

LOCAL NEWS

BRIEFLY TOLD

Happenings In and About Bellefonte

PERSONAL, SOCIAL EVENTS

Items that are Worth Noting in a Few Lines—What Has Transpired in This Community During the Past Week—Movements of Our People.

—Frank Derstine is enjoying a vacation at Atlantic City.

—Bellefonte will be represented at Atlantic City this week.

—C. C. Shuey and family started for a Monday trip to Canada.

—One or two lady compositors can secure employment at this office.

—Miss Helen Overton, of the Academy, is taking a week's sojourn at Bedford Springs.

—Read Champ Clark's letter in each issue. He will keep you informed on national topics.

—George B. Johnson, of Beaver Falls, is visiting his family, who are spending the summer here.

—St. John's Catholic church and Sunday school will picnic at Hecla Park on Tuesday, August 21st.

—Mr. John O'Connor, employed in Philadelphia in a large works, is visiting his many friends here.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Oberdorfer, of Baltimore, Md., are visiting at the home of Samuel Lewin.

—A new rifle range has been opened next door to the post office. Some fine prizes will be given to expert marksmen.

—Through the Olinger agency John L. Kurtz, cashier of the Centre county bank, has been awarded a pension of \$6 per month.

—Miss Margery Knowles, of Richmond, Va., and Miss McGary, of Philadelphia, are guests at the home of John M. Dale.

—Montgomery & Co. have made special provision for the fall trade and have laid in some choice lines. See their announcement.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Rhone, of Los Angeles, Cal., widow of the late Dr. I. W. Rhone, formerly of this place, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

—Colonel and Mrs. Jackson L. Spangler announce the engagement of their daughter, Myra Holliday, to Dr. Albert Engle Blackburn, of Philadelphia.

—Every energetic boy in Centre county can carry a good watch and call it his own. You can find out how to do it by sending your name to this office.

—Charles E. Dorworth, who holds an excellent position on the Philadelphia Press, is now visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Dorworth on High street.

—Miss Mary Kramer and Miss Anna Confair, of this place, left on Friday for an extended visit of about three weeks among friends and relatives in Pitsaun, Pa., and vicinity.

—Augustus Fetzner, of Boggs twp., aged 39, widower, was brought to the county jail on Tuesday. He is demented and will be removed to one of the state hospitals soon as the proper papers can be prepared.

—John T. Laurie, driver for the Adams Express company, is acting as a messenger on the Bald Eagle Valley road while the regular messenger is taking his vacation. Coburn Rogers is engineering Lauries former position.

—The abutments have been torn away and work commenced on the new bridge over Logan's Branch at Willowbank street. The bridge will be 58 feet wide. The borough is building the abutments and the county is putting on the superstructure.

—Philip Treaster, who a few months ago left Potters Mills for Kansas, where he purchased a property, returned last week and tells of his good luck in again selling the property at an advance of \$600 on the price he paid. Pretty good.

—A band festival will be held at Pleasant Gap, Aug. 11. There will be a monster fantastic parade at 7.00 p. m.; several bands engaged to furnish music. The usual delicacies will be served. Distribution of prizes at 10.30; concert during entire evening.

—Hon. R. M. Foster, of State College, was a pleasant caller on Monday. From the demonstration given J. K. P. Hall at the conference at Ridgway last week, he predicts that Hall will roll up an immense vote this year. "Bob" is as full of politics as ever and although he is not on the ticket this year, he is heartily for it from top to finish. He is a Democrat in office and out of it, and that is what men admire.

—Last Saturday a combination of Bellefonte ballplayers went "out in the country," as they thought, to play with some "farmers" at Pine Grove Mills, but Oh! what a surprise they got. The country lads just pounded the sphere all over the field and made a regular race course of the diamond chasing each other around to the consternation of our town sports. It was awful! how our boys did sweat great balls of perspiration! The Pine Grove farmers did them up by a score of 19 to 5.

