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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Piscatorialists will now have to devote their time to angling for the wary bass.

Edward L. Hoy expects to entertain a party of fourteen men at the Nittany country club over Sunday.

C. C. Shuey has had a very substantial flagstone pavement put down in front of his residence on High street.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church will give a New England supper on the evening of August 14th.

The County Treasurer calls attention to the adjourned sale of unseated lands that will be held August 7th at one o'clock.

The farmers have finally succeeded in housing most of their wheat crop, notwithstanding the rain storms every few days.

The Garman house and the residence and printing office of Charles R. Kurtz are being fixed up with a new coat of paint this week.

Just twenty-five people took advantage of the cheap excursion yesterday morning and left here for a ten day's sojourn at Atlantic City.

At the recent National Guard encampment at Gettysburg, Toner A. Hogg, of Milesburg, was elected sergeant of the Fifth regiment bugle corps.

Dr. H. W. Tate, the dentist, who is away on his midsummer vacation among the mountains of West Virginia, will not be home until the middle of August.

It is rumored that the Fifth regiment will have a drum corps in the near future, with Major Albert Roberts as its leader. Al is a first-class drummer and is hard to beat.

Two dozen of her young friends gave Miss Hattie Hart a surprise party, at the home of her mother on east Bishop street, last Friday evening, presenting her with a hand-ome card table.

Lewis Brown, of Madisonburg, the boy who was injured in a railway accident at Lamar on the 4th of July, and taken to the Lock Haven hospital, has entirely recovered and was discharged on Wednesday.

Daniel Hardy, a brother of Mrs. Cowher, of Port Matilda, died at his home in Tyrone, on Monday morning, of gangrene. He was sixty-eight years old and is survived by his second wife and ten children.

A fiscal meeting of the business men's picnic committee was held at the Broeckerhoff house last evening and after the business was concluded Mr. Frank Warfield entertained those present with a sumptuous supper.

If tribulations are safe criterions of the favor of Providence, the Methodists stand in, for it rained copiously all day of the Methodist picnic at Hecla park and yesterday the African M. E. church picnic was similarly favored.

Grover Glenn, an honor graduate of '06 State, who returned two weeks ago with typhoid fever, from a position he held in W. Va., has been in a critical condition the past week and his condition shows little improvement today.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hoover, of Halfmoon hill, are mourning the death of their three-year-old daughter, Theresa Belle, who died Wednesday. The funeral will take place to-day, the remains to be taken to Unionville for interment.

You don't want to forget "The Midway" which the ladies of the Bellefonte hospital will hold in the armory August 25th to 26th. They promise to make it both interesting and entertaining, as well as amusing for all who will attend.

The ex-Centre countians of Blair county will hold their fifth annual reunion at Glasgow park, Bellwood, August 18th. All Centre countians who have relatives and friends living in Blair county are cordially invited to attend. Good speakers, good music and plenty of amusements.

The Quiggle-Montgomery families reunion was held at the Pine station camping grounds on Wednesday, and the gathering was one of the best attended ever held. In the election of officers Capt. Henry C. Quigley, of this place, was made a member of the executive committee. It was also decided to hold the 1907 reunion at Pine station.

Prof. J. Angel, the eye specialist, will be in Bellefonte from Thursday morning until Friday noon of next week. Prof. Angel has been coming to Bellefonte the past year or two and is well known by his patients in this place. The fact that he now finds it necessary to stay here two days instead of one is evidence in itself that his clientele is growing successfully.

On Monday Mr. Peter Keichline brought to this office samples of the new raspberry-strawberry, successfully hybridized by Burbank & Co., seedmen of New York. The berries were grown by Mrs. William Goss, of Ferguson township, Mr. Keichline's sister. They are as large as a big strawberry, but finer in grain, like the raspberry. Although when eaten raw the flavor is not so good as either the raspberry or the strawberry, they are said to make most delicious preserves, etc. In any event they are a curiosity.

