

**BIG FIRE IN BELLEFONTE.**

Eight Dwelling Houses and Buildings of American Lime Company Swept by Flames Late Wednesday Morning.

A fire starting in one of the manufacturing buildings of the American Lime Company at Bellefonte, yesterday (Wednesday) morning at eleven o'clock, developed into one of the worst conflagrations Bellefonte has seen in a number of years. Eight dwelling houses are completely destroyed; about a million feet of match lumber, the property of the Bellefonte Match Company, several buildings of the American Lime Co., a number of box cars of the Pennsylvania R. R., also went up in smoke.

The American Lime Company's plant is located in what is known as Sunnyside, on the outskirts of Bellefonte, and on the road between the old and new fair grounds. The Pennsylvania Railroad's line runs along this plant and the intense heat twisted the rails so completely out of shape that new rails and ties must be laid for a stretch of several hundred feet before the cars can be run.

As the Reporter went to press three hours after the start of the fire, it was well under control, the Undine and Logan fire companies doing heroic work in combating the flames. Water was pumped from Spring creek which flows nearby. The protracted drought from which Centre county suffered all summer aided the flames in licking up the property.

Among those who lost their dwelling houses are ex-Commissioner John L. Dunlap, Peter Thompson, Walter Scholl, Mr. Haines, Mr. Murray. The names of the other property owners could not be learned.

The origin of the fire is unknown.

**\$29,000 Fire at Lock Haven.**

Sunday morning fire broke out in the large frame Armory building of Troop K, of the state cavalry, at Lock Haven, completely destroying the building and entailing a loss of \$29,000. All the contents were destroyed except 58 New Colts automatic revolvers, valued at \$22 each. The burned property comprised all the horse equipments for 58 horses, consisting of saddles, bridles, revolver holsters, gloves, etc., as well as three sets of uniforms for each man. All the field equipments and 58 Springfield rifles were also destroyed.

The cause of the fire is unknown but it is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

**Marriage Licenses.**

Bruce Johnsonbaugh, Jersey Shore Bella Eller, Port Matilda  
Carloll Corman, Bellefonte  
Maude G. Stover, Hublersburg

**LOCALS**

J. T. Potter will attend the funeral of Mrs. R. H. Stuart at Jersey Shore tomorrow (Friday).

Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Hubler of Lock Haven were in Centre Hall for a few days last week.

Business men of Lewistown have pledged themselves to raise \$30,000 to support the Lewistown hospital.

Ryde's cream calf meal takes the place of milk for rearing calves, at less than half the cost. Try it today. —R. D. Foreman.

Rev. George Kerns of Williamsport was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Kerr, last week. He is a relative of Mrs. Kerr, through marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Crawford entertained the following people for a few days last week: Mrs. J. A. Martz, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Martz, of Altoona, and Mrs. Robert Welch, of New York.

George F. Scott of Youngstown, O., is spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. A. Kennedy. Mrs. Scott is the only cousin of Mrs. Kennedy. He is a real estate broker and is on his yearly vacation.

H. B. Mensch of Millheim was in town Tuesday taking orders for made-to-measure clothing. He will again be here next Monday with a complete line of samples of the best woolen patterns and may be seen at Geary's barber shop. Clothing ordered from Mr. Mensch is guaranteed to give entire satisfaction. adv.

Mrs. A. J. Thurston and children Emery, Rachael, Sallie and Jennie, came in from Iselin, Indiana county, in their car Saturday and stopped at the Evangelical parsonage. Sunday morning the son and one daughter, accompanied by John Fassett, who spent picnic week with Rev. F. H. Foss, returned, while the other members of the party will remain for several days. Mrs. Thurston is a sister of Mrs. Foss.

H. D. W. English, brother to Mrs. J. G. King of Centre Hall, together with his wife and daughter and Mrs. George English, on Friday reached America on the English steamship "Cretic," of the White Star line. They had been marooned in Europe for some time, in which country they had hoped to enjoy an extensive auto tour. Mr. English's valuable automobile, which was seized some time ago, is now in the hands of an American express company in Zurich, Switzerland, and Mr. English has every assurance that it will be returned to him.

**LOCALS**

H. C. Shirk has a new ad. in this issue of interest to farmers.

Mrs. Austin Brungart of Zion is spending a short time at the home of her brother, H. E. Homan.