—Mrs. Jane W. Shivery is dangerously ill at her home on North Allegheny st.

—Going a begging—republican nomination for assembly in Centre county.

—The members of the military company expect to return from encampment on Saturday evening.

—Miss Grace Armor departed Monday evening for a visit among friends in Reading and Philadelphia.

—Dr. Brockhoff left on Monday for a months trip to West Virginia, where their estate has large timber interests.

—Miss Rebecca Hewes, the little daughter of C. P. Hewes, Esq., of Erie, is visiting her aunt Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson.

—Miss Aurora Moore returned to Philadelphia to resume her duties in the office of the Union Mutual Life Insurance Co. on Tuesday.

—James L. Pacini left for Johnsonburg, Pa., on Tuesday, from a two week's visit among his old friends in Bellefonte.

—Miss Emily Valentine, after spending the winter in Baltimore, is again a guest at the home of Miss Emily Natt, on West Curtin street.

—Willis Ishler is doing clerical work in the Commissioners Office while Boyd Musser, the regular clerk, is at the National Guard encampment.

—At this season of the year we can give special attention to job printing. Don't you need a new supply of stationery? Look your stock over.

—"100 Watches Given Away" by the Centre Democrat it is no joke. That is exactly what we are agoing to do. See the announcement in another portion of this paper.

—"Edfield," with a pacing record of 2.16 1/2, owned by M. B. Garman, arrived here this week and will be kept at the new driving park until in proper shape to enter the fall races.

—Our honest old friend, John Stoner, of Millheim, has a peach orchard, in Rooddale, southside of Haines twp., containing 5000 trees. He reports the peach orchards down there are heavy with fruit.

—According to Burgess Blanchard's report to council the receipts from licenses amounted to \$39.24, out of which there was a balance of \$37.09 which was turned over to the boro treasury. That was good enough.

—Hon. John Hamilton and W. C. Patterson, of State College, have been appointed by Governor Stone as delegates from Pennsylvania to the Farmers' National Congress to be held at Colorado Springs, August 21-31.

—The Methodist Episcopal church, Sunday school and Epworth League, of Bellefonte, will picnic at Hecla park, on Thursday, August 30th. All the members and friends of these several departments of the church are most cordially invited.

—Samuel Reynolds, the colored man arrested on Saturday charged with stealing a pocketbook from Mrs. C. E. Cook, was given a hearing before Squire Keichline Monday afternoon and as there was no evidence to warrant his being held for trial he was therefore discharged.

—The Repasz band is to give a production of "The Spanish War" at Phillipsburg on Thursday evening, Aug. 23. The band will also furnish music for the grand parade of state firemen who will be in that town on the above date.

—An order has been placed by eight of our sports for rubber-tired bicycle speeding sulkeys. They are bound to have them. There will be some fast horses in the town too before the season is over.

—Wednesday the ball players had the opportunity of seeing the famous Corinthians of this place do up the boys from Boalsburg by a score of 27 to 2. They simply were out of their class, tackled too strong a team.

—The members of the sportsmen League have located a fishing lodge along the Bald Eagle, near to Howard and will have it open for several weeks during the warm weather. Bass fishing is said to be good down there this season.

—Invitations for the wedding of Miss Florence Mae Orris, of Milesburg, to Elmer E. Davis, on August 22nd, in the Methodist church at Milesburg at 12 m, have been issued. Miss Orris has been engaged in school teaching. Mr. Davis is from Rochester, and is a shoe salesman.

—There is a nice controversy between Ed Chambers and some unknown correspondent to the Daily News. Edward was charged with playing a double shuffle as Boro Solicitor and acting as attorney for the centennial crooks. In his reply he points out that he is only retained in civil cases for the town council. That is all. He winds up by volunteering some choice advice to his unknown friend.

