

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.

"Darkest America" at the opera house to-morrow evening.

"McDoodles Flats" will be at the opera house, on Tuesday 18th.

George W. Thomas is on the streets again after an extended illness.

Albert Hoy, of Providence, R. I., is home on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Louisa Hoy.

Edward Harris returned to Philadelphia, to resume his studies in the Hahneman Medical college.

Apples, potatoes, pumpkins and squashes are the chief products brought to curb market these mornings.

The civil service examination for carriers and clerks at the Bellefonte postoffice has been postponed until Oct., 22nd.

Will Keller and wife, of Lancaster, Pa., spent several days of the past week in Bellefonte, as the guest of his brother, Harry.

Owing to continued ill health Rev. W. J. Stewart, pastor of the Methodist church at Pleasant Gap, has relinquished his charge.

Mrs. Aikens has received her new line of ladies wraps for the fall and winter season. See her announcement in another column.

J. N. Cassanova, of Philipsburg, has gone to Cuba to oversee his tobacco plantations, of which he has many and which have been somewhat neglected during the period of hostilities.

On Sunday evening the usual sermon at the Presbyterian church was omitted and the choir rendered a specially prepared song service. The various selections were well rendered and appropriate for the occasion.

Joseph Ceaders has purchased the old Hale property, next to Col. Spangler's residence on Allegheny street, and during the past week it was torn down. It is a most desirable location and Mr. Ceaders will erect a modern home in its place.

Mr. Frank Stinekechler and son John, of Newton, Kansas, are visiting friends and relatives in this place. Mr. Stinekechler is an old Bellefonter, having been in the butcher business here at one time. Since going west he has engaged in banking and has grown quite wealthy.

The opening of the Garman opera house takes place on Friday evening. The attraction will be Vogel's famous minstrels, in Darkest America. There will be lots of good music and mirth. A good laugh is worth more than a dose of medicine. You will be sure of a royal entertainment.

On Saturday afternoon the Altoona High School foot ball team had a tussle with the Academy team, on the glass works meadow. In the first half Bellefonte scored 11 points, and the visitors tied them in the second half. These two teams will play either here or at Altoona, at an early date.

On Friday evening the Bellefonte foot ball eleven went over the mountains in Baum's hack to play the Philipsburg High School team. Our boys did the best they could, and Philipsburg won by a score of 12 to 0. They had a strong heavy team to face and put up a splendid game even if they did lose.

Landlord D. C. Keller, formerly proprietor of the Haag House, is now a resident of Centre Hall, having moved over last week. Mr. Newcomer, of Bellwood, has succeeded Mr. Keller in the hotel business and will continue this popular stand in the future. He was a pleasant caller at our office and we found him a very agreeable gentleman, and no doubt will succeed.

The vault in the Prothonotary's office is being recovered and strengthened this week. When this job is completed the repairs at the court house will be about finished. The arbitration room was recently remodeled and hereafter the superintendent of county schools will have his desk in that room. The county formerly rented a room on the second floor of Crider's Exchange for that official. The District Attorney's office in the future will not be in the court house.

Last Saturday the Nittany Rod & Gun club entertained the property owners who are embraced in their game preserve. The club house, at Hecla, was thrown open to them and over a hundred accepted the invitation. An elaborate dinner was served by Mr. Peck that did honor to the occasion. Many prominent members of the club were present to help make guests at home. Several very interesting talks were delivered that bore upon the mutual dependence between the farmer, and the business and professional men, bringing out the fact that each needed the others assistance and patronage. It proved a most delightful affair for all who took the occasion to be present.

—Our Telephone call is still 1183.

—"Waragraph" in the opera house next Wednesday evening. It will be an interesting production.

—Fred Blair who is ill with typhoid fever was very low during the past week, but now is improving.

—Andrews' Opera Company will be at Bellefonte, Thursday October 27th. This will be a fine attraction.

—"Just tell them that you saw me" is becoming as popular as "shaking the plum tree"—all on Quays account.

