

Bellefonte, Pa., July 24, 1903.

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Hay is selling for \$14 the load, out of the field.

A social will be held in Noll's grove at Pleasant Gap to-morrow evening.

W. B. Price is to take charge of the Potter house in Phillipsburg on August 1st.

The Logan Engine Co. expects to attend the district firemen's convention in Clearfield.

Mrs. C. M. Parrish gave a card party at her apartments in Petriken hall Tuesday evening.

To-morrow evening the Milesburg firemen will have their big time. Are you going down?

The wall for Reynolds Shope's new home on Thomas street is completed and ready for the carpenters.

Nearly three hundred people attended the dance at the park last Friday evening. Are you going to-night?

On Wednesday evening the Misses Smith, of east Bishop street, entertained fourteen ladies at a six o'clock luncheon.

Mrs. David Kelly entertained a number of her friends at a progressive euchre at her home at Sunny-Side last evening.

Clarence McClelland, who went to Altoona to work in a grocery store some time ago, has entered the erecting shops of the Pennsylvania R. R. Co.

William Dawson has purchased a horse and wagon, which he will use in transporting the mail from the station to the new post-office up town.

The beautiful little mare which Dr. G. F. Harris had been driving for several years died at the Palace livery on Monday. Spinal meningitis was the cause.

Miss Emma Aikens entertained a party of ten girl friends at Hecla park last Friday evening. They were served with chicken and waffles at the park chafet.

For the past thirty years A. A. Kohlhecker has been proprietor of the Central hotel at Milesburg, and, like good wine, it seems to improve with age.

The house party which Mr. R. B. Freeman, of Tyrone, has been entertaining at the Nittany Country club for the past two weeks, will break up tomorrow.

At a meeting of the Centre Building and Loan Association, held last Tuesday evening, M. I. Gardner was elected secretary to succeed the late George L. Potter.

John Dawson, who lives on Half-moon hill, hurt himself internally on Sunday, while trying to make a broad jump with some companion. His condition is serious.

Co. B. left Bellefonte yesterday morning for the annual encampment at Somers. We hope the boys will be able to hold their enviable place at the head of the Guard of the State.

Last Thursday evening Miss Mary Cedar, gave a card party in honor of Mrs. Albert Engels Blackburn, at her home on north Allegheny street. There were twenty-four young ladies present.

The storm on Monday blew the top off one of the trees in the court house yard and it had to be cut down. The tree had been butchered so that it was very nearly dead before the storm struck it.

Heavy storms have been passing over Centre county within the past few days doing much damage to oats, barley and corn. In some localities the torrential rains and hail have pounded the former grains flat on the ground.

Mrs. John Walker and her sister, Miss Shortlidge gave a delightful little dinner last Saturday evening at the former's home on north Thomas street in honor of Mrs. Charles S. Hughes and her sister, Miss Graham, of Baltimore.

John C. Rowe and John Van Pelt, of this place, have purchased a plot of ground on Pine street, in Phillipsburg, and expect to put it on the market for building lots. It fronts on the new trolley line over there and is thought to be growing in value.

Mr. D. G. Stewart has been made acting secretary of the Centre County Fair Association and is already busily engaged in making arrangements for the annual meeting in October. It is his intention to make this fall's fair by far the greatest one ever held in Centre county and to that end he is now working.

Col. E. J. Pruner has purchased the "Black barn" farm, recently the property of the late Gov. Hastings, who purchased it from Robert Valentine for \$9,000. Col. Pruner paid \$8,500 for it, but it will be recalled that the barn was burned on July 4th decreasing the value of the property accordingly. Col. Pruner has bought the old Peters hotel barn at Unionville and will remove it to his new farm.

Liveryman Samuel T. Brooks has purchased the Richard property on east Linn street for \$3,500. The transfer includes the fine homestead on Linn street and the two tenements on Lamb. It was an exceptionally cheap property at that price and was sold only because the Richard heirs are anxious to get their estate settled up. The rumors to the effect that Mr. and Mrs. Edward Richard or Charles intend leaving town are without warrant.