—Register A. G. Archey and the county commissioners received a personal letter this week from the members of the Repasz band of Williamsport thanking the above gentlemen for numerous favors extended the organization while in Bellefonte, attending the centennial. By some mistake no provision was made for their lodging and the commissioners ordered the court room to be opened and Mr. Archey hustled around and got them blankets, etc., to make them comfortable.

SAMUEL BARGER KILLED.

By a Bald Eagle Train Near Milesburg Monday Morning.

Samuel Barger, aged 75 years, was struck by the west bound passenger train on the Bald Eagle valley railroad Monday forenoon and injured so badly that he died five minutes after the accident occurred. Mr. Barger was walking on the tracks between Curtin station and Milesburg when he was struck by the engine. He was the son of Nancy Barger, who died at Curtin station recently aged 107 years. He was a veteran of the civil war, and having served under General Miles, was in Bellefonte last week to pay his respects to his old commander. The old man was struck on the right side and was knocked from the track. His body was not mangled.

Samuel Barger lived alone in the old home at Roland where his aged mother passed away. His remains were taken to the home of his brother Constance at Roland where the funeral services will take place. He was born in this county and had spent most of his life at Curtin's Works. Two brothers, James and Constance survive him.

Mr. Barger had killed a mink last Saturday, and at the time when he was struck was on his way to Bellefonte to recover the one dollar bounty.

An Amusing Incident.

An amusing incident which caused lots of fun for those who saw it occurred Wednesday evening at the Pennsylvania passenger station. A party of Italian laborers who had been working on the race track at this place, were waiting to take the 8.30 train for New York City. They were amusing themselves with the weighing machine which stands outside the ladies waiting room. One of them had a five dollar gold piece which he held up to the slot to see if it would fit not intending however to drop it in, but suddenly, one of his countrymen in a spirit of mischief gave his arm a shove and the shining gold piece disappeared within the machine. Confusion reigned supreme and a riot almost ensued among the Italians. It was fun for the onlookers but not so funny for the poor Italian who lost the money. The antics of the Italians in their attempts to get the machine to disgorge the five dollar gold piece were simply ludicrous and there is no telling what would have happened had not passenger agent Hutchinson taken pity on them and come to their relief by opening the machine and restoring the shiner to the unhappy dago. It is safe to say that it will be a long time before that gang of Italian monkey with a weighing machine again.—News.

Got \$100 Damages.

John B. Mollott, a Philadelphia photographer, who recently sued the city of Altoona in the Blair county courts to recover \$100.00 damages for personal injuries sustained in a fall on an icy bridge, was Monday awarded a final judgment of \$100. Mollott claimed that his injuries rendered him a paralytic, but a detective used a camera to take a snap shot of Mollott walking briskly along York street, Philadelphia, without a cane. The photographs were produced at the trial.

Miss Hastings' Engagement.

The engagement of Miss Helen Rankin Hastings, daughter of ex-Governor Daniel H. Hastings, and Ross A. Hickok, of Harrisburg, was announced recently, and is to be terminated by their marriage in October. The wedding, which will take place at Bellefonte, is to be a large and brilliant church affair, with a large bridal party. A house party will be entertained at the Hastings home prior to the wedding.

Fire at State College.

A new barn belonging to Philip A. Foster, at State College, caught fire Wednesday morning about 10 o'clock and was totally destroyed together with all contents including a fine double carriage and sleigh, the property of a cousin of Mr. Foster. The origin of the fire is yet unknown. There was no insurance.

Contain many dark secrets—railroad tunnels.

—Next will be Business Mens Picnic. Arrangements are now being made.

—Wednesday evening an alarm of fire was sounded and the departments were called out. The cause was a slight fire at Mrs. Gingers house on Water street of a slight nature.

—The managers of the new fair, at this place, are preparing their premium list so that it can be published in due time. Purses aggregating \$2500 will be given during the week.

