

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.

—Hon. J. P. Gephart is back from a trip of several weeks to Loganton. —Miss Blanche Hayes left Tuesday for a two week's visit at Bedford Springs. —Mrs. L. A. Schaeffer and daughter Helen are visiting friends in Scranton, Pa. —Mr. George Thomas has been seriously ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. Rebecca Barnside, on Thomas street. —Thomas A. Shoemaker has sold his interest in the Bellefonte Fuel and Supply company to Col. W. Fred Reynolds. —Miss Daisy Brisbin, who is now teaching at the soldiers orphan school at Chester Springs, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Spangler. —"The Big Spring Creamery and Produce Company" is the name of the new company who are erecting the creamery at Bellefonte. —James Wallace, while fishing in Fishing creek last Friday, captured a 16-inch trout weighing two pounds dressed—on 35 cents. —A. A. Pletcher, of Nittany, paid us a short call on Monday. He reports the democrats in that section satisfied with the county ticket. —Some of our sports, who are in the habit of driving through town like a whirlwind, should take a warning from Saturday night's accident. —Mr. J. C. Shaffer, the merchant, from Martha, called on Saturday to have business stationery printed. He reports good crops in that section. —On Friday Bellefonte had no less than ten sports down at Fishing creek after trout. The boys had a delightful trip but only got a few trout. —The republican county convention will meet on Tuesday August 16th, to nominate their county ticket and attend to other important business. —Wm. E. Shaeffer, the merchant of Nittany, Pa. called on Tuesday. He has been appointed executor of the estate of Mrs. Matilda Mowery, of that place. —Mr. Evey, the distiller of Woodward, calls attention to the superior quality of goods he manufactures. Pure rye whiskey is guaranteed also—not a cross word in a whole barrel. —Mr. Charles Rachau, of Madisonburg, called on Tuesday to advertise some valuable real estate in that locality. The announcement of same will be found in another part of the paper. —About the most phenomenal wheat yield we have heard of this summer comes from State College where Supt. W. C. Patterson modestly claims to have taken 750 dozen of wheat sheaves off a ten acre lot. —Chas. P. Long, the merchant, of Spring Mills, was in town on Monday consulting the political sages, and it is quite likely that he may be a candidate for the nomination of assembly on the republican ticket. —Mrs. E. P. Campbell and Mrs. J. W. Zimmerman, of New York, were visiting Mrs. Zimmerman's mother. Mrs. Campbell returned home on Saturday, but Mrs. Zimmerman will remain with her mother this summer. —Mrs. Barbara Rankin and daughter Bella, are in Philipsburg for an indefinite stay. From there they will go to Harrisburg and Philadelphia to spend the remainder of the summer with Mrs. Rankin's sons Edward and John. —Mr. Wm. Owens, formerly employed at Valentine's furnace, now holding a good position at a similar works in Punxsutawney, spent the past week in this section. He says there are at least twenty men formerly of Bellefonte, working at Punxsutawney and are receiving good wages too. —It is announced that Prof. A. Reist Rutt, principal of the Bellefonte High school, will be a candidate for county superintendent, the election for which takes place in May 99. Prof. Rutt has been identified with our schools for some time and possesses ability and experience for such a position. —Charles P. Hewes, Esq., of Erie, Pa., arrived in town on Saturday and remained until Tuesday evening. He came here to look after some important legal matters in which he had been interested. The report that he had decided to move back to Bellefonte, is not correct. He has opened a law office in Erie and is pleased with the change. —An effort will be made to have Dr. Swallow visit Hecla Park sometime during the summer season. The prohibitionists would have him in charge and have a general rally. If Dr. Swallow wants to see reform at Harrisburg and clean men elected, they should turn in for Jenks. This year every vote cast for Swallow means that much for Quay and Stone, as it will aid in defeating Mr. Jenks.

