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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

The street carnival next week. Are you coming?

Mrs. William Gehret is seriously ill at her home on Bishop street.

Mrs. Harris Mann, of Lewistown, who is here visiting her father, will sing in the Methodist church on Sunday evening.

A number of the members of Bellefonte camp I. O. Red Men went to Snow Shoe, Saturday evening, to install a camp at that place.

About thirty of his friends made the anniversary of landlord Joe Peters' birthday memorable at his Eagle hotel, in Phillipsburg, on Monday evening.

Grace, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford, of Howard street, had her leg fractured while visiting friends at their old home at Centre Hall recently.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wian, of east High street, are the talked about people out in their end of town just now. A fine girl came to their home the other day.

Mary Stevenson, of east High street, is very ill with neuralgia and her sister Verna, who had been visiting friends in Pittsburg, came home Monday evening.

Willard McDowell, a son of H. S. McDowell, of Howard, won the Rev. Jas. P. Hughes mathematical prize of \$10 for the term recently closed at the Bellefonte Academy.

Miss Mary Hamilton's dancing school closed for the season last Friday evening. Smith's orchestra furnished the music and there was a large party of dancers present.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Mr. H. F. Gearhart and Miss Mary Fox, a daughter of Mrs. Mary Fox, of east Bishop street. The ceremony will be performed on Thursday, July 2nd.

While playing with a rifle last Friday Mac Green, of east High street, accidentally shot his sister Janet in the eye. Fortunately the wound was not such as to cause the loss of sight.

George Gross, the veteran street sprinkler, suffered a stroke of paralysis at his home on Valentine street last Thursday night. It affected his head and tongue and he has been unable to speak any since.

Harry Homan, a son of Thomas Homan, of Zion, is seriously ill in a Philadelphia hospital. It was with considerable difficulty that the young man's parents were located, as he was too ill to give any information concerning himself.

The mammoth crusher which Supt. Robert Morris has been installing at the Armor farm operations of the American Lime and Stone Co. will be completed and ready to be put to work making ballast and furnace stone in a few days.

Children's day will be observed in the Lutheran church on Sunday. In the morning the pastor will preach an appropriate sermon and baptize some children. In the evening the Sunday school will render a beautiful service. Special music with the orchestra has been prepared.

The school board of Worth township met and elected the following teachers for the ensuing year. Port Matilda, primary, Miss Emma Reese; intermediate, Walter Williams; Shady Dell, Mrs. Lizzie Crumb; Laurel run, Norah Hamer; Sunny Side, Sadie Williams.

Clarence Longacre, whose knowledge of the china business was acquired in China hall, in this place, has been made head of the china department in a Williamsport store. He will do all the buying for it and is in New York on such a mission now.

The first load of machinery was shipped from the Standard scale works plant in this place to the new location at Beaver Falls last week. The portable scale department will be moved first, but the entire plant will hardly be gotten away from Bellefonte before fall.

The Centre county commissioners with their attorney, Harry Keller, met the Clinton county commissioners and their attorney, T. M. Stevenson, at Beech Creek, on Tuesday, to view a bridge which the counties purpose erecting jointly over Beech Creek at a point near J. W. Hubbard's farm.

Howard opened the base ball season on Saturday with a victory over an allied combination of Bellefonte and Eagleville players. The score was 5 to 3 and the Howards enthusiasts went that their team looks like bigger winners this year than they were during their successful season last year.

On Wednesday evening a reception was given to their friends by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Blackford at their eating parlors on Bishop street. The attractive little cafe was filled with guests, all of whom had a most enjoyable time and join in the WATCHMAN'S wishes of a long life and much happiness for the bride and groom.

Having out himself on the knee with a cross-cut saw while working in an upper lumber camp Elliot Gardner, a son of Jos. L. Gardner, of Howard, injured himself very badly. Being unable to secure proper medical attention at once the injury became so serious that he had to be taken to the Lock Haven hospital, where he is still retained.

MRS. MARY SHIFFER.—While on a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Musser, of Howard street, this place, Mrs. Mary Shiffer, one of Pine Grove's oldest and most estimable women, passed away last Thursday evening.

She was born on the Awl farm, at the Branch, 83 years, 7 months and 4 days ago and was the widow of the late John Shiffer, whom she married 64 years since. She was the last of the Wingard family and a woman whose christian character, lovable disposition and many acts of kindness will ever be cherished in the hearts of those who survive her. She leaves the following children: Mrs. W. H. Musser, of Bellefonte; W. M. Shiffer, of Sunbury; Mrs. Lida Meek, of Irwin, Pa.; and Mrs. Kate M. Woods, of Pine Grove Mills. The deceased leaves twenty grand children and six great grand children.

