

OUR LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

A Column of Interesting Personal Items.

HOME NEWS PARAGRAPHED.

Interesting Events and Happenings from About the county—Doings of our People Briefly Told.

—Mrs. Wm. Marshall and child, of Brookwayville, are visiting friends at this place.

—The interior of Jackson, Crider & Hastings bank is undergoing repairs this week.

—Boynton, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Daggert, was severely ill during the past week.

—Mr. A. C. Glenn and son Jerry, of Roland, called to see us on Saturday and inspect the art of printing.

—Mike Condo, the Centre Hall butcher who tackled a bull dog with his face, to his sorrow, called on Monday.

—Bock beer was on sale on Saturday night. It was quite evident, for some of the boys were delightfully happy.

—The winter Christians have but a short time until the blue birds sing again. They are being studied by the community.

—Dr. Laurie is conducting a series of services in the Presbyterian church, at this place, during the present week.

—R. C. Gilliland, of Snow Shoe, is one of the new announcements as a candidate for sheriff. He would make a good one.

—Harrison Kline, of Spring township, shipped a car load of hay, from Nigh bank, over the Central Railroad of Pa., on Tuesday of this week.

—Mr. Samuel Gettig, Esq., of late has been spending most of his Sundays away from Bellefonte. Presume it is legal business.

—March came in Monday morning "roaring like a lion." This variable weather has been the cause of much illness in this community.

—We are still printing sale bills that are the finest in appearance and at the most reasonable prices. Good work in every case.

—On Sunday morning Mr. John Fellenbaum was affected with a paralytic stroke. It impaired the left arm slightly.

—No change was made in the boro police force, by the new council as some had expected. Montgomery and Garis will continue as heretofore.

—Naginey, the furniture dealer, received an unusual large stock of goods on Monday and has been bustling around unpacking and assorting the same in his rooms.

—"Princess Bonnie" will be given at Tyrone on Wednesday March 12th. There are 50 people in the company. It will be sure to draw a large house.

—John F. Harrison, instructor in the senior grammar school, stone building, was unable to report for his customary duty for several days past on account of an attack of the grip.

—Mr. W. H. Eason, the busy coal merchant, of Unionville, had business in town on Monday and called to renew his subscription for the ensuing year. He likes to read the Democrat.

—The jury commissioners, Messrs Joseph Hoy of Marion township and John D. Decker, of Potter, arrived in town on Monday to draw the list of jurors for April court. The same appears in another column of this issue.

—On Friday evening and during the night there was a very heavy rain fall, and in some parts of the county considerable damage was done to the fields by washing. A land slide along the Buffalo Run delayed the morning passenger train several hours.

—License court drew quite a gathering of hotel men from about Centre county, to Bellefonte on Tuesday. Only one remonstrance was filed and for that reason there was not as much interest aroused in the matter as usual.

—The Undine band, of this place, appeared on the streets last Thursday evening and played some fine music. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shoemaker were serenaded, and the next morning the band boys were all smiles. They say Mr. Shoemaker is one of the "whitest" men in town.

—Jacob Truby, the new proprietor of Parker Hotel at Philipsburg, circulated among friends in Bellefonte, on Monday, He is an enthusiastic democrat and was a prominent candidate for the democratic congressional nomination in this district two years ago.

—Squire Harve Shaffer, of Zion, called to renew his subscription on Saturday. Mr. Shaffer was elected Justice of the Peace at the February election to succeed Michael Shaffer, who acted in that capacity for the last twenty years. The people of Walker township are bound to have a "Squire Shaffer."

—On Monday Robert M. Foster, of State College, dropped into our sacred abode to talk religion and politics with the editor. Mr. Foster will again aspire for legislative honors and has announced his candidacy this week in the regular list. He has many friends in the county who will give him a lift when the time comes.

IN THE COURT HOUSE.

