wilson. It was for \$36 and W. L. Foster cashed it, being assured by the man who presented it that he had sold Black a horse and the check was part payment.

Sunday will be Rally Day in the Methodist Episcopal Sabbath school of this place and you are cordially invited to be present. The services will be held at the regular hour 2:30 in the afternoon and if you have the least inclination toward that denomination or are not affiliated with another school you will be graciously welcomed as a regular member.

News Purely Personal.

Laundryman Frank Kern spent Tuesday at his home in Millheim.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kunes, of Eagleville, are at the Pan-American.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Hunter returned from Buffalo on Monday evening.

Cornelius Henick, of Clinton, Iowa, is visiting relatives in Centre county.

Miss Margaret McManus and Mary Hunter Linn left for the Pan-American on Tuesday.

Michael Stover, of South Philadelphia, is on a visit to friends about Bellefonte and Pine Grove Mills.

Mrs. H. P. Harris, of Howard street, is entertaining her sister, Mrs. James H. McLain, of Massillon, Ohio.

Mrs. C. C. Cox, of Tyrona, is in town for a month's visit with her uncle Conrad Miller, on east Linn street.

Mrs. A. S. Garman returned to her home in Tyrona, on Tuesday, after spending a week with her many relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Valentine, who had been visiting at "Braham," left for their home in Baltimore, on Monday morning.

Mrs. Ross Anderson Hickok, with her baby daughter, departed for Harrisburg on Tuesday. Mrs. Hastings accompanied them home.

Mrs. Ellen Woods and her cousin, Mrs. Charles B. Hughes, of Jersey City, visited Mrs. Martha Haynes in Altoona on Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas Jennings left for Mannington, W. Va., on Wednesday afternoon, and will spend the winter with her husband in that place.

Mrs. George N. Van Dyke, of Altoona, with her little daughter Mary, are here for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Noll.

Mr. William Elliott, of Toronto, Ohio, and Miss Jessie Ralston, of Frankford Springs, Pa., are visiting Rev. and Mrs. Scott, on Curtin street.

Father Benner Armor, of Lock Haven, and George Armor, of Hartford, Conn., are both here for a visit with their father and sisters on east Linn street.

Mrs. H. C. Brew, with Austin and Miss Lucretia, bade farewell to Bellefonte friends in West Pittsburg, and departed for their new home in East Pittsburg.

Mrs. D. D. Holderman, of South Allegheny street, was in Tyrona the beginning of the week attending a meeting of the Christian Alliance and visiting her daughter Ida.

H. R. Krape, who met with such an unfortunate accident at the Bellefonte Lime Co.'s operations at Salona, some time ago, is visiting Clair Kessinger, at the glass works.

Postmaster W. W. Montgomery, departed, on Monday, for a visit to the Pan-American and after seeing the big show he will go on to Montreal, Quebec and other Canadian points.

E. R. Chambers Esq., who is one of the inspectors and accountants of the Auditor General's department, left on Tuesday to visit the public institutions in the western part of the State.

Mrs. Charles B. Hughes, who has been a guest at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Sarah Kelley, on Bishop street, for the past three weeks, returned to her home in Jersey City yesterday morning.

Former county commissioner A. J. Griest, of Unionville, and J. H. Griffin, of Stormtown, both prominent Democrats in the county, were in town on Tuesday and in talking over the fusion question expressed themselves as being very well pleased.

Mrs. L. A. Sankey and her son were down from Penna. Furance on Tuesday, having taken advantage of the delightful weather to drive down and do a little shopping. It was an ideal day, but Mrs. Sankey was of the opinion that the roads were most too dusty for much pleasure in driving.

Bruce Barnhart, son of Thomas Barnhart, of east Howard street, and Willis Sellers, of Fillmore, left for Pittsburg on Tuesday, both to resume work they have in that city. Bruce has been home for two weeks, threatened with appendicitis and expects to enter a hospital in Pittsburg to undergo an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walker and Miss Annie Shortridge, Mrs. Walker's sister, are in Buffalo enjoying the Exposition. They went Monday and Mr. Walker is expected home to-morrow. Mrs. Walker and her sister, though, are going to Cleveland, O., and will also spend some time with friends in Titusville before returning home.

Mrs. H. S. Cooper and her daughter Emeline went to Johnstown yesterday to spend a few days with Mrs. Cooper's father, John W. Morris. Morris was doubly bereaved last month by the death of his wife and mother and in consequence his sister, Miss Julia, will close the old home in Milesburg and go to Johnstown to reside with him.

Emanuel Noll contemplates a trip to his old haunts about Chambersburg soon. He expects to attend the reunion of the 131st Inf. to be held in that place and while there will run down to visit the battlefield of Antietam, which he hasn't seen for thirty-nine years and then things were so warm that he didn't have much time to look around.

Quite a party of Tyrona people were in town on Friday on their way to Snow Shoe to spend the day at that once popular mountain resort.

Among them were Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Foorman, Mrs. and Mrs. J. P. Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Kloss, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Scullin, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. J. X. Ferguson, Mrs. M. McCann, Mrs. A. A. Witter, Mrs. C. T. Witter and Mrs. F. T. Heppner.

