

THE MOOSE TO HAVE BIG FOURTH.

From every indication the Bellefonte Lodge of Moose will have a big time at their Fourth of July celebration at Hecla park. The Lock Haven Lodge has accepted an invitation to be present and they expect to bring a large number of people to the park from that end of the line.

During the past week large posters have been put up all over the county announcing the gathering and among the special attractions advertised for the day are a number that will be entirely new to the people of this section. The committee of arrangements has entered into a contract with Warren Bauman, of Lock Haven, to give two flights with his Curtis bi-plane, one in the morning and one in the afternoon, and this in itself ought to be attraction enough to draw an immense crowd.

Two games of baseball are also down on the schedule. The morning game will be between the Lock Haven and Jersey Shore teams and the afternoon game between Williamsport and Philipsburg. There will be tub races, foot races and other sports, with dancing all day and a big display of fireworks in the evening. One or more bands will be present during the entire day and frequent concerts will be given.

Enough special trains will be run on the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania to handle the crowd and arrangements will be made for a special return train on the Lewisburg and Tyrone railroad as far as Coburn, leaving Bellefonte at seven o'clock in the evening, so that the people of Pennsylvally will also have an opportunity to attend.

THE "HAS-BEENS."—The "Has-Beens" fishing club held a meeting on Tuesday evening to make arrangements for their annual two weeks camp on Fishing creek. They organized by electing Ben D. Tate president; Homer Barnes secretary, and Harry Gerberich treasurer and captain of the camp. They will go into camp on Monday, July 3rd, and will remain two weeks. It was decided that this year the camp would be for members only and not for the benefit of the public at large, so that outsiders who have heretofore made the trip to Fishing creek and gone into the "Has-Beens" camp as a matter of course can stay at home this year or open a camp of their own.

Centre county friends of William H. Fielding, of New York city, but who was born and raised at Linden Hall, will be interested in learning that in a competitive examination for Superior court attendant in New York he received a mark of 88.20 per cent., being fourth on a list of 1,130 names. The first three on the list are members of the New York bar and they were given five points for experience, yet neither of the three led Mr. Fielding that much in their totals.

The Schaeffer-Hazel reunion was held at Hecla park yesterday and was largely attended.

Marriage License.

John R. Packer, of Mill Hall, and Stella E. Earon, of Beech Creek.
Albert Henry, of Osceola, and Anna Frazier, of Philipsburg.
Daniel F. McGee, of Mapleton, and Frances McGlynn, of Philipsburg.
Toney Maconie and Annie Korawantck, both of Clarence.
Lee L. Smith and Ella J. Peace, both of Milesburg.
Chas. R. Steele, of Ambridge, and Anna M. Daugherty, of State College.
James McCoy Graham, Jr., of Newton Hamilton, and Ella May Jones, of Port Matilda.
Chas. G. Fulmecky, of Roulette, and Agnes S. King, of Canton, Pa.
William L. Straub and Nellie C. Solt, both of Bellefonte.
William Hesse, of New York, and Dorothy Stine, of Philipsburg.
Foster Friday, of Osceola Mills, and Grace M. Enich, of Philipsburg.

SPRING MILLS.

Mrs. Charles Daley, of Bellefonte, is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Rachau.
Miss Ella Cummings left on Friday last for a ten days or two weeks visit at State College and Pine Grove Mills.
Mrs. H. S. Braucht, Mrs. C. P. Long, Mrs. Geo. N. Wolfe and Mrs. J. W. Wood, made a visit to State College on Sunday last.
B. A. Donachy left on Thursday to be absent until the Fourth of July. He said he would be here in time for the big picnic and anniversary of the I. O. O. F.
The heat was excessive here on Sunday last. In the evening we had quite a heavy storm which continued more or less all night. On Monday the weather was cooler, and late in the afternoon we had more rain.
The road from Penn Hall to Spring Mills, just now, is over ankle deep with mud after the rain, caused by the washing of the high plowed fields on the north side of the road. Autos find it a job to get through, in fact, almost stop. Pedestrians, generally wear two pairs of gum boots.
Ira Bartley is about through with his sheep clipping business, and he says his machine, (his own invention) worked admirably. Some farmers doubted his ability to clip one hundred sheep in a day of ten hours, but when he commenced operations they soon changed their minds.
A day or two since I stepped into the handsome millinery parlors of Mrs. Geo. N. Wolfe, as she was just opening an invoice of entire new selections of hats—summer models. Some of the trimmed hats are simply superb. In the lot there seemed to be about all of the most stylish shapes, including large, medium and small. In fact, they are the prettiest styles of the entire season. Mrs. Wolfe informed me that she is doing an excellent business.
—A little nitrate of soda is a good thing to hurry along the growth of early vegetables, and especially in gardens that are not well manured.

