

**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.

—Judge Love will be the Decoration Day orator in Philipsburg.

—The Hon. H. P. Glover and wife, of Mifflinburg, visited friends in Bellefonte over Sunday.

—Col. W. Fred Reynolds and family are attending the horse show in Philadelphia this week.

—W. T. Speer has the contract for making the repairs on the Presbyterian parsonage at this place.

—The ladies of the Methodist church cleared about \$100 by their "Deestrick Skule" entertainment last week.

—The high school commencement is the next entertainment and the young people are making elaborate preparations for it.

—Col. W. Fred Reynolds shipped six of his finest coach horses to Philadelphia, where he has entered them in the horse show this week.

—The Hon. Andrew Carnegie has presented the Bellefonte academy with \$500 worth of valuable reference books for the public library.

—The insurance adjusters were here last week and awarded Joseph Bros. & Co., something over \$12,000 for damage to their stock by the recent fire.

—Miss Minnie Brew has gone to Oakland, Md., to visit her brother Geo. T. Brew, who is engaged in an extensive lumber operation at that point.

—On Friday afternoon a flag will be unfurled from the cupola of the Academy building. A programme of exercises is being prepared for the occasion.

—The ladies of the Reformed church will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival in the vacant bakery room, of B. C. Achenbach, on Friday evening.

—All those schemes for taxing bachelors with a view to driving them into matrimony are wrong. More men get married now than wives can comfortably support.

—Miss May Taylor who had been acting as cashier in one of John D. Soubek's restaurants in Brooklyn, is home again enjoying the fresh air of her country home.

—On Decoration Day, next Monday, Wm. C. Heinle, Esq., will deliver the address at Stormstown; Al Dale, Esq., at Pine Grove Mills; W. Harrison Walker, at Rebersburg.

—During the past week a number of very heavy thunder showers passed over our valley. No particular damage was done to crops, except to beat down some of the wheat fields.

—Mr. Jacob Dunkle, of Hublersburg, while on his way home Monday from attending Reformed classes, at Centre Hall, stopped in to inquire in regard to the latest war news.

—Chas. Moore, of Boalsburg, who is one of Harris township's leading instructors transacted business in town on Monday and called to order the paper for some friend in the west.

—On Saturday afternoon the Bellefonte Academy boys gave the Milesburg boys a bad defeat, in a game of base ball. The score stood 20 to 6. The Academy boys are getting to be hot stuff.

—The ruins of the Phoenix Flouring Mills, recently destroyed by fire, have all been cleared away and work on the new building will soon be commenced. It will be a complete plant when finished, and of much larger capacity than formerly.

—Ex-commissioner, Geo. L. Goodhart was in town on Monday to do a bit of shopping. He takes an interest in political issues and is a more confirmed silver man than ever. From his opinion there is a growing sentiment in our county on this question.

—On Sunday Chas. Cruse drove to Lewistown junction for the Sunday papers and supplied many customers along the route in Pennsylvania. He will take this route hereafter, while Mr. Baum will drive to Lock Haven for his supply, as heretofore.

—Quite a sensation was caused in town on Sunday morning by the intelligence by wire of the destruction of the Spanish fleet, which later proved a false alarm. These war sensations are becoming entirely too numerous for anyone to place any credence in first reports.

—The Centre County Wheelmen's association was recently organized with upward of 100 members and the following officers: President, J. Harry Green, Bellefonte; vice president, W. H. Frear, State College; secretary, George T. Bush, and treasurer, Dr. R. G. H. Hayes, both of Bellefonte.

—Mr. and Mrs. John W. Beck, of Jacksonville, departed on last Friday for Nelson, Feb., where they expect to visit friends this coming summer. Mr. Beck may remain in that country in case he secures desirable employment. They had expected to leave a week earlier but Mr. Beck was suddenly taken ill, from which he soon recovered.

—Curb market is gradually picking up in attendance.