—Miss Bessie Hayes is visiting friends in Tyrone. —Frank Montgomery and family left on Monday for Atlantic City. —Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Beaver, of New York, are in Bellefonte for a brief visit. —Robert McKnight, Jr., of Philadelphia, is back to Bellefonte on a short visit. —Maurice Jackson has gone to Oakland, Md., for a visit to his sister, Mrs. Geo. Brew. —Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hamilton, of New York, are visiting Mr. Hamilton's mother here. —Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Oberdorf, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lewin. —Mr. Edward Cook, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days in Bellefonte, visiting friends. —John G. Hess has been appointed post master at Pine Grove Mills, by Congressman Arnold. —Thos. Eadon will be one of the speakers at the flag raising, at Keller's hotel, on Saturday evening. —We had several heavy showers on Tuesday evening that were much needed to help the corn crop along. —By this time the new steel ceiling in the court house will be completed, except the finishing coat of paint. —Miss Elizabeth B. Meek has gone to Cold Spring Harbor, Long Island, to study biology at a summer school. —The Misses Henrietta Butts, Mary Butts and Millie Smith left on Friday for a ten days' trip to Atlantic City. —Col. W. R. Teller, now proprietor of the Metropolitan Hotel, Washington, D. C., is visiting friends in Bellefonte. —Miss Mary Gephart Dix, of Dayton, Ohio, is visiting her sister Mrs. L. T. Munson, and other friends of this place. —Dr. Thos. Vantries, who has moved back to Bellefonte, has not been in very good health of late due to a disorder of the liver. —Rev. W. H. Blackburn, of Braddock, Pa., preached in the United Brethren church on Sunday. This was his former congregation. —Joseph Bros. & Co. are putting in a larger front at their store and will also put side windows in which will give their room more light. —Have you noticed that one of the large plate windows in Lewin's store has a large hole punched in it. It certainly attracts attention. —Miss Victorine Lyon and her sister's children Alma and Bernard Litchen, all of Philadelphia, are guests at the Lyon home in this place. —Col. W. F. Reeder is beginning to hustle about among his republican friends to make sure of the endorsement for State Senate. —Julius Gutman and his mother, Mrs. Gutman, both of New York City, are guests at the handsome home of Emil Joseph on High street. —The repairs at the Biant House have about been completed and Landlord Yeager is happy, as he can entertain guests again in royal style. —Ex-Jury Commissioner George Bowler, of Haines township has been seriously ill during the past few weeks and his condition is considered serious. —The Misses Mable M. and Marion E. Musser, of Scranton, Pa., who had been visiting at the home of Mr. Samuel Shaeffer, returned home on Monday. —Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thomas and child left Saturday for Philadelphia where Mr. Thomas has accepted a position in the Baldwin Locomotive works. —The A. M. E. Sunday School convention, of this district, has been in session in Bellefonte the past three days and a large number of delegates are present. —D. F. Fortney continues to hold the Bellefonte post office, as the republican leaders seem unable to come to an agreement in the selection of a man. The suspense is truly becoming painful to the few who are on the anxious bench. —The young people of the town expect to hold a series of four dances this season on July 29th, August 12 and 26, and Sept. 2nd in Reynold's Armory. The committee in charge are Harry Keller, Edmund Blanchard, Jr., H. C. Quigley, Fred Blanchard, Hard P. Harris and Edgar Burnside. —Messrs Ralph Mallory and Samuel Taylor have placed on the local market souvenier paper weights which contain some of the picturesque scenes about the town and prominent points of interest, also a photo of Bellefonte's three governors. The work is excellently done and they find a ready sale at 25 cents a piece. —Since the repairs have been in progress at the court house, it has caused great inconvenience to the war strategical board, which is in continuous session there every afternoon and evening, under the portico. Tom Donachy thinks it may be necessary to adjourn for a few days, on account of these annoying interruptions. —Since N. B. Spangler, Esq., returned to Chickamauga to join Company B, he has been in bad health, and was in the hospital for a time and had to undergo an operation for an abscess. A dispatch was received here on Wednesday stating that he had started for home, expecting to remain until his health improved and was fit to join the company again.

