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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

—Don't forget the big picnic at Snow Shoe on September 3rd.

—Joe Thal has had a new pavement put down in front of his home on Thomas street.

—The Bellefonte shirt factory closed on Tuesday for the regular three weeks vacation.

—Robinson's circus, which is now in Virginia, is heading this way and, it is said, will show in Bellefonte before the close of the season.

—Next week is court week and that will tend to keep Bellefonte somewhat alive after the strenuous time this week with the firemen's convention and the Midway in the armory.

—No person can file any complaint with the weather man as to the summer weather this year, because it has been hot enough for everybody, and the past week was about the hottest of it all.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harper in this place are now grandpa and grandma owing to a little daughter having been born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harper, at their home in Lynn, Mass., on August 14th.

—On Tuesday evening R. B. Taylor used his big iron gray team to haul one of the big wagons carrying the performers of the Midway in the parade and hardly had the driver gotten the team to the stable when one of the horses laid down and died, the cause being colic.

—Since her husband's death Mrs. John Ardell has decided to sell her household furniture and other belongings, break up housekeeping and with her daughters will likely leave Bellefonte and locate in some other town, a fact to be deplored by her many friends in this place.

—Jacob Test, one of the oldest residents of Philipsburg, who in his younger days was one of the best raftsmen who ever took a timber raft down the Susquehanna river, is now on a beating trip down the river to Port Deposit, Md. He is accompanied by his nephew, Joe Middleton.

—The Lock Haven papers are very much worked up over the fact that Bellefontiers did not root for the Autos in their game with Milton on business men's picnic day, and have challenged all Centre county to put up a team to equal them. Why, Centre county has scores of "has-beens" that could eat 'em alive.

—The firemen's convention is now a thing of the past, the World's Midway will close tomorrow evening and the next thing to look forward to is the Granger's picnic in September then the big Centre county fair the fore part of October. And, by the way, it is none too early to begin to think about and make preparations for the latter.

—Charles W. Atherton, of Philipsburg, recently went to West Virginia with a view of engaging in the lumber business, as he had a very good offer to take hold and superintend a large lumbering camp, but after going there and sizing up the situation he became disgusted with the outlook, threw up the job and returned home.

—The thirty-third annual grange picnic will be held at Williams' grove August 27th to September 1st. This interstate gathering of the Patrons of Husbandry always attracts a large crowd, and many Centre countians attend it during the week. The program as prepared for this year assures an interesting and big a time as ever before.

—Last Sunday evening at Milton P. Corl and family were on their way home from State College the team frightened and ran away. They tore loose from the dash board, dragging him quite a distance over the hard road. His head and face were badly cut and bruised and one ear almost torn off so that his condition is serious.

—The Independent Order of Heptagonists from this district will hold a monster picnic at Lakemont park, Altoona, tomorrow, the occasion being the celebration of the twenty-eighth anniversary of the institution of the order. Members from Bellefonte, Altoona, Huntingdon, Johnstown, Ebensburg and other places will attend. The public is cordially invited.

—Rev. A. C. Lathrop, who the past few years so faithfully filled the pastorate of the Millsburg charge of the Disciple church, and who recently tendered his resignation, will leave for his new pastorate in Clearfield next Wednesday. For Rev. Lathrop the WATCHMAN has only the kindest words and best wishes. He is an earnest and sincere worker in the Master's name and a man who feels and takes an interest in everything for the good of the neighborhood in which he lives. May success attend him wherever he goes.

—A reunion of the Kreiders and their friends will be held in Kreider's grove, at Gatesburg, on Thursday, Sept. 6th. At 2 p. m. Rev. Isaac Kreider will give a genealogy of the Kreiders from their landing at Philadelphia on Sept. 16th, 1736, and settling in the Lebanon valley, to the present time. Also the various ways of spelling the name. Rev. S. Kreider, of Windber, will deliver an address. Everybody invited to be present. Any person desiring a copy of the genealogy can secure one by addressing Rev. I. Kreider, Duncanville, Pa., enclosing stamp for return postage.

