

**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.

—John Bower is home on a brief vacation from college.

—Judge Love has his neck bundled up on account of an ugly boil.

—Editor Claud Jones and family, of Tyrone, Sundayed in Bellefonte.

—J. D. Nearhood, the lumberman of Rock Springs, Pa., was in town on Tuesday.

—There has been an abundance of rain this spring and vegetation is showing the benefit of the same.

—A small audience listened to an inferior production of Faust, in the opera house, on Monday evening.

—Mrs. George W. Jackson departed last week for Oakland, Md., for a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. George T. Brew.

—H. P. Robb, who had been teaching school near Johnsonburg, the past season, spent Saturday in town and paid us a short visit.

—The Prohibition State Convention will meet at Harrisburg this Thursday. Centre county will have at least twelve delegates present.

—Mrs. Margaret Wilson, Miss Mary Hunter Linn and Miss Blanche Hayes will leave soon for Boston on a pleasure trip of two weeks.

—Rev. D. L. Jones, the Presbyterian minister of this place, was appointed chaplain of the 8th regiment and will report for duty at once.

—Sheriff Cronister took James Bechtol, of Howard, to the Danville asylum Friday morning. They left on the 6.30 train, via Lewisburg.

—Wm. Kurtz, the book store man, has recovered sufficiently from his attack of typhoid fever while in Philadelphia, to return home this week.

—Edward Harris, son of John P. Harris, and who is studying medicine in one of the large medical colleges at Philadelphia, is visiting his parents in this place.

—Miss Newbaker, the organist at the Presbyterian church, is much appreciated. She handles the large pipe organ in a manner that does not fail to please.

—Dr. R. Leighton Gerhart has rented the Reynolds' house, on Spring street, formerly occupied by Wm. T. Meyer, and his family will reside here while he preaches at his different stations.

—The interment of Crawford Switzer, who was killed last Thursday near Hunter's Park, by the train, occurred in the Union cemetery on Friday morning. The members of the Post had it in charge.

—The Undine boys are figuring around for holding their annual 4th of July picnic, at Hecla Park, this summer. They will have a number of fine attractions and the programme will include many new features.

—The Brockerhoff House will soon make some decided improvements about the interior of their office. A new metal ceiling will be one of the attractive features, and they may whitewash their popular porter. This last is only rumor.

—Miss Phoebe Hoover, of Philipsburg, a young woman who was once a public school teacher in that place, will leave for the Klondyke on the 25th. Klondyke and the occupation as army nurses is taking many of our young ladies out of the country.

—Dr. O. W. McIntire, of Howard, called on Monday to humor the editor and advance his subscription. Some years ago it was our opportunity to attend school with the Dr. and he still seems to be the same jovial good fellow. In addition to the duties of a practicing physician, he conducts a drug store in Howard.

—Last Friday the students of the Bellefonte High School sent a donation to Company B at Mt. Gretna. It consisted of a choice lot of delicacies that are not found on the usual bill of fare at the mess tent. There were all kinds of dainties and toothsome articles in it, and it no doubt was highly relished. This was very considerate and thoughtful of our young people. The box was sent through by express so as to reach them in time.

—Members of the legislature are commonly held to be among the most enlightened and keen witted men in their several communities. That is why they are sent to make laws for us. Occasionally one turns up who is not as "well up" in book learning as he might be, or ought to be. Such was the case with one of the wise men in the Florida legislature the other day. A bill for the extermination of rabid dogs was on its passage when a member arose and said that for his part he had the best rabbit dog in Florida, and any man—if it was the governor himself—who tried to kill his rabbit dog would find he had the biggest fight on his hands that he had ever got into. He sat down amid long and continuous applause.

—The "Deestrick Skule" at the opera house this coming Friday evening.

—Mrs. Jennie Pierpont, of Pittsburg, spent several days of the past week in Bellefonte.

—C. M. Parish, the druggist, spent several days at Ebensburg, during the past week.

—The Evangelical church will hold a festival in the church on Saturday evening, May 21.

—It is estimated that in less than four weeks Congressman Arnold will name Bellefonte's future postmaster. There is increased anxiety as the time approaches.

—Joseph Rachau, of Madisonburg, who was in town on Tuesday decided not to leave town until he subscribed for this paper. He reports the crops in fine condition in that valley.

—Rev. Christine, of Centre Hall, will preach in the Buffalo Run Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning, and at Jacksonville in the evening, in the absence of Rev. D. L. Jones.

—Bellefonte's new council chamber has been completely furnished and certainly is a very handsome apartment. The carpets were supplied by Joseph Bros. & Co., and the furniture by W. R. Brachbill.