CENTRE COUNTY TO GET A STATE FISH HATCHERY.—It has been definitely settled that the new state hatchery provided for by the last session of the Legislature will be located in Centre county and within five miles of Bellefonte. The state fish commissioners were halting between Mt. Alto, Franklin county, and a location in this county up to last week, when Supt. Meehan wrote to Col. Reeder, in this place, that it had been decided to locate the hatchery here, if the public would furnish the site and a rail-road siding.

As has been previously stated in these columns the local Sportsmen's League had taken the matter up as soon as it was known to be a possibility and when Mr. Meehan's letter came a meeting was called at once and canvassing committees were appointed. The response was almost spontaneous. In less than two days \$1,700 were raised and the site assured, because the balance seemed easy.

The site that Mr. Meehan selected lies east of the Lewisburg railroad tracks and immediately south of the Pleasant Gap station. It is made up of 4 acres and 22 perches owned by Mrs. S. H. Williams, of this place, for which she asks \$500. 8 acres and 66 perches, owned by Mrs. Murilla Dawson, of this place, who asks \$100 per acre for it. 3 acres and a spring of water owned by Siney Hoy, for which he asks \$200. The spring has a temperature of 42° and the water will have a 14 ft. fall to the hatchery.

While the lists containing the contributions are not complete at this time the present showing is as follows: Bellefonte \$1,100. State College, estimated, \$150. Pleasant Gap, estimated, \$75. Snow Shoe and Phillipsburg \$322. Some contributions are expected from Blair county, where Mr. Miller, a member of the Commission resides. He took a very active part in interest of the Centre county location and we know that all of the local workers will feel deeply grateful to him for his efforts.

The committee was especially pleased with the response from Phillipsburg and Snow Shoe. A thorough canvass was not made in the former place yet the result was more than was anticipated.

The proposed hatchery will represent an investment in buildings and ground improvements of about \$20,000. It will be the largest trout hatchery in the United States, and to make it attractive the state fish commission will make a beautiful park of the grounds, erecting fountains, and interlining it with delightful driveways and walks for the enjoyment of the public and accommodation of students who desire to study this interesting branch of nature.

Large and commodious buildings will be erected and twenty or more men employed, with a monthly pay roll of \$1,000. This will add financial interest to the community. In the buildings will be found aquaria, tanks and ponds filled with the fish of all kinds, all ages and all sizes, with their eggs and young in various stages of development. For Bellefonte this will mean not only a great amount of pleasure but thousands of dollars as it will increase business in the way of travel.

Every three years the streams around Bellefonte, and throughout the country, will be heavily stocked with thousands of large trout that will be necessarily put in streams from the hatchery after they are past the age of usefulness for spawn.

AN UNIMPORTANT MEETING OF COUNCIL.—The borough council met on Monday evening with members Jenkins, Reynolds, Mallory, Wise, Whittaker, Derstine and Kirk present. There was very little business before the body and it was all over and adjourned in about half an hour.

The Potter-Hoy Hardware Co., asked permission to place a bay window in their store room along Water street, the same to extend out 4 ft over the street. Council took no action in the matter.

The following bills were approved and ordered paid.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Includes Street pay roll, Bellefonte Republican printing, Police pay roll, Burgess Walker, Henry D. Brown, Water pay roll, Thos. Beaver, J. L. Montgomery, Pennsylvania railroad freight, Ira From.

RIGHTHOUS MAKES A HAUL IN CLEAR-FIELD COUNTY.—Detective Joe Rightnoor arrested George Lucas, Britton Butler and Harry Viedorf at Winburne, on Monday, for having used dynamite to kill fish.

The crime with which they are charged is supposed to have been committed on Black Bear run, near the old Swartz dam, on or about June 24th.

The men were taken before justice Laporte in Phillipsburg and found guilty. He sentenced them to pay a fine of \$100 each and undergo an imprisonment of one hundred days in the county jail or pay an additional dollar of fine for each day not spent in jail.

The men appealed from his finding and gave bail for their appearance at court.