Funeral services were held here Friday evening at 8 o'clock conducted by Rev. John A. Wood, pastor of the Methodist church. The remains were taken to Pine Grove Mills Saturday morning where interment took place.

MRS. KATHARINE SWILER.—Mrs. Katharine Swiler, relict of Christian Swiler, died at her home in Bush Addition, about half past six o'clock on Tuesday morning. For several years she had borne the affliction of a paralytic stroke with that gentle resignation that bespeaks a true christian character and when a second stroke brought her weary earthly career to a close it was to reap the reward of blessed relief and eternal happiness above.

Mrs. Swiler was born near Rock Forge, this county, April 29th, 1840, and spent her entire life in this vicinity, where she was esteemed by friends and beloved by her family. Surviving are her children, Edward and Elizabeth, of this place, and Mrs. Frank Eekle, of Philadelphia.

She was a devoted member of the Episcopal church but in the absence of the rector, Rev. Geo. I. Brown, Rev. Wood will officiate at the funeral this afternoon. Interment in the Union cemetery.

MRS. F. H. WHIPPO.—On Sunday, June 21st, death claimed Mrs. F. H. Whippo, the widow of the late Rev. Charles O. Whippo, at her home in Port Matilda. She was 74 years, 8 months and 9 days old and had been a very estimable resident of that place for many years.

Funeral services were held in the Methodist church at Port Matilda on Tuesday afternoon and interment was made in the Friends burying ground in Half-moon valley.

Mrs. Mary Kennedy, aged 81 years, 6 months and 9 days, died at her home at Sandy Ridge on Saturday afternoon; her death having been caused by old age. Mrs. Kennedy was a native of Ireland and came to this country when only six years of age. At Bald Eagle she married Alexander Kennedy, who preceded her to the grave several years ago. Their union was blessed with fourteen children, seven of whom survive. Interment was made at Tyrone on Tuesday.

WORTH MCCLAIN.—At the promising age of 25 years Worth McClain died at his home, near Hublersburg, on Saturday morning. Typhoid fever was the cause of his death.

Surviving him are his father and mother, one brother and three sisters. Revs. Price and Crow conducted funeral services in the Evangelical church at Hublersburg on Monday morning and interment was made at that place.

The venerable Philip Welty, aged 77 years, who was taken to the hospital on Tuesday in a very precarious condition, died early yesterday morning; peritonitis having set in. Deceased is survived by his widow and nine of his ten children. His body was taken to the home of his son-in-law, Sol. Barlett, at Coleville, and interment will be made from there tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

OUR BILL.—William C. Shope, who was sentenced to pay a fine of \$30 and go to the western penitentiary for two years and four months, at Hollidaysburg, on Monday, was once a resident of this place. He was convicted of robbing the One Price store in Altoona and part of the defense set up was that as a little boy he had fallen out of a second story window of the Bush house in this place and had not been altogether right since. He served a term in the penitentiary, and was at the Warren institution for the insane for some time, but according to the evidence of the warden of that institution Shope was only feigning insanity.

Lightning killed a pig in Millheim, on Friday afternoon, in a rather peculiar manner. It struck a tree close by Abraham King's house, ran down onto the clothes wire, which it followed to the pig pen, killing one of the pigs, but leaving the other unharmed.

Judge Love handed down a decision this week in which he refuses to grant the borough of Bellefonte a new trial of the case it lost to Col. George A. Bayard. Col. Bayard had paved crossings and streets for the borough and had to sue council for his pay.

On Monday Ernest Shreckengast caught an injured trout at Millheim. It measured 23 inches long and weighed 4 1/2 pounds. It is supposed it went through the wheel at Frank's mill.

Children's day services will be held in the United Brethren church on Sunday evening.

Next week the carnival. Are you coming?

The Presbyterians of this place will hold their children's day services on Sunday morning.

On Saturday evening, July 25th, the Milesburg Hose and Ladder Co. will have a drawing for a Bullock solid comfort porch swing.

Children's day services will be held in St. John's Reformed church in this place next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. All are invited.

Harry Hoover and Ida M. Cramer were married at the home of the bride's parents, at Pine Glenn, on the 21st inst., by Rev. T. S. Faus.

Fred Carman, the Italian for whose eyes there seems to be no possibility of regained vision, was taken from the hospital last week and sent to the poor house.