PINE GROVE MENTION.

Miss Ella Dale is suffering with nervous prostration.
Miss Grace Gramley is visiting her old friends at Oak Hall.
Frank Miller is re-roofing his large barn with cedar shingles.
Mrs. Mary E. Stover came down from Altoona to visit friends in town.
The six Behrer sisters had sort of a family reunion in Bellefonte on Friday.
J. J. Tressler and Ernest Hess are both suffering with an attack of lumbago.
W. Francis Speer, candidate for recorder, was here Saturday seeing the voters.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fishburn spent Sunday at grandpa Neidigh's home at Struble.
J. A. Decker is down in West Virginia looking after a big coal deal he has on hand.
Squire J. H. Miller was a Sunday visitor at Hollidaysburg, returning home Monday.
Clement Dale Esq. and Mrs. Dale, of Bellefonte, spent Saturday among friends on the Branch.
Miss Emma VanTries, of Tyrone, is visiting at the W. E. McWilliams home at Rock Springs.
Mrs. Henry Stover came down from Altoona for a brief visit among friends in and out of town.
Mrs. M. L. Houser has been laid up for some time with a badly injured arm, secured in a fall.
The Rameys, of Tyrone, autoed down and spent Sunday at Dr. W. L. Houser's home at Bailleyville.
Wm. Bilger and Mr. Stine, of Pleasant Gap, came up and spent Sunday at the J. B. Witmer home.
Austin Johnson, a Halfmoon township farmer, had hard luck last week, losing two horses in three days.
O. M. Sheets and W. E. Stover are down on Pines creek on a fishing trip, with headquarters at Millheim.
S. M. Bell, the popular Union Tea company man, is supplying his many customers in the valley this week.
Fred R. Fry, who has charge of a large dairy herd in Blair county, was down for commencement at the College.
Oscar Smith came down from Altoona to attend commencement at State College and make arrangements to fit to that city.
J. B. Haley came in from Pittsburg and spent several days with his wife and children at the Ward home on Chestnut street.
Dr. J. E. Ward spent Sunday here at the old family home on Main street, where many of his old chums called to see him over Sabbath.
W. H. Maritz and J. W. Sunday are having concrete pavements put down. Walter Shutt has the job. Many others are going to follow suit.
Last week the venerable Andy Glenn sold most of his stock and farming implements to his two sons, who will hereafter till the homestead farm.
Mrs. J. G. Hess, after spending all winter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, at Medina, Ohio, returned to her old home on Main street, Friday.
Last Saturday the lower frame of the new barn on the Cronover farm was raised. The upper part will not be in readiness for some time. The Reed brothers are the builders.
Mrs. Henry Ginterich and son Earle came up from Linden Hall Saturday. Earle had some dental work done by Dr. Krebs while his mother chatted with old friends of long ago.
J. R. Lemon is baching it while his wife is down at Morgantown, W. Va., seeing her grandson Bernard, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, but late reports say he is improving.
Tomorrow the personal property of the late G. W. Keichline will be sold at public sale. By an amicable agreement of the heirs Miss Gerie purchased the residence and adjoining lot for \$1500.
After angling along the banks of Stone creek four days our fishing party returned with a big catch of the speckled beauties. They also dispatched a number of large rattlers and black snakes.
Frank McCormick and wife with their six children came up from Lock Haven to attend commencement exercises at State College. Frank was a member of the class of 1889 and always enjoys coming back to the old camp.
Frank Strouse, wife and two daughters came up from Baltimore to attend commencement exercises. He was a member of the class of '85 and has held down a good job as civil engineer in the Monumental city over a quarter of a century, but never misses commencement week.
Two of our voicing men met with unfortunate mishaps last Saturday evening in the persons of Eugene Irvin and Fred Williams. They were caught in the storm while out driving with their lady friends, their horses became unmanageable with the result that their buggies were upset and they and the young ladies thrown out in the mud. Fortunately none of the young people were hurt but both buggies were badly wrecked.