DEATH OF MRS. ISAAC MITCHELL.

—After being a patient sufferer for the past three years Mrs. Deborah Thomas Mitchell died at her home on west Curtin street, at 10:30 o'clock last Friday night. Three years ago, in November, she was stricken with paralysis which left her in an almost helpless condition, physically, and, while at times there was improvement it was slight and not sufficient to prevent her being a constant sufferer and never able to resume any of the duties in which she was pre-eminently active and took great interest. This deprivation only accentuated the nobleness of an ever strong character, for her affliction was borne with a patience and cheerfulness possible only to the strong. She was the daughter of the late Jacob V. Thomas and was born at Howard, March 9th, 1845. Her ancestors came over from North Wales in William Penn's first migration and held large grants of land in Chester valley from whence they came into Centre county in 1815 and became prominently engaged in the business of iron manufacture in this county. From this time forward they were actively concerned in advancing the material prosperity of the county in every way, and, of her grandfather, William A. Thomas, authority says: "As a business man, he had no superior in ability and enterprise in Central Pennsylvania, and has left the impress of his ability in the training he gave some of our most distinguished business men."

Mrs. Mitchell, like her ancestors, was a member of the Society of Friends and the traits that are so inalienably associated with that fine sect of people who settled and have stamped their personality over this great State were embodied in a most pleasing manner in this lovely woman. Personally, she was very charming, a gracious manner that made her universally appreciated both as hostess and as guest, always a great reader of the best literature and correspondingly delightful in conversation, with a charity for all good things that made her identify herself with and be a potent factor in every christian movement in the community. Her life was illustration of the Quaker motto, "I expect to pass through this world but once. If therefore there is any kindness I can show to any human being, or any word I can speak for Jesus, let me do it NOW—let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not see this way again."

For years she was secretary and treasurer of the W. C. T. U., and, from the time of its organization, until illness made her resignation imperative, she was vice president and a most efficient worker of the Ladies Aid of the hospital, was a member of the D. A. R. and at one time Regent of the Bellefonte chapter. On November 11th, 1869, she was united in marriage to Isaac Mitchell, who now holds the responsible position of assistant treasurer of the Bellefonte Trust company. They had five children: J. Thomas, Mrs. John Porter Lyon, Joseph D., of Barnham, Pa., Grace and Malcolm.

The very simple funeral services were conducted by Rev. William Laurie, Monday morning at eleven o'clock, at her late residence. Interment was made in the Union cemetery.

RICHARDS.—Oseola Mills lost one of its most prominent and highly respected citizens in the death, last Thursday morning, of A. S. R. Richards, from Bright's disease, aged 67 years.

Deceased was a native of England but came to this country in 1865. He was well known throughout the bituminous coal region, having for twenty years served as superintendent for the Berwind-White coal company's operations in the locality in which he lived, but several years ago was retired by the company on a good salary. He was a director of the Oseola National Bank, secretary of the Oseola water company, a trustee of the Cottage State hospital, of Philipsburg, was a prominent Mason and was burges of Oseola two terms. He is survived by his wife and two daughters. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon and was in charge of the Masonic fraternity.

McWILLIAMS.—News has been received of the death of Taylor McWilliams, an old Centre countian, at his home in McVeystown, on Tuesday afternoon, from paralysis, with which he had been ailing a year or more. Deceased was sixty-four years of age and was born in Ferguson township, where he lived the better part of his life. Surviving him are one brother and a sister.

GRAFFIUS.—Mrs. Susan Graffius died at her home in Union on Saturday of a complication of diseases, aged seventy-seven years. She was the widow of William Graffius and is survived by twelve children, one of whom is Mrs. Mary Young, of Port Matilda. The funeral was held at 9 o'clock on Tuesday morning, interment being made in the Arch Spring cemetery.

MYERS.—Elias T. Myers, a former resident of Hawk Run, near Philipsburg, died at Blain City, last Saturday, after a year's illness, aged seventy-six years. His wife died five years ago but he is survived by two sons, seven daughters and two stepsons, one of the latter being Clayton Greenland, of Philipsburg.