Miss Margaret McGee, of McGees Mills, Clearfield county, who is visiting Mrs. Joseph Runkle in the Exchange, will sing in the Reformed church on Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Mull and her son Nathan, Miss Julia Hale and Miss Margaret Switzer constitute a little party of Phillipsburgers who will sail for Europe from New York tomorrow.

Rev. T. S. Faus, of Snow Shoe, performed the ceremony that united Roland F. Berger and Ida E. Fye in marriage, at the home of the bride's parents near Moshannon on the 23rd.

John Gordon, a son of judge Cyrus Gordon, of Clearfield county, has just won the \$100 prize for the fourth class man, University of Pennsylvania, who shows the greatest proficiency in clinics. He has also been made an intern at the Presbyterian hospital in that city.

Nelson Williams, who lives near Lemont, has been missing chickens and eggs nearly every night during the spring. Finally, growing tired of his continual loss, he set a trap last Saturday night and on Sunday morning had a large raccoon in it. Since then the chickens and eggs about his coops have been undisturbed.

Clyde Thompson, of Clearfield, who had been in the hospital here for several weeks, suffering with an infected hand, was discharged on Tuesday and left for his home. He split his finger playing ball at State College and did not give the injury any attention until he was in danger of losing his hand.

Sheriff Hugh S. Taylor went over to Sandy Ridge on Tuesday to investigate the trouble that has arisen there between the striking employees of the Harbison-Walker fire brick works and the new men the company has been trying to start up with. The sheriff found no disturbances calling for his interference and came home very happy that his duty didn't compel him to act in unpleasant lines.

James L. Leavy, the wealthy lumberman of Clearfield, who has been fighting against the effects of a stroke of paralysis he suffered in 1897, almost continuously since and who had been treated by specialists all over the world, died on Saturday. He was 66 years old and was a native of Clearfield county. His widow survives him. He was the largest individual taxpayer in Clearfield.

At the recent commencement of Lafayette college, at Easton, Pa. George W. Twitmyer superintendent of schools of Wilmington, Del., and who was born and raised at Zion, Pa., received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, upon the completion of the graduate work required at that institution. His twin sons Geo. E. and Joseph C. were graduated in the latin scientific, and chemical courses, respectively, at the same time. The other son, Dr. Edwin B., who is now an instructor in the department of philosophy in the University of Pennsylvania, graduated from the same college with the class of '96.

Among the large number of young men graduated from the University of Pennsylvania last week was John Miller Gates, of Tyrone, a son of T. J. Gates, cashier of the Blair county National bank of that place. He took the degree of B. S. in economics and during his course became one of the most popular men in the institution. In fact he was a leader in many spheres of the student life at the Varsity, especially in musical circles. His great talent as a mandolin player won for him the position of the leader of the Glee and Mandolin clubs last season. Mr. Gates has many friends in Centre county who will be glad to hear of the honorable closing of his college days.

"The Carbone Rangers," composed largely of rail-road men on the C. R. R. of Pa. threw their throttles wide open last Friday evening when landlord Newcomer, of the Haag hotel, seated them before the third snapper soup feed. Just why these rail-roads take so kindly to turtle we can't find out. Now if it were the B. C. men there might be an attachment because of the speed of the *testudinata*, but with the C. R. R. of Pa. fellows its different. Probably they are fond of the snapper because it is good and that, after all, is the best reason in the world. Those who enjoyed the spread were president L. B. Lonsberry; secretary W. H. Hamilton and privates Edward Brown, Wm. Miller, Edward Whittaker, John Miller, Samuel Ryan, Senator W. C. Heine, Wm. T. Royer, R. B. Taylor, J. T. Murphy, Ed. Robb, Joseph Wise, and P. H. Gherry.

CHURCH DEDICATION AT SPRING MILLS.

Last Sunday the Lutheran church recently erected at Spring Mills was dedicated under most favorable conditions.

The building is quite imposing and on this occasion the interior was handsomely and artistically decorated with flowers and plants; presenting a very beautiful scene. A committee of five young ladies, consisting of Misses May Smith, Bertha Duck, Orpha Gramley, Mabel Zones and Carrie Gentzel, were appointed to welcome every one entering the building. They were then conducted to seats by the ushers who were W. O. Gramley, A. L. Duck and C. B. Anman. The church was soon filled to its utmost capacity.

