

HAPPENINGS IN BELLEFONTE.

Local Events Briefly Told in a Few Lines.

PERSONALS, SOCIAL EVENTS.

What has Transpired During the Past Week—Movements of our People—What the Local Scribe saw worthy of mention—A week's local news in a few words.

—Mrs. Sarah Kelley, of Philadelphia, is visiting Miss Ellen Woods. —Wallace's circus will be in Lock Haven on August 3rd. It is a good one. —A bouncing boy is John Kline, Esq.'s, recent good luck. May it live long and prosper.

—Walter Diehl, of Lewisburg, came to Bellefonte, to spend Sunday among former friends.

—N. B. Spangler, Esq., is playing soldier this week, at Conneaut Lake as company clerk.

—Miss Myria Holliday has resigned her position as a nurse in one of the hospitals of Philadelphia.

—Mr. Samuel W. Allach, who had been visiting at the home of Emil Joseph, returned to New York on Monday.

—Jacob Runkle has quite a green grocery, on Allegheny street, in Aikens block. Tropical fruits of all kinds can be found there.

—Miss Helen Hastings, daughter of Gov. D. H. Hastings, departed Friday for Bedford where she will spend a few weeks with friends.

—Miss Gertrude Bloomingdale, of Philadelphia, who is the adopted daughter of Mrs. Simon Loeb, is visiting Mr. M. Fauble, on High street.

—Attorney John Kline, of this place, has secured Mrs. Sarah A. Horner, widow, of Tusseyville, this county a pension of \$8 per month with \$450.00 back pay.

—Ollie Miller has secured the contract for putting on the roof on Keller's Bishop street hotel, when the new story has been added and other improvements made.

—Prof. G. W. Johnsonbaugh, of Bethlehem, former principal of the Bellefonte High School is visiting his friends in this place. He is now principal of the schools of Bethlehem.

—On Saturday an infant daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Harsberger, died from whooping cough. It was about two months old and had been ill for a short time only.

—Extensive repairs and improvements are being made about the McMullen property at Hecla, for the Nittany Rod and Gun Club's house, Mrs. McMullen and family moved to Bellefonte.

—Robert Bradley, who holds a good position in the Bradford, Pa., National Bank, arrived in town on Saturday evening to spend his vacation at his parents home, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Bradley.

—A joint committee of the Centre County Veteran Club and the Clinton County Veteran Association met at Hecla Park on July 15th, to arrange for the Veteran reunion and picnic to be held at Hecla Park on September 15th.

—An effort will be made to prohibit bicycle riding on the pavements, in his boro. That is right. It has become a nuisance and dangerous practice. Almost every day some pedestrian is knocked down or injured by the recklessness of riders.

—The St. John's Episcopal Sunday school will hold its annual picnic at Hunter's Park, on the Bellefonte Central railroad, Tuesday, July 27. The Odd Fellows in the upper end of the county will hold their annual picnic at the same park Saturday, Aug. 7.

—Ex-Sheriff Ishler, at his residence on East High street, has two night blooming cereus, which are attracting considerable attention. The blossoms commence opening about 9 p. m., until 1 a. m. and many persons have been to see the flower, during the past week.

—Orrie Atwood has a good thing in a preparation he applies to floors. It will prevent dust and dirt when sweeping, which is the cause of much annoyance to storekeepers. During the past week he has filled up a number of floors about town and everybody is well pleased with the result.

—Last week part of the employees, at the Valentine Furnace laid down their tools and decided to quit work. The trouble arose on account of a delay in receiving their wages. Since then everything has been satisfactorily arranged and all have gone back to work. The strike was of a very short duration.

—Counterfeit 5 and 10 cent pieces are floating about in this community. This spurious coin is a good imitation, and has about the same ring. It is soft and will write like lead. After it has been in circulation for a time it turns quite dark. Parties in this community are suspected of handling this grade of goods.

—Miss Mable Fauble, daughter of M. Fauble, the clothier, returned last week, from Germany, where she had been taking a course in music in which she has marked ability. Her trip abroad was an interesting experience, and her delight is to be able to give her father an occasional pointer in the "Mother tongue" and how it is spoken over there.

—There are about ten cases of scarlet fever in Bellefonte, at present.

—Hon. J. P. Gephart, who spent several weeks past at Loganton, Pa., is home again.

—Henry Clay Ross, president of the Central R. R. of Pa., was in Bellefonte, this week.

—W. Harrison Walker, Esq., spent last week rusticated among friends in Clinton county.

—Miss Mame Hamilton left on Wednesday for a trip to Phillipsburg, and Tyrone to visit friends.