State College Items.

Mrs. Mary R. Beck left on Wednesday morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Strunk, of Parvin, Pa.
Oscar Gray, of Bellefonte, was a visitor to State College on Tuesday. He has a large list of policy holders here.
The auto speed limit was enforced here this week and as a result a number were pulled for fines and costs.
The growing crops are looking fine since the rains will help to stretch the shortage which has been proposed for some time. The farmers have a good set of corn and the cut worms have ceased their destruction.
We have had plenty of heavy rains the last few days. During Sunday evening's storm the lightning struck an electric light pole shattering it to pieces and putting all of the west end of town in darkness. In some houses the fuses were burned out and nearly all of the globes broken.
Philip D. Foster has been receiving many congratulations of late over the successful case examination of his clerks that he gave them a supper at the Blue Goose. The result of the examination is as follows: J. W. Beck, 100; George Glenn, 100; Harry Woomer, 99.34; James Rice, 99.30. This is the largest number of clerks taking examination from one office and the best record in Supt. V. J. Bradley's district.

RUNVILLE RIPPLINGS

A crowd of young people attended the camp meeting at Hunters park over Sunday.
George Switzer, of Bellefonte, is doing the mason work for C. A. Poorman's new barn.
Mrs. W. T. Shirk and Mrs. Davis, of Bellefonte, were pleasant guests of Rev. I. H. Dean, Saturday.
Florence Poorman, wife and son Blanchard, were Sunday callers at Mr. Poorman's sister, Mrs. Jane Lucas.
Miss Florence Lucas, who has been spending some time at J. B. Alexander's, spent Sunday with her parents.
Charles Poorman, who has been driving team for Claude Poorman, departed Saturday for a week's camping out on Fishing creek.
Those who spent Monday at the county seat were Mrs. G. M. Fetzer, Mrs. Ellen Freil, Mrs. W. T. Kunes, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker and two daughters, Minnie and Maude, and E. S. Bennett.

SMULLTON.

Sumner Musser, of Aaronsburg, visited Boyd Waite last Sunday.
Merrill Winkleb and wife visited their grandparents last week.
Dr. Gutelius, the popular dentist of Millheim, attended to some work here Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hackenberg attended the funeral of their little grand-daughter at Woodward last week.
Mrs. Luther Stover and Mrs. Winkleb, of Aaronsburg, visited for several days at the home of Preston Seyler.
James Gregg, of Tyrone, formerly a popular school teacher of Centre county, representing the American Book company, was in this vicinity calling on our school directors and old friends.
Dr. D. G. Stewart, Captain H. S. Taylor, Horton S. Ray, proprietor of the Brockerhoff house, and Charles L. Ga... of the Democratic Watchman, and all of Bellefonte, comprised an automobile party who were in this vicinity last Saturday.
A heavy thunder shower passed over our valley on Saturday. The lightning struck a number of houses in west Rebersburg and the farmers in the eastern part of the valley claim that their corn fodder is already shredded for this year.
The children's day exercises held in the Reformed church at Rebersburg on Sunday evening were very good, but the best in the church was so great that many went out. The thunder shower that followed made it very unpleasant for many on their way home.

Real Estate Transfers.

