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ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Club of Bellefonte will be held in Petriken hall Friday, April seventh, at half after three o'clock.

Another meeting will be held in the office of W. Harrison Walker Esq., this (Friday) evening at eight o'clock for the purpose of furthering the movement for the organization of a Retail Merchant's association.

If anybody asks you to make a date for either Friday or Saturday evenings, May 5th and 6th, don't do it unless it is a date to attend the performance of the Academy minstrels, which will take place on those evenings.

The Bellefonte friends of Harry H. Schroyer, of Chicago, will be interested in learning that he is fast becoming a millionaire, if he is not already one, from a patented invention of his which has been adopted by the Pullman car company and other car companies.

Squire George S. Berryhill, of Blanchard, who has a reputation of settling more cases than any other justice of the peace in the county, had one last week that taxed his acumen to the limit.

Adjutant General Thomas J. Stewart made public last Friday the names of the National Guard officers selected to go to the manœuvre camps along the Mexican frontier to view the movements of the United States troops.

The general saying is that every thing is a matter of habit. In many instances such is the case, but it is more than habit that draws the large crowds to the Scenic every evening.

M. A. Landy has had on exhibition at the Brockerhoff house this week a life size painting of J. D. Hancock Esq., of Franklin.

Edward Brown Jr., bought the property of James McCafferty on east Logan street and will make that place the home of his family instead of Baltimore.

Sunday was warm and pleasant and a larger number of automobilists were out taking a spin than had been in evidence since last fall.

Gordon.—Harry Gordon died at the home of his parents at Fairview yesterday morning, after a long illness with tuberculosis.

BROWN.—Edward Brown Sr., for many years a resident of Bellefonte, died at the home of his son, Edward Jr., in Baltimore, at 7:30 o'clock last Thursday evening.

Decedent was born in County Donegal, Ireland, on March 27th, 1811. He came to this country when a young man and shortly afterwards located in Bellefonte.

When a young man he was united in marriage in Bellefonte to Miss Bridget Burns, a native of Dublin, Ireland, who died many years ago.

TEST.—Mrs. Harry Test, of Philipsburg, died at the home of her niece in Pitscain on Sunday night, of heart trouble.

Decedent was a daughter of Reuben and Elizabeth Iddings and was born at Plum Grove, in Union township, on September 11th, 1862.

MUSSER.—After only four days illness with pneumonia Mrs. E. C. Musser died at her home in Greenville, Pa., on Wednesday morning.

ENTWISLE.—Joseph Lee Entwisle, a brother of Mrs. Frank P. Blair, of this place, died at his home in Lorain, Ohio last Friday, after an illness of two years or longer with diabetes.

MERRYMAN.—Mrs. Elizabeth Merryman died on Sunday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. David Frantz, in Altoona, of general debility, aged seventy-five years.

KAUFFMAN.—Mrs. George Kauffman died at her home near Zion on Tuesday of last week, of pneumonia, after an illness of less than two weeks.

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HOFFMAN.—Mrs. Catherine Hoffman, widow of Peter Hoffman, died at the home of her son, John B. Hoffman Esq., in South Philipsburg, Wednesday, March 22nd, after an illness covering a period of several years.

The deceased, whose maiden name was Catherine Knapp, was born in Germany on December 8th, 1828, making her age 82 years, 3 months and 14 days.

She was a good christian woman, a member of the Presbyterian church, a fond mother and a kind neighbor, beloved by all who knew her.

The funeral took place on Friday afternoon, March 24th, at 2 o'clock from the residence of her son, John B., in South Philipsburg.

BIERLY.—Mrs. Rose Levey Bierly, wife of Albert Bierly, of Milesburg, died in the Bellefonte hospital at an early hour Monday morning.

She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Levey and was born in Milesburg about thirty-seven years ago.

ORNDORF.—Something over a year ago Nathaniel J. Orndorf, of Woodward, suffered a stroke of paralysis which left him an invalid until Friday of last week.

THOMAS.—Mrs. John H. Thomas, a sister of Mrs. J. A. Aiken, of this place, died at her home in Chicago last Friday of pneumonia after a brief illness.

Her maiden name was Odenkirk, her parents being Isaac and Emeline Odenkirk, of Huntingdon county, where she was born.

THOMAS.—Mrs. John H. Thomas, a sister of Mrs. J. A. Aiken, of this place, died at her home in Chicago last Friday of pneumonia after a brief illness.

PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.—The Parent-Teachers Association will meet next Tuesday evening, April 4th, in the auditorium of the new High school building.