—Burgess F. E. Naginny spent a few days of this week among friends and relatives in Mifflin county.

—The personal property of John A. Rupp, of Oak Hall, will be offered at public sale on Friday, August 6th.

—D. F. Portney, Esq., left on Monday evening for Erie, Pa., where he will attend the U. S. circuit court as a juror.

—Miss Nettie Yunt and Mr. and Mrs. Otto, of Williamsport, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith.

—Mrs. A. S. Garman and son Ira returned on Tuesday evening, from their trip of several weeks to Niagara Falls, where they visited friends.

—You don't find a woman turning around to criticize another's dress any more. They confine their spiteful remarks to each other's bicycles.

—J. C. Meyer, Esq., and family left last Saturday for Strawberry Ridge, Montour county, where they will visit relatives until about August 1st.

—Mr. E. C. Deitz, the enterprising baker, and his brother William, of Howard, transacted business in town on Tuesday and paid our office a short call.

—Mr. R. F. Vonada, of Coburn, who is a traveling salesman, for a large salt firm in New York state, spent several days in this section visiting our business houses.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman and daughter, of Williamsport, came to town on Tuesday on the excursion and spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spigelmeyer.

—Mr. Wm. Kurtz and family, of Clearfield, have moved to Bellefonte and are occupying the Morgan residence on Bishop street. Mr. Kurtz takes charge of the book store.

—Walter W. Bayard, who is engaged in the wholesale drug business in Philadelphia, as a salesman, is spending a few days among friends here. He is holding down a good position.

—Miss Mollie Pile, formerly of Bellefonte, but now of Atlantic City, is the guest of Miss Fannie Hutchinson on Howard street. Miss Pile will spend the summer in Centre county.

—Mrs. Newberry, wife of Rev. Dr. Newberry, of Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. Edwards wife of Supt. Edwards, of a Medical Hospital in Philadelphia, are visiting at the home of William Lyons, on Allegheny street.

—R. M. Magee and family have returned to Bellefonte to spend part of the summer in their residence on Penn street. It seems that Bellefonte has a fascination for them and they delight in returning here, if for a brief period only.

—We are sorry to learn of the serious illness of Ira C. Mitchell, Esq., at his home on Spring street. It seems that he over taxed his energies last campaign in traveling and speaking, and since then has not been the same active and energetic practitioner.

—Little Willie Ward, a five-year-old son of Michael Ward, fell into the large spring, at the water works, on Friday and had a narrow escape from drowning. Harry Spicer saw the accident and speedily plunged in and rescued the child. The water was about eight feet in depth where it fell in.

—Mrs. Henry Fiedler and daughter, Bertha, of Madisonburg, and Mrs. Annie Reber, of Vicksburg, passed through Bellefonte on Tuesday afternoon on their way home from a three month's trip through the west. They visited friends in Wisconsin, Illinois, Kansas and Ohio, and report having had a very pleasant time.

—Mr. J. C. J. Kurtz, the proprietor, of the book and stationery store, at this place, has disposed of his business at this place, to his two sons. Hereafter the store will be continued by W. N. Kurtz & Bro., formerly of Clearfield. They are enterprising young men and expect to make Bellefonte their permanent residence.

—On Wednesday morning a party of Bellefonte young ladies started by carriage for an overland trip to Phillipsburg, Tyrone and other points. They are Misses Grace and Louise Armor, Nannie Curtin and Rosa Fox. Such a combination will cause a flutter wherever they linger on this journey. They would not think of having even a coachman on their trip, across the mountains.

—On Tuesday twelve coaches were filled with excursionists from Williamsport, who attended the Demorest picnic, at Hecla Park. In the afternoon the famous Demorest band paid our town a visit and discoursed some choice music. A large number of our town people went to the park to see the game of ball between the Demorest and Lock Haven teams which resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of 4 to 3.

—Excursions to Atlantic city July 31st via C. R. R. of Pa. Fare \$5.75.

—Miss Mable Cowdrick, of Niagara Falls, is visiting friends in town.

—The colored Odd Fellows picnic is being held at Hecla Park to-day.

—The borough building has the brick work for the first story completed.

—Wm. Lower, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days in this section, visiting friends.

—A large number from this section will take in the excursion to Atlantic city July 31st. The rate is only \$5.75 over the Central R. R. of Pa., and its connecting lines.

—On Tuesday Wallace, a son of Mrs. Levi Murray, died at Centre Hall from prostration by the warm weather. The interment took place this Thursday morning. His age was about 15 years.

—Messrs. Geo. and Ralph, sons of Commissioner M. F. Riddle, of Pleasant Gap, called on Wednesday and were much interested in seeing a printing office in full operation. They are bright lads.