John P. Taylor to Geo. W. Bradford, Feb. 13, 1911, tract of land in Potter Twp.; \$500.
Clement Dale et ux to N. F. Keller et ux, March 14, 1911, tract of land in Potter Twp.; \$100.
James Kreps to R. B. Taylor, June 1, 1911, tract of land in Bellefonte; \$2,600.
John P. Harris trustee to James Kreps, May 24, 1911, tract of land in Bellefonte; \$2,500.
Mary M. Allison to Dr. Geo. L. Lee, April 18, 1908, tract of land in Centre Hall; \$150.
W. H. Bartholomew et al to Frank D. Osann, March 29, 1911, tract of land in Potter township; \$3,500.
Emeline Hugg et bar to Toner A. Hugg, May 8, 1911, tract of land in Milesburg; \$1,200.
Daniel Schnarrs et ux to Domer Myers, Dec. 20, 1910, tract of land in Rush Twp.; \$900.
Philipsburg Coal and Iron company to Domer Myers, Nov. 23, 1910, tract of land in Rush Twp.; \$500.
Mary L. Bailey trustee to W. C. Vonada, March 30, 1911, tract of land in Walker Twp.; \$250.
J. Bert Swart et ux to J. W. Mayes, May 31, 1911, tract of land in Howard Twp.; \$5,800.

8-Year-Old Girl Confesses Robberies.

Seven silk dresses, a savings bank with a considerable sum of money in it, two pocketbooks, one containing \$3 and the other \$1.50; two umbrellas, two white parasols, a red sweater, three pairs of silk stockings, three rings, five stickpins, a gold-handled umbrella and a shirtwaist, the loot of an alleged eight-year-old girl thief, were recovered by Chief of Police Killeen, of Luzerne, Pa.
The child is Anna Garry, whom Chief Killeen arrested and who confessed after an hour of questioning, that she had robbed six houses during the last week and had hidden her plunder under several porches, one at her own home and the others nearby. She had sneaked into the houses when the people were out or were occupied in the front or back.

Chinaman Captures College Honors.

The commencement day exercises at Lehigh university were held in the Packer Memorial church in Bethlehem, Pa.
Eighty-two young men received diplomas and degrees, mostly in technical pursuits, at the hands of the institution's president, Dr. H. S. Drinker, who is this year celebrating his fortieth year of graduation from Lehigh.
To a Chinaman has fallen the highest honor prize of the year. The Celestial, Chihm Chu Fuh, of Nan Ziang Kiang Su. China, is a sophomore, and he captured the Wilbur \$200 scholarship.

Woman Murdered in Her Home.

Mrs. William W. Simmons, twenty-six years of age, of White Plains, N. Y., wife of an engineer on the Harlem railroad, was found strangled to death at her home here by a neighbor.
Two towels were found tied about the dead woman's neck, both of which were double knotted at the back, showing that the murderer had meant to make no mistake.
The woman's husband at the time she met her death was on a trip. Two daughters of Mrs. Simmons, aged four and six years, slept in an adjoining room while the murderer strangled their mother.

Mrs. Carrie Nation is Dead.

Mrs. Carrie Nation, who gained celebrity by her use of a hatchet in the cause of prohibition, died in the cause of the cause in Leavenworth, Kan. She was admitted to the sanitarium Jan. 22, suffering from nervous breakdown.
Mrs. Nation in the sanitarium was incapable of managing her own business affairs. All trace of the bold prohibition worker had disappeared when her iron constitution began to fail, and she spent the last few months of her life in seclusion.

Safe Blowers Wreck Village.

The village of French Creek, about twenty-two miles from Elkins, W. Va., with the exception of a few houses, is a mass of smouldering ruins, following the blowing up of the postoffice building by a charge of dynamite. The loss will exceed \$100,000.
There is no clue to the incendiaries and the burglars who blew open the postoffice safe. Posses are scouring the hills in search of them. The big safe was found in the ruins, with the door ajar, and \$600 in stamps and currency missing.

Direct Vote Passes Senate.