HAS LOCK JAW.—Roy Hasel, a ten year old son of Thomas Hasel, a farmer near Zion, shot himself in the hand with a toy pistol about the Fourth of July and is not expected to recover. He has lock jaw as a result of the accident and his suffering is reported as being terrible.

Thomas Shope, of Milesburg, who worked for the American Lime and Stone Co. at Tyrone Forge, had his left leg broken above the knee on Tuesday morning. He was moving some rock, when his bar caught on the slide and flew back with such force as to cause the injury. He was brought to the Bellefonte hospital, where the fracture was reduced.

Eugene, a little son of Recorder J. C. Rowe, fell from a swing at their home in Phillipsburg, on Friday, and broke his arm.

Henry Wilcox and his son, the Phillipsburg contractor, are moving the large barn of Jacob Woodring, on the Cowher farm, near Port Matilda.

The big festival which the Milesburg firemen hold annually will come off to-morrow evening. If you want to have a jolly time for a few hours that is the place to go.

Faubles are advertising a special mid-summer reduction in clothing. It would pay you to look up the figures they produce in another column in black and white.

The first national bank of Tyrone has purchased the Study block, corner Pennsylvania Ave. and Tenth St. in that place for \$22,500. It is the intention to erect a handsome bank building on the corner.

The tenement house on the Ebberts farm, about a mile and a half east of Port Matilda, was totally destroyed by fire recently, together with most of its contents. The house was occupied by William Mayhew.

The Welsh Bros., who have been in the show business for several years and have shown here frequently, are advertising their paraphernalia for sale and will retire from the business. They are building a large hotel and theatre in Lancaster.

The Rev. Geo. F. Boggs, the Methodist minister at Howard, was quite badly hurt at Mill Hall recently. He was driving near that place when a wheel came off his buggy, throwing him out in such a way that the horse stepped on him several times.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sterling Dinkle, of Wellsboro, have announced the marriage of their sister, Annie Carner Dinkle and Mr. William Penn Kitts, Lieutenant, Twenty-first Infantry, United States Army. The marriage took place on Wednesday July 15th at the home of Lieutenant and Mrs. Walter B. McCaskey, at Fort Lincoln, Bismark, North Dakota, where the bride has been spending the summer with her niece, Mrs. McCaskey.

The bride who is a very charming young woman is a native of this county. Most of her life has been spent in Jersey Shore. She is well known here and at State College, where she has visited several times and is very much liked by those who are acquainted with her.

A jolly day in the harvest field was spent by a party of young ladies and gentlemen at the country home of Mrs. Mary J. Gates, in half-moon valley, last Friday. In the party were Miss Jessie Swires, a daughter of Jacob Swires, the well known Phillipsburg merchant, Miss Georgia Ross, a DuBois society girl, Miss Ella Myers, of Martha Furnace, J. K. Holter, of Howard, Ralph Ayers an Altoona electrician, Foster Davis, of Juniata, and the daughter and son of Mrs. Gates. Few of the party had ever been in a harvest field before but they took in seven loads of wheat and three of hay, without an accident, other than was likely to occur with Miss Swires doing the driving and the other girls making all the trouble they could for the greensies who were building. It was lots of fun up to the time that the girls discovered that the wheat ans had a very marked affinity for their skirts, then it was different, for the rest of the day was spent in picking them out.

MABEL BATHGATE.—Mabel, the sixteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Bathgate, died at their home at Le-mont on Sunday morning; leaving her sorrowing parents, four sisters and three brothers to mourn her most untimely death. She had been ill only a short time with typhoid fever.

She was a very lovable young girl and a consistent member of the Presbyterian church. Rev. Dennison, of State College, presided at her burial, which was made at Shiloh on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Elizabeth Porter, widow of J. H. Porter, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Dornblazer, in Mackeyville, on Wednesday, of paralysis, was in her 78th year. She is survived by the following children: John R., Adolphus and Hayes H., living in Nittany valley; Mary Hayes, of Columbus, Ohio; and Maggie Dornblazer and Jennie Snyder, of Porter Twp., Clinton county.