—Dr. M. L. and Harry Holloway, of Philadelphia, will arrive in town tomorrow to spend a portion of their summer vacation as the guests of their father, Dr. H. C. Holloway, pastor of the Lutheran church.

—The repairs at the Bellefonte furnace will be finished by Sept. 1st and then the company expect to have it in operation by the first of that month. A new shed roof is being put over the casting house now.

—Of the finishing class at the Academy this year two young men will enter Princeton University, three will enter Penn's State College and one will probably enter Lafayette. One young lady may enter Wellesley and another Smith.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

Gathered From the Various Offices About the Court House.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

{ John Galo - - - - - Clarence
{ Annie Basalo - - - - - Bellefonte
{ Miles E. Osmer - - - - -
{ Eliza M. Lieb - - - - -
{ Geo. H. Black - - - - - Bellefonte
{ Susannah A. Dale - - - - -
{ Edward E. Brown - - - - - Axemann
{ E. J. Miller - - - - - Spring twp
{ Wm. L. Burchfield - - - - - Phillipsburg
{ Sara A. Piler - - - - -
{ Romain Godisart - - - - - Hawk Run
{ Emeline Parestz - - - - -
{ Edward E. Ringe - - - - - Punxsutawney
{ Sarah R. Gessner - - - - - Bellefonte

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Sarah B. Adams to Henry J. Pletcher, April 5, 1898; 6 acres 24 perches in Howard twp. \$75.
Tamsin L. Keller to Robt G. McClellan, June 1, 1890; lot in Harris. \$25.
Luther Hanes et ux, to A. H. Swearingin, May 27, 1899; tract of land in Miles. \$1.00.
Ruth A. Sharp to Nannie B. Johnson, July 21, 1900; house and lot in Spring. \$600.
John Harpster's heirs to A. Y. Williams, Dec. 5, 1899; lot in Worth. \$200.
Commissioners of Centre County to W. C. Heinle, July 30, 1900; 21 tracts Unseated Land in Centre Co. \$106.
Wm. H. Dumbleton to Harry A. Callahan, May 27, 1900; lot in Rush. \$500.
J. B. Irish and W. H. McCausland attys in fact to Frank Reclaf, July 5, 1900; 5 22-100 acres in Rush. \$104 40.
Thos. Duke, et ux, to Alfred Hoggard, Aug. 3, 1900; 4 acres in Rush. \$475.
Phillipsburg Coal and Land Company to Samuel Walker, June 5, 1900; 13 9-10 acres in Rush twp. \$417.
W. P. Lucas et ux, to Henry J. Pletcher, March 10, 1882; 23 acres 85 perches in Howard twp. \$275.
Harry Keller et ux, to Isaac F. Heaton et ux, July 25, 1900; 25 acres in Snow Shoe. \$140.
Lehigh Valley Coal Co. to David B. Lucas, March 31, 1897; 12 2-10 acres in Snow Shoe twp. \$61.
Phillipsburg Coal and Land Co. to Samuel Walker, June 5, 1900; 13 acres 9 perches in Rush. 17 \$4

Virtues of Coal Oil.

Try the virtues of coal oil. A few drops on cloth, moistened with water, polishes windows and mirrors, removes dust from paint and furniture. Equal parts of linseed oil (boiled) and coal oil polishes oiled furniture and floors, also cleans painted floors. A tablespoonful in a boiler of clothes is equal to the best washing compound.

Two-thirds milk and one-third oil, well shaken, is the best remedy for bugs. Kerosene removes lice from poultry and cures scaly legs. Wash perches with it now and then. Sometimes it is quite effectual in the family in sore throat, rubbing on outside with the hand. This, however, is only for sore throats from cold, as sore throat with fever and pain need a physician every time. Best medical authority advises coal oil for hair tonic, rubbing in scalp thoroughly with ends of fingers applying at least once a month. The odor quickly passes away. Nothing better for cleaning zinc and tin.

Second Week Discontinued.