NOLL.—Samuel Noll, one of the best known residents of Spring township, in the vicinity of Pleasant Gap, died at seven o'clock Sunday evening in the Bellefonte hospital, after less than a week's illness. Monday afternoon of last week he was seized with very severe pains and came to Bellefonte to see a physician. His trouble was diagnosed as stricture and he was sent to the hospital for treatment. It was supposed he was getting along all right until Sunday when he grew suddenly worse and it was then manifest that peritonitis had set in. His death followed speedily thereafter.

Deceased was in his fifty-seventh year. He was a son of Samuel Noll and was born on the farm on which he spent all the years of his life. After the death of his father he farmed the old homestead. He was an industrious, upright and conscientious man. He was a progressive farmer and a good citizen.

He is survived by his wife, who prior to her marriage was Miss Rachel Tate, but no children. He also leaves one brother, Hon. John Noll, of this place, and two sisters, Miss Susan, at home and Mrs. Adam Stine, of Crescon City, Oklahoma.

The funeral was held at 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning from the house. Rev. Ambrice M. Schmidt officiated at the service and interment was made in the cemetery at Pleasant Gap.

CLARK.—Wilson D. Clark, a highly respected citizen of Blanchard, died quite suddenly of heart disease at four o'clock Monday morning. Though he had been suffering some days with what was believed to be indigestion he was around as usual and his death was not anticipated by his closest friends.

Deceased was aged sixty-five years. He was a blacksmith by trade and an industrious, upright citizen. He was a member and a trustee of the Methodist church, and a member of Blanchard lodge I. O. O. F. He was also an old soldier with an honorable war record and a member of the George Harleman Post, G. A. R.

Surviving him are his wife, who prior to her marriage was Miss Kunes, a daughter of Samuel H. Kunes; one daughter, Miss Olive, and one son, Harrison; also two brothers and two sisters, Lemuel and James Clark, Mrs. Foster Beatty, of Milesburg, and Mrs. John Mapes, of Maryland.

The funeral was held at two o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, interment being made in the cemetery at Blanchard.

LINN.—Mrs. Augusta Grayson Linn, widow of the late Judge Linn, formerly of this place, died at the home of her son-in-law, Dr. Howard Cheney, in Williamsport, last Friday morning, from a general decline, after a long illness. She was seventy-eight years of age and was born at Carlisle, her maiden name being Miss Augusta G. Moore.

After her marriage to Judge Linn the family lived in Bellefonte for a number of years, later moving to Williamsport. She is survived by four children, Mrs. William Hemmingway, of Middletown, N. Y.; Mrs. Cheney, of Williamsport; Claude B., of Strawsburg, Va.; and Herbert L., of Alexandria, Pa. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon.

KING.—Miss Joannab King, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James King, of Hudson, but who has been making her home with her sister, Mrs. R. E. Goodrich, at Point Lookout, near Phillipsburg, died quite suddenly last Friday evening. She was in apparently the best of health and about 10 o'clock went up stairs to attend to some household work. She had hardly entered the room when her sister heard her fall. She ran into the room and found the girl lying on the floor gasping for breath and in less than a minute she was dead. She was but eighteen years of age and had a wide circle of acquaintances. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon.

SCHILLINGS.—Mrs. Mary Bland Schillings, formerly of Bellefonte, died at the home of her daughter, in Kane, Friday, July 27th, after a year's suffering with cancer, aged 62 years. She is survived by seven children: Mrs. Nettie Thomas, of Kane; Mrs. Rena Rich, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Sarah Watson and Edward, of Snow Shoe; Mrs. Clara Dewitt, of Georgia; Mrs. Minnie Terry, of Rochester, N. Y.; Harry Bland, of Hudson, Ind.; also one brother, John Stover, of Pleasant Gap. Her aged brother and children, all except Mrs. Dewitt and Mrs. Terry, attended the funeral.

