

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 Scene Saw Worthy of Mention - A Week's Local News in a Few Words.

Last Wednesday the County Commissioners paid out \$1,767.78 for election expenses.

The charity ball, given last week by the young ladies, netted about \$125, which will be judiciously distributed.

James McClure is handling a fine line of bicycles this coming season. They can be seen anytime at his shop, on Bishop street.

Hon. J. P. Gephart returned on Monday from an extended visit to Loganton. He is looking well and enjoying good health.

Dale Musser left on Monday for New York, where he expects to get a position on a boat that will cruise on the western coast.

Jos. Mitchell, son of Isaac Mitchell, left for Lewistown, last week, where he has accepted a position with the Standard Steel Works Company.

The report comes from Philipsburg that the wife of the Hon. Philip Womelsdorf is dangerously ill, and little hope is entertained for her recovery.

The Misses Myra and Emma Holliday left last week for Pittsburg where they will spend the next month, visiting their uncle Jack McClelland.

The Military ball, given on last Thursday evening in the armory, was very largely attended and everything was successfully managed.

Services at the Reformed church Sunday morning and evening, and at Zion in the afternoon. Rev. Bickie, the newly elected pastor, will officiate.

S. D. Gettig, Esq., has his official seal and commission as a Notary Public and can be found at any time in the office of Orvis Bower & Orvis, in Eagle Block.

Mr. Chas. Royer, of Zion, representing the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company, left one of that company's elegantly engraved calendars with us on Saturday.

Mrs. E. J. Cessna, widow of the late Hon. John Cessna, of Bedford, Pa., is in Bellefonte visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gearhart, wife of Rev. R. L. Gearhart, D. D., who is very ill.

A second class feather-weight prize fight was one of the incidents on last Saturday evening. It is said that the aggressor was duly satisfied with the punishment received.

Mr. Wm. H. Grove, of Coburn, one Penn township's stalwart men transacted business in Bellefonte, on Monday. He has been appointed administrator of the estate of W. H. Neese, deceased.

Mr. Wm. Hillibush has been engaged for some time in putting up engines and boilers for the contractors who are widening the railroad and tunnel on the Penn. R. R., beyond Altoona.

Mr. J. I. Lucas, of Snow Shoe, who has been one of the Democrat's constant readers for many years called on Monday. He reports the coal business brisk in that community at present. That is good news.

The formal transfer, of donated land, was made by the citizens of Mill Hall to the Clinton county fire brick works. It is part of a consideration through which Mill Hall hopes to secure an extensive new industry.

H. W. Shaffer, for several years a book keeper in Van Dyke's hardware store in Lock Haven, has accepted a position as traveling salesman in the wholesale department of Jas. Harris & Co's., hardware in this place.

The Undine Band has been urged by many of our citizens to repeat their entertainment given in the opera house and contribute the proceeds for charity.

Their former effort was highly appreciated and would certainly attract a large audience if repeated at a popular price for admission. Manager Garman has consented to furnish the opera house free of charge for such a purpose.

Last Friday evening over forty members of the Independent Order of Heptasophs enjoyed a banquet at Ceadler's parlors. Hammond Sechler presided as toast master and there were some spicy responses by Messrs J. H. Gross, W. A. Ishler, H. H. Harshbarger, Frank Nagney, Chas. F. Cooke, J. McCarger, W. R. Brachbill, A. Brockerhoff, Joseph Wise, R. H. Thomas, George L. Potter, A. C. Mingle, William Storm and Captain Fry, of Pine Grove.

The People's Popular Course truly furnished our people, during the past season, with a delightful and pleasing course of entertainments, that were appreciated. This is the first course established here for some years. And the attractions were all of a refined order, far above the average blood and thunder border dramas that only appeal to the baser instincts. It is to be hoped that another course will be established next season and, even if of a still higher grade, they would be liberally patronized.

Remember Dr. Colfelt's lecture on Friday evening.