Legal Intelligence Gathered from Various Offices.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

- Clinton Markle, - - - Benner twp.
Martha J. Snyder, - - - Potter
James Rider, - - - Spring twp.
Maud Eckley, - - - Union twp.
Ezekiel Bing, - - - Snow Shoe
Nancy Corman, - - - Bellefonte
Harry H. Bottorf, - - - Benore
Clara Witherite, - - - Milesburg
T. E. Reeder, - - - Matilda
Carrie A. Coldren, - - - Spring Mills

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

- Philipsburg Coal & Land Co., to Tyrone & Clearfield R. R. Co., for tract of land in Rush twp., consideration \$1.
John P. Condo Sheriff, to Thomas W. Fisher et al, for 3 lots of ground in Unionville Borough, consideration, \$600.
T. J. Gates et ux, to Jacob Beck, two certain tracts of land in Half Moon twp., consideration, \$1375.
W. H. Snavely, to Mary Snavely lot of ground in Walker twp., consideration, \$300.
John M. Miller et ux, to Isaac Wry a tract of land in Half Moon twp., consideration, \$199.50.
Wm. Thomas, to Newton E. Hess, for a tract of land in Harris twp., consideration \$525.
D. K. Tate's adm., to John L. Kurtz, for lot of ground in Bellefonte boro., consideration, \$1225.
Security B. & L. Assn., to Martha Shinefelt, for tract of land in Rush twp., consideration \$600.
Hannah Still, to Martha Clark, for house and lot in Eagleville, Liberty twp., consideration, \$50.
B. T. Brown et ux, to John Wood, for a tract of land in Harris twp., consideration, \$53.45.
Thomas B. Motz, to Celinda Hosterman, for Woodward Hotel in Haines twp., consideration \$1350.
Benjamin Orndorf's admn. to Thomas E. Vonada, 9 acres and 117 perches of land in Haines township, consideration \$161.05.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Argument court convened on Tuesday. Quite a long list of cases are put down for hearing.
Mr. Frank Morgan, of Lock Haven, spent several days in Bellefonte last week visiting friends and relatives.
Revival services are in progress in the Evangelical church, at this place, conducted by Rev. Stapleton.
You can strike a bargain in clothing at the Philadelphia Branch. They will dispose of all their stock before April 1st.
The grip, of something very much like it, has a number of victims in our community and the medical profession are kept quite busy.
The damages by the fire in Reynolds building have all been adjusted, and repairs are being made in the building as rapidly as possible.
Some of Evangelist Weaver's converts are attracting attention. The public is anxious to find out whether they are sincere this time, or another scheme to work on the sympathies of the charitable institutions of the town.
Mr. Calderwood, one of the oldest citizens in Taylor township, died on Monday evening, at his residence, at Hannah. He was 76 years of age, and leaves a wife and number of children, all of whom are grown and married.
Miss Minnie Brew has a new dancing class in progress, in the Bush Arcade, quite a number of young people are in attendance. On Saturday evening Miss Brew gave a German that was quite well attended by the young people of the town.
H. B. Shaffer, the photographer looking hearty and as jolly as ever, came down from Peekskill, N. Y., on Friday and will be located at this place for some time. He is filled with new ideas pertaining to his profession and is doing finer work than ever.
Mr. George Rothrock, formerly of Bellefonte, now at Niagara Falls engaged in contracting and building, came home last week for a short visit. He speaks in an enthusiastic manner of that place as a business point and appears to be flourishing abundantly.
Dr. John F. Alexander, of California, passed through Bellefonte on Friday on his way to Centre Hall. The Dr. was a former resident of Centre Hall and may return again to the same place. He thinks that California is a fine country, but would prefer to live in Pennsylvania.
Mr. A. C. Thompson, located at present at Snow Shoe, was in town on Saturday, and the problem whether "to be or not to be" an aspirant for legislative honors was the question that he was revolving in his mind. Mr. Thompson is a stiff democrat, out of an old-line republican family.
The Hungarians who committed the assault upon Foster Young, last week, at Morris lime quarries, have not been detected. It is said that Mr. Morris refused to give the names of the offenders or in any manner lend any assistance to the officer. If this is correct that this operator will shield criminals in this manner he deserves public denunciation. We expect more than that from Mr. Morris.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Following is a list of those who paid their subscriptions during the month of February:

- Mrs. Frank, Philadelphia April 97
Rebecca Robinson, St. College ... Dec. 96
Joseph Markle, Hublersburg.... Feb. 96
J. A. Hoy, Zion Jan. 97
M. Smith, Hot Springs Jan. 96
Chas. Smith, Bellefonte Nov. 96
A. C. Witherite, Milesburg Feb. 97
Mrs. John Rbte, Coburn Feb. 97
R. C. Irvin, Roland Aug. 96
R. H. Solt, Colyer M. y 95
Israel Cori, State College..... Jan. 96
J. Mitchell Garbrick, Fairbrook, March 97
Bella Gentzel, Cedarville, Ill. June 96
Adam Yearick, Walker Feb. 97
O. N. Yarnell, Mingoville Feb. 97
W. H. Kuhn, Boalsburg Jan. 96
John Brown, Loganton Feb. 97
Wm. Kerrin, Moshannon..... Feb. 97
J. G. Womelsdorf, Loganton Feb. 97
H. C. Shuey, Howard Feb. 96
Mrs. J. G. Royer, Zion March 97
R. C. Gilliland, Snow Shoe Oct. 96
Wm. Floray, Centre Hall April 96
H. S. Yearick, Walker..... Jan. 97
Burdine Butler, Howard..... Nov. 96
R. B. Treaster, Centre Hill March 97
G. T. Shaffer, Clifton, Ill..... Feb. 97
J. T. Lucas, Moshannon..... Jan. 97
Jos. Doup, Potters Mills..... Oct. 96
Daniel Long, Madisonburg Jan. 96
Jacob Fultz, Woodward May 96
James Solt, Bellefonte May 96
A. H. Vonada, Madisonburg Jan. 97
Harry Gilmer, Boalsburg..... March 97
S. H. Shaffer, Zion Jan. 97

Death of Miss Sarah Rankin.

After an extended illness, Miss Sarah Rankin died on Saturday, at 4 a. m., at her home on Howard street. The deceased had been complaining for about two years. On Thursday last she rapidly grew worse and continued to sink until between 3 and 4 o'clock Saturday morning when death came to relieve all suffering.

The cause of death was catarrh of the bowels. A mother, one brother, W. B. Rankin and a sister, Miss Carrie Rankin are left to mourn their sad loss.

The funeral was held from the Presbyterian church on Tuesday afternoon. Interment in the Union Cemetery.

Hard on the Grain.

The grain fields of this county, for want of a covering of snow have suffered from the freezes and icy blasts to which they have been exposed, and there may be more to come. To us it seems, at this time, that the coming crop will not be as abundant as it would have been, for the reasons here given, and we will be pleased to find it otherwise when harvest time comes on.

A Long Term.

After May 4th squire J. H. Reifsnnyder, of Millheim, will retire from public life. For more than a quarter of a century he has faithfully and equitably performed the brave duties of a justice in Millheim, but failing health will necessitate his retirement when his present commission expires. He holds five commissions by election and two by appointment.

Death of Frank Bauer.

On Friday J. N. Bauer, the grocer, received a telegram stating that his brother Frank Bauer had died at Port Townsend, Washington. The deceased was aged about 60 years, and was well known in Bellefonte. He made a trip to this city about seven years ago, but had not been here since. He was unmarried.

Death of William Harden.

William Harden (colored), aged about 60 years, died at Benazette on Wednesday. The deceased was well known in Bellefonte, having for many years been in the barbering business here. The interment occurred on Sunday.

Royal Arcanum

The treasurer of the R. A. of Philipsburg, has paid over to the guardian of the minor daughter of Editor H. C. Williams, dec'd, of the Ledger, the net sum of \$3,000 being the full amount of his policy held in the R. A.

The Daily News continues to publish glowing reports of their gold discovery in this county. They say the analysis shows the gold to be of a superior quality, but not of sufficient quantity to warrant mining it. That was sad indeed. Everybody was looking for a gold boom in this section.

WE MUST HAVE HELP.

We pay men and women \$10 to \$15 per week for easy home work. No books or peddling. Steady employment guaranteed. Send stamp for work and particulars at once. HERNANN & SEYMOUR, 213 South Sixth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 2-13-96

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Table with 2 columns: Grain type and price per bushel. Includes Red wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Barley, Buckwheat, and Ground plaster.

PROVISIONS, GROCERIES & C. (as corrected weekly by Bauer & Co.)

Table with 2 columns: Item and price per unit. Includes Apples, Cherries, Beans, Onions, Butter, Tallow, Country shoulders, Hams, Ham & sugar cured, Breakfast Bacon, Lard, Eggs, Potatoes, and Dried sweet Corn.

SELLING FICTITIOUS LAND.

Questionable Proceedings of the Centre County Commissioners.