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SPANGLER.—Following an illness of three months or over Mrs. Annie Elizabeth Spangler, died at her home at Tusseyville on Thursday last week.

UNEGONA.—Carlo Unegona, the Italian who while delirious raised such a rumpus at the Bellefonte hospital a week ago last Sunday night, died on Tuesday morning.

CENTRE COUNTY CENSUS FIGURES.—Some time ago the WATCHMAN published the total census figures of Centre county for 1910 which showed an increase in the past ten years of only 530.

Table with 2 columns: Township Name and Population. Includes Benner, Boggs, Burnside, Centre, College, Curtin, Ferguson, Gregg, Haines, Halfmoon, Harris, Howard, Howe, Huston, Liberty, Marion, Miles, Millheim, Patton, Penn, Philipsburg, Potter, Rush, Snow Shoe, South Philipsburg, Spring, State College, Taylor, Union, Walker, Worth, and Centre County totals.

HOSPITAL NOTES.—During the past week Miss Tate, of Bellefonte, underwent an operation for appendicitis and George Flick, of Fleming, had the first finger of his left hand amputated.

Mrs. George Darr's case is one of the most peculiar on record. It will be remembered that over two months ago she ran a needle into her abdomen while doing the family washing and a week or so later blood poison set in.

Rev. and Mrs. Ezra H. Yocum will arrive in Bellefonte this (Friday) afternoon and at eight o'clock this evening the members of the Methodist church will tender their new pastor a formal reception in the lecture room of the church.

Architect Robert Cole has completed plans and specifications for a new Walker township High school building to be erected at Hublersburg.

Having traversed most every section of the State the good roads special train operated by the Pennsylvania railroad and The Pennsylvania State College, passed through Bellefonte on Wednesday on its way to State College.

Tuesday, March 28th, being the birthday anniversary of Mrs. F. C. McIntyre, of Pittsburgh, formerly of Bellefonte, she was very agreeably surprised to receive 116 post cards from friends.

MOVEMENT TO KEEP POSTOFFICE CLOSED ON SUNDAYS.—The postoffice department is inaugurating a movement all over the country to close the postoffices on Sunday, so far as the local patrons of the office are concerned.

At a meeting of the Bellefonte ministerium held Tuesday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. building, to which the business men of Bellefonte had been invited, postmaster Harter and assistant postmaster Chambers presented information relative to the work now imposed upon their men every Sunday morning.

It was stated that a force of eight men were at work several hours every Sunday morning; that only a limited number of patrons called at the office for their mail and that some of the largest business firms never lifted their mail on Sunday.

THE SPOUL ROAD BILL APPROVED BY COMMITTEE.—The Sproul state highway bill has been reported out of committee with favorable recommendation and there is every reason to believe it will be passed by the Legislature and approved by the Governor.

Under the original bill the route from Lock Haven to Tyrone was by way of Bald Eagle valley and Nittany valley and State College was untouched.

From Bellefonte across the Seven mountains to Lewistown; and from the Old Fort through the Narrows to Lewisburg. From Bellefonte to Lock Haven by way of Nittany valley, and from Bellefonte to Huntingdon by way of State College and Pennsylvania Furnace.

DOES CENTRE COUNTY WANT THE WESTERN PENITENTIARY.—There is a bill now before the Legislature, which has been favorably reported out of committee for the removal of the western penitentiary from Allegheny county to the central part of the State, either Huntingdon or Centre county.

THE CHANGES MADE BY THE PENNSYLVANIA RAIL COMPANY in the station here, by putting in scales, will make it handy for all who have to handle heavy freight that they wish to weigh.

RUSSVILLE RIPPINGS.—Morrell Lucas is home for some time. Katharine Lauck departed on Monday for State College.

Wm. Walker came up from Milesburg last Friday to spend the day with his friends. Miss Lucy Smoyer was a pleasant guest with her sister, Mrs. Sara Rine, of Bellefonte.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS.—At the annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the Huntingdon Presbytery held in Tyrone last Thursday the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Miss S. R. Lowrie, Warriorsmark; vice president, Miss Annie Irvine, Hollidaysburg; Miss Sara D. Morrow, Tyrone; Mrs. Samuel Barber, Curwensville; Miss Mary Hunter Linn, Bellefonte; Miss Mary C. Speer, Huntingdon; Mrs. H. H. Stiles, Altoona; Mrs. George L. Russell, Lewistown; Mrs. J. C. Day, Tyrone; Mrs. A. H. Irvine, Curwensville; Mrs. William Thompson, Lemont; Mrs. E. E. Kerr, Bedford; Mrs. Albert Foster, Lewistown; recording secretary, Mrs. H. R. Smith, Altoona; corresponding secretary, Miss C. W. Stewart, Spruce Creek; assistant, Miss Elizabeth Hemphill, Hollidaysburg; secretary of literature, Mrs. F. B. Reed, Clearfield; secretaries of young peoples societies and bands, Miss Anna Fisher and Miss Nannie Jackson, of Huntingdon; secretary of study classes, Miss Grace Burket, Tyrone; treasurer, Mrs. C. S. Jones, Tyrone.