An expedition will soon leave Bellefonte for the Alaska gold fields.

On Tuesday the High school observed Washington's Birthday by appropriate exercises.

Miss Bertha Denning, of Philipsburg, is a guest at the home of Register G. W. Rumberger, on Bishop street.

William Potter, who has been attending an art school in Philadelphia, is visiting his parents at Milesburg.

Messrs. Wm. and Peter Mayes, two prominent citizens of Walker township, paid us a short call on Wednesday.

Mrs. Gearhart, wife of Rev. R. L. Gearhart is very ill, at her home. This place. Her condition is very serious.

Mrs. Walter Crosthwhite, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Johnson, on Bishop street.

Rev. T. Amsley Stevenson, of Corry, Pa., has been secured to officiate in the Episcopal church, at this place, during the next season.

Morris Trone is rapidly improving from his serious attack of typhoid fever and expects to be able to be about in a week's time.

F. E. Nagney, the furniture dealer, is moving his stock into his new location on Allegheny street. He is also receiving a large quantity of new goods.

Mrs. W. C. Showers, of east Curtin street, left Monday for Philadelphia, where she will enter the Presbyterian hospital to undergo an operation for tumor.

Be sure and read the article on page 3 of this issue "Bryan on Mexico." It appeared in several city daily papers some weeks ago and we think very few of our readers saw it. It is worth careful study.

On Wednesday evening a special train was run to State College, for the benefit of persons in Bellefonte, who desired to attend the reception given to Dr. Atherton, upon his return from his trip abroad where he spent the past year.

The Gazette promises another load of "Hot Stuff" this week. No doubt everything in sight will be despatched. The suspense, to know our fate, is awful. So that if the Centre Democrat should suspend publication, our readers will know what has happened.

A party of young men from Coleville are preparing to take a trip to the Klondike region for gold. Among them we hear the names of Wm. Poorman, James Rote and others. They expect to leave here March 7th, for Seattle and take the overland route from there.

On Wednesday evening the Odd Fellows of Bellefonte celebrated their 53rd anniversary by inviting their lady friends and others to their lodge rooms. On such an occasion an elaborate banquet only would be appropriate, and at least a hundred and twenty-five, partook of the feast furnished by caterer B. C. Achenbach. It truly was a beautiful sight in their spacious and elegantly furnished rooms filled with long banquet tables, decorated and loaded with choice fruits, toothsome dishes and viands—all surrounded by the sturdy members of the order and their lady friends and guests.

J. C. Meyer presided as toast master, in elegant style. Responses were made as follows: "Come to Order"—Wm. J. Conley; "The Day we Celebrate"—W. Harrison Walker; "First Impression of Odd Fellowship"—H. S. Taylor; "The Agitator"—F. E. Nagney; "How to Get Even"—J. S. McCarger; "New Fields of Glory"—Chas. P. Hewes; "What our Women want to Know"—James Schofield; "The Press"—T. H. Harter; "The Educational Feature"—D. O. Eiters. As the hands of the clock were pointing close to the hour of midnight toastmaster Meyer called upon the audience to join in the last exercise, singing Bobby Burns' favorite lines "Auld Lang Syne."

Who Wants a Bird Book? Clearfield Republican: A citizen of Decatur township writes to us as follows: Dear Sir: I got a "bird book" from one of our legislators three years ago and I would now like to exchange it for a sack of flour and a shoulder of pork. The legislator said in 1894 and again in 1896 that if his party was successful times would get good, work plenty and wages high. I've waited ever since for his prophecy to come true, as also have my wife and seven youngsters. We are now about starved out and have nothing left to trade for food except the "bird book" and a picture of McKinley opening the mills, neither of which is legal tender at our pluck me stores. Can you send a man willing to deal? HUNGRY MINER

Collected no Taxes. Curtin township, Centre county, is in a deplorable condition, owing to the fact that there have been no taxes collected for 1897. The tax collector elected last spring declined to serve. The court appointed one, who also refused to serve, and no one could be found willing to give bond for the collection of taxes.