Mrs. Robert Welch, who resides near Bald Eagle, was driving to Tyrone shortly before noon last Thursday and when in the vicinity of Vail station an automobile came along and frightened her horse so that the animal ran away. Mrs. Welch was thrown out and rendered unconscious. She was taken to Tyrone to the office of a physician where it was found that she had sustained a contusion of the left breast and a lacerated left hand.

MARRIAGE OF MISS A. AUGUSTUS SMITH TO MR. FRED C. MILLER.

—Amid the excitements of yesterday it sounds rather incredible to say that anything quiet happened. The only thing we know of that did was when Miss Gussie Smith was quietly married to Mr. Fred C. Miller at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Smith, on Spring street. No attempt at anything that savored of a function was made as the decorations were very simple and the guests only the family and a few immediate friends. The bride had no attendants and was dressed in white Paris mullin. The ceremony was said by Rev. James Stein, of the M. E. church, after which a wedding breakfast was served and a very pleasant time had before the departure of the bride and groom on the 4:40 train for Warren, Ohio, their home. Miss Smith, whose engagement was announced in the early summer, is one of our most attractive young girls, a graduate of the High school and is now organist in the Methodist church. Mr. Miller, whose home is in Walton, N. Y., is a graduate of Princeton, class of '04 and has been an instructor at the Bellefonte Academy the past year. He now holds a position in the High school, Warren, Ohio.

WALKER-JOHNSON.—A pretty home wedding yesterday was that of Milton Walker and Miss Minnie Johnson, both of Marengo, which occurred at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. Bergstresser, of the Lutheran church, performed the ceremony in the presence of a goodly number of invited guests. There were no attendants. Following a delicious wedding dinner Mr. and Mrs. Walker left for a honeymoon trip to Ocean Grove and other eastern resorts.

Supervising principal John D. Meyer, of the Bellefonte schools, will be in his office on Monday, September 3rd, to attend to any business relative to the opening of the schools on the 4th that may be presented to him.

The fifth annual reunion of former Centre countians now living in Blair county was held in Glasgow's grove at Bellwood last Saturday. Several hundred people took advantage of the occasion to attend and meet old friends and acquaintances and the gathering proved one of the most successful the association has ever held. There was a fine program of amusements and various sports among which were two base ball games, one between the married and single men and the second game between teams from Tyrone and Altoona. There was also a number of brief speeches, music, etc.

The wedding of Rev. Milton E. Bollinger, of Manlius, Bureau county, Illinois, and Miss Margaret Evans, of Williamsport, took place in the Market street Methodist church, Williamsport, yesterday, and was a pretentious affair. Both the bride and bridegroom are old Centre countians, the former having been a resident of Pottery Mills and the latter a native of Aaronsburg. Their marriage is the culmination of a love affair begun at Centre Hall two years ago when Rev. Bollinger was a visitor at the home of his brother-in-law, Rev. W. Spangler, during the sessions of the Christian Endeavor convention.

The numerous friends of Edward L. Powers, formerly of this place, but now of Bryn Mawr, will rejoice in his continued and exceptional prosperity in that he has just opened up his new harness store and manufactory in that place which the Bryn Mawr Herald declares to be "the finest in the United States." It is a brick building 50x75 feet in size, two stories high. The second story is used as the factory while the store occupies the entire first floor. Mr. Powers learned his trade under Hon. James Schofield, later going to New York and other cities to acquaint himself with every detail of the business until finally, in 1893, he settled in Bryn Mawr and has been wonderfully successful.

Last Thursday night the large barn on the farm of John Hagen, near Beech Creek, caught fire and was totally destroyed with every outbuilding about the premises, while the house was only saved from the same fate because of a strong northeast wind. The live stock was saved but all of this year's crops, five hundred bushels of old wheat and two hundred bushels of old oats, farm implements, etc. The fire evidently originated from a smoldering spark from a threshing engine which had been in use there the day previous. The threshing, which was the property of George Brungard, of Nittany, was burned as was a hay baler belonging to W. G. Shaffer. Hagen's loss was \$4,000, on which he had an insurance of \$2,000.