—Zack Steele and little daughter, of Tyrone, spent Wednesday in this place as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Briton Steele.

—Lieut. Geo. W. Jackson has the assurance of a similar position in the regular army, which he will accept soon after Company B is mustered out.

—Nearly every fellow who can scare up an old gun barrel will be out in the woods on Saturday morning after game. Some big stories will be told—you bet.

—On Tuesday quite a delegation from Julian attended a hearing before Justice Keichline. The charge was for assault brought by O. W. Wason against Geo. W. Gill.

—In the future the Bellefonte telephone exchange will be open continuously, Sunday and holidays included. This is an accommodation that will be appreciated by the patrons and the public.

—Rev. D. L. Jones, of this place, now chaplain in the army, is home on a brief furlough. He has made an appointment to hold services in the Presbyterian church, at Jacksonville, on Sunday morning.

—The new telephone company, have about forty instruments in operation in the vicinity of State College. They are making elaborate preparations for the completion of their exchanges in the several counties.

—John Q. Miles says gray squirrels are very plenty up the Bald Eagle valley. This information was given to us as confidential and therefore should be kept quiet or all the Bellefonte sports will be cracking around in Miles' section.

—W. H. Long, the prohibition-candidate for legislature, of Howard, was in town on Tuesday and paid us a short call. He intends to make a canvass of the county and expects to cut a wide swath when the ballots are counted.

—Next Wednesday evening a novel entertainment will be given in the opera house, under the auspices of the Undine Fire Company, known as the "Waragraph," members of company will assist in its production and the popular drill given by the ladies in the Vaudeville will be among the leading features. See the large bills for particulars.

Burglary in Daylight.

Wednesday afternoon the residence of Adam Decker, a farmer residing near Hublersburg, was burglarized. Mr. Decker and the other inmates were away from home during the afternoon. During their absence the burglar or burglars pried open the windows with a crowbar. The house was entered, all the cupboards, bureaus, etc. were ransacked and their contents thrown over the floor. They secured a small amount of money in silver which they took from Mr. Decker's pantaloons, and a check which they found in an envelope, for thirty dollars. The check had been given Mr. Decker by a Lock Haven butcher on a bank in that city. The bank was notified of the theft and payment on the same was stopped. There is no clue to the robbers.

Hannah Captured.

On the night of the 19th of May 1897 the tailoring establishment of Charles McClelland, on Allegheny street, was robbed of several suits of clothes. When William Hannah and George McCormick were arrested some of the clothes were found on them. On the 21st of June 1897 they both broke out of the Centre county jail and made good their escape. The county commissioners offered a reward of \$50 for their capture but of no avail.

On Monday of this week Hannah was captured at Lebanon by Chief of Police W. W. Stine and Detective George A. Hunter at that place. He was brought to Bellefonte on Monday.

Prospect for Foreign Demand for Wheat.

The crops in Northern and Central Russia are a complete failure and in South Russia the harvest is far below the average. Prices are bound to advance, as experts predict that the supplies are wholly inadequate to meet the requirements. Chances are for our farmers profiting by this.

Married.

On Wednesday October 5th, Robert A. Miller, of Benner twp. and Miss Ada F. Jamison, were married at Centre Hall, by Rev. S. F. Christine, of the Presbyterian church.

SINCE John A. Daley got his "poke" in the public trough at Washington, he has been anxiously by smacking his mouth for another chance for more "Pap." It pays better you know than cultivating the land out in Curtin township—not as hard work and more in it.

BRIT STEELE is exceedingly sorry that he did not consult Editor Harter before circulating his position. Hereafter he will be careful not to make such a grievous error.

DALEY, the legislative Sphinx, has not spoken.

IN THE COURT HOUSE

Legal Intelligence Gathered from Various Offices.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Andrew Oeder, Snow Shoe; Audie Lyses, Benner Twp; John E. Kuhn, Benner Twp; Emma V. Womer, Bellefonte; Jos. McCully, Spring Twp; Mary Wian, Bellefonte.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Mary V. Hale et al to P. B. Crider et al, Oct. 1, 1898; tract in Bellefonte boro. \$40,000.