—The Democratic candidates have a little more than two weeks left to make their canvass.

—Miss Gertrude Taylor, a student of the Lock Haven Normal, returned home Monday to spend her vacation.

—Miss Jennie Stover and cousin, Miss Maud Frink, of Tyrone, are visiting their aunt at Boalsburg, this week.

—On Sunday a party of about twenty-five Bellefonte sports expect to drive to the Cave and will spend the day there.

—Wm. Mitterling and wife, of near Tusseville, spent Wednesday and Thursday in Bellefonte visiting friends and relatives.

—Two young fawns at Ben Gentzle's deer park, are quite an attraction. They were born on Tuesday. He now has six deer in the enclosure.

—The declamatory contest of the Junior class of the Bellefonte High School, will take place in the opera house on next Wednesday evening.

—Remember that the Vaudeville, the newest thing in the entertainment line, will open at Garman's next Friday afternoon, June 3rd at 3 o'clock.

THERE are a few republicans in Bellefonte who don't know when they are licked. Another good drubbing may be necessary for them to get their bearings.

—Tell your neighbor that he can get The Centre Democrat and 3-times-a-week World (making four papers a week) for \$1.65 per year. Here is a bargain, if you only know it.

—Our regular weekly letter from S. D. Gettig, Esq., with Company B, now at Chickamauga, failed to reach us in time for this issue. It may be enroute and will appear in our next issue.

—Friday evening at 7 o'clock the Logan Fire company will raise a beautiful flag in front of the public building on Howard street. A band of music will be present and some well known speakers will take part and an interesting programme is being prepared.

—Previous to the undertaking of Bellefonte amateurs, it was thought that a continuous performance show could only be made successful in a city. On Friday June 3rd the people of this community will have a chance to see that it can be done successfully in Bellefonte.

**Commencement Exercises.**

The 15th annual commencement exercises of the Bellefonte High School will take place in Garman's Opera House Thursday June 2nd, afternoon and evening. The members of the graduating class are:—Earl Aikens, H. Albert Blair, Eva H. Crissman, William J. Dorworth, (second honor), Ida E. Fangle, S. Elizabeth Faxon, Estella G. Gault, Chas. E. Gilmour, Daisy L. Keichline, J. Dorsey Knox, Samuel H. McClure, Morris O. Otto, Mary E. Runkle, Robert Stewart, and Henrietta G. Wright (first honor).

The graduating essays and orations will be delivered in the afternoon. In the evening the commencement address will be delivered by Rev. M. L. Ganoe, of Altoona. Presentation of certificates by D. F. Fortney, Esq., President of the School Board after which music and benediction will follow.

**Simple Arithmetic.**

If the cost of car fare from here to Philipsburg and return were added to two days boarding, and various other incidentals included and this total sum multiplied by the number of trips a year that W. Harrison Walker, Esq., makes to Philipsburg, he would readily realize that it would be far more economical to rent a comfortable home and go to house-keeping at once. Then we have not considered the lonely anxiety of his present condition as compared with the comforts of a happy home. Press that case for a favorable verdict.

**Another Contract.**

The contract for grading nine miles of the extension to the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railroad now being built to connect that line with Philipsburg and the Brice railroads at New Castle Junction, has been awarded to our enterprising townsman, Thomas Collins, Esq. Mr. Collins' work is in Armstrong county and includes some of the heaviest cutting on the line.

**Won Honors.**

Lee B. Woodcock is honor man this year at the Medico-Chirurgical College in Philadelphia. The graduating class numbers one hundred and sixty-five, and, in addition to being Valedictorian Lee has been offered the position of resident physician of the Methodist hospital. The commencement exercises were held on Saturday, in the Academy of Music.

**Capt. Taylor Promoted.**

Capt. Hugh S. Taylor, of Company B Fifth regiment, of Bellefonte, Pa., has been appointed acting assistant adjutant-general of the First brigade, Third division, first army corps. This position gives him the same rank as captain, and is in immediate line for promotion.