L. C. Wetzel says the groundhog missed it this spring, but the bicycle rider won't be coming to him for bicycle repairs and sundries.

IN THE COURT HOUSE

Legal Intelligence Gathered from Various Offices.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. John D. Sayers - Curtin; Mary Walker - Milesburg; Harry H. Evey - Lemont; Anna Musser - Warriors Mark; Clayton D. Weaver - Wolfs Store; Lizzie Hosterman - Milesburg; Robert D. Norie - Renovo; Sarah E. Hanley - Milesburg; Alexander Cowher - Port Matilda; Sadie E. Macready - Tyrone.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Henry Crain et al, to Eliza Lewis, dated Sept. 2, 1897; tract of land in Taylor Twp. \$50.

R. M. Foster et ux, to John A. H. Grimm, dated May 5, 1895; for lot of ground in College Twp. \$3300.

Nancy J. Clark et al, to Julia Curtin, dated Nov. 16, 1896; for lot of ground in Bellefonte boro. \$1000.

John Vonada et ux, to Abbie Vonada, dated March 12, 1886; for lot of ground in Haines Twp. \$80.

J. H. Musser's heirs, to D. P. Bowersox, dated March 14, 1896; water right. \$80.

Levi Long et ux to Henry Showers, dated Jan. 11, 1895; for tract of land in Gregg Twp. \$600.

C. T. Musser, to D. F. Bowersox, dated Oct. 12, 1897; for lot of ground in Haines Twp. \$900.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION. To D. C. Hall upon the estate of Thomas Taylor, dec'd, late of Benner township.

To Susanna Herman and Wm. Lytle, upon the estate of John Lytle, dec'd, late of College township.

To Adam Krumrine upon the estate of Christina Krumrine, dec'd, late of State College.

To Budd Thompson, Dr. J. A. Thompson and Alexander Cheney, upon the estate of John I. Thompson, dec'd, late of Worth township.

To John A. Stephens upon the estate of Kezia Stephens, dec'd, late of Worth township.

To Henry M. Dunning upon the estate of Henry Dunning, dec'd, late of Worth township.

To Ambrose B. Holter and E. E. Holter, upon the estate of Benjamin F. Holter, dec'd, late of Howard boro.

To N. B. Spangler, Esq., upon the estate of Uriah D. Oisman, dec'd, late of Potter township.

To Wm. H. Grove upon the estate of Wm. Neese, dec'd late of Penn Twp.

To A. R. Alexander upon the estate of John Long, dec'd, late of Penn Twp.

Pastor Elected. The election for pastor, held by the Reformed people of Bellefonte, resulted in the almost unanimous selection of T. Levan Bickie, of Reading, Pa. Mr. Bickie supplied the pulpit during the holiday season, and while yet a young man he made a favorable impression that his election to the pastorate followed as a matter of course. A call will be forwarded in a short time, and it is hoped that he will accept it. He will fill the pulpit next Sunday morning and evening, and will also preach at Zion in the afternoon.

Wm. Shortidge Funeral. The funeral of the late Wm. Shortidge was largely attended on last Friday. Dr. Laurie officiated at the Presbyterian church, and many friends were present from a distance. During the funeral the business places in Bellefonte were closed. The pall bearers were J. C. Meyer, Roy, Will, J. Newell and Edward C. McCalmont, Irwin Holmes, John M. Hartwick and John H. Woomer.

Will Pay No More Bounty. During the month of February, up to and including Saturday, the 19th, the Clinton county commissioners paid out as bounty on noxious animals \$59.75. Judge Olmstead, of McKean county, has decided that the act for the payment of these bounties is unconstitutional, consequently the commissioners of Clinton county will pay no more bounties.

Tyrone Miss' Head Burned. At Tyrone last week Miss Nellie Etnier, while suffering from neuralgia, crept closely to the stove to heat her face. While sitting in the chair her celluloid combs caught fire and before they could be removed the flames communicated to the young lady's hair, burning her head painfully.