A. O. Furst et ux to Ann B. Harris, Oct. 3, 1898; tract in Potter twp. \$20.

Cleveland Dinges to Mary A. Dinges, April 4, 1888; lot of ground in Potter twp. \$325.

D. D. Gingery sh'ff to D. R. Casanova, guardian, Sept. 8, 1898; tracts in Rush twp, etc. \$4,000.

Sam'l Wolf et ux to Overseers of Poor of Gregg twp., Oct. 7, 1898; tract in Gregg twp. \$1.

William F. Lytle to Alice Getz, Oct. 7, 1897; lot in College twp. \$200.

State College Cornet Band to Geo. H. Kline, Oct. 6, 1898; lot in State College boro. \$325.

M. C. Speigelmeyer et ux to John Stover, Oct. 6, 1898; lot in Millheim boro. \$2,000.

Adam Barges et ux to Coburn Grain & Creamery Co. L'd, Aug. 1, 1898; tract in Penn twp. \$2,169.67.

D. A. Musser's adm'r to E. B. McMullen, March, 14, 1898; tract in Millheim boro. \$1800.

Michael Baker et ux to Annie M. Baker, Oct. 6, 1898; lot in Penn twp. \$60.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

To Victoria M. Scravindyke upon the estate of John D. Scravindyke, late of Bellefonte boro.

Last will of Polly Wolfe, late of Miles Twp., proven.

To Hiram M. Goodman upon the estate of Emma C. Goodman, late of Haines Twp.

To Harry E. McClincey upon the estate of Angeline Curtin, late of Boggs twp.

To Robert U. Wason upon the estate of Cyrus Wason, dec'd, late of College Twp.

To Edward E. Mitchell upon the estate of Wm. J. Thompson, late of Potter Twp.

Lafayette Memorial Day.

The governor of the commonwealth has designated Wednesday, Oct. 19th, as Lafayette Memorial Day.

The schools and colleges throughout the state are urged to observe the day in becoming manner. The grand purpose of the occasion is to raise a fund with which to erect a monument to Lafayette in the name of the youth of America. The unveiling of this monument will be the leading feature of U. S. Day, July 4, 1900, during the Paris exposition.

Next Wednesday afternoon, the pupils of the Bellefonte High school will render a short program appropriate to the occasion. The teachers of the other grades will also observe the day by reading such selections and by citing such historical facts as will lead our young to appreciate more fully the price of liberty in this country.

Any contribution from 1 cent to 5 cents will be gladly received and the amounts raised by the several schools will be paid over to the Sec. of the School Board, by whom it will be sent to the treasurer of the association having immediate charge of the project.

Any friend of education, who will, is invited to help the children along in their great undertaking, by contributing a nickel.

Coming Next Tuesday.

Needless to say, "McDoodle's Flats," the latest of Rice & Barton's productions, is based on as many laughs to the minute as the time allows. There are a lot of pretty girls frolicking constantly in and out of course; how could Rice & Barton do without them, as they have the pick of the theatrical market. The present offering is guaranteed to be original enough to please the most fastidious. Music, melody, songs in abundance. Tuneful and in a rich volume, interspersed throughout the evening in general profusion in connection with the vagaries of the funny tuneful comedy. The company presenting this piece is a large one numbering nineteen people, each of whom is an artist in his, or her respective line. They will occupy the stage of the Garman Opera House, Tuesday Oct. 18th.

Spigelmeyer—Hall.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Lotta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spigelmeyer, of this place, to George Willard Hall, of Muncy, Pa. The ceremony will take place on Wednesday evening, Oct. 26th, at 6 p. m. in the Presbyterian church. Mr. Hall has been engaged in the mercantile business at Muncy for a number of years, but will locate in Bellefonte in the future.

Moved to Lock Haven.