Owing to the hot weather and the small amount of business to be called up, the attorneys have petitioned that the second week of August Court be dispensed with, and we understand the same has been granted by Judge Love. This means that all the jurors, who were summoned for that session, need not come to Bellefonte on that week and they will be regularly notified accordingly by the Sheriff. The cases put on the trial list will be continued to the November session. This course has been pursued several times prior to this.

Married.

At the Lutheran parsonage Thursday evening, Miles E. Osmer and Miss Lidie Mitchell Lieb, both of this place were married. The affair was a very quiet one owing to the serious illness of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mitchell Lieb. It is their expectation to make their future home in Los Angeles, California, where Mr Osmer has spent several years.

School Teachers Selected.

The school board of Howard borough recently elected the following teachers for the ensuing term: Principal, E. E. Holter, Howard; grammar, Ralph Hall, Beech Creek; intermediate, Joseph Weirick, Howard; primary, Sarah Bechdel, Romola.

Sunday School Picnic.

The Union Sunday school of Farmers Mills will hold a basket picnic at the Union church on Saturday, August 11. In the evening a festival will be held at the same place.

Married.

At the M. E. parsonage, Snow Shoe, Pa., on July 31, 1900, by Rev. T. S. Paus, Edward W. Cole, of Pottersdale, Clearfield Co., Pa., and Miss Mary C. Watson, of Snow Shoe, Pa.

In these days no man has acquired true fame until he has figured in moving pictures.

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

RECENT DEATHS.

GEORGE WARD:—Died Wednesday evening, at his home here, near McCalmont's quarries. He had an abscess on his neck that caused blood poisoning. His age was 45; leaves a wife and eight children. Interment Union cemetery Friday.

MRS. JOHN LONG:—Died at Mill Hall Tuesday morning of cancer. She was about 55 years old, and is survived by her husband and two children, Wilson, of Tarentum, Pa. and Mrs. William Hendricks, of Mill Hall. Interment at Eagleville Thursday morning.

WILLIAM LEE:—Colored, of this place, died in the Jefferson county hospital at Punxsutawney, Friday afternoon, while undergoing an operation for appendicitis. He was 38 years old and a native of Virginia. He had lived here for the past fifteen years and is survived by his wife. The remains were brought here for interment which occurred on Wednesday.

LEVI KREBS:—Of Pine Grove Mills, died at his home Friday morning of cancer of the stomach. He was a retired farmer and resided a short distance from Pine Grove Mills. Mr. Krebs was a brother of Ex-Judge Krebs of Clearfield. He is survived by a wife and eight children, six sons and two daughters. One son, William, resides in Kansas. The funeral occurred from his late residence on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Interment in the Pine Grove cemetery.

IRWIN SHAW:—A prominent citizen of Clearfield County and United States Consul at Baranquilla, South America, died while on his way home on a leave of absence. Mr. Shaw was 39 years old, a lawyer by profession and a leading member of the Clearfield County bar. He served several terms as Chairman of the Republican county committee. Mr. Shaw was well known to many of our citizens, he was a nephew of Col. E. A. Irwin, of Curwensville, and Hon. W. C. Arnold, of DuBois.

JOHN ELLENBERGER:—After an illness extending over three years, from paralysis, John Ellenberger died at his home in Sinking Valley at 3:25 o'clock Thursday afternoon. He was aged 66 years 11 months and 9 days, having been born at Gatesburg, Centre county, August 24, 1833. He was engaged in farming, until advance age. He resided on the old homestead at Gatesburg until about twenty years ago where he removed to Sinking valley, upon the farm where he died. He served his country during the War of the Rebellion, and was a member of Post 172, G. A. R., of Tyrone. His wife survives him, along with the following children: Milton A., of Elkhurst; Irvin W. and Millie L., of Sinking valley; Wm. H., and Mrs. Geo. James, of Tyrone. Three brothers and three sisters also survive him, as follows: Isaac, William and Samuel Ellenberger, Mrs. Emeline Gates, Mrs. Matthew Rider and Mrs. Betsy Gates, all of Gatesburg.