W. Francis Speer has tendered his resignation as local editor of the Keystone Gazette to take effect September first to accept the position of associate editor of the Centre Democrat. Mr. Speer went on the Gazette sixteen years ago, when it was owned and run by James A. Fiedler, and in addition to his local editorial work achieved considerable notoriety as the writer of the "That column." In fact, his witty "That's" attracted such attention that a few years ago he received a very flattering offer from a Philadelphia newspaper to go to the Quaker city and take place on its editorial staff, but he was deterred from doing so through his love for home and Bellefonte. He is one of the hardest workers and most conscientious men in newspaper work in Bellefonte and in his new position on the Centre Democrat will undoubtedly prove as successful as he has in the already new Democrat will most certainly be the better for his services. As a neighbor and contemporary we have only the best wishes for the success of both.

BUSINESS MEN'S PICNIC.—The tenth annual picnic of the business men of Centre and Clinton counties was as great a success, if not greater, than any former gathering so far as the crowd goes, which was estimated at from ten to twelve thousand.

The day was an ideal one for a picnic and everybody present was in a good humor, had laid aside business cares and given themselves over to a complete relaxation and enjoyment of the day. They were all there simply for an outing and they came from Bellefonte, Lock Haven, and intermediate towns, all of which were practically deserted and had the appearance of a Sunday, with every business place closed tight. The Coleville band was present and gave a number of concerts during the day, while the Germania orchestra furnished the music for the dancing in the pavilion in the afternoon and evening. The amusements of the day were not too many to tire the crowd, just enough to break the monotony of standing around and looking at each other. There was a game of water base ball in the morning which, though it had many of the features of a real ball game, was just amusing enough to keep the crowd in a good humor. The game was won by the Centre county team.

The clay pigeon shoot was very closely contested and won by the Clinton county team by the narrow margin of one point. The prize was a Stevens hammerless double barrel shot gun, which was won by George Schade, of the Clinton county team, who made the highest score. The shoot was for the best out of twenty-five and the scores were as follows:

Clinton county team:	
George Schade.....	23
Shuman First.....	21
John Keller.....	18
Richard Schrad.....	18
Harry Wilson.....	17
Philip Kiff.....	17
Total.....	105
Centre county team:	
David Chambers.....	20
C. H. Watson.....	22
George Uziel.....	19
Frank Warfield.....	17
Sam Hines.....	17
James Uziel.....	12
Total.....	107

The principal amusement feature of the afternoon was the base ball game between The Autos, of Lock Haven, and the Milton team, which resulted in a victory for the latter by the score of 5 to 0.

From four o'clock on the crowd began to leave for their respective homes and by the time the fireworks were put off in the evening hardly one thousand people remained on the ground. To the credit of the railroad company, be it said, the immense crowd was handled with comfort and expeditiously, most every train scheduled running close to its time.

WILLIAMS REUNION.—The arrangements for this very popular gathering is nearing completion and everything bids fair to the largest yet held. All trains on the B. E. V. railroad will stop at the grounds as usual, so those who do not care to spend the entire day can get there on the afternoon trains. The Howard band will enliven the occasion with their excellent music. Prominent speakers will address the gathering in the afternoon. Refreshments of all kinds will be sold on the grounds.

We wish to say just a word in regard to some complaint which comes from persons outside of the connection that we do not furnish amusements enough. Now this annual picnic is held for the social effects, and it would be entirely too burdensome in a financial way to get street carnivals and such amusements.

PICNIC AT SNOW SHOE.—The congregation of the St. Mary's Catholic church at Snow Shoe will hold their annual picnic at the new driving park at that place on Monday, September 3rd, (Labor day.) This annual picnic is one of the big events in Snow Shoe and always draws a large crowd, not only from that immediate neighborhood but from Bellefonte and surrounding towns. In addition to the customary amusements of the everyday picnic there will be a base ball game between the Snow Shoe team and a visiting nine and other very interesting and exciting sports. The public is cordially invited to attend.