KLINGER.—Cyrus J., the five-year-old son of Charles Klinger, formerly of Lemont, but now of Wheeling, W. Va., died last Friday of pneumonia. The remains were taken through here on Sunday morning for interment beside the dead child's mother, who died only last March.

THE I. O. O. F. REUNION.—Next Friday, August 10th, is the day for the holding of the fourth annual reunion of the Centre county I. O. O. F. association, at Grange Park, Centre Hall. Not only is every Odd Fellows organization in the county invited to attend but the public as well. Among the speakers will be Rev. B. H. Hart, of Harrisburg; J. C. Meyer Esq., of Bellefonte, and Rev. C. C. Snavely, of State College. There will be a game of baseball during the day by two local teams and lots of music all the time. While the gathering will be in the shape of a basket picnic, refreshments will be sold on the ground to all those who do not care to take their dinner with them.

A number of Tyrone young people had a home party at the Country club over Sunday and the fore part of this week.

The new Y. M. C. A. tennis court will soon be completed.

Mrs. Emil Joseph gave a lawn fete for a small party of her friends on Tuesday evening. The splendid lawn surrounding the old Thomas home, on north Thomas street, which is now occupied by the Barker family, was the scene of the enjoyable affair.

The young ladies of the Lutheran Sunday school will hold a lawn social at the home of George W. Smith, on East High street, Thursday evening, August 9th. Proceeds for the benefit of the Lutheran chorob. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

The Lovell gypsy tribe, who have been encamped down at the old nail works site the past month, pulled up stakes on Wednesday morning and started over the Seven mountains for Lewistown. There were about one dozen wagons, buggies, etc., in line with the party.

The Central district volunteer firemen's association will meet in Bellefonte in line with the convention on August 22nd and 23rd. The first day will be taken up with the convention, which will be held in the court house, and only delegates will be admitted. The second day will be taken up with the parade in the forenoon and firemen's races in the afternoon.

To-morrow is the day for the big picnic at Baileyville and the few surviving members of company E, Forty-fifth regiment, will hold their annual reunion. Gen. Beaver will attend and be one of the speakers, while other men of prominence will also be there. There will be lots of amusement during the day, so that everybody is assured a good time. Don't fail to attend.

Lewis Lovell, the gypsy who eloped with his cousin, Canachan Lovell, and who was caught and sent to jail for trial by justice of the peace John M. Keichline, was released from the county jail on Tuesday, the case against him having been settled and the prosecution withdrawn. Thus Centre county is saved a big bill of costs that would have been saddled upon it had the case gone to trial.

The Sobenberger estate was sold at public sale in Huntingdon on Wednesday. This was one of the largest real estates in this section of the State, embracing hundreds of acres of land in Centre and Huntingdon counties, several farms and other properties. Edward Isett, of Spruce Creek, was the biggest purchaser, he buying property to the value of over one hundred thousand dollars.

After being closed a couple of weeks undergoing repairs the Nittany furnace was put in blast again on Wednesday. The first fire became so hot it almost melted the brick in the furnace and no little trouble was experienced for the first twelve hours but by Thursday morning the fire had assumed a normal condition and everything is now going along all right with the prospects that the furnace will do better work than it has for a long time past.

Fullly one thousand firemen should be in Bellefonte August 22nd and 23rd to attend the annual reunion of the Central Pennsylvania District Firemen's association convention to be held here at that time. And with the one thousand firemen should come several thousand of their friends and visitors so that the crowd that will be here at that time ought to be a big one. Bellefonte has not entertained the firemen for over ten years and there should be no holding back this year in making their visit to Bellefonte a most congenial one.

Much interest has been aroused over the statement that appeared in two of the leading dailies of Philadelphia that the position of president of Pennsylvania State College had been tendered to two different men, Dr. Judson Welsh, of Bloomsburg, Normal School, and Mr. Hays, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture. Upon the best authority we contradict these statements, as the position has not been tendered anyone and it is probable that no definite decision will be made at the present time. There will be a meeting of the board of trustees today, August 3rd.