Miss Susan Haines died at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. D. Hosterman, at Penn Hall, last Thursday, at the age of 61 years. Besides her sister her one brother, William Haines, of Freeburg, survives. Interment was made at the Salem church on Saturday.

Mrs. Della M. Robison, wife of John Robison, died at her home in Port Matilda, after a long illness of dropsy. She was 32 years, 3 months and 28 days old, and was a daughter of Daniel Wills. Surviving here are her husband and four small children, and her parents.

An eighteen months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Billet died at their home at Coleville, last Saturday, and was buried at Curtin on Tuesday afternoon.

B. A. Salter held services in the Coleville chapel.

Abner McClosky, a well known resident of Beech Creek, died at his home in that place and was buried on Tuesday morning, with Rev. George F. Boggs, of the Methodist church, officiating.

P. B. CRIDER AND SON RETIRE FROM THE RETAIL BUSINESS.—On Tuesday morning one of the largest business changes that has been made in Bellefonte for several years was accomplished. By its provisions P. B. Crider and Son will release all the valuable property rights and franchises they originally bought from the Hale estate and at the same time retire from the retail lumber business.

The purchasers are W. E. Gheen, Shem Spiglemeyer and G. W. Gamble. The two former gentlemen are very well known in this place where they resided at one time. The latter is a resident of Jersey Shore, in which place he owned and operated a flour mill until he sold out recently.

Under the terms of the conveyance the new firm became owners of the valuable water power, the flour mill operated now by C. T. Gerberich & Son, the building on High street occupied by Platt Barber & Co., wholesale grocers, all of the grounds railroads and buildings in the lumber yard of P. B. Crider and Son. In fact they secure everything but the lumber in the yards and the machinery in the skaver factory. The price paid was \$35,000.00. For this same property the Criders paid the Hale estate, in 189 , the sum of \$33,000.00. It will be remembered that William Grauer acted as the agent in that transaction.

Possession of everything but the flour mill is to be given April 1st, 1904, consequently the Gerberichs will operate it until that time, then Mr. Gamble, one of the new firm, will have charge, inasmuch as that is his special branch of the work. The retail lumber business and planing mill will be carried on as usual by the new firm.

Mr. Crider's principal object in selling was in order that he might retire from the retail business. He has become such a large operator in lumber, especially in the Southern States, that the trifles of a retail yard were more than he had the time or inclination to look after any longer. On April 1st he will have to give possession of his present offices and at that time his place of business will probably be removed to the Exchange or another of his uptown buildings.

When C. T. Gerberich was asked what he expected to do after he has given up the mill with which he has been connected for so many years, he said: "Oh, I've been at it fifty years now, so I guess I'll just settle up the business and quit." And he is amply able to do just that very thing. Fifty years ago he went into that mill to learn the trade. For the first few years he was not there regularly, but for the last forty he has missed very few days and as a result of honest dealings and strict attention to business he will retire quiet able to spend the rest of his days without occupation, if he so chooses.

CHRIST SHARRAR'S STORY.—While in Bellefonte last Friday attending to some legal business Christ Sharrar, the well known farmer and woodsman from up the Bald Eagle, told a snake story that comes pretty near equaling one Bill Haynes deposited with the credulous people of this place several years ago.

Bill's story was to the effect that when workmen were building the Karthaus branch snakes were so plenty along the right of way that crowds of workmen had to be organized to do nothing else than kill them in order that the other men could go ahead with the grading unmolested. One day he happened along the work on his way fishing and was just in time to see an immense rattler strike at a dog who had disturbed it while sunning itself on a flat stone. The snake buried its fangs in the handle of the pick in the hands of the workman and in an instant the handle had swollen so that it broke the eye out of the pick.

Sharrar's story takes a slightly different turn and is as follows:

A few days ago a man came to his home in Taylor township suffering from the bite of a venomous reptile. The man was William Shay and his home is at Chester Hill, near Phillipsburg. He had been out in the mountain picking huckleberries when he came upon an immense rattlesnake. Mr. Shay carried with him a small hatchet which he used to cut away the underbrush, with this he struck the snake a violent blow, cutting it square in two. Now comes the strange part of the story; the snake though in tain sprang at Mr. Shay and burying his fangs in one of the fingers of his right hand, chewed it, to use Mr. Shay's expression "like a wild-cat." It was with difficulty that Shay separated the snake from his hand. He then dispatched the snake, but by this time his arm had begun to pain him severely. He hastened to the nearest house which proved to be Mr. Sharrar's and told of his trouble.