COL. H. S. TAYLOR NOMINATED FOR CONGRESS.—Col. H. S. Taylor, of Bellefonte, was nominated for Congress in this, the twenty-first congressional district, at the conference held in DuBois on Wednesday. The district is composed of the counties of Centre, Clearfield, Cameron and McKean and there were but two candidates before the conference, Col. Taylor and W. D. Hagerty, of Clearfield. For three ballots the Cameron county conferees voted for Hagerty but on the fourth ballot they voted with the conferees from Centre and McKean for Taylor and he was elected by a vote of 9 to 3.

THE SCHENCK REUNION.—The Schenck family reunion will be held in Schenck's grove, one mile east of Howard, on Thursday, September 6th. The committee of arrangements are endeavoring to make this one of the most successful of any reunion ever held. J. C. Meyer Esq., of this place, will be the speaker of the day and the Howard band will furnish the music. The Schenck family and descendants are quite numerous so that a large gathering is assured, but in addition the public in general is invited to attend.

The time is drawing near when vacation days will be over and the boys and girls will again be hard at work with 'readin,' writin,' and 'rithmetick.' The Bellefonte schools will open September 18th, many of the country schools will open on the same date and The Pennsylvania State College and Bellefonte Academy on September 13th.

News Purely Personal.

—Miss Daisy Tate, of Painesville, is visiting the Meadows sisters in this place.

—Mrs. Henry C. Quigley and children left last Saturday for a stay in Bradford, N. Y.

—Miss Bess North, of Washington, D. C., is a guest at the Crider home on Linn street.

—Mrs. Harry Stevenson is in Sunbury for two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Jesse Underwood.

—Mrs. Samuel Hazel and daughter Grace, of Williamsport, visited Bellefonte friends the past week.

—Miss Della Cross, of Philipsburg, is now in Bellefonte on a visit to her sister, Mrs. H. S. Taylor.

—Mrs. W. Frank Bradford, of Centre Hall, spent Sunday in Bellefonte at the home of Dr. Edith Schrad.

—Miss Viola Garrett has returned from a two weeks visit with friends in Pittsburg and at Beaver Falls.

—Miss Nan Schofield went to New York last Thursday, where she will make a visit of indefinite length.

—Professor and Mrs. L. E. Reber who have been in Cape May for several weeks returned to State College on Tuesday.

—Mrs. J. Witter Wolf, of Ardmore, and Miss Emma McCoy, of Centre Hall, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford this week.

—Mrs. Louis Lonsbury left on Saturday for an extended visit with her relatives in Tioga county and Mr. Lonsbury's people in Elmira, N. Y.

—After quite a prolonged visit with her parents at Painesville, Mrs. W. Harrison Walker returned last Saturday to her home in this place.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Faxon and children drove to Spring Mills early Sunday morning and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wood.

—Mrs. H. S. Cooper and daughter Emeline, of Galveston, Texas, are in Bellefonte for their customary summer visit with the Misses Benner.

—Miss Mary Shortley, of Williamsport, a visitor always gladly welcomed to Bellefonte where she has many friends, is the guest of Mrs. Charles Gilmore.

—Rev. Willis D. Engle and Mrs. Engle, of Indianapolis, Ind., are paying their first visit to their daughter, Mrs. J. Thomas Mitchell, on Curtin street.

—Misses Vera and Erma Snook, formerly of this place but now of Philadelphia, were arrivals in Bellefonte on Tuesday for a visit with their many friends here.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Geiss and their daughter, Miss Elsie, of Centre Hall, were visitors at the home of their son, D. Wagner Geiss, on Thomas street, this week.

—Earl Bell, of Huntingdon, this week brought his wife for her first visit to his old home and they were the guests of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bell.

—Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lyon, of Topeka, Kansas, are visiting Judge and Mrs. Orris. Mr. Lyon is a brother of the late Stewart Lyon and formerly lived at Coleraine Forges.

—Mrs. Shaffner and Miss Mary Thomas came from Philadelphia on Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mitchell and remained for a visit with Mrs. John Porter Lyon.