The big Centre-Clinton counties business men's picnic is but two weeks away and everybody in the two counties should begin to make preparations now to have everything in order so that they can attend the gathering. The business men's picnic has always been the banner gathering at Hecla park every season and this year promises to be as large as in any previous year. The amusement committee has arranged a good program which will afford a full day of pleasant entertainment for all, to end with a big display of fireworks in the evening. Don't forget the date, August 16th.

Most all the residents of Pensevalley will remember Joseph Spangler, son-in-law of ex-county treasurer James J. Gramley, formerly of Centre Hall, but now living near Freeport, Ill., and will sympathize with him in the almost total loss by fire of all his household goods. Spangler is a tenant farmer and while he was working in the fields, one day last week, Mrs. Spangler started a fire in the kitchen stove for the purpose of getting dinner. She went into another room to attend to her baby and soon after discovered the kitchen all on fire. She gave the alarm but the house burned down, with most of its contents, while it was with difficulty the barn and other outbuildings were saved. Mr. Spangler had no insurance and his loss will be quite heavily felt.

SEEL-FAUBLE.—Friends of the bride in this place were not little surprised last Saturday by the announcement of the marriage of Miss Jennie M. Fauble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Fauble, of this place, to William Edward Seel, of Harrisburg. The wedding was a very quiet one, the ceremony being performed at St. Patrick's pro-cathedral rectory, in Harrisburg, by Rev. Father M. M. Hassett. There were no attendants and no guests present. Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Seel left for Halifax, Nova Scotia, where they will spend a two week's honeymoon before taking up their residence in Harrisburg.

The bride is a highly accomplished and most charming young woman. She graduated from the Bellefonte High school then studied stenography and typewriting after which she accepted a position in the office of Hastings & Reeder. When Hastings was elected Governor he appointed Miss Fauble official stenographer in the executive office at Harrisburg, a position she has held ever since. In addition to being an expert stenographer she readily acquired the full details of the executive office and has frequently taken entire charge of the department in the absence of the Governor and his private secretary, so that her marriage the office loses one of its most capable members. The groom, Mr. Seel, is a prominent wine merchant of Harrisburg.

SMITH—SHOWERS.—It must not be hackneyed to describe as pretty the wedding of Miss Bessie Showers; as a blaze of flowers, a bevy of the town's fairest maidens and a lovely bride would necessarily make it pretty. Literally, it was a daisy wedding, as the decorations were daisies and ferns. Few and unostentatious in display have been the recent marriages among the younger people but perhaps all the happier for the favored guests which in this case were mostly the young friends of the bride, who is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Showers, of east Bishop street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. James A. Stein, of the Methodist church, Tuesday evening at six o'clock, after which a wedding supper was served to thirty-six guests, among whom were the father and mother of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Mauch Chunk, Mrs. Will Becker and Miss Knoche, of Harrisburg.

The bride wore white net over white tulle and carried bride's roses. She was given away by her brother Harry. The groom had as best man his brother, Dr. Samuel Smith, of Derry, Pa. They left on the evening train for a visit in Asbury Park, after which they will reside in Buffalo, where the groom is now employed. He is an ex-student of State, member of S. A. E. fraternity and an engineer with the Independent Telephone Co., of Buffalo, N. Y.

KUNKEL—ROBB.—A very beautiful wedding occurred last Tuesday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob S. Robb, at Howard, when their daughter, Bertha May, was united in marriage to Mr. Austin Kunkel, of Williamsport, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride. Rev. Lewis Robb, of Wilkesburg, an uncle of the bride, officiated, the ring ceremony being used. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Lewis Robb. They were attended by Miss Ada Bowes as bridesmaid and Howard Robb as groomsmen. The bride received many beautiful presents. Friends from Pittsburg, Altoona and Lock Haven were present. After congratulations a delicious wedding supper was served. The young couple left for Williamsport where the groom is engaged in business.