Misses Besse and Brezra Benner returned to Philadelphia Tuesday after spending several months at the home of their mother, Mrs. Nancy Benner.

The barn on the farm of Mrs. F. O. Bairfoot, tenanted by Lanson Burris, recently was reroofed with galvanized iron and will be further improved with a coat of paint.

Miss Millie Meek of Williamsburg and Miss Pearl Burns of Altoona on Tuesday departed for their homes after spending a week or more at the Henry E. Homan home. Miss Meek is a sister to Mrs. Homan.

Mrs. John Kelley of Vicksburg was entertained at the home of her nephew, D. K. Keller, for a few days last week. She was on her way home from Pittsburgh where she spent a short time with relatives.

The Reporter has no apology to offer for the frequent references to the Grange Encampment and Fair in this and previous issues. It is the Grange Encampment and Fair that helps to put Centre Hall on the map, and it is a gathering unlike any other any where in the county.

Miss Lavina Smith of Lamar was one of the many from that section who attended the Grange Encampment and Fair. Her brother, Charles Smith, of Howard was also at the gathering, and while there gave a handshake to many for the last time prior to a trip to the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weibly of Bellefonte attended the Grange Encampment and Fair on Thursday. Mr. Weibly is a watchman on the Pennay, in Bellefonte, an easy job, but both he and his good wife would widely prefer to be back to Linden Hall, provided the former would be physically able to lead the trackmen on that section.

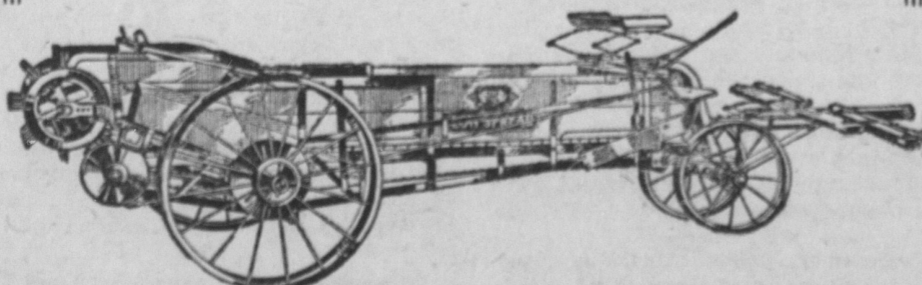
Much of the quiet throughout the borough and on the Park, last week, was due to the presence of a young man, a member of the state police force, who, by the way, gave his own business first and last attention. The railroad company also had policemen on each train coming to and going from the Park, and their presence insured quiet on all trains.

Dr. H. H. Longwell has been confined to bed for the past week suffering from a rheumatic ailment. For a few days the latter part of last week he was quite seriously ill and a trained nurse, Miss Simmons, of Bellefonte, has been in attendance since that time. His condition at present is greatly improved and in a few days he will again be in shape to attend to his professional duties.

S. M. Leitzell of Washington, D. C., was the guest of his uncle, W. W. Spangler in Centre Hall, last week. Mr. Leitzell is a native of Potter township, but for a number of years has been located in the nation's capital, where he is at present connected with the civil service department which has to do with the postoffices throughout the states. He was sounded by a number of citizens and he is quoted as having assured them that politicians have no hand in handling out the "green gages" being distributed by the postoffice department.

The State-Centre Electric Company's demonstration of electric devices at Bellefonte last Saturday drew an immense crowd to their new store on High street. The beauty of this wonderful power as used in operating all kinds of farm machinery, household necessities, etc., was clearly demonstrated. An entire day was devoted to the opening, the Boys' band of Milesburg and Christie Smith's orchestra rendering music. D. W. Bradford had a No. 15 DeLaval cream separator operated by an individual electric motor and those who witnessed the demonstration pronounced it perfect.

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Regardless of the condition of the soil the Low-Spread Spreader does the work.

Words cannot do justice to this Spreader. You should examine it carefully to see its many good points. We would invite you to call around at our office of business and inspect same carefully.

**H. C. SHIRK**  
Centre Hall, Pa.

**The Weather.**

Readings of the thermometer are made daily at 8 p. m., and indicate the highest and lowest points reached during the preceding twenty-four hours.