—Mrs. George Sellers, nee Miss Helen Thompson, who has lived in Joplin, Missouri, for the past year, is now visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John I. Thompson, Lemont.

—Among former old residents of Bellefonte back to enjoy with us the success of the Midway are Mrs. James Sommerville and Miss Bessie, of Windburne, who are guests of Miss Humes.

—After spending his two week's mid-summer vacation in this place Charles E. Dorworth, of the Philadelphia Press, and Mrs. Dorworth and little son, left for their home in Philadelphia on Saturday.

—Miss Kathryn Brisbin and sister, Miss Daisy, have returned from Chautauque, N. Y. While there Miss Kathryn took the course in organ playing and Miss Daisy the special course in teaching.

—Fred Weaver left Saturday for Rochester, N. Y., where he will spend two weeks with his sister, Mrs. Roy McCalmont. Last Sunday he played the pipe organ in one of the largest churches in that city.

—Mrs. Hutchinson, of Howard street, had, as guests over last Sunday, her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Tom Hutchinson, of Kane, Pa., who is just returning from a trip to the shore and her niece, Miss Rebecca Hewes and a friend from Erie.

—Miss Carrie Harper is one of the West end people now making her temporary home at Atlantic City. The season of hay fever usually compels her to find residence away from here and she went to the shore last Friday to remain six weeks.

—Dr. McCluny Radcliffe of Wills Eye hospital, Philadelphia, spent last Saturday and Sunday at the Shannan Boal, of Centre Hall. He was returning to the city from a vacation spent on a farm that he recently purchased near Lewisport, Pa.

—An automobile party this week from Williamsport to attend the Midway included Misses Rachel and Katherine Stearns, who were entertained at the home of Mrs. J. Westey Gephart; Miss Beatrice Detwiler, guest of Miss Potter, and Messrs. Leyton Lyon and Hayward Myers.

—Miss Lillian Kridler, of Pittsburg, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ed. Irwin, at the Bush house. She was one of the stars of the Midway as her costume dancing and singing Indian clubs was one of the features and easily demonstrated her reputation as a professional. That she is so young and pretty adds greatly to her attractiveness in clever vaudeville specialties.

John O'Connor, of Philadelphia, is in town for his regular summer visit at his former home here.

—Miss Emily Valentine, who has had a long sojourn at Cape May, is now here with her aunt, Miss Nat.

—Mrs. Laura Boop, of Harrisburg, is spending a couple weeks at the home of her mother at Baileyville.

—Mrs. Robert Demming and three children of Oswego, Kan., have been guests of Mrs. George Elliott since Tuesday.

—Mrs. William Heas, of Philipsburg, was in Bellefonte for the firemen's convention and made a pleasant call at the WATCHMAN office.

—Mrs. Moore, of Dayton, Ohio, who has not been here since she used to visit us as Miss Roxie McMillen is now a guest at the residence of P. G. Meek.

—Mr. James Allen, son of the Reverend Mr. Allen many years ago rector of the Episcopal church, is now visiting the Misses Valentine at Barnham.

—Miss Hamner, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mrs. Lu Harris, Mrs. Darrow, Mr. and Mrs. Laier—the latter will be remembered as Miss Elsie Darrow—are summer guests at the same place.

—Mrs. George Green, another of the young matrons of this set, is coming with her two little children, from Lock Haven today to find old friends along the Midway—for that's where everyone is this week.

—John Todd, Burgess Stine and Temp. Blinger were a trio of Philipsburgers in town for the parade yesterday, John was looking better for his camping outing at Newton Hamilton and 'Binks' he is gradually working the effects of that attack of typhoid off.

—Rev. Newton Bailey, who is now located at Beaverdale, Cambria county, was an old Bellefontier in town this week. Since he quit the newspaper business and entered the ministry he has grown more portly, as if the work agreed with him physically as well as spiritually.

—The firemen's convention this week brought back to town many old Bellefontiers and among the number was George Fasig, who is now in Williamsport. While he lived here he was a member of the Logans and he could not resist the impulse to come and see the big time.