Mr. Sharrar at once killed a chicken and placed Shay's hand inside it keeping it there until the chicken was cold. He also tied a string around the man's wrist tight and then poulticed the hand with the white of eggs. In time he extracted a cup full of poisonous matter from the wound and Mr. Shay recovered and went on his way rejoicing.

The rattlesnake was 5 feet long and had fourteen rattles.

Orders have been placed for the machinery for the new Hayes run fire brick works, to be built at Hayes run, ten miles west of Beech Creek, by Centre and Clinton county capital. The plant is to have a capacity of forty thousand brick per day. Subscriptions to the stock of the company can be made at the offices of Brown and Stevenson, in Lock Haven.

The four kilns at W. H. Walker's new lime plant up Buffalo run have been completed by contractor Conrad Miller and are all in operation.

News Purely Personal.

Miss Helen Crisman is visiting in Sunbury. Miss Edna Meyer is visiting friends in the vicinity of Danville.

George Sunday, of Altoona, is spending the week with friends in this place. Miss Roberts Noll, of Pine street, is attending the carnival in Altoona this week.

Frederick Bartley, of Curtin's Works, was a pleasant caller at this office on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ardery, of Reynolds Ave., are off on a visit to friends at Punxsutawney.

Terrence Murray and his daughter, Miss Catharine, have returned from a sojourn at Atlantic City.

Frank H. Clemons returned from quite an extended stay at Atlantic City on Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. D. Eber Rothrock, of DuBois, arrived in town on Saturday for a short visit with the Ottis and Rothrocks.

Charles E. Dorworth of the Philadelphia Press staff arrived in town on Monday, to spend a few days at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Garman, of Linn street, are home, after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Lukenbach, in Tyrone.

Mr. and Mrs. George Steele, of Williamsport, were guests of Mrs. Louisa Bush, on Spring St., from Saturday until Monday.

Charles Larimer, who has lately joined the Bellefonte workers in the Clearfield region, spent Sunday with his parents in this place.

Mrs. T. C. Bell, of Wilkingsburg, was an arrival in town on Thursday evening, and is visiting her many friends in this place.

Miss Jennie Crittenden, who had been visiting her father for several weeks, returned to her home at Waterbury, Conn., on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Kurtz departed for Wernersville on Wednesday; expecting to spend a month at one of the sanitariums there.

Harry Gerberich is selling "Snow-flake" along the line of the P. and E. this week. His principal points are Renovo and Emporium.

James A. McClain, of Spangler, was in town for Mr. Geo. L. Potter's funeral on Saturday afternoon, and remained over Sunday with his mother.

Jacob Bortoff, the retired Lemont farmer, who keeps himself busy with insurance and other matters, was in town on business on Monday.

W. P. Duncan Esq. and Dr. Potter, were two distinguished Phillipsburgers in town on Saturday to attend the funeral of the late George L. Potter.

Charles McHugh, of Pittsburg, is here with her four children, for a visit of several weeks with her parents, postmaster and Mrs. W. W. Montgomery.

The Misses Daisy and Kate Brislin, with Mr. George Harris, went down to Williamsport on Tuesday, to spend a week or ten days with friends in that city.

Col. E. R. Chambers and Col. W. Fred Reynolds returned from Camp Hastings at Parkside, on Saturday; their military duties at that place having ceased.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Confer, of Warriors-mark, were over Sunday guests at the home of former sheriff and Mrs. William A. Lehler, on east High street.

Dr. E. H. Meek, of Waddles, with his brother, B. W. Meek, of State College, was in town yesterday on his way to Oak Grove to locate for the practice of medicine.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Garman, with their children, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. William Harland, of Coatesville, are visiting the former's father, the venerable Daniel Garman.