—The County Commissioners recently awarded a contract to the firm of James Harris & Co. to place a new roof on the court house. It will be of tin shingles and the work is to be done as soon as possible.

—D. F. Fortney, Esq., Gen. W. F. Reeder and others will make addresses at the raising of the flag, at the Glass Works on Friday afternoon. The exercises take place between the hours of 4 and 5 o'clock.

—On Saturday the Bellefonte Academy boys played the State College town team on the campus at that place. The Bellefonte boys won by a score of 18 to 5, and did some fine work both in the field and at the bat.

—On Sunday morning the papers arrived in Bellefonte at about 10 o'clock. That is rapid work, as they were carried up from Lock Haven in about two hours by Mr. Baum. No grass grew under him along the route.

—Wheat is quoted at \$1.25 in Bellefonte. At other points in the county dealers are paying larger prices than here. Why this is, we cannot understand. Bellefonte dealers should pay as much as any others.

**Gone to Erie.**  
On Saturday afternoon Charles P. Hewes, Esq., and family departed to occupy their new home, at Erie, Pa., where they expect to make their future home and Mr. Hewes will continue his profession in the Erie county courts. As they have interests in that section and it being Mrs. Hewes' former home the change was made.

For a number of years Mr. Hewes was actively engaged as an attorney in our courts, and held a large and lucrative practice. He was an able and painstaking counselor and strong advocate, and entered into the prosecution of a case with a zeal and energy that was admirable. He possessed a legal mind and readily grasped the legal status of a case. Mr. Hewes further enjoyed the highest confidence for his integrity—possessing these many qualities we predict for him abundant success at the Erie county courts.

**Married Tuesday Morning.**  
A very pretty wedding ceremony was performed at the Catholic church on Tuesday morning in which Jacob Gross and Miss Margaret Curry, both of this place, were the interested parties and Rev. P. McArdle officiated. Harry Taylor, the groom's nephew, and Miss Bridget Curry, the bride's sister, accompanied them at the ceremony. A dainty wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, after which they took their departure for a wedding tour and upon their return will occupy the Storm residence, on Reynolds's avenue.

Mr. Gross is the proprietor of a prosperous tailoring establishment and is a young man of many sterling qualities, who truly is deserving of such an estimable bride. May the best of life be in store for them.

**A Sudden Death.**  
Tuesday morning Geo. Washington Stine, of Pleasant Gap, came to Bellefonte to get a load of lumber at Crider's lumber yard where he was suddenly taken with paralysis. The timely assistance of Foreman William Straub prevented him from falling from the wagon. He was taken to Crider's office and his brother-in-law John Bilger was sent for. Later he was removed to his home at Pleasant Gap where he lingered until 12 o'clock.

George Washington Stine was born near Pleasant Gap and was in his 44th year. He leaves a wife, Rachael Bilger Stine, and four children, namely: Ernest, of Howard; Jas. A., of Lewistown and Harry E., and Mary E., at home.

The funeral will be held this Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from the residence.

**Democratic Primaries.**  
The Democratic county primaries for the election of delegates to the county convention to place a county ticket in the field will be held on Saturday, June 11, and the county convention on the following Tuesday, June 14.

**IN THE COURT HOUSE**

**Legal Intelligence Gathered from Various Offices.**

**MARRIAGE LICENSES.**  
{ George B. Bander - Philipsburg  
{ Alice C. Meyers - " "  
{ Delray R. Young - Potter twp  
{ Lizzie Illian - " "  
{ John A. Lemon - Morrisdale  
{ Bertha Wilson - Altoona  
{ S. U. Harshberger - Port Matilda  
{ Alice C. Thompson - Stormstown  
{ J. H. Gross - Bellefonte  
{ Margaret C. Curry - " "

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.**

Eliza Hartsock to Trustees of U. B. church of Patton twp., dated May 5, 1880; for lot of ground in Patton twp. \$50.

S. M. Buck et ux et al to Frank B. Stover, dated Feb. 12, 1892; for lot of ground in Benner and Spring twp. \$150.

Francis L. Weaver et al to Frank L. Black, dated April 7, 1898; for tract of land in Ferguson twp. \$5000

John H. Krumbine et ux et al to B. H. Emerick, dated March 24, 1898; for lot of ground in Centre Hall boro. \$1000

Rachel Fravel et al to Susannah Markley, dated March 26, 1898; for lot in Snow Shoe twp. \$250.

A. C. Heaton et ux to Andrew Kachik, dated April 30, 1898 for lot of ground in Snow Shoe twp.

Hugh Adams et ux to Edward Perks, dated May 9, 1898; for lot of ground in Philipsburg boro. \$1200.