—Mrs. Joseph Borchers, of Knoxville Tenn., came on Tuesday, for a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. Wilbur F. Reeder. She has just celebrated the first birthday of her little son who is the first grandchild in the family and whose birthday is consequently a matter of importance in the Borchers family.

—Mrs. L. W. Walker, who since her marriage has lived in Spring Mills, was back home this week to help us celebrate and see that the visiting firemen were properly entertained. She is loyal enough to her new life on the farm they have bought near Spring Mills, to not desire to exchange rural for town life.

—John Smith, the Spring Mills furniture man with his wife and child, were in town Wednesday night and the way Mr. Smith spent his money on the Midway leads us to believe that they educate them right over in the valley when it comes down to supporting worthy causes. John said he had his money's worth and was happy.

—John J. Wayne, the Osceola Democrat, prominent Catholic temperance worker and all around good fellow was in town with the firemen from his home and if anyone had any more fun or perspired more than he did we would like to know who it was. Johnny spent Wednesday night on the Midway and says it was a great show.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, of Linn street, had a week-end home party of very attractive young girls in honor of their niece, Miss Anna Bernard, of Bryn Mawr; they were Miss Helen Geary, Lock Haven; Miss Susan Warwick, Mackeyville; Miss Marguerite Mann, Mill Hall; Miss Marie Reese, Snow Shoe. Included in the merry time was supper and the dance at Heck's last Friday night and numerous automobiling excursions.

—Capt. W. H. Fry, one of the busiest men in Ferguson township, always on the alert for something new has gone to the fountain seat of knowledge—Boston—to attend the meeting of American Veterinarians. It is an important gathering of celebrated men from all over the world and after drinking deep of twelve sessions of scientific knowledge, Capt. Fry will no doubt have acquired enough pointers to make his services doubly valuable but he possesses the, today, unusual quality of dispensing most generously without thought of corresponding remuneration, and we need not fear a rise in charges for professional services. Loyal veteran, he will take time to visit many of the old historic spots with which that country is rich.

Public Sale. On Saturday, Aug. 25th, Mrs. A. M. Hoover will sell a Doekash range, gasoline stove, refrigerator, beds and bedding, furniture, bric-a-brac and general household goods. Sale at 1 o'clock p. m., at her residence on north Spring street.

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

Wheat—Red.....	75 1/2 @ 76
No. 2.....	75 3/4 @ 76 1/4
Corn—Yellow.....	57 1/2 @ 58
Mixed new.....	55 @ 55 1/2
Oats.....	42 @ 42 1/2
Flour—Winter, Per Br.....	3.00 @ 3.15
Penna. Roller.....	3.25 @ 3.40
Favorite Brands.....	4.50 @ 4.75
Rye Flour Per Br.....	3.50 @ 3.75
Baled Hay—Choice TimotNo. 1.....	12.00 @ 13.50
Straw.....	Mixed "1" 13.00 @ 15.00
Timothy seed per bushel.....	12.00 @ 12.25

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

New Wheat.....	75
Old Wheat.....	70
Rye, per bushel.....	66
Corn, shelled, per bushel.....	55
Corn, ears, per bushel.....	65
Oats old and new, per bushel.....	52
Barley, per bushel.....	45
Ground Flaxseed, per ton.....	\$ 50 to \$ 55
Rockweed, per bushel.....	70
Cloverseed, per bushel.....	\$7.00 to \$8.00
Timothy seed per bushel.....	\$2.00 to \$2.25

Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co.

Potatoes per bushel.....	60
Eggs, per dozen.....	75
Lard, per pound.....	8
Country Shoulders.....	8
Sides.....	8
Hams.....	12
Tallow, per pound.....	3
Butter, per pound.....	23

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A liberal discount is made to persons advertising by the quarter, half year, or year, as follows:

SPACE OCCUPIED.....	3m 6m 1y
One inch (12 lines) this type.....	8 8 8
Two inches.....	17 16 16
Three inches.....	26 25 25
Quarter Column (5 inches).....	12 20 25
Half Column (10 inches).....	20 35 35
One Column (20 inches).....	35 65 100