—The Undine Fire company are making arrangements to attend the annual convention, at Houtzdale, in August. They expect to secure some of the big prizes this year. They will take their band and engine along.

Council Meeting.

At council meeting, on Monday, the following was transacted: The Lamb street sewer, emptying in Spring creek, and the Logan street sewer, were reported as nuisances, and the street commissioners was directed to look after the same; also Spring creek, at some points was in bad condition.

Improvements on East Linn street, not to exceed \$60, were ordered and to put Wilson street in a passable condition.

Property owners on West High street, are to make repairs during the next fifteen days. The question of light for Howard street was laid over until next meeting.

The water contract, of McCalmont & Co., was fixed at \$20 for house and \$10 for engine.

Considerable opposition was made to the bicycle ordinance offered, on the ground that it was defective and unnecessary, as there were road laws, sufficient to cover the point. The ordinance carried.

The P. R. R. company was reported as a nuisance for blowing whistles and blockading streets in this borough.

Bills to the amount of \$511.58 were approved.

Officers Elected.

The following are the officers of Bellefonte Castle, No. 357, of Bellefonte, Pa., for the ensuing six month's term beginning July 1, 1897: Past Chief, Boyd A. Musser; Noble Chief, W. P. Kuhn; Vice Chief, I. M. Bush; High Priest, Jas. L. McClure; Venerable Hermit, M. R. Johnson; Master of Records, E. E. Ardery; Clerk of Exchequer, L. H. Wian; Sir Herald, Jos. Garbrick; Worthy Bard, A. Lukenbach; Worthy Chamberlain, Harry Gehret; Ensign, Benton Tate; Esquire, Robert Woodring; First Guardsman, Geo. Taylor; Second Guardsman, A. V. Hamilton; Trustees, N. B. Spangler; Representative of the Grand Castle, John Yearick.

An Eclipse of the Sun.

On the 29th of this month one of those phenomena will take place that from time immemorial have never failed to engage the attention and elicit a wonder of mankind—a solar eclipse. Even those who are quite familiar with the causes that produce it cannot suppress a feeling of awe on beholding this most interesting of all the phenomena of nature. The eclipse will be an annual one, visible on this continent as a partial one. In our latitude it will begin at half past 8 o'clock in the morning and end at thirteen minutes past 11.

Colored Odd Fellows Will Picnic.

The second anniversary of Bellefonte Standard Lodge, No. 3575, G. U. O. of O. F., will be celebrated by a big picnic, to be held at Hecla Park July 22nd.

All kinds of amusements, such as sack races, tub races, pie eating contests, greased pole climbing, bicycle racing and base ball have been provided. The music will be furnished by the Coleville band, and visiting lodges from Phillipsburg and Lock Haven are expected.

A. C. Pifer, James Shorter and George Freeman are the committee in charge.

Bicycle Ordinance.

On Monday evening, at council, an ordinance was passed relative to bicycle riding. Hereafter all riders will be compelled to carry a bell or whistle, give signals at crossings, keep off side walks, and observe established road laws. For violation of ordinance a penalty of from \$2 to \$5 will be enforced and the policemen are directed to carry this into effect. The ordinance will go into effect in a short time.

The Logan Picnic.

Labor day, Sep. 1st, has been chosen by the Logan Fire company, of Bellefonte, as the time for holding its annual picnic at Hunter's park. An up-to-date program is being prepared for the occasion.

Epworth League Festival.

The Pleasant Gap chapter of Epworth League will hold a festival on Saturday evening, July 24th, to which everybody is cordially invited.

IN THE COURT HOUSE

Legal Intelligence Gathered from Various Offices.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Piercol O'Bryan, College Twp. Susan Decker, " "

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

To W. S. Harter, Esq., upon the estate of Abraham Zimmerman, dec'd, late of State College boro.

To G. G. Ammerman upon the estate of Eliza Zimmerman, dec'd, late of Huston Twp.

To P. W. Barket upon the estate of Hannah Glenn, late of Ferguson Twp.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

L. V. Gray et ux to Robt. Loyd, June 6, 1896; for lot of ground in Rush Twp; for \$1 etc.

Eleanor Casanova et al to W. D. Crosby, Oct. 30, 1890; for lots in Phillipsburg boro; for \$1 etc.

W. D. Crosby et ux to J. N. Cassanova, Oct. 30, 1890; for lots in Phillipsburg boro; for \$1 etc.

Silas R. Thompson et ux to John T. McCullough, June 29, 1897; for lot of ground in South Phillipsburg; for \$600.