Levina P. Trczyulyn's Ex'r's, to Richard Gibbs, dated Jan. 12, 1887; for tract of land in Walker twp. \$1000.

Elizabeth Stalker et al to James Watt, dated April 4, 1868; for tract of land in Ferguson twp. \$8000.

Alice Howe et al to Joseph Jacobs, dated March 17, 1883; for lot of ground in Philipsburg boro. \$175.

Geo. W. Lyon et ux to John W. Weaver, dated April 2, 1898; for tract of land in Taylor twp. \$172.41

S. C. Stewart et ux to John W. Weaver, dated April 21, 1898; for tract of land in Taylor twp. \$327.59

Isaac Williams et ux to Anna Brown, dated Jan. 13, 1883; for lot of ground in Bellefonte boro. \$250.

**LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.**

To Dr. J. W. Dunwiddie upon the estate of Wm. A. Dunwiddie, dec'd, late of Philipsburg.

To John S. Walker, upon the estate of John Reese, dec'd, late of Spring Twp.

To D. W. Miller upon the estate of Elizabeth Eckel, dec'd, late of Ferguson Twp.

**Council Meeting.**

On Monday evening the following business was transacted:  
A four-inch water main was ordered down to the Episcopal church.

Messrs Keller, Garrity, Houser and Valentine were appointed a committee to look after any soldier's families in the community who may be in want. Any such parties in distress should report at once to them.

Complaint was made of the walks on Curtin street. New crossings were asked for at Allegheny and Howard and a sewer from same place to Spanglers.

Bills to the amount of \$423.10 were approved.

**High School Commencement.**

The annual commencement of the Bellefonte High school will take place in Garman's opera house on Thursday, June 2nd. The class is composed of the following young ladies and gentlemen: Earl Aikens, H. P. Blair, Eva Crissman, Wm. Dorworth, Ida Fauble, Lizzie Faxton, Estela Gault, Charles Gilmour, Daisy Keichline, Dorsey Knox, Maurice Otto, Samuel McClure, May Runkle, Robert Stewart and Henrietta Wright.

The annual address to graduates will be delivered in the evening by Rev. M. L. Ganoe, of Altoona, of the Methodist church.

Wednesday evening, June 1st, the Junior contest for the Reynolds prize will take place in the opera house. Those who will take part are Millie Barnhart, Ward Fleming, Orrie Kline, Mamie McGarvey, Helen Musser, Jerry Stine, Frank Schroyer, F. A. Snyder, Eulalia Williams and Helena Williams.

**Sons of Veterans.**

The veterans of Spring Mills and locality have given charge of Memorial services at Georges Valley, Union and Spring Mills into the hands of the Penns Valley camp, sons of veterans. The services will be held at Georges valley cemetery, 9 a. m. Union cemetery 1.45 p. m. and Spring Mills cemetery 6 p. m., May 30, 1898. Prominent speakers have consented to deliver addresses. Music will be furnished by the Spring Mills cornet band and drum corps. All veterans, sons of veterans secret orders and Sunday schools are requested to attend as bodies and all others will be welcomed individually to assist in the ceremonies.

**Counterfeit Nickels.**

Counterfeit nickels are troubling the residents of Sugar valley. A number of them are in circulation in that vicinity.

**HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, BILIOUSNESS, INDIGESTION, HEADACHE. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.**

—12 fine cabinets and a crayon portrait size 16x20 for only \$1.99 at Shueffer's art studio. This offer good only until June 1, '98.

**JAMES HAMILTON.**

**Death of One of The Oldest Residents of Bellefonte.**

Last Thursday evening 12th, Bellefonte lost her oldest as well as one of her most respected citizens in the death of James Hamilton.

James Hamilton was the oldest native resident of Bellefonte, being born in 1804. The home of his birth sufficed for his entire life. His early life was fraught with all the vicissitudes that characterized colonial settlers. In his boyhood days most of the present site of this "home of governors" was but a wilderness, while yet a few Indians roamed the neighboring forests. With the most meagre advantages Mr. Hamilton succeeded in fitting himself for an active and useful life. When General Philip Benner began the manufacture of iron at the old forges near here, Hamilton, then a boy, was employed as one of the packers in transporting the iron on the backs of mules to Pittsburg and the Susquehanna river. Later he drove teams loaded with iron over the same routes and his death marks the passing away of one of the first stage drivers over the old stage route from Philadelphia to Pittsburg, in which occupation he engaged a number of years—the most thrilling part of his varied existence, as is evidenced by the numerous stories he was wont to recount of hair-breadth escapes from robbers and bandits in crossing the various mountains, of startling accidents and other like happenings at a time when it required six weeks to make a journey now covered in twelve hours. Later in life Mr. Hamilton engaged in the mercantile business and succeeded in accumulating a snug fortune which was invested in real estate. Finally he engaged in agriculture, in which he continued until some twelve or fifteen years ago, when he retired from active work and enjoyed his well-merited rest. Hardly sick a day in his life Mr. Hamilton, up until last fall, personally superintended the conduct of work on his farm near here, frequently walking five and six miles a day.