Joseph Gilliland and his brother E. I. Gilliland, who for years have done a general merchandise business at Three Runs, Clearfield county, has located in Lock Haven. Edward is remaining in Clearfield county to manage the farm the boys own there.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

HORRIBLE DEATH.

Mrs. J. Mitchell Garbrick Killed by a Train on Monday Evening.

A frightful death befel Mrs. Emma, wife of J. Mitchell Garbrick, of this place, on Monday evening shortly after the 8:33 train, on the Pennsylvania road bound for Lock Haven, went out a party of boys proceeded down the track on their way home. It was a dark night and they could barely distinguish the road bed. When a short distance below Gerbrich, Hale & Co's mill, one of the boys stumbled against an obstruction on the track. A match was struck and to their horror they found the lifeless and headless body of a woman lying on the left side of the track. A short distance below lay the mangled head with the side of the face crushed into shapeless mass. They hastened back to the Bush House and told of their experience and Coroner Locke was summoned.

The body lay opposite from the residence near the mill occupied by J. Mitchell Garbrick and Mr. Gettig. The features of the face were beyond recognition, but by the clothing it was soon identified as the body of Mrs. Garbrick. The remains were immediately removed to Harris' undertaking department.

For some time Mrs. Garbrick was very ill and the continued sickness impaired her health and at times she became despondent. This seems to have effected her mind and her condition was a matter of serious concern to her husband.

How she came to this sudden death no one can say. She may have wandered onto the track at this inopportune time. It may be that while in a state of mental aberration this step was taken to put an end to her suffering, as many other persons have done when in the same misery.

Mrs. Emma Garbrick was the wife of J. Mitchell Garbrick, her maiden name was Emma Wian, and was the daughter of Benjamin Wian, of Millfin county who died about 30 years ago. She was born in Millfin county, and would have been 38 years old on the 16th of next November. She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mabel aged 13 years, and the following sisters and one brother:—Daniel, of near Millfin county; Mrs. Henry Swabb, of Centre Hall; Mrs. William Gross, of Penns valley; Mrs. Mary Ann Fowler, of Huntingdon county. Her mother is also living and makes her home with her son Daniel near Bellefonte.

The interment took place on Wednesday afternoon in the Lutheran cemetery, at Pleasant Gap, Rev. Holloway, of this place, her pastor officiating.

Mr. Garbrick for several years has been employed at Gerberich, Hale & Co's mill. The family formerly resided at Lipden Hall and Oak Hall. This is a severe shock to the family and friends who have been so solicitous for the unfortunate woman since her illness began, and of late were cheered by an apparent improvement from her ailment.

Death at Hublersburg.

Mrs. Elizabeth Roller, relict of John Roller, of near Fillmore, died at the home of her son, Benner W. Rumberger, at Hublersburg, on Wednesday, October 5th. The cause of her death was a general breaking down consequent from old age. She was a sincere Christian lady and fully prepared to meet her Maker. She is survived by four children of her first husband, Martin F. Rumberger. They are Mrs. Susan Smith, of Chester Hill; Benner W., Hublersburg; James R., Altoona, and Jennie, in Canada. The children of her second husband, John Roller, are Ada and Elmer E., both in Ohio. Interment was made in Gray's burying ground, in Half Moon, at noon Saturday.

Death of Charles Musser.

Charles J. Musser, a well to do farmer of Fillmore, Centre county, died Monday afternoon of stomach trouble.

The deceased was a son of John Musser and was born near Bellefonte. He was 42 years of age. A wife and four children survive him. The funeral took place this Thursday afternoon.

Big Crop.

It is reported that Wm. Fisher, the Unionville nurseryman, will pack 10,000 bushels of apples this fall. He has grown 7,000 bushels in his own orchards and will buy 3,000 bushels to fill his cold storage house. Each apple is wrapped in paper and packed away until sold. Mr. Fisher is one of the most successful fruit growers in the country.

Turned Up a Half Century Later.

This week one day a land turtle was found near Anthony Carver's home, west of Centre Hall, upon the shell of which John Bruss had cut his name and year 1851. He is a brother of Samuel Bruss, and little idea did he have over 47 years ago that the reptile would turn up alive and well at this time. The turtle was turned loose again.