Table with columns: SEPTEMBER, High, Low, Showers in inches, Rainfall in inches, Character of Day. Rows for dates from Wednesday, 16 to Tuesday, 22.

F means fair; C means cloudy; P C means partly cloudy.

**Reporter Register**

Mrs. Florence Faulkner, Miss Mae Faulkner, Mrs. L. Ray Morgan, Louis B. Morgan, Mrs. Joseph Barnes, Elizabeth Barnes, Boyd Hamlin, Philadelphia; Michael Sloyer, Woodward S. P. Henshaw, Spring Mills; W. J. Carlin, Rebersburg; Mrs. M. E. Stroh, Centre Hall; Mrs. M. J. Kerr, Omaha, Nebraska; Mrs. Jennie A. Dapp, Centre Hall; Mrs. G. L. Goodhart, Centre Hall; W. H. Bauser, Pottery Mills; A. J. Shook, Spring Mills.

**Sale Register**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3RD, 1:30 P. M.—W. E. Burkholder, admr. estate of Mary E. Burkholder, deceased, will sell at Centre Hill, real estate of said deceased, consisting of four acres land, dwelling house, etc.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10TH, 12:30 P. M.—Mrs. Emma Homan, in Centre Hall borough, will sell household goods, buggy, etc.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 12:30 o'clock—A. J. Shook, admr., will sell the personal property of the late Catharine C. Shook, in Spring Mills. Two cows, pig, household goods.

FOR SALE—Cycle Wizard Camera, 4x5, in good condition. Charles C. Beck, Spring Mills, Pa. R. P. D.

**ADVERTISEMENTS**

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.**—Letters of administration on the estate of Catharine C. Shook, late of Gregg Township, deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. A. J. SHOOK, Administrator, Spring Mills, Pa. 37.0-42

**LEGAL NOTICE.**—Notice is hereby given that the following accounts will be presented to Court for confirmation September 30th, 1914, and unless exceptions be filed thereto on or before September 29th, the same will be confirmed, to wit: The third account of John Slack, guardian of Jonathan W. Bradley, helpless child. The account of the Commonwealth Trust Company, trustee under mortgage of Nittany Iron Company. D. R. FOREMAN, Prothonotary, Aug. 26, 1914.

**COURT PROCLAMATION.**—Whereas the Honorable Ellis L. Orris, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the Forty-ninth Judicial District, consisting of the county of Centre, having issued his precept bearing date the 4th day of August, 1914, to me directed for holding a Court of Common Pleas, Orphans Court, Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, in Bellefonte, for the county of Centre, and to commence on the

**FOURTH MONDAY OF SEPTEMBER,** being the 28th day of September, 1914, and to continue two weeks thereafter.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen, and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 28th, with their records, indictments, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertain to be done and those who are bound in recognizances, to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just. Given under my hand at Bellefonte, the 24th day of August, in the year of our Lord, 1914, and the one hundred and thirty-eighth year of the Independence of the United States of America. ARTHUR B. LEE, Sheriff, Bellefonte, Aug. 24, 1914.

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**—By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in Bellefonte borough, Pa., on

**MONDAY, 28TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1914,** at one o'clock P. M.

All that certain lot or parcel of ground situate in the town of Armstrong, Hazle township, Centre county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a stone in the public road, thence along said road by the town plot of Aaronburg, North seventy feet to a stone, to land of Allen Hosterman; thence along said Hosterman land East two hundred and twenty-six feet to a stone; thence by land of Ralph Stover seventy feet to a stone; thence by land of Howard Acker west two hundred and twenty-six feet to the place of beginning.

See deed from Harry E. Acker to Annie Acker dated December 8th, 1913, recorded in Deed Book 136, page 150. And being the same premises which William Acker and Alice, his wife, conveyed unto Harry E. Acker, by their deed dated February 2nd, 1913.

Thereon erected a two story dwelling house, stable and other outbuildings. Seized, levied upon, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Harry E. Acker. TERMS OF SALE—No deed will be acknowledged until purchase money is paid in full. ARTHUR B. LEE, Sheriff, Bellefonte, Pa. August 26, 1914.

HOUSE FOR RENT—The Emma Homan property, on Hoffer Street, Centre Hall. All in first class repair. Two lots. Inquire of H. G. Strohmeier, Centre Hall. 37.0-39.