**Flag Raising.**

On Saturday afternoon a flag raising will take place at Hoy's school house, Benner twp., in the afternoon at 3 o'clock. Addresses will be made by prominent speakers. A programme of exercises has been prepared.

**Spring Time is Here.**

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

**IN THE COURT HOUSE**

**Legal Intelligence Gathered from Various Offices.**

**MARRIAGE LICENSES.**

{ J. Henry Gross, - - - - Snow Shoe  
{ Julia T. Ammerman, - - - - Boggs Twp  
{ Axel M. Paul, - - - - Philipsburg  
{ Virginia Reese, - - - -  
{ James M. Hower, - - - - Snow Shoe  
{ Mary E. Verbeck, - - - -  
{ John H. Latky, - - - - Gorton Heights  
{ Helana Spanick, - - - -  
{ E. J. Cunningham, - - - - Spring  
{ Mary A. Swabb, - - - -  
{ Lewis Jeffe, - - - - Philipsburg  
{ Annie Ziff, - - - -  
{ John H. Casber, - - - - Snow Shoe  
{ Nora B. Thompson, - - - -

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.**

W. A. Thomas trustee to Isaac Williams, dated Jan. 17, 1873; for lot of ground in Bellefonte boro. \$150.

Anna Johnson et al to Elizabeth H. Kirk, dated May 9, 1893; for lot of ground in Philipsburg boro. \$1.

A. Kohlbecker et ux to America Leyman, dated Oct. 31, 1895; for tract of land in Howard twp. \$200.

Louisa H. Hoy to America Leyman, for tract of land in Boggs twp. \$290.

W. M. Stover et ux to D. H. Rote, dated May 2, 1893; for lot of ground in Haines twp. \$400.

John B. Linn et ux to A. O. Furst, dated May 23, 1893 for tract of land in Howard twp. \$265.

John Soltis et ux to Mike Trubitzki et al, dated May 17, 1893; for lot of ground in Snow Shoe twp. \$10.

James Oswald et ux to Annie Korkosz, dated May 20, 1893; for lot of ground in Snow Shoe twp. \$350.

Mike Trubitzki et ux to Mary Soltis, dated May 16, 1893; for lot of ground in Snow Shoe twp. \$240.

George Takesk et ux to Mike Trubitzki, dated April 20, 1893; for lot of ground in Snow Shoe twp. \$250.

**ODD FELLOWS DAY.**

Odd Fellows Day in Centre county will be appropriately observed at Hecla Park on Wednesday, June 8th, 1898.

This will be a popular gathering of Odd Fellows and their friends in Centre and adjoining counties and the public generally is invited to join with them. It will also be the opening event of the famous Hecla Park, for the season of 1898. Special provision has been made to have Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Pa., Samuel McKeever, of Philadelphia, and Esau Loomis, of West Chester, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Pa., present and deliver addresses on the advantages and benefits of Odd Fellowship. These gentlemen will positively be present, as well as other eminent members of the order.

Interesting and exciting bicycle races, tub races, a game of base ball between the Bellefonte Academy and the Lock Haven State Normal teams, will be among the leading features of the programme. Meals and refreshments can be secured on the grounds at a moderate price. Several bands of music have been engaged. Special excursion rates will prevail on all the railroads, for this occasion. Later announcements will be made for schedule of special trains.

**Ordination and Installation.**

Mr. Thomas Levan Bickle, the newly elected pastor of the Reformed church of Bellefonte, was ordained and installed on Sunday evening by a committee of West Susquehanna Classis, consisting of Revs. A. A. Black, of Boalsburg; Samuel L. Whitmore, of Mifflinburg; and James M. Runkle, of Hublersburg. Rev. Whitmore preached the sermon and Rev. Black conducted the ordination services. The sermon was a masterly production and was well received by the large and intelligent audience.