C. H. Foster et ux to Nannie J. Shaw, April 1, 1897; for lot of ground in State College boro; for \$150.

Baltimore B. & L. association to Thomas Byron, June 15, 1897; for lot of ground in South Phillipsburg; for \$386.10.

Moses Thompson et ux to Sadie T. Stephens, Oct. 16, 1884; for tract of land in College Twp.; for \$580.

Anna T. Jeanes to Ed. K. Rhoads et al, July 14, 1897; for tract of land in Snow Shoe; for \$1 etc.

Arrested for Forgery.

On Saturday, July 10th, a man came into Lyon & Co's store, at this place, and purchased about \$12 worth of children's clothing and other goods. In payment he tendered a check for \$23 payable to the order of Geo. R. Long, and signed by Wm. Irvin. The check was endorsed by Geo. R. Long, As Mr. Irvin, of Marion township, is known as a substantial citizen by this firm no questions were asked and the stranger received \$11 in change and departed. When the check was taken to the Centre County Bank, they at once saw that the signature of Mr. Irvin was evidently put there by some other individual, and likely a forgery.

Lyon & Co. at once began inquiry for the man by the name of Geo. R. Long, but no one knew anything of such a person. J. Marks, a salesman, insisted that he would be able to recognize the man if seen anywhere. After considerable inquiry they concluded that the man who passed the bogus check resided at Cedar Springs, in Clinton county. On Friday Mr. Hames and Mr. Marks, both employees of Lyon & Co., proceeded to that place. They called on David Beightol, a tenant farmer, pretending to buy wool. Sure enough, Marks recognized his man and they at once informed him that his check to Lyon & Co. was no good. Beightol did not deny it, but claimed that he had secured it from Geo. R. Long, who must be at fault. The men telegraphed to Bellefonte for an officer and Capt. Montgomery proceeded at once to that place with a warrant and brought Beightol to Bellefonte. He was given a hearing before Justice Keichline and committed to jail, for trial at August court.

Since then Mr. J. W. Beck, of Jacksonville, appeared and furnished bail for the man's release. Beightol is a poor tenant farmer and has a large family. He said he could not pay the money back as he had spent the entire amount to buy clothing and supplies for the family.

The Largest Mortgage.

The largest mortgage on record in Centre County was filed with the recorder here, on July 7th, and has just been transcribed by deputy recorder Dukeman. It is a mortgage for \$100,000,000 given by the New York Central and Hudson River railroad company in favor of the Central trust company of New York. It required five full days to transcribe it and Recorder Harper's fee for the work will be \$33. It was necessary to record the mortgage in this county because the N. Y. Central is the lessee of the Beech Creek system which operates through Centre county.

Hotel Improvements.

The carpenters and bricklayers are busily engaged on the addition to Haag's Hotel. Another story is being put on the building by sections. Mr. Wallace, of Milesburg, is directing the brickwork and Messrs Fox and Kerstetter the carpentering. If favorable weather prevails during the entire week they will have most of the work finished. While these improvements are being made, Landlord Keller is hustling about entertaining his guests.

Modern Pills.

The day of powerful drastic pills is past and everyone who is troubled with torpidity of the liver, constipation, headache or indigestion may well be thankful that it is. Every modern family medicine chest should contain a supply of Hood's Pills, the modern cathartic. While gentle and mild in action, they are thoroughly efficient and cure biliousness, indigestion, sick headache and other troubles due to a deranged condition of the stomach, liver or bowels.

To-Day is the Day MUST BE SOLD.

If you Value Money Don't Fail to visit the Great Manufacturers' Clothing Sale

which is now going on in the large store room on ALLEGHENY ST., BELLEFONTE, PENN'A, between High and Bishop Sts., and between Krumrine's drug store and Lyon's meat market.

\$47,000 stock of fine tailor made clothing for men, boys and children. All made expressly for this Spring and Summer, to be sold at retail at less than half the cost of manufacture.

This is the stock of Nathan Stern & Co., the large wholesale clothing manufacturers, of 56 W. Baltimore St., Baltimore, Md., who have pursued their usual custom of manufacturing a large and varied stock of Spring and Summer suits, overcoats and pants, for men, boys and children. The stock is completely made up and only two-thirds of it is sold. The salesmen were all over the United States during October, November and December supplying the needs of the retailers. Thus two-thirds of the stock was disposed of. Since then the salesmen have been discharged, the branch offices in New York, Milwaukee, Chicago and Detroit have been closed and the remaining third of the stock amounting to \$47,000, is being offered to the public and will be sold here within ten days without regard to cost or value. It's cash they want and cash they must have, no matter how great the slaughter.