The following recently appeared in the Pittsburg Post as a dispatch from Bellefonte:
"The Centre county commissioners' sale of unseated lands for taxes is advertised to take place early in May. The area of the county is but 786,280 acres, yet some years it is known that unseated land titles have been sold at these sales for 600 and 700 tracts of land aggregating almost 1,500,000 acres. These spurious titles have been handed down to posterity, and are still being bought and sold in the Centre county markets as a means of speculation. The county commissioners take no steps to have the land docket purged of these bogus titles, because they are a source of revenue to the treasury, and the county press also advertise the same lands every year. One of the most flagrant instances of injustice done occurred recently when a Philadelphia lady traded off a piece of city property for a fictitious tract of timber land. A New York syndicate was also misled of a large sum of money by a deal in land that did not exist."

As to what there is in this statement we cannot say. There are many bad titles to lands in this county but as to the county commissioners being responsible that we believe is not correct.

College Boys Frolic.

Last Friday evening the Freshman class of Penna. State College held a banquet at Williamsport. Their departure at State College was a surprise to the Sophomores who would have attempted to prevent them from boarding the train had they known it in time. They left the College in a special at 12 o'clock and also left Bellefonte for a special over the Central R. R. for Williamsport.

The Sophomores quickly hired a hack and started for Bellefonte to prevent the Freshman from getting away on the regular, but were very much surprised to learn that they had also been outwitted at this point by their lower classmen. This made them quite desperate and on to Williamsport they went determined to break up the banquet. They arrived there and caused considerable confusion, and disturbance about the Park Hotel but were unable to accomplish the desired result. The Freshmen held their banquet and had a royal good time. The best of all was their satisfaction in having outwitted the upper classmen at every point.

Notify Us Now.

Any of our subscribers who expect to change their location on April 1st and have a new post office address should notify us early of the same. In writing to us always state what your old post office address is and where you want to get your mail in the future. Remember these points, send in your notice early and you will receive your mail without any interruption.

A New Bell in Place.

The new bell for the Disciple church at Mill Hall has arrived and was suspended in its place in the church tower last week. It is a fine toned bell and can be heard a long distance.

Nervous

People wonder why their nerves are so weak; why they get tired so easily; why they do not sleep naturally; why they have frequent headaches, indigestion and Nervous Dyspepsia. The explanation is simple. It is found in that impure blood feeding the nerves on refuse instead of the elements of strength and vigor. Opium and nerve compounds simply deaden and do not cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla feeds the nerves pure, rich blood; gives natural sleep, perfect digestion, is the true remedy for all nervous troubles.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists, \$1. Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.



No Corns Here

There is no good reason why there should be such things as corns. There is a reason, however, but it isn't a good one. The reason is that people buy and wear ill-fitting footwear that makes corns faster than chiropodist can cut them off. All this is caused by not beginning right.

If you will bring the children to me, and take the Shoes I recommend, and keep on bringing the children year after year, those boys and girls will never have to spend a cent for corn medicine.

MINGLE'S SHOE STORE.

...THE... GLOBE DRY GOODS AND MILLINERY

Watch this Space... FOR THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE Globe's Spring Opening

Our store has been newly fitted up, and besides guaranteeing our customers the lowest prices on all Dry Goods, Notions and Millinery, we aim to have the neatest and prettiest store in Bellefonte, and one of which its people can justly be proud.
Mr. Katz, our manager, is at present in New York City and is laying in a big supply of desirable and seasonable goods for every department of our magnificent store.
We have always tried to show the largest assortment in stock, and this season shall strive harder than ever to please the public.

VERY RESPECTFULLY. Katz & Co., Limited

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I am going out of the hardware business, and Commencing Monday, Sept. 2nd, '95

will close out my entire stock, consisting of

HARDWARE OF ALL KINDS

- TOOLS, PAINTS, OILS, AGATE AND TINWARE, HORSE BLANKETS, SHOVELS, FORKS, RAKES, POCKET AND TABLE CUTLERY, GASOLENE, OIL, COOKING AND HEATING STOVES,

Ranges, Stove Furniture, House Furnishing Goods, and thousands of other articles. The stock is complete in everything. I cannot mention all the bargains offered, but if you want to buy anything in the hardware line come and see—such an opportunity may never come again. If you are wise you will lose no time in taking advantage of this sale.

H. A. McKEE.