Mr. Bickle was a member of the senior class of the Theological Seminary at Lancaster and graduated from that institution a short time ago. Last Monday he was examined by Reading Classis and licensed to preach. He was at once dismissed to West Susquehanna Classis, by which body he was received on Thursday of last week, his call from the Bellefonte charge confirmed and a committee appointed to ordain and install him. Rev. Bickle was the valedictorian at Franklin & Marshall college class of 1895, and won the state inter-collegiate oratorical prize the same year. His course in the Seminary was equally as successful as his college course. We feel that the Reformed people of Bellefonte should be congratulated upon the wise selection they have made, and no doubt the relations just established will be productive of much good in our community.

**Attention Comrades.**

All comrades of Gregg Post, No. 95, Dept. of Pa. G. A. R., will meet in the Post rooms at 2:30 p. m. sharp, on Sunday May 29th, 1898, to go in a body to the court house, to hear a sermon by Rev. A. Stapleton, M. S., Presiding Elder of Centre District United Evangelical church, an old soldier and member of the G. A. R.

P. P. GREEN, S. B. MILLER, Adjutant, Commander.

**Card of Thanks.**

I hereby extend my grateful thanks to the O. W. A. Mechanics No. 274, of Snow Shoe, Pa., and to the members of the Snow Shoe band, and also to the many friends, for their kindly offerings, faithful attentions and words of comfort rendered unto me during the sickness and death of my beloved husband. Snow Shoe, Pa., May 20, 1898.

MARY HADDOCK.

**THE COMING VAUDEVILLE.**

A Continuous Performance Enterprise for Bellefonte.

The greatest enterprise in the amusement line that has ever been seen in Bellefonte will open at Garman's opera house on Friday afternoon, June 3rd, to continue on the boards as long as it can be made profitable.

Nothing of the sort has ever before been attempted in this place. It will be run on the same plan that the continuous performance shows are given in the big cities and the prices are to be so low that everybody can go and enjoy the conglomeration of theatrical novelties. A Vaudeville means a little bit of everything and a continuous performance means that the show will continue without interruption from the time it begins in the afternoon until the closing hour at night.

Some of the most notable features of the show will be an act from the opera "Paul Jones" and a drill and chorus from Sousa's military opera, "The Bride Elect." The old Bellefonte Minstrels will contribute an hour of music and fun, the dramatic club will put on a pretty one-act society comedy, John M. Blanchard will do a turn of Irish specialties with a song, Wm. Derstine and Billy Rine will dance and R. A. Beck will contribute a feast of musical good things. There will be a fine exhibit of living pictures after the Gibson style and depicting patriotic situations. For the first time in the history of the town a projectoscope show of real scenes of life on the streets of Bellefonte will be seen here and nearly one hundred views have already been arranged.

The Vaudeville orchestra of ten pieces will play each day and night throughout the entire performance and this feature is designed to be especially entertaining. Among the soloists who will have numbers are Mrs. Barnett, Mrs. Arthur Brown, Miss Ella Twitmyre, Mr. Philip D. Waddle, Mr. Michael Hasel and Mr. Peter Jacobs.

Everybody is looking forward to the event with pleasant anticipations.

**FLAG RAISING.**

Friday afternoon the workmen of the Bellefonte glass works gave vent to their patriotic feelings by raising the stars and stripes to the top of a lofty 70 foot pole. A procession was formed, led by the Coleville band. After them came Messrs Wm. Dukeman, James Kain, Had Crissman and Harry Dawson carrying the national emblem. They were followed by carriages containing the speakers, and the employees of the works. After passing over the principal streets of the town the procession returned to the works where a large crowd had assembled. The band played the Star Spangled Banner as the flag was raised. Short addresses were made by Col. W. F. Reeder, D. F. Fortney, Esq., and Rev. W. A. Stephens, of the Methodist church who closed the exercises with a fervent prayer.