Provides For Election of Senators by the People.

The United States senate passed the resolution proposing an amendment to the federal constitution providing for the election of senators by direct vote. The action of the senate marked the successful culmination of an effort that has extended over more than a quarter of a century to bring this question before the state legislatures. The resolution was passed by the senate by a vote of 64 to 24, two-thirds of those present, of 59, being necessary to carry the proposition.

The resolution as adopted, however, carried with it the so-called Bristol amendment, which will necessitate its return to the house of representatives, which had already passed it. If the house acts favorably upon the resolution in its amended form, which seems likely, it will go to the states for ratification as an amendment to the United States constitution. The Bristol amendment retains to the federal government power over the manner, time and place of holding elections for United States senators. The southerners opposed the amendment on the ground that it would give the federal government power to interfere with the so-called grandfathers' clauses of the constitution of the southern states. The vote on the Bristol amendment was a tie, 44 to 44, and Vice President Sherman cast the vote which lacked the amendment to the resolution.

Upon the vice president may eventually rest the responsibility for the failure of the resolution, for southern senators declared that it would never be adopted in its present form by the legislatures of southern states. These are the senators who voted against the resolution on the final passage: Bacon, Bankhead, Brandegee, Burnham, Crane, Dillingham, Fletcher, Foster, Gallinger, Heyburn, Johnston, Lippitt, Lodge, Lorimer, Oliver, Page, Penrose, Percy, Richardson, Root, Smoot, Terrell, Williams and Wetmore.

Two Girls Drown While Swimming.

"We are going to swim by moonlight," prattled little seven-year-old Clara Vengel, the daughter of Simon Vengel, a manufacturer of Roselyn, near Vineland, N. J., to some of her playmates.

By "we" she meant herself and Ida Wolstein, aged eight years. As soon as the parents heard of this they started on a wild run for Muddy run, a quarter of a mile away. On the shore they found some of the girls' clothing. Search was immediately instituted, headed by Postmaster M. E. Barnhart.

All night long grappling was kept up without result. Morning dawned and the force of workers was supplemented by hundreds, who gathered from every quarter. About 10 o'clock it was decided to open the floodgates, with the hope that the rush of water would stir up the bodies. Soon the nude body of the Vengel girl floated through the gates and the Wolstein girl was found a short distance away.

Kill Eight Negroes in Ten Minutes.

W. L. Boutlee and George Story are believed to have broken all records for rapid and deadly revolver shooting when at La Branch, La., they shot and killed eight negroes in ten minutes. There was one wounded, which puts Story's score a bit ahead of Boutlee. The negroes were members of a section gang and Boutlee is foreman. The blacks conceived a hatred for the "boss" and plotted to kill him. They engaged in a fight among themselves and when Boutlee rushed over to stop the row they turned upon him and one struck him over the head with a shovel. Boutlee fell, but sat up, and before he finished rising to his feet had shot four times and killed four negroes.

George Story, a conductor, heard the first loud talking among the negroes, looked at his watch and saw he had just ten minutes before train time. He ran down the track and arrived just as Boutlee finished shooting. Story then killed four negroes and wounded one with six shots, then returned and took his train out on time.

Preparations Made to Receive Bodies From the Wreck.

The ten-ton steel foremast of the old battleship Maine was shipped from Havana, Cuba, on board the War line steamer Bayamo and probably will be taken to Governor's Island, New York.
The Cuban authorities have made preparations to receive all bodies as fast as they are recovered. They will be taken to Caban Fortress, where they will remain under military guard until the exploration of the wreck has been completed. The bodies will then be put aboard the collier Leonidas for transfer north.

Victor Dupont, Jr., Dies.

Victor Dupont, Jr., fifty-nine years of age, who until recently was a vice president of the Dupont Powder company, died suddenly at his home in Wilmington, Del. He had been ill with heart disease since the first of the year. Recently he had lived retired.