Deceased is survived by five children, namely: A. V. Hamilton, Mrs. Sarah E. Satterfield, Mrs. Marilla Dawson, Mrs. S. H. Williams and Mrs. Effie McGinley. Funeral occurred Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

**Prohibition Convention.**

The members of the Prohibition party of Centre county met in convention Saturday forenoon at the drug store of F. Potts Green and held a very interesting session. The following delegates were elected to the State convention: J. Frank Wasson, Lemont; J. C. Gilliland, Oak Hall; W. A. Hartsock, Martha; William Gill, Philipsburg; Rev. Geo. W. Leisher, Boalsburg; Henry Fredericks, Boalsburg; George Noll, Milesburg; W. T. Baird, Philipsburg; Rev. John Craig, Julian.

Congressional conferees chosen were John I. Thompson, Rev. J. Zeigler and Wm. T. Gill.

Senatorial conferees: J. Frank Wasson, W. A. Hartwick and J. Zeigler.

Members of State committee, Rev. J. Zeigler and F. Potts Green.

**His Position.**

We are frequently asked whether Wm. C. Heinle, Esq., will be a candidate for Assembly. As the rumor to that effect seems to be well circulated, the gentleman was seen. He positively will not be a candidate for that office. As there are no candidates in Centre county for State Senate, Mr. Heinle announced that he would accept the instructions of the county, if tendered him, but would not make a formal canvass for the same. As there thus far has been no one to ask for this endorsement, Mr. Heinle will be likely the only one in the field. We would like to see him nominated and elected. He would ably represent this district in that body.

**Comforts For The Boys.**

The ladies of the town have inaugurated a move that will be appreciated by the members of Company B. They held a meeting in the W. C. T. U. rooms on Wednesday afternoon and it was decided to make for each a "comfort" in which will be placed a copy of the New Testament, a pair of scissors, two spools of strong thread, a number of safety pins, a small cushion containing pins and needles, two pairs of shoe laces, one package of court plaster and safety matches.

**Centre District Convention.**

The Centre District Ministerial, Sunday School and K. L. C. E. convention of the United Evangelical church, will be held in the United Evangelical church, at this place, on May 24th and 25th, 1898. There will be about forty-five delegates, ministers and teachers here, and our citizens should see to it that pleasant accommodations are provided for them and their stay in Bellefonte made a pleasant one. An elegant programme has been prepared for the occasion.

**"Deestrick Skule."**

This is a production of our schools fifty years ago in which there is some very clever scenes. It will be rendered in the opera house on Friday eve, May 20th, by the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church of this place, under the direction of Mrs. W. W. Achenbach, of Williamsport, who is highly recommended by the success attending similar renditions at other places. The admission will be 10 and 20 cents.

**LIFE CRUSHED OUT.**

**Harry Reeser Meets an Untimely End in a Field.**

When Ammon Gramley, who resides on Dr. Smith's farm, near Clintondale, walked out into one of the fields Saturday evening he met a sight which he will not soon forget. He found a boy, whom he had taken to raise, Harry Reeser by name, lying under a heavy land roller with his life crushed out. He thinks the boy had been driving the horses for about an hour after dinner. The roller was going over a gully, and the boy must have felt himself being jostled off, when he evidently yelled "Whoa" to the horses. He must have fallen under the ponderous machine, and by the time the animals stopped the roller was on top of the boy. As he could not start the horses again, the animals stood still until 5 o'clock when Mr. Gramley came out and saw the result of the accident. The body of the dead youth was taken to the farm house, prepared for burial and was shipped to the home of deceased's parent at Danville. The boy was about 10 years old.

**Death of Thomas J. Taylor.**

On last Thursday afternoon Thomas J. Taylor, one of Unionville's leading citizens passed away. The cause of his death was paralysis. He was 75 years of age last August.