The dedicatory sermon was ably delivered by Rev. I. H. McGann, of Lewisburg, a very fluent and persuasive speaker, and during the subscriptions was quite jocular and amusing, and frequently occasioned smiles by his lively play upon names as the amounts subscribed were announced. Of course ample means were secured to liquidate every dollar of indebtedness.

Rev. W. E. Fisher, D. D., of Shamokin, and Dr. D. M. Wolf also assisted in the services. The dedication was by the pastor, Rev. J. N. Rearick. The singing by the choir was of a high order of excellence and the selections very appropriate. Miss Orpha, daughter of T. M. Gramly, Esq. presided at the organ. The Lutherans at Spring Mills are quite influential and in large numbers, and heretofore many attended church at Penn Hall and George's Valley. But no doubt now a vast majority will worship in the new St. Mark's Evangelical Lutheran church, it being more convenient and nearer home.

A GREAT SURPRISE.—The marriage of Miss Emma Graham, youngest daughter of Mrs. Mary Graham, of north Allegheny street, to Mr. G. H. Lawrence, of Cooperstown, North Dakota, which was celebrated at the home of the bride in this place last evening at 4 o'clock, was a great surprise. Not alone to her most intimate friends, but members of the family as well.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence met at Wyburne about a year ago where she was visiting her brother Edward. There their romance began and they had not seen each other since until the fore part of this week, when he arrived and has been at the Bush house. They had intended to be married later, but Mr. Lawrence persuaded his wife to accompany him home at once, to which she finally acquiesced and they were married by Rev. Dr. Laurie, of the Presbyterian church, and left for North Dakota on the 4:44 train last evening.

The bride is very well known in Bellefonte, where she has hosts of friends who will wish her happiness as limitless as is the great country that is to be her new home. Her husband, Mr. Lawrence, is a prosperous stock raiser at Cooperstown.

SPECIAL COURT ADJOURNED.—The term of court that had been called, special, to convene in this place to try cases in which his honor, Judge Love, had been interested at one time or another, adjourned shortly after noon on Monday.

The jurors, witnesses and litigants were all present, but on Saturday word was received from Judge Bell, of Blair county, to the effect that he would be unable to get here to preside. It was then too late to procure another judge or get notice of the enforced postponement to the parties in interest.

Yesterday Fish Commissioner Meehan and State Economic Zoologist Surface were here and looked over the various sites offered for a location for the new state fish hatchery. They were driven out to the Blue Spring on the Shugert farm at the Gap, accompanied by Judge Love, Col. Reeder, John M. Shugert, Robert F. Hunter, Hard P. Harris and Joseph Montgomery.

While Mr. Meehan expressed no opinion it was apparent that he was very much pleased with the site on the Christ Dale farm, to which water from the spring could be diverted easily. The temperature and volume of the spring proved satisfactory.

Pine Grove experienced the heaviest rain-fall in its history shortly after noon on Wednesday. The water fell in sheets, flooding the low-lands and turning the little drains into raging torrents. Some hail fell, but not enough to do any damage. The devastation caused by the water was very great. Fields were ruined and some cattle drowned. Later in the afternoon parts of Nittany valley experienced a similar storm, but Bellefonte had only passing showers.

Next week the carnival will bring a great crowd to Bellefonte, but the real attraction will be at Schofield's old reliable saddy on Spring street, where a special ride is being made on nets, dusters, whips, collars, pads and axle grease. Remember, this is something special and worth your while seeing if you are in the harness market.

Pawnee Bill's wild west show was swamped in the mud at Milton Tuesday. He attempted to give an afternoon performance, but the horses and men soon became so plastered with mud that they were almost unrecognizable. The performance was out short and the work of loading the show was at once begun.

The Evangelical association will hold a grove meeting beginning Thursday evening, July 2nd, in the woods near Penn's Cave.

Nineteen horses were sold at the Millheim horse sale last Thursday at an average price of \$142.17.

The season for bass opened on the 15th.

News Purely Personal.

Hon. Wm. Allison, of Spring Mills, was a Bellefonte visitor on Friday.

John Trafford is traveling for the Bullock Solid Comfort Swing and Chair Co.

Miss Elizabeth Ardell is visiting at the home of her uncle, T. A. Ardell, at Julian.

Col. W. Fred Reynolds is in Philadelphia on business. He went down on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Grace Smith, of Centre Hall, spent Monday at the home of her brother Witmer, on west High street.

Miss Thelma Potter, of Linn St., who had been in school at Baltimore, came home on Tuesday for the summer.

Mrs. W. I. Fleming went down to Williamsport on Wednesday to attend the funeral of her cousin, Clarence Fleming.