The WATCHMAN office was honored by a call from two old Ferguson township friends on Monday afternoon. They were Capt. J. M. Kepler and Geo. W. Kelechine. The former came down with his son Will and as it was his first visit to Bellefonte in six years it was little wonder that he was so cordially received. The captain is looking remarkably hale and gives all the credit for his apparent complete restoration from long and serious illness to the virtues of the Hot Sulphur Springs of Arkansas.

Among the welcome callers at the WATCHMAN office yesterday was Mr. Samuel Slack, the veteran stock dealer of Potter township. In addition to managing and overseeing a couple of the most productive farms in the county, Mr. Slack finds time to purchase and ship more stock to the eastern market than any dealer in the section. Mr. Slack is now nearly seventy years of age and has never voted any other ticket than the straight Democratic, which possibly accounts for his clear conscience, robust health and general popularity.

Quite a party of distinguished gentlemen "from over the mountain" were in town on Monday on business pertaining to the Philadelphia water franchise. Geo. W. McCaffey Esq., the financier of that place; James Passmore, the well known hotel man and coal operator; Jesse Lukens, the contractor who has five buildings in course of erection now—this fact being mentioned as an indication that Philadelphia is evidently not as dull as it is said to be—councilman E. H. Southard; attorneys Zeigler and Crosby and several others were in the party. The Hon. D. L. Krebs, of Clearfield, was here also as counsel for the Philadelphia Water Co. The case is one of a preliminary injunction granted to the Philadelphia Water Co., restraining the borough authorities from entering into any contracts with outside parties for water plugs or any such equipment for the town's water service. The argument was made on the preliminary injunction on Monday before Judge Love. Attorneys Orris, Bower & Orris and Crosby appeared for the borough and Krebs and Zeigler for the Water Co.

—Jay E. Snook, of Clearfield, was in town over Sunday with friends.

—Geo. W. Rumberger, of Unionville, was a Saturday visitor in town.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Walker and Miss Annie Shortridge left for Buffalo on Monday and are spending the week at the Pan-American and the Falls.

—Messrs. Adam and Frank Hasel accompanied their niece, Mrs. John Hasel, home to Niagara, on Tuesday and will spend a week there and at the Exposition.

—Among those who left for Buffalo from here on Monday were Mrs. Margaret Wilson, Miss Blanche Hayes, Jane Welch and Mrs. Mary Blanche.

—Mrs. James H. McLain, left for her home in Massillon, O., yesterday afternoon after an enjoyable visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Harris, on Howard street.

—Mrs. Daniel Clemons, of Pittsburg, who is just home from a European trip, and her sisters, Mrs. Annie Maters and Mrs. J. Mac. Goheen, of Tyrona, with the latter's little daughter were in town yesterday seeing old friends. They were on their way home from an enjoyable little excursion through Ferguson, Patton and College township where they visited relatives.

A SHOOTING ACCIDENT IN GREEN VALLEY.—Henry Knoffsinger, of Pleasant Gap, who is shantying in the woods up in Green Valley, was taking his rifle apart about nine o'clock on Saturday night. With him in the shanty was Charley Packer, the 13 year old son of Richard Packer, and his younger brother Thomas.

The little boys were watching the operation; Charley standing not ten inches from the muzzle of the rifle. As Knoffsinger was removing the breech the trigger was accidentally touched, sending the hammer down and discharging the gun. The load struck Charley in the abdomen, just below the navel. He was standing in the doorway and reeled and fell. Knoffsinger ran to him at once and after examining the wound the lad recovered sufficiently to make his way to his home, a half mile distant.

A physician could not be secured until afternoon of the next day and, surprising to relate, the boy is still living. It is not known whether the ball took a downward course and is lodged in the groin, where there is considerable inflammation, or whether it went clear through him and came out the back about three inches to the right of the spinal column, where there was found a small scab two days after the shooting, when it was possible to turn him over. The boy says the scar on his back came from a previous fall.

Knoffsinger did not seem to realize how seriously he had injured him.

SOMETHING FOR THE LADIES.—A representative of one of the leading manufacturers of the country will be in Bellefonte on Tuesday, Oct. 15th, with a large line of ladies tailor made suits, jackets, long coats, skirts and the latest novelties in that line. He will display the line at Joseph Bros. & Co.'s store and take orders and measurements for made-to-order goods there.

The ladies of Bellefonte and vicinity are earnestly invited to call and see the line, whether they buy or not, as it will give many new and stylish ideas.

Vogel's minstrels on the evening of Oct. 18th, will be fine. Take our word for it.

LOST.—On the pike between Rishel's hill and town a small brown milk box. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning same to Mrs. J. A. Aikens, Allegheny and Bishop streets.

Public Sale.

OCTOBER 22nd.—At the residence of J. F. Garner, one mile north west of State College, horses, cows, young cattle, pigs, implements, harness, etc. Sale at 10 o'clock, a. m. William Goheen, Auc.

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Wheat—Red 71½ @ 74

—No. 2 57 @ 62

Corn—Yellow 58½ @ 62½

—Mixed