Attention.

Dr. M. Salm, of Columbus, Ohio, will be in Bellefonte, Pa., at the New Brokerhoff House, Allegheny street, on Thursday, October 27th. Call and see him.

Advertisement for Eastman's No. 2 Eureka Jr. camera, featuring a portrait of the camera and technical details.

Large advertisement for Hair Hints and Ayer's Hair Vigor, featuring decorative borders and bold typography.

Opera House Attractions. William Garman will manage Garman's opera house for the season of 1898-'99, and the list of his attractions already booked are as follows: Oct. 14th, Vogel's Minstrels. Oct. 18th, Rice & Barton's Vaudeville. Nov. 14th, Martin's Uncle Tom's Cabin. Dec. 2nd, Roger Bros. "Next Door." Feb. 13th, Keller, the Magician. Feb. 20, Rickett's Comedians.

What Scrofula is. Scrofula is a disease as old as antiquity. It has been handed down for generations and is the same today as in early times. It is emphatically a disease of the blood, and the only way to cure it is by purifying the blood. That is just what Hood's Sarsaparilla does in every case where it is given a faithful trial. It eradicates all impurities from the blood, and cures the sores, boils, pimples and all forms of skin disease due to scrofula taints in the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla has won the grateful praise of vast numbers of people by its grand and complete cures. Don't allow scrofula to develop in your blood. Cure it at once by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Executor's Sale. There will be sold at the late residence of Daniel Bohn, in Boalsburg, on Saturday, October 15th, at 1 p. m., the following personal property: Two fat hogs, bedsteads, parlor chairs, sitting-room chairs, stoves, tables, carpets, stands and many other articles. Frank and W. H. Bohn, Executors.

Improving the Town. There is a genuine boom in the town of Mill Hall. New and important industries have been started there recently and the limits of the town extended. New brick works have given employment to many additional families. The town is now considering a proposition for lighting the boro with electricity.

May Bore For Oil Again. There is another movement on foot by which the exploring for gas and oil in Gallaher township Clinton county may be resumed in the near future. It is likely that the Clinton and Lycoming prospecting company will take hold of the matter.

He's Alright. Thomas Pelky, formerly of Williamsport, who struck it rich in the Klondike gold fields, has sold some of his mining property to a French syndicate for \$600,000.

Advertisement for Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, featuring a picture of a bull and text describing the medicine's benefits for bronchitis.

Advertisement for Eastman's No. 2 Eureka Jr. camera, including a list of prices for various camera models and accessories.

Nurses Needed. The Associate Society of the Red Cross of Philadelphia, is maintaining its hospital at Camp Meade. Patients too ill to be moved to city hospitals are taken there. Its capacity to receive all these cases is inadequate because of the Society's inability to secure experienced women nurses for the nominal sum of sixteen dollars per month. Nurses willing to make the sacrifice and to engage in this laudable work will kindly apply by letter or report to "The Committee on Nurses," 1501 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia. Funds are needed to meet the increasing demands made upon the Society.—Executive Committee.

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion, featuring a picture of a man and text describing it as a strengthening food and tonic.

What Will It Do? It will arrest loss of flesh and restore to a normal condition the infant, the child and the adult. It will enrich the blood of the anemic; will stop the cough, heal the irritation of the throat and lungs, and cure incipient consumption. We make this statement because the experience of twenty-five years has proven it in tens of thousands of cases.

Halt Who comes there Oh, you are going to Aikens'. Go on, that is the place to get the latest and best.

Look at that window if you want to see what's going, in Golf Capes, Tailor-Made Suits, Coats, Wrappers, Capes, Kid and Mocka Gloves. All goods marked in plain figures. Come in, Mrs. Aikens is waiting for you.

AIKENS' STORE, Allegheny St., Bellefonte, - - Penn'a

Table listing market prices for various goods such as potatoes, eggs, and butter, with prices per bushel or pound.