SAGER—WHIPPO.—Clem C. Sager and Miss Mary E. Whippo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Whippo, of this place, were married at the M. E. parsonage, Friday morning of last week, by Rev. James B. Sein, pastor. Mr. and Mrs. Sager left on the 9.25 train the same morning for Butler where they will make their future home.

BACHMAN-KLINE.—William Bachman and Miss Mary E. Kline, both of Lemont, went to Lock Haven, on Wednesday, where they were united in marriage by alderman J. P. Anthony. They are both well known in the community in which they live and their many friends wish for them a long life of wedded bliss.

THAT MIDWAY.—Are you bearing in mind the fact that it is only a little more than two weeks until the Midway, which the ladies of the Bellefonte hospital will hold, will be opened in the armory? August 20th is the date for the opening and everybody ought to attend. The admission price will be but ten cents and you are guaranteed ten times that amount of entertainment and amusement. Aside from the Midway itself there will be plenty of good music and a vaudeville performance on the stage by the best of local talent. But of course the Midway itself will be the main feature. There you will find all the great attractions of the leading countries on the globe. Handsome maidens bedecked in the national costume will show you the country's fancy wares. They will have many beautiful things to sell and plenty of choice refreshments to eat and drink. The Midway will continue one week and you don't want to miss a night of it.

AWAY GYPSYING.—Tuesday morning W. V. Larimer and son, Charles, left Bellefonte in a four-horse wagon on a gypsying trip. They carried all the tents, provisions, cooking utensils, etc., necessary to make the trip as real-like as possible. From here they went to Jersey Shore where they were joined by Lee Larimer and Will Hepburn and Sunday George A. Beizer and Thomas Beaver will leave to join the party, whose trip will be through the hard coal regions.

News Partly Personal.

Miss Helen Hartrauf and brother Horace are visiting friends in Williamsport.

Col. E. R. Chambers left Tuesday afternoon for a business trip to Pittsburg and Erie.

Miss Nannie Mallory has returned from a fortnight's visit with friends in Altoona.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Sunday and little daughter visited friends in Altoona over Sunday.

Mrs. James R. Hughes and Miss Emma Green left on Monday for a visit with friends in Williamsport.

Mr. Louis Freedman, of New York City, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Holz.

Miss Dora Meyer, of Centre Hall, is spending this week in Milton the guest of Mrs. Willard Kline.

Wilbur L. Mallin came over from Clearfield last Saturday and spent Sunday at his home in this place.

Mrs. David R. Foreman and children are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. A. H. Smith, of Phillipsburg.

Dr. W. T. English, of Pittsburg, was in Bellefonte on Monday and made a brief call at the WATCHMAN office.

Miss Grace Brosius left on Sunday morning for Lock Haven where she will spend a month with her parents.

William P. Humes went to Atlantic City last Friday evening to join Miss Myra and a party of friends sojourning there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Love and John Kelly, after visiting friends in Altoona last week, returned home on Saturday.

Ray Acheson, of Niagara Falls, an old Academy student, spent part of the past week looking up the attraction(s) in Bellefonte.

Mrs. Selmas, of Philadelphia, with her two children is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, on east Bishop street.

Mrs. John Walsh and her daughters, Misses Maria, Margaret and DeSales, left on Monday evening for a visit with friends in New York State.

Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Reaick and family left last Saturday for a two week's vacation which they will spend at Selinsgrove, Milton and Beavertown.

A. Stine Walker, a brother of ex-sheriff W. Miles Walker, of this place, and one of Ferguson township's progressive farmers, was a Bellefonte visitor on Wednesday.

Mrs. Jennie Harper, of Centre Hall, is spending a couple weeks at the home of her son, J. C. Harper, on east Howard street, and is enjoying her visit very much.