Mrs. Charles S. Hughes and her sister Miss Daisy Graham, who had been guests at the Academy here for several weeks, left for their homes in Baltimore on Monday morning.

Rev. Jas. R. Hughes left for New York on Saturday morning. He will visit his son Edward in that city for several days then go to Asbury Park for the summer. All of the Hughes family will summer at that resort.

Mrs. Margaret Meek, of Altoona, and her sister Mrs. Sarah Gardner, of Rock Springs, who were in town the fore part of the week visiting their brothers, J. M. and P. F. Keckhine returned to Pine Grove Mills on Wednesday.

Mrs. S. Cameron Burdise and her daughter Rachel, of Philadelphia, who had been spending two weeks at the Bush home, departed for Tyrone yesterday. After spending a few days there they will go to Howard, thence on to their home.

Mrs. T. A. Shoemaker, with her children Philip and Martha, are spending the week with friends in Ebensburg. They left on Saturday. At the same time Mr. and Mrs. E. Fenlon departed for a stay of two weeks at Ebensburg, Johnstown and Indiana.

Col. Austin Curtin has for his guests at his home at Roland, Mr. and Mrs. John Enste and daughter Edith, of New York City. Mrs. Enste is a niece of the late Mrs. Austin Curtin and will be remembered by some in this vicinity as Miss Gerlie Browne, who visited Mr. and Mrs. Curtin some years ago.

Hon. Henry Albert, an orange grower, of Cayamonga, Cal., visited Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Hayes, on north Allegheny street, the latter part of last week. He is the husband of Miss Mollie Nesbit, formerly of this place, and while east on a business trip stopped to visit some friends at her old home here.

Among the new comers to Bellefonte is Mr. William Butler and his family; who are natives of Bellefonte. Mr. Butler is the superintendent of the Bellefonte Furnace Co.'s new coke ovens, in the Punxsutawney district. For awhile he was connected with the Lehigh Co. at Snow Shoe. They are living on Curtin St.

After attending to the thousand and one little things a busy person has to look after Mr. and Mrs. James R. Hughes got away for their summer vacation on Tuesday morning. After visiting some of the larger Pennsylvania towns they will go to Asbury Park to remain until a short time before the Academy re-opens in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thomas, of Waddie, were in town on Friday for several hours. Mrs. Thomas had been visiting friends at Elmira, N. Y., for four weeks and was on her way home. Arthur had grown so tired keeping bachelor's hall that he came down this far to meet her and after reaching here he decided to go on to Lock Haven and met her there.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Parker, of Thomas street and their two children left yesterday morning for their usual mid-summer's outing. Mr. Parker and Ferguson accompanied Company B, to Somers, where they will visit the former's mother and sisters during the encampment while Mrs. Parker and Eleanor went to Philadelphia and Atlantic City to spend several weeks with relatives.

Miss Minnie Greeninger, formerly a resident of Bellefonte is visiting the family of Frank Galbraith on Bishop street. Everyone will recall the misfortunes that befell the Greeninger family after moving to Philadelphia. At one time five of them were down with typhoid fever and the father died with it. Then the only man left in the family at home was Tom, the hearty looking chap who used to ride bicycle races when here and the last person in the world who you would think was going into consumption. He has had three hemorrhages already and last week started for Colorado. The Baldwin people in Philadelphia, for whom he worked, secured him a position out there and he has gone in quest of health.

Rector George I. Brown and his family returned yesterday from a trip to Connecticut.

Mrs. Frain is visiting her parents at Newberry preparatory to embarking in housekeeping.

David Tanyer, of Howard, was a Bellefonte visitor on Wednesday. While in town he took time to send his paper label away up head again.

Miss Overton of the Academy will spend her vacation in New York City doing research work. She went Monday evening to stay until school opens.

Mr. and Mrs. Ogden, of Thomas street, and their family, Miss Mildred and Henry, leave Saturday for a month's visit in Bradford county and with relatives in the northwestern part of the State.

William Culyhouse, who conducted a gun and general repair store in this place about eleven years ago and then went to Dover, Del., where he has since been living, is in town visiting and talking about moving back to Bellefonte.