—Miss Clair Barger, one of Altoona's pleasant young ladies, is visiting at the home of her cousin, Miss Margaret Underwood, of East Howard street. —On Wednesday noon Mr. John Roundtree died at his home in this place. He had been ill for a long time with Bright's disease, but his death was due to paralysis. He was a merchant and in business at this place for some years. His age was 58 years. A wife only survives him. TACKLED A BURGLAR. On Friday night Tom Greninger had a lively experience with a burglar, at their home on east Howard street. The young man was awakened from his slumbers at about one o'clock by a noise in his room, when he discovered a man in the bedroom working about his pantaloons trying to remove the watch and chain. Without debating what to do, Tom grabbed an oak stick, used to prop up the window, and struck the intruder several times on the back as he was in a stooped position trying to unfasten the watch. Then he grabbed Tom and a rough and tumble tussle ensued. The burglar was a large powerful man and dealt Tom two severe blows on the head that put him to sleep in the hallway. The scuffle aroused the family, who found the hallway door open and Tom in an unconscious condition, groaning loudly from the effects of the blow, but he soon revived. It was found that a purse containing about \$7 in cash was taken, and the empty purse was found in the yard the next morning. Some of the neighbors saw the man making a hasty retreat from the house. Who he was, where from, or how he got in the house is not known. An information was made against Walter Boas, a young man of this place, for this act. Failing to secure bail he was held in jail a day. At the hearing on Wednesday evening no evidence was furnished to warrant the arrest. He clearly proved that the night of the burglary he had been down at Fishing creek, some twenty miles from Bellefonte. GORDON-LYON. On Wednesday, at high noon, wedding bells chimed merrily at the home of Mrs. Estelle Lyon, on East Linn street, where the ceremony took place that united Dr. Alfred Gordon, of Philadelphia, and Miss Victorine Lyon, in the bonds of matrimony. It was a very pretty ceremony and attended only by immediate friends. The home was tastefully decorated with evergreens, potted plants and cut flowers, for the event. At the hour for the ceremony Miss Alma Lichten, niece of the bride, preceded the couple as a beautiful flower girl while Miss Ohnmacht rendered Mendelsom's wedding march. The bride and groom came next and took their positions before Rabbi H. Kline, of Altoona, who pronounced the words that united them in the sacred bonds. A choice wedding breakfast followed, after which they took their departure on the afternoon train for Philadelphia where Mr. Gordon has an elegantly furnished home on corner of 17th and Pine streets awaiting their occupancy. Dr. Gordon is a promising physician in that city and a man of education and culture. The bride is an accomplished young lady and skilled musician, and possesses those graces of character which will make her a loving and estimable partner in life. Death of Edward Powers. On Monday evening, Edward L. Powers died suddenly, at his home on Spring street. He was about attending to business on Monday at his shoe store, as usual. In the evening it was noticed that he was quite ill, while at home. Dr. Locke was summoned who found him in a serious condition and at about ten o'clock he suddenly expired. Death was due to heart failure from which he suffered at times. Edward Lawrence Powers was the son of the late John Powers, the well known shoe merchant of this place. He was aged 40 years and 1 month. On his father's retirement several years ago Edward succeeded to the business, carrying it on successfully up to the present time. A few years ago he married Miss Elizabeth Kaiser, who survives him, with their two children, Ada and Pearl. He leaves one brother, John Powers, of Lebanon, Pa., and one sister, Mrs. W. Miles Walker, of this place. He was a prominent member of the Logan Fire company and the K. G. E., of Bellefonte. The interment took place this Thursday morning in the Union cemetery. Captain Harder's Company. The company of 106 soldiers, who volunteered at Clearfield, have been accepted by Governor Hastings, and last week the company left for Chickamauga. The captain of the company is John E. Harder, who formerly resided in this city. He was the son of the late Jacob Harder, and a brother of Frank. Going to Newburg. The Philadelphia Times on Monday contained the following: "Rev. Miles O. Noll, of Carlisle, conducted the election for a new pastor of the Zion Reformed Church at Newburg, Cumberland county, yesterday, which resulted in the election of Rev. R. Leighton Gearhart, formerly pastor of the Bellefonte reformed church." —See Grant Hoover before you insure.