**Flag Raising.**

A flag raising will take place at Aaronsburg, on Saturday evening May 23, 1898, at 6 o'clock. A parade will take place prior to raising of flag. The Citizens Band will head the parade and ten ladies, carrying the flag, will follow. A military company is being formed to enter parade. The following orders have been invited: Knights of the Golden Eagle, P. O. S. of A. both Woodward and Coburn camps; I. O. O. F., of Millheim; G. A. R. and all bicycle riders are invited to be present and all citizens are invited to be present and take part in the exercises and see "Old Glory" raised.

**Struck by Lightning.**

During the heavy thunder storm last Monday, lightning struck the steeple of the Lutheran church at Warriorsmark, and in a moment's time inflicted about \$200 damage upon the structure. The bolt tore off the top of the steeple; whisked down its side, entered the church near the front door, passed along the interior on one side, tearing off window castings and plaster, and finally with destructive snatches from windows and walls at the rear end, it passed out through the end of the building. The church is fully insured.

**The Oath the Soldiers Take.**

The following is the oath of allegiance to the United States, as taken by the National Guardsmen and others volunteering for service in the present war: I do solemnly swear that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the United States of America, and that I will serve them honestly and faithfully against all their enemies whatsoever, and will obey the orders of the president and of the officers appointed over me according to the rules and articles of war, so help me God."

**Killed in a Mine.**

Friday last Adam Wilson was killed at Colorado mine No. 3, near Philipsburg, by one of the cars running over him. When found the front end of the car was still on his back. He was 45 years old and is survived by his wife and several children.

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

**A PLEASING PRODUCTION.**

An exceedingly novel and amusing entertainment was given in the opera house on Friday and Saturday evenings by the ladies of the Methodist Aid Society. It was "The Deestrick Skule" or a reproduction of a country school fifty years ago, under the able direction of Mrs. W. W. Achenbach, of Williamsport, Pa. It was a day at school, beginning with the children on the morning trip, playing on the school grounds, scene in the school room and the various classes, eating the noon lunch, visit of the school committee and the last day exercises. The boys in their rough, unsightly clothes and mischievous conduct, and the comely lasses in their plain short dresses and odd pantalets were truly an interesting scene and no doubt a faithful representation of the costumes incident to the times. There was much to amuse the audience. The pranks of the restless boys were truly ridiculous while the young gals were always a bit more prim yet interesting. The following took part in the production:

Teacher - Mrs. W. W. Achenbach, Williamsport  
John Peter et John - J. H. Harris  
Ezekiel Sweetbrier - Harry Holtz  
Temperance Hartsborn - Mary Butts  
Mike O'Flynn - John Blanchard  
Cynthia Duzenberry - Mrs. F. W. Rider  
Jerusha Ann Honeysuckle - Mrs. L. A. Shaeffer  
Elijah Sweetbrier - Frank Rhoads  
Sarah Corner - Myra Holiday  
Patience Peterken - Grace M. Blackford  
Timothy Truck - Robert Hunter  
Sam Randall - H. P. Harris  
Patty Smallwood - Millie Smith  
Felicita Hope Sweetbrier - Mary Snyder  
Fanny Crossways - Ella Mueser  
Phoebe Aleanto - Mrs. J. E. Ward  
Mary Milkpaill - Mrs. S. D. Ray  
Bartholomew Huckleberry - Mrs. E. Ward  
Pinnaes Huckleberry - George Miller  
Felicita Charity Sweetbrier - Mrs. A. Allison  
Mary Dimpsey - Mary G. Meek  
Samantha Pipet - May Grider  
Susanna Dewberry - Laura Kunberger  
Grover Cleveland - A. Scott Harris  
Mrs. Sweetbrier - Katherine Harris  
Komity - D. F. Fortney  
Hon. James Schofield.