Marriage License.

John S. Rishel and Cora M. Shaffer, both of Madisonburg. Mitchell Poorman, of Snow Shoe, and Rosie Heaton, of Yarnell. J. W. Bair and Josie P. Runkle, both of Smulton. William L. Cramer, of State College, and Bertie E. Swartz, of Bellefonte. Harry B. Walk, of Philipsburg, and Jessie Middleton, of Chester Hill. James T. Imel, of Bellefonte, and Mary N. Lucas, of Howard. John Collins, of Cassanova, and Sarah Morgan, of Winburne.

HUBLERSBURG NOTES.

Wm. J. Mayes, of Bellefonte, is visiting in our town. Mrs. Thomas Barner is on the sick list with a very severe cold. Walter Aggar, a local shipper, moved several cgs loads of hay recently. Mrs. Samuel Martin, of State College, moved back to Snydertown recently. Mr. and Mrs. John D. Miller spent a few days over in Pennsylvania last week. J. W. Carner, who has been ill for some time past, is not improving very fast. A very heavy hail storm passed over our section of the county last Monday. James Deitrich and brother William have been sawing wood in our town this week. Candidates for the various offices of the county seem to be plenty, and are on the move. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Deitrich spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Kauffman at Zion. Mrs. G. F. Hoy returned home after a two week's stay with her daughter in Philadelphia. Mrs. Samuel Hinds, of Lock Haven, visited with her grandson, Perry Hinds, of our town, last Friday. William Carner, who spent the winter with friends at McHattan, is home with his son, Frank Carner. Miss Rosie McCormick, who has been attending school at Selmsgrove, is at home on a few days vacation. Boyd Kreamer, who has been living in Fleming, on the past two years, moved home to his father, A. G. Kreamer. The school teachers are returning one by one from their winter's work and do not look the worse of the wear. The residents of our town, in order to prevent sickness in the spring, should begin early to clean up and remove rubbish. The farmers who have been deprived of the cream separating station here, are beginning to ship their milk to the Hill Hall milk condensary.

LEMONT.

Sunday reminded us that this is spring. Mrs. John Mitchell and Mrs. W. O. Dougherty are both quite ill at present. The sick are slowly improving at this writing, but Frank Rhykard is not able to be out as yet. L. W. Musser and wife are rejoicing over the son that the stork left at their home last Wednesday. Earl Shawver, who has been in Canada all winter, came home last Monday to visit with his parents. Paul A. Noll and Lydie Rothrock, two of College township's teachers, were off on the sick list for a few days last week. Mabel Kline, daughter of John Kline, is at present confined to her home with an attack of rheumatism, which will make it bad for moving. John, Joseph, William and Alfred Wasson, with their families, were called here last week to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Lena Wasson. The changes made by the Pennsylvania Rail road company in the station here, by putting in scales, will make it handy for all who have to handle heavy freight that they wish to weigh. Sunday afternoon and night it rained quite heavy, but Monday afternoon the heaviest thunder and hail storm passed over this section that we have had this spring, and the hail lay on the ground from one to two inches deep, while the water soon covered the road in all low places.

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Morrell Lucas is home for some time. Katharine Lauck departed on Monday for State College. Wm. Walker came up from Milesburg last Friday to spend the day with his friends. Miss Lucy Smoyer was a pleasant guest with her sister, Mrs. Sara Rine, of Bellefonte. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lauck and family feel very sorry to see them move. Mrs. Claude Lucas and family, of Snow Shoe, spent a few days with relatives here this week. Misses Maudella Poorman and Lucy Kline spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of Claude Poorman. Charles Williams came up from Williamsport to spend part of the week with relatives in this part of the county. Mr. and Mrs. Irv. Lucas came down from Altoona to spend a few days with Mrs. Lucas's sister, Mrs. Mary Dale. Greiner says his preference is for stable manure on asparagus, and he believes one cannot injure an asparagus bed by putting it on freely or otherwise at any time of the year. Muriate of potash is also good. It should be applied in the fall. Lime is also useful.