IN THE COURT HOUSE Legal Intelligence Gathered from Various Offices. MARRIAGE LICENSES. (Harvey Weaver, - - - Aaronsburg (Ada E. Breen, - - - Millheim (Charles Diehl, - - - Bellevue (Rose Corman, - - - Rebersburg (Dr. Alfred Gordon, - Philadelphia (Victorine Lyon, - - - Bellefonte (Albert B. Smith, - - - Madisonburg (Eleanor Woregon, - - - Burlingame, Pa. REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Daniel Irwin et ux to Emma P. Walizer, dated March 21, 1898, for lot in Huston Twp. \$12.50. Chas. B. Rishel et al to Lydia Rishel, dated Jan. 16, 1897, for tract of land in Gregg Twp. \$1 etc. Edmund Cresse et ux to William Elfray, dated July 14, 1898, for tract in Curtin Twp. \$1000. W. C. Heinle et ux to Frank A. Weidmer, dated Dec. 23, 1897, for tract in Burnside Twp. \$1 etc. Benj. Roush et ux to Jno. Hoy, dated Aug. 21, 1869, for tract in Gregg Twp. \$33. Benj. Roush et ux to Harriet Shaffer, dated March 29, 1889, for tract in Gregg Twp. \$800. Thos. Allen et ux to Walter G. O'Bryan, dated May 28, 1898, for lot of ground in State College Boro. \$300. John L. Olewine et ux to Laura E. Eckley, dated May. 25, 1897, for lot of ground in Boggs Twp. \$1 etc. C. C. Loose et ux to Lydia A. Kerster, dated Oct. 6, 1897, for lots in Miles Twp. \$175. John L. Rogers et al to Zachariah Williams, dated 1876, for tract of land in Walker Twp. \$800. Andrew Martin to Zachariah Williams, dated Sept. 8th, 1876, for tract of land in Walker Twp. \$65. Z. T. Williams et ux to Thos. A. Williams, dated Nov. 1, 1892, for tract of land in Walker Twp. \$1005. John Q. Miles Treas., to Kate M. Long, dated Aug. 2, 1896, for tract in Howard Twp. \$19.99. Jeremiah Haines Assignee to Benj. Roush, dated Aug. 7, 1869, for tract of land in Gregg Twp. \$33. LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION. To Mrs. Kate S. Bard, upon the estate of Dr. Edwin J. Bard, dec'd, late of Snow Show. To Wm. E. Shaffer upon the estate of Matilda Mowery, dec'd, late of Walker Twp. Flag Raising. On Saturday evening a flag raising will take place on Bishop street, in front of Keller's hotel. A pole sixty feet in height has been secured and a beautiful flag 8 x 12 will be unfurled to the breeze. The event will take place at 7 o'clock. Addresses will be made by D. F. Fortney, Wm. C. Heinle, W. F. Reeder, Edward Chambers, J. C. Meyer and others. Music will be furnished by one of our bands. The flag will be raised in honor of Company B, which went to the front from here. All are cordially invited to be present at this patriotic demonstration. Celebrated Again. On Thursday evening of last week enthusiasm ran riot among young America, over the news of the surrender of Santiago. An elaborate display of fireworks attracted a crowd in the diamond and then an immense bonfire followed. Every youngster and some of the older lads joined in. A second bonfire was started in front of the Bush Arcade and the two were in full blaze at one time. The boys certainly enjoyed themselves. When Porto Rico falls you can depend upon it there will be another jollification of a similar nature. Strange Accident. On Thursday afternoon of last week, as Ed. Gross, who has the contract for sprinkling High street, had attached his line of hose to a plug in front of the Bush House, John Kane, aged about 13, ran up to take a drink from the nozzle. The water struck him in the eye with such force that it drove the organ clean out of the socket and hung on his cheek. Drs. Dobbins and Dorworth were summoned who replaced the eye so skillfully that the boy was able to see immediately after. Council Meeting. At Council meeting on Monday evening very little business was done. The water committee reported the purchase of a new water pump from Jenkins & Lingle for \$92. The new creamery asked for an exoneration of taxes for three years. An offer was received of \$6 for the old iron at the water works. \$14.90 market fees were reported. Bills to the amount of \$216.57 were approved. Court House Repairs. The court house is being painted on the outside this week. The color is light, near like a shade of white sandstone. It will make the building look much cleaner and distinct than the former shade. The commissioners expect to cover the tops of the vaults with bar irons and cement to make them absolutely secure from water or fire. This certainly is a wise precaution. —Good agents wanted by Grant Hoover.