Misses Margaret Sholly and Bessie Woodin, of Tyrone, and Enoch Dumond, of Womelsdorf, were guests at the A. C. Mingle home on east High street the past week.

Mrs. Henry Harris left on Monday afternoon for a week's visit with her son, Wilbur F. Harris, in Mechanicsburg, after which she will go to Radford, Va., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Galway.

After a delightful visit with friends in this place Misses Sadie and Lizzie Lambert left last Saturday for their home in Waterbury, Conn., intending to stop for a few days with friends in New Jersey.

Mr. Jonathan Harper, Misses Lulu and Maude and Miss Shortridge went up to the McCallmont cabin along Buffalo Run, last Friday, where they are now camping. The Misses Butts spent Sunday with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larimer, of Clearfield, came to Bellefonte last Saturday and Mrs. Larimer will spend the next two weeks at her home here while her husband is away with his father and others on a gypsy trip.

Mr. John Keichline and Miss Daise have returned from Philadelphia where Mrs. Keichline was much benefited by a month's treatment in the sanatorium of which her son, Dr. John, is now in charge. Miss Keichline came home to attend the wedding of Miss Bessie Showers and will shortly go back to assist her brother.

Mrs. Frank Arnold, of Curwensville, and her only child, Miss Alice, spent Tuesday in town. They are this week guests of Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Kephart of Filmore. It is fifteen years since Mrs. Arnold visited Buffalo Run where as Miss Emma Gray she had such delightful times that she returns to renew the pleasant impressions.

Dr. J. Howard Harvey, of Toledo, Ohio, was in town for a few days the fore part of the week calling on the many friends he made as a boy while attending school here. The doctor was the protégé of the late Dr. R. L. Darr and after graduating from the Bellefonte High school in 1886 he studied medicine and is now regarded as one of the leading physicians of Toledo, in truth a specialist on the eye and ear he is the foremost in that city.

Miss Belle Confer, of Roland, spent a busy day on Wednesday as she has not been in town since June and had much business to attend to. Their household has been one of many that has not escaped illness as her uncle had the misfortune to hurt his arm and being in his 73th year, it has proven a rather serious mishap. Mrs. Nancy Confer is one of the WATCHMAN's old subscribers and we hope it carries her this coming year better news than ever.

Walter Crosthwaite, of Brooklyn, has been visiting his brothers, cousins, aunts here and at State College the past week and is now in Altoona where he will spend a few days with Mrs. Schroeyer before returning to his work. If the unmarried women of this community were keen to sail the matrimonial seas, the gathering of three widowers at the home of Frank Crosthwaite, of State College, this week might have caused an unusual stir. It didn't, which goes far to prove the universal content felt nowadays in single blessedness.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Schaeffer, went to Millburg on Saturday to spend Sunday and return on Monday with Miss Helen who spent part of her vacation there. When they reached Millburg it was to find a severe hail storm raging. It continued for an hour and the hail stones were most curious in shape and of unusual size. One that particularly attracted their attention resembled a slice of lemon, the centre and radiating lines of snow, the whole six inches in circumference. Others were as broad as two fingers and half as long. A narrow strip of the Buffalo valley was badly damaged by the storm, leaves of corn torn into shreds and oats cut off at the ground.

The two Sternberg boys, Paul, of Oakland, Cal., and Oscar, of Bellingham, Washington, were Bellefonte visitors from Friday afternoon last until Sunday evening. They had been east to attend their father in Philadelphia and up in the New England States to see their brother Israel and were on their return trip to their homes in the west. Paul is in the real estate business in Oakland and was a heavy loser in the San Francisco earthquake, while Oscar is in the fruit business in Bellingham. It is in the neighborhood of fifteen or sixteen years since the boys were back east and they thought it was time to return and see the scenes of their youth and renew old acquaintanceships. And in doing so they decided to see some of the country as well, so on their trip east they traveled by easy stages in a zigzag manner from north to south, taking in all the principal cities and points of interest in most of the States. On their return trip they will visit those places they missed in coming east.