This house is known throughout the country for its high standard of tailor made clothing adapted only for the best trade. The stock consists of thousands of tailor made suits and overcoats for men; thousands of tailor made suits and overcoats for boys; thousands of tailor made suits and overcoats for children; thousands of tailor made pantaloons for men and boys. All made up expressly for this season's trade. No old stock but all strictly this season's production.

Recollect, sale commences Thurs., July 22d, 1897, at 9 a. m., and ends Saturday, July 31st. Allegheny St., between High and Bishop Sts., and between Krumrine's drug store and Lyon's meat market.

NOTE.—This building has been leased for ten days. No goods sold or any one allowed on the premises until date of sale. This sale will positively last but ten days. No more. No less.

Positively no misrepresentations will be permitted, and all sales made satisfactory to the purchasers.

In order to show what gigantic bargains will be offered, a few prices are here mentioned, and remember that there are 5,000 different bargains that we cannot mention here. We have no auction—all goods at private sale. Study the price list, bring it with, and come expecting more for your money than you ever got before. What speaks better than prices? 3,000 children's wash suits, sizes 3 to 8, regular price \$1.00, now 29 cents.

MEN'S SUIT DEPARTMENT.

Our Price.

Union cassimere single and double breasted, regular price, \$9.00..... \$2.98

Good substantial wear giving business suit, regular price \$14.00..... 3.65

Elegant chevrot suits, black and mixed colors, sacks, round and square cut, regular price \$16.50..... 5.35

Regulation heavy G. A. R. suit, regular price \$18.00..... 5.75

Corkscrew, diagonal and fancy mixed worsted, sacks and cutaways regular price \$18.00 and \$20.00..... 7.30

Blue and black pilot beaver and fine whip cord suits, regular price \$23.00..... 8.30

Fine clay worsted and tibets, regular price \$28.00..... 9.60

Evening suits of the very finest materials and custom made, regular price \$18 to \$37..... 6.85 to 13.75

MEN'S PANTS DEPARTMENT.

Our Price.

Men's good working pants, regular price \$1.50..... \$ .47

Worsted pants, regular price regular price \$2.50 and \$3.00..... 1.23

Cheviot and cassimere pants regular price \$3.50..... 1.48

Men's fine dress pants, regular price \$4 to \$8..... \$1 to 3.40

YOUTH'S SUITS.

Our Price.

Youth's cassimere and worsted suits, regular price \$5..... \$1.90

Youth's extra fine dress suits in chevrots, fine worsted and fancy cassimeres, regular price \$7.00 and \$18.00..... 2.50 to 6.30

5000 pairs boys' knee pants, sizes 3 to 14 years..... 17c.

CHILDREN'S SUITS.

All the new and nobby patterns, single and double breasted.

Good school suit, regular price \$2.00..... \$ .87

Nobby dress suit, regular price, \$3.00..... 1.12

Fine dress suits in fancy cassimeres and worsted, regular price, \$4.00 to \$9.50..... .85 to 3.25

This clothing house also had a very successful custom department, and accumulated a few elegant suits returned for one cause or another. If you can be fitted you can secure a fine suit at less than cost of material alone. The stock includes

a great many extra size garments. Stout men can be suited at boy prices.

Make no mistake. Keep your eye on the yellow sign. And be sure you are at the right place, as we are in dead earnest about giving you goods at less than one-half their actual cost. Come yourself and tell all your friends. Mothers will do well to come early and avoid the rush. This is a bona fide slaughter sale. To accommodate everybody store will remain open until 9 p. m.; Saturday until 11 p. m. Car fare paid to out of town purchasers. N. B.—Merchants sold only in the forenoon and for cash. Remember we have no branch store in this city.

Constipation

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. See All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The Only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Bellefonte Markets.

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

Apples, dried, per pound..... 08

Cherries, dried, per pound, seeded..... 08

Beans, per quart..... 05

Onions, per bushel..... 12

Butter, per pound..... 05

Tallow, per pound..... 10

Country shoulders..... 03

" Sides..... 07

Hams..... 12

Hams sugar cured..... 12

Breakfast Bacon..... 10

Lard, per pound..... 06

Eggs per dozen..... 12

Potatoes new per bushel..... \$1.00

Dried Sweet Corn per pound..... 10

(GRAIN corrected weekly by Geo. W. Jackson & Co.)

Red wheat, per bushel..... 75

Rye, per bushel..... 30

Corn, ears per bushel..... 15

Corn, shelled per bushel..... 30

Oats—new per bushel..... 25

Barley, per bushel..... 20

Buckwheat, per bushel..... 25

Groundplaster, per ton..... \$9.00

Chester Markets.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE (as corrected by Luther Guiseville.)

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