A BAD SMASH-UP. On Saturday evening two buggies collided on Allegheny street and there was a smash-up. Mr. and Mrs. Ishler were coming home and M. B. Garman was driving out Allegheny street at a smart pace. In front of Wm. Humes residence they suddenly came together. The shaft of Mr. Garman's buggy run into the top of Mr. Ishler's buggy and both came to a sudden stop. The jolt threw Mrs. Ishler out of the vehicle and she fell under the horses, which fortunately were easily controlled or else she would have been trampled upon. She was partly unconscious, but was able to walk home. Her injuries are not serious, but she received many bruises from the fall. The horses were not injured but Mr. Ishler's buggy was considerably broken. The accident seems to have been due to fast driving on our streets at an hour when it is dangerous. Mr. Ishler claims he could not get out of the road and has brought an action against Mr. Garman for reckless driving. The hearing will take place next week. Mr. Garman claims that he was not driving faster than others do and that he turned out and gave his part of the road. Bicyclers Coming. Arrangements have been completed for one of the finest and best bicycle trips of the season in which all the wheelmen of Tyrone are urgently requested to participate. The run will be to Penn's Cave, leaving Tyrone at 1 o'clock p. m. sharp Saturday, July 23, to proceed to Bellefonte and from Bellefonte to Centre Hall where the wheelmen will "hang up" for the night. The run to the cave will be made on Sunday morning. The start from Tyrone will be made by the way of State College, Pennsylvania Furnace and Warriors-mark. Tyrone riders will be joined by a large crowd of Altoona wheelmen. A cordial invitation is extended to all wheelmen from surrounding towns.—Herald. Important Revenue. For the information of justices of the peace and ministers of the Gospel, we desire to note: Under the new revenue law, a certificate of consent of parents, to the marriage of their minor child, requires a ten-cent revenue stamp and no license can be legally granted without it. A certificate of marriage required to be given to the parties married as well as the duplicate certificate required to be sent to the Clerk of the Orphans Court, by the officiating clergyman or justice of the peace, must each have a ten-cent revenue stamp placed thereon. The penalty for neglect or refusal to comply with the requirements of the said Act, is not to exceed one hundred dollars, at the discretion of the Court. See Sec. 7 of said Act. G. W. RUMBERGER, C. O. C. Grocery Store Sold. Last week Rush Larmer sold his grocery store on Allegheny street to Gillen Bros., who have taken charge of the place and are refitting the store and will soon open up with a large and fresh stock of groceries. The confectionery stand of Edward Gillen will be discontinued and Vesta Culveyhouse will occupy the room. Was Born in Bellefonte. Col. Evan Miles, of the Fifteenth infantry, who is commanding the extreme right of Gen. Shafter's line at Santiago de Cuba, was born in Bellefonte. His father was Richard Miles, one of the early residents, and a nephew of Joseph Miles, deceased, whose late home is on Bishop street just opposite the Catholic church. A Dollar Well Invested. An Oil City man saw a nicely worded advertisement in one of the New York papers, stating that any party desiring to get rich could learn how to do so by sending one dollar to the subscriber. He enclosed the money and in a few days received this answer: "Advertise as I do."—Oil City Blitzard. Festival. The I. O. O. F., of Nittany Valley Lodge, will hold a festival, at Hubersburg, Aug. 6. The orchestra will furnish the music for the occasion. COMING! On Saturday, July 30th, our collector will call on all our Bellefonte subscribers who are in arrears on subscription. He is coming for CASH, so please don't put him off with pledges, promises or excuses. We don't need the latter, have no use for them—but do need the cash to conduct our business. Kindly be prepared to meet him and you will oblige us. The date on your label shows how your account stands.—Pub. Festival. The ladies of the M. E. church, of LeMont, have changed the date of their festival from the 29th and 30th to the 22nd and 23rd of July. All are cordially invited to be present. Spring Time is Here. So is Spring's Sarsaparilla for the Blood. Guaranteed better than the best. For sale at Krumrine's Pharmacy.

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