Gay Harris, who had been visiting his mother here for a week or so, left for his new field of work in Pittsburg, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Larimer, of Jersey Shore, have been in town for the most of the week visiting Le's parents on Thomas street.

Rev. Sylvester Beach, who has been working in the Latin quarter in Paris, is a guest of his mother, Mrs. Nancy Orbison, in this place.

H. A. Larimer, of Lincoln, Nebraska, and Mrs. Harris Mann, of Lewistown, are guests at the home of W. T. Speer, on west High street.

After a visit of a month with her sisters Mrs. F. E. Nagney and Mrs. C. D. Kreider, in this place, Mrs. E. C. Rowe left for her home in Sharon, on Monday.

John Gilliland, of State College, spent Saturday in town getting rested up a little after the rush and excitement of commencement week up there.

Mrs. Carl Lilliedahl and Mrs. Frank Houser, with their children, are here from Altoona, for a visit at the home of the former's parents on Thomas street.

Charles Noll, of Stockington, Ill., who had not been home for seven years, was called to Pleasant Gap last week on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Rev. Jay Woodcock, of Loyalsock, spent the fore part of the week visiting friends at Milesburg, Bellefonte and Lemont. He went back to his charge yesterday.

Mr. M. Magee Esq. who came up from Philadelphia last week to look after a little business and visit his friends in the county, returned on Monday afternoon.

Postmaster W. W. Montgomery and Dr. Joseph Broeckerhoff were in Tyrone, last Thursday evening, looking over the fixtures in the office at that place.

T. W. Peters, an 83 year old resident of Unionville, left for Newkirk, Oklahoma, on Wednesday expecting to make his future home with a son and daughter living at that place.

Thomas Mitchell Esq. returned from Boston, Mass., on Friday morning; having been in that city attending the marriage of his brother Joseph D. Mitchell to Miss Tony Dunbar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennedy Johnson, of east Bishop street, entertained Mrs. Edward Holt and her daughter Stella, of Northumberland, and Mrs. Gardner, of Beech Creek, for a few days last week.

Mrs. P. Gray Meek and her daughter, Miss Lulu, left for Atlantic City on Tuesday morning; expecting to be gone two weeks. Miss Mary Meek departed the next day for Aspinwall for an indefinite trip on Wednesday.

W. C. Bell, of Pleasant Gap, who is working at his trade as a pattern maker at Tyrone, was in town on Wednesday. Work being a little slack up there he came down to spend a week or so with his family.

H. S. Ray, of the Broeckerhoff house, and his father, F. D. Ray, proprietor of the Altamonte, at Altoona, who has been here visiting his son for a few days, went down to Williamsport on a business trip on Wednesday.

Harry E. Gross, of Snow Shoe, has been granted a few weeks' leave of absence from his engine and will try his hand at selling oil for the Keystone Oil and Supply Co., of which John P. Harris Jr. is manager for this district.

Geo. VanTrie, who had been visiting friends here, left for his home in Pittsburg on Tuesday. Her visit was cut unexpectedly short by the news that her husband is in a hospital in that city suffering with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. James Noonan, with their two cute little daughters, returned from a visit with friends in Tioga county, on Tuesday evening. While there they attended the wedding of Mrs. Noonan's sister, Miss Mary Gleason, to Martin Melvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac B. Maitland, of Williamsport, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Maitland's father, Mr. Daniel Garman, at the corner of High and Spring Sts. Mrs. M. expects to remain over for part of the carnival week. Mr. Maitland went home on Monday.

Mrs. M. W. Cowdrie, of Niagara Falls, and Mrs. Martha Calvert, of New York, who had been visiting friends here, departed on Saturday to visit with friends in Tyrone, Clearfield and Butler. Mrs. Cowdrie will be back to Bellefonte for a few days before her return home.

The first guests of the large house party which Mrs. Emil Joseph will entertain at her home, at the corner of High and Spring streets, arrived from New York, with Mrs. Joseph, on Tuesday evening. They are Mrs. Sam Wallace and her two children and nurse and the Misses Beatrice and Miriam Wallace.

William Crossmyer, who is connected with the Mercantile club in St. Louis, has been visiting his mother at Milesburg and other friends in the county, for the past ten days. He doesn't get away from his business often and when he does get back to old Centre he enjoyed every moment of his stay.

The fine weather on Monday induced Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rowan to drive down from their home up Buffalo Run to do a little shopping. It was Mrs. Rowan's first visit to Bellefonte since her return from St. Luke's hospital in Philadelphia, where she had quite a large tumor removed. She is getting along nicely now.