Chicken and Waffle Supper. The Ladies' Aid Society, of the United Brethren church, of this place, will hold a chicken and waffle supper on Saturday evening, February 26th, at the residence of David Bartlett, on Thomas street. All are cordially invited to come and help a good cause along.

Nittany Valley Item. John Homes, Sr., of Walker, has purchased the Snavely farm, for \$5,800. This is one of the most productive and richest mineral farms in the valley. John Snavely had been offered \$28,000, for this property during the sixties and refused the offer.

Approaching Wedding. The marriage of Dr. J. F. Alexander, of Centre Hill, and Miss Lillian Allison, of Potters Mills, will take place on Wednesday, March 2nd, at the home of the bride-elect. The wedding will be private, only the immediate families being invited.

THE WRONG COONS.

On Monday a suspicious looking gang of six negroes were arrested at Mahaffey, by the authorities on suspicion of being the parties who were implicated in the hold-up at Kohlbecker's hotel, at Milesburg, last week. They were taken to the Clearfield county jail for safe keeping. On Tuesday Sheriff Cronister, accompanied by landlord Kohlbecker, went to Clearfield in the hope of finding the right parties and it all depended upon Mr. Kohlbecker identifying them.

An inspection of the gang at once settled the matter. "All coons may look alike," but these were a far different looking set, of heavier build and strength, and one was a former Centre county lad, James Delige, who was at once recognized by Mr. Kohlbecker and was not one of the highwaymen.

The Mouth. A boy was made to write an essay on the mouth by his teacher for some infraction of the school rules, and this is what he said. "Your mouth is the front door to the face; it is the aperture to the cold storage of your anatomy. Some mouths look like peaches and cream, and some look like a hole in a brick wall to admit a new door or window. The mouth is a hot-bed for toothache, and the bung hole of oratory. It is the crimson aisle to our liver. It is patriotism's fountain and the tool chest for pie. Without a mouth the politician would be a wanderer on the face of the earth and go down in an unhonored grave. It is the grocer's friend, the orator's pride and the dentist's hope. It puts some men on the rostrum and some in jail. It is temptation's lunch counter when attached to a maiden, and tobacco's friend when attached to a man. Without it married life would be like a summer dream and a dude would lose half his attraction."

Sam Small on Newspapers. The Rev. Sam Small knows something about the good newspapers do and is disposed to give them credit for it. He is fearless and says just what he thinks, no matter whose corns may be pinched. He recently had some remarks to make about newspaper sensation as follows: "I have been a newspaper man twelve years, and if I wanted to get a right square judgment I'd rather go into a newspaper office than a court of justice. No man whose life is pure and just is afraid of all the newspaper presses in America. They are the best detective force in the country to-day. They have punctured more shams, and so far as I am concerned I say take the bristles off and let 'em go. The only one that will be hurt will be the shams and frauds. And if you think the newspaper prints too much of a sensational kind don't you read it, and they will quit printing it. The papers need to be reformed but the people have got to be reformed first. Newspapers are printed for money and to suit the patrons. If you don't think they are run on a moral platform like Mr. Barnum's circus, why just reform yourselves and the newspapers will follow suit."

WASHINGTON AND BALTIMORE. To afford an opportunity to visit the city while Congress is in session, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged for a series of low-rate-ten-day excursions to the National Capitol, to leave Pittsburgh February 17, March 17, April 14, and May 12.

Altoona.....11.40 A. M. \$5 35  
Bellefonte.....11.42 " 7 35  
Bellefonte.....9.53 " 7 25  
Clearfield.....9.31 " 7 25  
Philipsburg.....10.12 " 7 25  
Osceola.....10.23 " 7 25  
Tyrone.....12.03 " 7 25

For full information apply to agents or Thomas E. Watt, Passenger Agent Western District, Fifth Avenue and Smithfield street, Pittsburgh.