Mr. Taylor was twice married, his first wife who was a Miss Homan died some years ago. His last wife was a Miss Susan Swires, of Milesburg, and she survives him with the following children: Mrs. Mary Hancock, of Runville; Mrs. Ellen McLaughlin, of Wingate; Mrs. Mattie J. Meyers, of Rebersburg; Mrs. Chas. Leathers, of Washington, D. C.; and G. W. Taylor, of Defiance, Bedford county, Pa. A daughter Susan, preceded her father to the tomb about thirty three years ago. Curtin Taylor, of Pleasant Gap, is a brother of the deceased. Mr. Taylor was a member of the Baptist church and died a firm believer in that faith. The funeral was held from his late residence on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Lower Dix Run cemetery.

**Garman's Empire House.**

Last week the editor took a jaunt to Tyrone and while there registered at Al. Garman's Empire House, and was surprised to find everything about that place in such elegant shape. The building has been thoroughly repaired, repainted outside and inside, repapered and refurnished and is as fine a hotel as one could desire. The dining room is elaborate in its furnishings while the bill of fare is becoming the comment of the traveling public. Although the place was damaged by fire it now is in better shape than ever. Any of our Centre county people who have occasion to be in Tyrone should stop at the Empire House, where they will be royally entertained.

**Flag Raising.**

Friday afternoon at about 5 o'clock a seventy-foot pole will be raised by the patriotic workmen at the Bellefonte glass works. A fine flag six by nine feet will be hoisted and an appropriate address will be delivered by some of our public speakers. The Coleville and Milesburg consolidated bands will be present to furnish music. The pole is all one piece, and was furnished by Mr. Bilger, of Pleasant Gap. The telephone employees will be on hand to look after the work of raising the pole, which is considered quite a trick.

**Box Social.**

Class No. 3, of the United Evangelical Sunday school, at Linden Hall, Pa., will hold a box social on Saturday evening, May 21st, on the lawn in front of Mrs. Keller's store. Ladies are invited to bring a box containing lunch for two. Coffee will be served free. All cordially invited.

**Suit For Damages.**

A few days ago attorney J. M. Dale filed a declaration in the Common Pleas Court of Centre county in the case of Mrs. Mary Fox against the Penn'a Railroad Company for damages in the sum of \$50,000 for the killing of her husband, Joseph Fox, who was run over by a train of shifting coal cars some months ago.

**Social at Howard.**

The Y. P. S. C. E. will hold its regular monthly social, which is held the last Saturday of each month, in Lucas Bros.' Hall, at Howard, on Saturday evening, May 28th, '98. All are invited.

**Spring Time is Here.**

So is Spring's Sarsaparilla for the Blood. Guaranteed better than the best. For sale at Kramrine's Pharmacy.

**More Applicants as Nurses.**

Loganton has three young ladies who are desirous of acting as nurses in the war, and have already offered their services. Their names are Bessie Reighard, Hattie Helier and Mary Moyer.

**No Gripe**

When you take Hood's Pills. The big, old-fashioned, sugar-coated pills, which tear you all to pieces, are not in it with Hood's. Easy to take

**Hood's Pills**

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**Scott's Emulsion**

of Cod-Liver Oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda as the standard, and the purchaser who desires to procure the "standard" because he knows it has been of untold benefit, should not for one instant think of taking the risk of using some untried preparation. The substitution of something said to be "just as good" for a standard preparation twenty-five years on the market, should not be permitted by the intelligent purchaser.



Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion. See that the man and fish are on the wrapper. 50c and \$1.00, all druggists. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

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On the day we opened we also invited the public to inspect the most complete stocks of merchandise that any new store ever set before the people on a similar occasion.

If you have not been here yet kindly consider this an invitation to come at your earliest convenience. The freedom of the store is yours.

PENN AVE. AND FIFTH ST. PITTSBURG, PA.

**Bellefonte Markets.**

PROVISIONS, GROCERIES etc.—(as corrected weekly by Bauer & Co.)	
Apples, dried, per pound	08
Cherries dried, per pound, seeded	07
Beans, per quart	06
Onions, per bushel	50
Butter, per pound	12
Tallow, per pound	10
Country Shoulders	18
" Sides	25
" HAMS	25
Hans sugar cured	12
Breakfast Bacon	10
Lard, per pound	06
Eggs, per dozen	30
Potatoes new per bushel	18
Dried Sweet Corn per pound	70
(GRAIN corrected weekly by Gerberich Hale & Co., Bellefonte, Pa.)	
Bud wheat, new per bushel	125
Rye, per bushel	40
Corn, ears per bushel	49
Corn, shelled per bushel	45
Oats—new per bushel	35
Barley, per bushel	40

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Every lady wishes to appear attractive. By using "Celery Wine"