Miss Annie McLaughlin is visiting friends in Tyrone.

Capt. Harry Simler, of Phillipsburg, spent Sunday in Bellefonte.

Miss Alice Ishler, of High street, is visiting friends in Huntington.

Robert Garman, of Tyrone, spent Sunday with his father in this place.

Emmanuel Noll spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. York at Warriors-mark.

Samuel Sheffer, of Curtin St., is in Hagerstown, Md., on a business mission.

Miss May Taylor has returned to her home here after a visit with friends in Altoona.

Former sheriff W. M. Croister, of Phillipsburg, was a Bellefonte visitor Monday evening.

W. P. Brew, of the firm of Woolston & Brew, of New York, spent Sunday with friends in Bellefonte.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fitzgerald, of Pittsburg, are visiting the former's parents on north Spring street.

Miss Mary Harris Weaver left for Clearfield on Tuesday, to spend a few days with relatives there.

Mrs. Marcus Overly, with her little daughter, left for their new home in Williamsport, on Friday afternoon.

Miss Isabel Hill, one of the teachers at the Academy, expects to spend her summer vacation on a tour through Canada.

Miss Daisy Barnes spent the fore part of the week attending the commencement exercises at her alma mater, the Lock Haven Normal.

Rev. and Mrs. George Israel Brown, with their children, departed on Monday evening, for a stay of several weeks at Winthrop Beach, Mass.

Maj. W. J. Singer, whose life was not regarded as being worth very much, last fall, is picking up so fast that he looks better than he has for years.

Bert Blair departed for Philadelphia, on Friday afternoon; having secured a position in that city during his summer vacation from the University.

Miss May Whitehead, of Centre Line, preacher and evangelist, was in town on Tuesday and Wednesday, visiting Rev. T. W. Perks, on Thomas street.

Misses Helen Harper and Sara Fitzgerald attended commencement at the Lock Haven Normal during the fore part of the week returning yesterday.

Mr. Shreffler, of Prairie Home, Illinois, a grandson of Robison Baird, once a resident of Pleasant Gap, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Eckenroth, at that place.

Our old friend Shuman Lyon, of Spring township, a gentleman who bears the highest respect of all who know him, was a pleasant caller at the WATCHMAN office on Saturday.

H. C. Robison, the gentleman whose big saw mill at Hecla park, is getting much of the timber in that section into remarkable shape, called at the WATCHMAN office on Wednesday.

Miss Francis B. Elmore, a teacher in the Bellefonte public schools, left on Monday morning to spend most of the summer with friends in Harrisburg, Williamsport, Newberry and Trout Run.

Mrs. H. Gentzel, of Pleasant Gap, who has just returned from a trip through the West, encountered some of the big floods that were so destructive out there. They delayed her journey home very much.

Samuel A. Loper, for several years a clerk in Montgomery & Co's store and recently manager of the Rackett news stand, left for Philadelphia on Monday; having accepted a position in a clothing establishment in that city.

While in town doing some shopping on Tuesday Mrs. Nathan Bachman and her bright little daughter called at this office for a few moments. They live on the Armor farm near the American Lime and Stone Co's operations.

CONCERTS AT HECLA PARK.—The Friday afternoon and evening concerts at Hecla park will be resumed for the season on June 26th, except there will be no concert on July 3rd. The Bellefonte orchestra has been engaged to furnish the music for these concerts.

Trains leave Bellefonte for the park as usual in the afternoon and evening and the return train at night will leave the park at about 9:45.

The usual low rates of fare will obtain for these occasions.

GRANGE MEMORIAL SERVICES.—Through the courtesy of the trustees of the Messiah church, 3 miles north of Milesburg, Bald Eagle Grange, No. 57, will hold their annual memorial service in the above named church, at 2 P. M. on Sunday, June 29th. The Kunville and Marsh Creek Sabbath schools and the public are invited.

County detective Joe Righthour caught a 19 1/2 inch salmon trout on Tuesday evening. It looked like one of Else Miller's spring house species, but Joe denies the soft impeachment.

Faibles are advertising some special bargains for carnival week that you would do well to look up when you come to town for the big show.

Sixteen "fresh fish" have lately been added to the muster roll of Co. B.

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Wheat, Corn, Flour, and other market goods.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. Wacker. The following are the quotations up to six o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Lists grain prices for Bellefonte.

Bellefonte Produce Market.

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