A Woman Law Student. Legal conservatism in Blair county was shaken recently when Judge Bell enlarged the rules of court to permit the registration of female law students. Miss Mary Bracken, daughter of ex-Burgess Bracken, of Holidaysburg, is the first of her sex to begin the study of law in that county.

THE DEMOCRACY is opposed to government by injunction, because they believe in the right of trial by jury. Where persons are enjoined by injunction, the case is heard by the judge only, and the defendants adjudged guilty of the charges without the intervention of a jury. Under this constitution, every citizen of this country is guaranteed the right of trial by jury. Government by injunction is extra constitutional and undemocratic. This is why the democracy is opposed to government by injunction.

Honesty and Virtue. There is more honesty and virtue contained in a bottle of Salvation Oil, than in any other liniment known. "Mrs. A. Fiedler, 2861 Palmetto St., Philadelphia, Pa., confirms this truth: She found Salvation Oil to be an excellent remedy for rheumatism, stiff joints, bruises, etc., and thinks it should always be kept in the house." Don't listen to the dealer's arguments in favor of a substitute. Insist on getting Salvation Oil, it costs only 25 cts.

The Homeliest Man in Bellefonte as well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on any druggist and get a free trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs, a remedy that is guaranteed to cure and relieve all chronic and acute coughs, asthma, bronchitis and consumption. Price 25 and 50 cents.

MILESBERG.

Harry Smith, of Allegheny City arrived home recently for a visit.

Wm. Mitchell, of Lancaster, is at home visiting his aged parents, J. D. Mitchell and wife.

Dr. H. S. Brauchet is now father, his wife having presented him with a young son on Thursday, the 17th.

George Carson died on Sunday morning and will be buried at Roland on Tuesday, the funeral to take place at 10 a. m.

Wm. Potter, son of John Potter, arrived home on Saturday from Philadelphia where he has been attending an art school. He looks well.

The Asaph vocal musical company gave a concert in the City hall on Saturday night to a fair audience considering the inclement weather.

On Sunday night twenty-seven persons joined the Methodist church on probation. Thirty-eight have been converted since the meetings started.

A. C. Blowers, of Osceola, was in the burg recently bidding his friends goodbye. Wednesday of last week he, accompanied by several other gentlemen, started for the Klondike regions.

Rev. Hiney will hold his next quarterly meeting at Unionville on Saturday, February 26, at 2 o'clock sharp. The Elder, Rev. Stapleton, will preach at Pleasant Hill on that day and in the evening at Unionville.

At the 4 o'clock prayer meeting 111 gentlemen were present. The meeting was held specially for the gentlemen and the object is to work upon the fathers and sons. A great interest is being taken in these meetings.

George Shipley and Ada Peters, both of Unionville, were married at the M. E. parsonage on Feb. 16 by Rev. Geo. E. King. Edward Berstine, of Bellefonte, and Anna Barger, of Roland, were also married at the same time and place and by the same minister.

On Friday evening, Feb. 11th, Mrs. John C. Wagner, of Central City, gave a party at her home in honor of several young lady visitors in Milesburg. Refreshments were served and a delightful time was had generally. Among the guests present were Miss Holloway, of Salona, Miss Elizabeth Brugger, of Unionville, Miss Carrie DeLong, of Eagleville, and Miss Sallie Lucas, of Howard.

L. C. Wetzel has bought out the business of A. L. Sheffer and will sell off his stock of bicycles, at prices that will open your eyes.

ZION. J. W. Eby shipped a car of wheat from this place, Wednesday.

Harry Johnston, of Salona, spent a few days at this place last week, visiting his parents.

A rumor is very much like a snat. It may be laid at any man's door.

The convention in progress; at this place, promises to be a grand success.

Our barber attended the ball at the Armory last Thursday evening, and reports a pleasant time.

Clarence Garbrick has a new name for his house. If you want to know what it is, ask Edna and Minnie.