Falls Dead Opening White House Safe

Joseph Durnbaugh, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., an expert locksmith, employed in the treasury department, fell dead while attempting to open a safe in the White House offices. Durnbaugh was seventy years old.

Three Men Killed and Much Property Damaged.

Three men were killed and damage was inflicted amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars in a cloudburst that hit Altoona, Pa., on Sunday. "Chain lightning" blinded the onlookers, was a "blow" that rose to seventy feet, and blew down trees by the hundreds in every part of the city. The trees tore down electric light and trolley wires.

The rain was like a cataract. Within five minutes streets were gutterful and the water flooded over the sidewalks into cellars. Houses were unroofed in every section of the city. To add to the damage the storm brought with it hail whose like was never seen here. There were hailstones ranging in size from a hickory nut to a boy's fist. The hail smashed window panes on the exposed side of almost every house in town.

At Tenth and Union streets a lightning blast smashed a tree, which fell on a house in which Mrs. Carrie Allender conducted a boarding house. One side of the house was built of corrugated iron. A high tension wire carrying 13,000 volts fell against the iron side of the house. Two men in the house, Hannibal Dotterer and Irvin Cackebach, were electrocuted and Mrs. Allender shocked into insensibility.

John Wagner, a friend of the men killed, rushed into the house in a heroic effort to rescue them. As he touched Dotterer's body he was shocked unconscious and he died as he was being carried into a house across the street.

Man Dead; Wife Arrested.

Mrs. Julia Glucos is under arrest for having killed her husband, Joseph Glucos, near Bath, Northampton county, Pa.
The woman and her nineteen-year-old son say that Glucos attacked her and knocked her down while she was preparing supper, and not until then did she attempt to defend herself. Grabbing a fork from the table, she plunged the prongs deep into the man's breast, puncturing the lung. Glucos died ten minutes later.

Parachute Jumper Has Narrow Escape

Fieretta Lorenz, a triple parachute performer, after accidentally cutting the wrong parachute rope, fell from a height of nearly 1000 feet at Asheville, N. C. Her parachute got caught in some electric wires, which saved her life.

Utah Bank is Robbed.

After binding and gagging S. I. Shafer, the cashier of the Commercial bank in Tooele, Utah, two mounted robbers fled to the hills with \$90.00 of the bank's money. Several posses are in pursuit.

Lightning Kills Two at Ball Game.

John Hamilton, aged forty-five, and August Launtz, forty years old, were instantly killed by lightning at a game of base ball in... Hamilton was up... Launtz leaves a wife and...

Hailstones Damage Pine Grove Trees.

The worst hailstorm ever experienced in Pine Grove, Pa., prevailed Monday evening. Hailstones as large as shellbarks fell, fruit trees of all kinds and vegetables struck, and the loss will be heavy. Window panes were broken.

Two Buildings Destroyed.

A severe electrical storm visited the vicinity of Pottsville, Pa., and a number of buildings were struck and badly damaged. The Reformed church at Orwigsburg was struck and burned. A residence at Llewellyn was also burned as a result of being fired by the lightning.

Hail Destroys Vegetation.

Three terrific storms, following each other, did incalculable damage in the suburbs of Baltimore, Md. The air, which had been heated, suddenly turned cold and a comparatively light rain increased in volume until it fell in torrents. With a surprising suddenness there was another change. The rain turned to hail and stones as big as walnuts came down with terrific force and in quantities. For half an hour these fell within a radius of ten miles, destroying vegetation, ruining orchards and putting out of commission nearly all of the telephone and telegraph wires. The property loss was heavy.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE—In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, in the matter of the assigned estate of Charles E. Decker, of State College borough, notice is hereby given that on April 11th, 1911, the court appointed H. S. Taylor, an auditor in the above assigned estate, to make distribution of the funds in the hands of John H. Krumrine, assignee of Charles E. Decker, to and among the creditors legally entitled to receive same. And that he will be in his office in Bellefonte for the duties of his said appointment on Monday, June 19th, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m., when all parties interested may be heard. H. S. TAYLOR, Auditor. 56-24-41

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