The entertainment concluded with a patriotic conception. Miss Ella Twitmyre impersonated "Columbia" and little Betty Heine, took the part of Cuba. As they waved their respective flags and the entire company sang "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean" it caused a great applause.

**FORTUNE FOR A CONVICT.**

Reward for a Brave Deed Performed Near Tyrone, Pa.

An act of bravery performed eight years ago by Frank D. Wasserman, now a Cleveland convict in the Ohio penitentiary, has resulted in his being rewarded recently by falling heir to \$19,000. Watson, or Wasserman, as his real name is, while in a Pennsylvania town near Tyrone rescued a lady and her 10-year-old daughter from a carriage runaway and on the brink of a 50-foot embankment. In the act he was badly injured but was cared for by the rescued and he recovered. Some years after this the lady, being about to die, was asked by the daughter, the sole heir to the mother's property, to will half of it to their rescuer. The will was so made, but meanwhile all trace of the young man was lost. The grandfather of the girl advertised in many leading papers of the East and West, and Wasserman was finally located. He says the young lady's name is Dora R. Murray. Her exact residence, or where the rescue took place, he refused to give, saying he wished to keep from her the knowledge that he was in prison. Her grandfather, he said, had told him in one of his letters that he would not disclose to her Wasserman's whereabouts. Wasserman said, however, that the place was a small town near Tyrone, Pa. Wasserman was sent up from Cleveland and was arrested in Youngstown. He claims to be prominently connected in Cleveland. His downfall he attributes to drink, and he says he intends to lead a Christian life when he is released. His time will expire, good time considered, Oct. 4, 1900. His wife, he says, lives in Cleveland.

**Odd Fellows Day.**

Scaled proposals will be received for exclusive privileges at Hecla Park, June 8th, 1898, on account of "Odd Fellow's Day," until Friday evening May 27, at 7 p. m. The following classification has been agreed on, viz:

Dinner and ice cream. Confectionery—consisting of candies, nuts, cakes and fruits. Soft drinks—consisting of lemonade etc. Tobacco and cigars—all goods belonging to the trade. All bids to be for a fixed sum, and not on percentage. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Address all communications to A. Lukenbach, Bellefonte Pa., or J. C. Meyer, chairman of committee of arrangements.

(A. LUKENBACH  
Com., S. S. MCCORMIC  
W. H. MCCORMER.)

**Festival.**

The Junior C. E. Society, of the U. B. Church, of Bellefonte, will hold an ice cream, strawberry and cake festival, on Friday and Saturday evenings, May 27th and 28th, in the McClain Block; the public is cordially invited.

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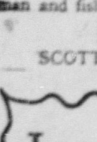
chest, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ills, sick headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. 25c. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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A cough which seems to hang on in spite of all the remedies which you have applied certainly needs energetic and sensible treatment. For twenty-five years that standard preparation of cod-liver oil,

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has proved its effectiveness in curing the trying affections of the throat and lungs, and this is the reason why: the cod-liver oil, partially digested, strengthens and vitalizes the whole system; the hypophosphites act as a tonic to the mind and nerves, and the glycerine soothes and heals the irritation. Can you think of any combination so effective as this?



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The building is the personification of all that is comfortable and elegant, and for the expeditious transaction of large volumes of business is a model building in every respect. Mechanically and artistically, it is perfect.

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.  
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**CARPET CLEANING and FEATHER RENOVATING**

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FAUBLES.

**"Stopped the Street Car."**

A well known gentleman said to a street car conductor the other day: Please stop until I get off. My wife told me to be sure and get her a bottle of "Clergy Wine." She has been troubled with sleeplessness and nervous troubles and can find nothing that has helped her like clergy wine. I think one more bottle will cure her. Large bottles, 50c. Sold only by C. M. Farish, Bellefonte; Wm. H. Noll, Pleasant Gap; J. C. F. Motz, Woodward; W. H. Miller, Armstrong; J. H. Griffin, Stormstown; L. B. McIntire, Fillmore.