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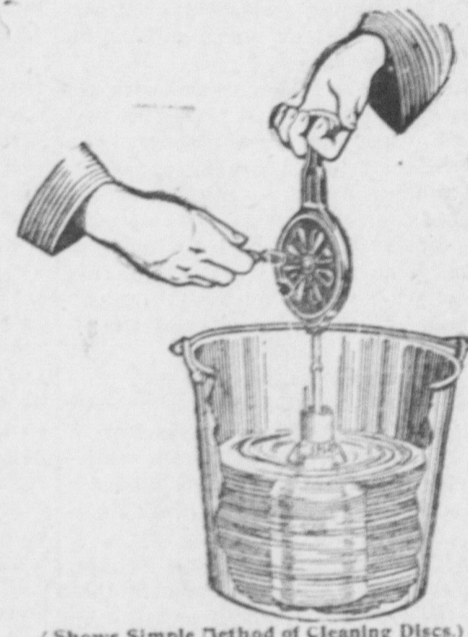
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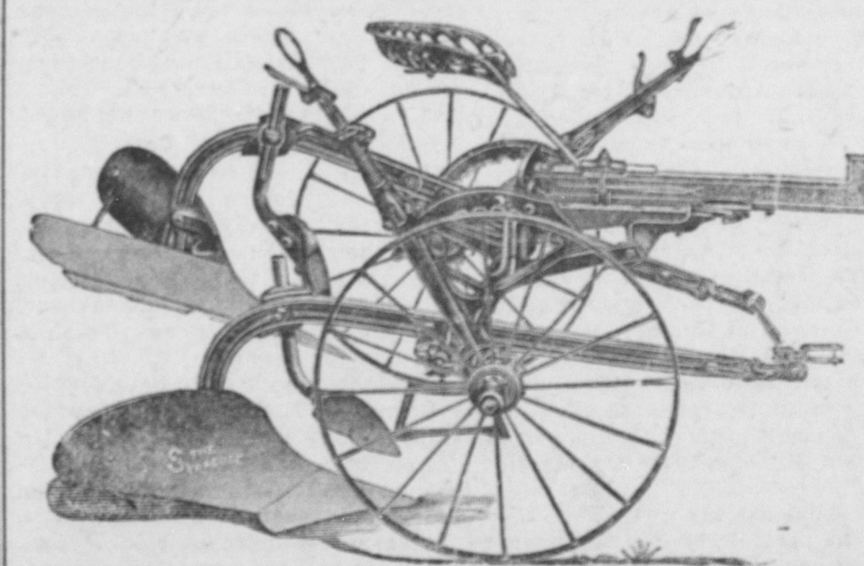


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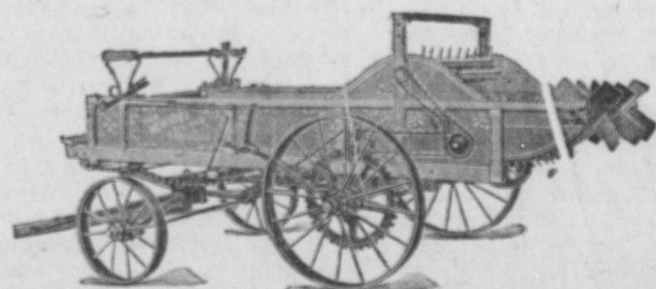


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Needs no description. Its great use among the farmers in Penn's Valley speaks for its popularity. More farmers are using it every year. Get in line for one this year and prepare for better crops by doing better plowing. The Syracuse brings results.

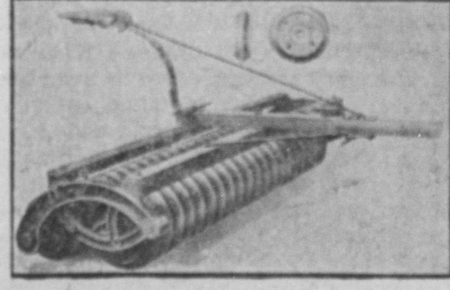
**The New Idea Manure Spreader**

We received a short time ago a carload of these famous spreaders. The New Idea is more than a spreader, it is a pulverizer, putting the manure in best shape for distributing on the ground. It is simple and easy running, strongly built, and should have a place on every farm.



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