James Pichel, who runs the diminutive locomotive that keeps the kilns of the American Lime and Stone Company's McCalmont operation, filled with stone from the quarries, had a few hours off on Saturday, because of the rain, and was up town calling on his friends, among whom the WARMAN is pleased to be numbered.

John Workman, of Hecla Park, was in town on Tuesday attending to some business. Mr. Workman is the proprietor of the little restaurant down at the Park that is gaining quite a reputation for chicken and waffle suppers. A number of parties from here have enjoyed them and are quite enthusiastic in their praise of the Workman chef.

Mrs. Anna Caswell and her daughter Mildred, were in town over Sunday visiting Mrs. M. A. Kirtz. Since leaving Coatesville after school closed they have been visiting friends in Scranton, Shippensburg and Millheim and do not intend to occupy their home here this summer. Yesterday they went to Punxsutawney where they will spend the month of August with Mrs. Caswell's brother Edgar Swartz.

Dr. John A. Bouse, who looks as if life in Franklin county agrees with him in every respect, is in town for a few days visiting friends and looking after business matters as he is one of the state board of physicians for the Royal Arcanum. Dr. Bouse practices at Chambersburg, but his fraternal business keeps him traveling most of the time. He is one of the sons of the late Rev. Bouse, of Milesburg, and still holds pleasant recollections of his old Centre county home.

THE HIGH DIVER INJURED.—Prof. Kid McComb, whose dive from a 65ft ladder was the thrilling feature of the recent carnival in this place, was hurt at Shamokin last Thursday. At first it was thought his diving days were over, but the injury did not prove as serious as it appeared to be. A strong wind blowing at the time he started from his perch is said to have carried him out of his course so that his head struck the side of the tank containing the water into which he was diving.

Another accident along the same line occurred in an inland New York town the same day. Those who attended Byron Spaun's ten and twenty cent show that exhibited here in June will recall two very well trained lions and a very daring keeper who performed them in an iron cage in the arena. One of his acts was to slap the mighty beast over the mouth with raw beef and then place it in his own mouth and after giving the lion a hold on it, to have a tussle for it. A number of daring things of this sort concluded with his pulling the largest lions jaws wide open and sticking his head clear into its mouth. Last Thursday he performed his act as usual, and everything went well until after he got his head into the lions mouth. Then the act ended, for he couldn't get it out. The lion had decided to keep it there and, before the horrified spectators could realize it, had bitten the head right off his trainer.

Harry A. Goss, a brakeman in the Altoona yard was jolted from a car on which he was riding by the sudden application of the air brakes and was rolled along the track for a considerable distance. The accident occurred shortly before 6 o'clock Sunday morning, near Fourth street, just as he was returning from his work. His chest was crushed and he was dead when discovered. He was 21 years old, was born at Wigton, Clearfield county, and his mother, Mrs. A. Goss, and one sister, living at Osceola, survive.

A child's gold chain and locket were lost on High, Allegheny or Bishop streets on Wednesday evening. The finder will please a little one who is in great sorrow because of the loss very much indeed by kindly leaving the same at this office.

The many friends of Joe Lose will be glad to know that he is going to stay in Bellefonte. He has been made collector and inspector of phones for the Bell Co., and manager C. N. Kester can congratulate himself on having secured a thoroughly honest and capable young gentleman.

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes Wheat-Red, Corn, Oats, Flour, Penna. Roller, Favorite Brands, Baled Hay, Choice Timothy No. 1, Straw.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAGNER.

The following are the quotations up to six o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press:

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes Red wheat, old, New wheat, per bushel, Corn, shelled, per bushel, Corn, ears, per bushel, Oats, old and new, per bushel, Barley, per bushel, Ground Plaster, per ton, Buckwheat, per bushel, Cloverseed, per bushel, Timothy seed per bushel.

Bellefonte Produce Market.

Corrected weekly by Seelcher & Co.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Includes Potatoes per bushel new, Onions, per dozen, Eggs, per dozen, Lard, per pound, Country Shoulders, Sides, Hams, Butter, per pound.