Ex-sheriff Schaeffer spent Tuesday in town.

Miss Betty Heinle is at Hotel Garman in Atlantic City.

Miss Scott, of Reading, is a guest of Mrs. Jenkins on High street.

Mrs. George Ganff is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Mott of Williamsburg.

Mrs. Maggie Meek, of Altoona, is visiting friends in and about Pine Grove Mills.

Miss Ione Donohy went to Altoona on Tuesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Frank Dorstine.

Mrs. Herbert Bellinger, of New York, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Sourbeck.

Will Dorworth, of Schenectady, N. Y., is in Bellefonte on a visit to his parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Dorworth.

Miss Margaret Stuart, of Wilkesbarre, came home on Monday evening for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Patsy Stutz.

Mrs. Amanda Hower returned on Wednesday evening, from a visit with friends in Allegheny, and Colonia, Beaver Co.

W. Harrison Walker Esq., returned yesterday from a pleasure trip to Titusville and other points in the northwestern part of the State.

Miss Bernice Knoche, daughter of Frank Knoche, of Harrisburg, was one of the out-of-town guests at Miss Bessie Showers' wedding.

Mrs. W. A. Lyon returned on Wednesday evening, from a visit with her daughter Adaline, who is now Mrs. Jas. McGinness, of Punxsutawney.

Rev. W. A. Rolston, wife and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shoop, of Pittsburg, are guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Platts, Rev. Shoop will preach in the Presbyterian church on Sunday.

J. Linn Murphy of Brooklyn, and his eldest daughter, Caroline, now almost a young lady and very like her mother, gave Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bella a pleasant surprise last Saturday as a visit from them at this time was unexpected. They will spend two weeks with relatives and friends in Centre county.

WHO WILL BE QUEEN OF THE MIDWAY.—Bellefonte in true carnival style is to select a queen to preside over the great carnival of nations that will be held in the armory during the week of August 20th to 25th. Already unusual interest has been awakened by the preliminary announcement of the great fetes that are to occur during that week, but most of all interest will probably be centered in this first attempt to select a queen from among the girls of Centre county to preside over this great amusement enterprise.

The ladies in charge have decided upon the following novel plan of selecting a queen: So that there will be no favoritism or partiality shown, it has been decided to leave it to popular vote. Voting boxes will be placed at Montgomery & Co's store, Yeager & Davis', Ceader's and Knoiseley's cigar store, where anyone can vote as many ballots as they please for any girl or woman whom they may regard as best fitted for, and most deserving of the honor of being crowned queen of the carnival. The only condition in the voting is that each ballot will cost the voter one cent. The count will be announced each week in the papers, and during the week of the carnival it will be announced each evening. The last night of the carnival the queen will be crowned with the most gorgeous and thrilling spectacle of the entire week's entertainment.

It is up to the people now. If you know of some one whom you would like to have as queen of the great spectacle, all you need to do is to go to any one of the ballot boxes and deposit as many votes as you like for her as they will cost you only one cent each.

The work upon the bronze panels for the soldiers' monument has progressed so far that it will be impossible to place other names upon them. The contractor has been very generous in this regard and has held the matter open as long as possible, and much longer than was anticipated. Those who have failed to send the names to the committee, therefore, can only have themselves to blame, inasmuch as the time limit previously announced has long ago passed.

Just for a change it rained yesterday.

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Wheat, Corn, Flour, and various grades of grain.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. Wacker. The following are the quotations up to 12 o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like New wheat, Old wheat, Rye, and various grades of grain.

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co. The following are the quotations up to 12 o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Potatoes, Onions, Eggs, and various types of produce.

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Papers will not be sent out of Centre county unless paid for in advance. A liberal discount is made to persons advertising by the quarter, half year, or year, as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Space occupied and Price. Includes rates for one inch, two inches, three inches, and half column advertisements.