The constable who stole the old gray mare on the night of the election, had better return the animal to the owner or he may get into difficulty. J. P. you must have been very much excited over the results of the election, when you didn't know your own horse.

The CENTRE DEMOCRAT and Pittsburg W. Post for \$1.50 a year.

SPRING MILLS No. 2. The saw mills seem to be idle on the south side this week.

Sol Lingle and wife were visiting at Linden Hall over Sunday.

Likely the creek roads, north and south from Spring Mills, will get a dose this year.

The Locust Grove Sunday school is prospering in attendance and seems to be very interesting.

Since the election some of our people feel happy, some sad, some left; some say that the creamery man, G. was very sick; some say the stone crusher would not work. How is it, Andy?

The spelling bee was well attended last week, at the Decker school. Good order prevailed inside, but some boys got noisy on the out side before it was all over. Jim, last de buva net fecht.

HOWARD. Mr. E. C. Dietz is at present shut in from the public, with scarlet fever.

The election, held at this place, was usually large. There were 150 votes polled in the township this spring, two voted with horizontal lines in place of an X.

Last Friday night the people of this place, witnessed a fight. The Robison boys, from Marsh Creek, came to town for a load of saw dust and before they left the town they became excited and wanted to fight every one in the town. Before they left they both got what they wanted. They ran against Clyde Long and Norman Lighthammer. They received the same treatment once previous to this, at Curtin's. This shows they are of a quarrelsome nature.

The CENTRE DEMOCRAT and the Cincinnati Inquirer for \$1.50 a year.

Wanted:—One general agent for Bellefonte to sell grapes containing castor-oil, Jamaica ginger, etc. Tastless and easy to swallow. Money for the right man or woman. Grape Medicine Co., 57 West 28th St., New York.

Cabinets 99 cents per half dozen, at Shaeffer's. For a short time only.

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ZOLA FOUND GUILTY.

Emil Zola, on trial for defaming the chiefs of the French army in connection with the imprisonment of Dreyfus for treason, was found guilty in Paris on Wednesday.

M. Perreux, manager of the Aurore, jointly tried with M. Zola, was also found guilty, both without extenuating circumstances. The court sentenced M. Zola to twelve months' imprisonment, and to pay a fine of 3000 francs. M. Perreux was sentenced to four months' imprisonment and 3000 francs fine.

M. Zola on hearing the verdict cried: "They are cannibals."

The Latest War News. Thursday morning papers contain no definite information. Rumors of an uncertain nature of course are plenty. The report that Counsel General Lee was on his way to Washington with important documents proves untrue. Great activity continues in all the naval departments. The White squadron is assembling at Key West, to be prepared for an emergency.

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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..... 07  
Onions, per bushel..... 50  
Butter, per pound..... 18  
Tallow, per pound..... 03  
Country Shoulders..... 10  
Sides..... 07  
Hams..... 12  
Hams sugar cured..... 13  
Breakfast Bacon..... 10  
Lard, per pound..... 05  
Eggs per dozen..... 18  
Potatoes new per bushel..... 06  
Dried Sweet-Corn per pound..... 04

(GRAIN corrected weekly by Gerberich Hale & Co., Bellefonte, Pa.)  
Red wheat, new per bushel..... 92  
Rye, per bushel..... 35  
Corn, ears per bushel..... 25  
Corn, shelled per bushel..... 35  
Oats—new per bushel..... 25  
Barley, per bushel..... 30

MOORE'S SHOES ARE NECESSARY

In bad weather. To do without them is to defy consequences, and that's neither wise nor prudent. Our storm shoes are an absolute protection to the feet, and those who wear them can smile at the down-pour, knowing that they're safe from harm. The cost is nothing compared with the benefit they confer. One pair will repay you the amount of the purchase money many times over. Don't neglect the advantage of storm-shoe protection, but be always prepared. Ice creepers for on rubber—a great success—have been tried and found to do the work.

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