LEVI KREBS:—After a long illness of cancer of the stomach, the spirit of Levi Krebs took its flight at 2:30 am., of the 2nd inst. He had been a constant sufferer for some years, but bore his invalid condition most courageously, without a murmur. Last spring he went to the Presbyterian hospital, in Philadelphia, for treatment, where the doctors gave him no encouragement. Some six weeks ago he took to his bed, and continued growing worse until death relieved his suffering. Mr. Krebs was one of the best known residents in that end of the county. He was a Lutheran, politically a Democrat of the Jacksonian school, and a farmer whose thrift and industry left as a legacy one of the finest farms on which he spent his entire life, except two years in Kansas. On account of ill health he retired to that town where he has since lived in the new Presbyterian parsonage. He was the second son of Henry and Catherine Krebs, and was born at the old Krebs home west of there, March 6, 1835, and spent his early days on the farm. At the age of nineteen his father sent him to a music school in Boston. On his return he taught singing school in various localities. Dec. 1st, 1857 he was married to Margaret Goss. This union was blessed with three daughters and six sons. The oldest died in infancy, Luther and Ira are practicing attorneys in Salt Lake city, Clyde and Oscar are merchants, R. Milton is a dentist in Pine Grove Mills, Elsie is the wife of J. Claton Corl and lives on the farm, Linnie and Ori at home. His wife, Margaret, preceded him to the grave June 13, 1884. Some three years later he married Miss Agnes, daughter of Major Ross. His aged mother and one brother, ex-judge David L. Krebs, of Clearfield, mourn his death. Interment took place last Saturday am., at 10 o'clock in the new cemetery.

New Principal.

Prof. I. H. Mauser will tender his resignation as principal of the Lock Haven high school board Friday evening. Prof. Mauser will go to Phillipsburg, in which place he has been unanimously elected superintendent of the public schools at a salary of \$1,200 a year. Prof. Mauser was elected from twelve or fifteen applicants. There are sixteen schools in the town having an attendance of about 600. Prof. Mauser was elected principal of the high school, of Lock Haven, four years ago.

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In order to make room in our overcrowded store we must close out the balance of our Oxfords. Prices to suit everybody from 40c to \$2 per pair. Come early and get your size as they must go.

The finest line of shoes ever brought to Centre county is the ...WALK-OVERS... for fall. They will be here early. See them.

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Hood's Pills Are prepared from Nature's mild laxatives, and while gentle are reliable and efficient. They Rouse the Liver

Cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, and Constipation. Sold everywhere, 25c. per box. Prepared by C. L. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Keep Your Feet Cool.....

YOU are often advised to keep the feet warm and the head cool, but that advice is for Winter only. Keep your feet cool and your temperature is likely to be lower than if you paid no attention to the clothing of your feet.

Many people dress their feet as warm in Summer as in Winter. They ought not.

Not when we've light weight, low-cut shoes in such plentiful numbers. Not when prices are so low as here. No; indeed. There is no excuse for having the feet warm, uncomfortable and perspiring.

MINGLE'S SHOE STORE, Bellefonte, Pa.

Lock Haven Markets. Prices of produce at the Lock Haven curb market Wednesday were as follows: butter, per pound 25 to 28c; eggs, per doz 14c; onions, per bunch, 5c; radishes per bunch 4 to 5c; huckleberries per qt 8c; blackberries, per quart 5c; new potatoes, per peck, 18 to 20c; string beans, per peck 40c; spring chickens, per pair 50 to 60c; apples, per peck 10c; pears, per peck 15 to 20c.

Bellefonte Markets. The following prices are paid by SECHLER & Co., for produce: Eggs, per dozen..... 12 Lard, per pound..... 08 Tallow, per pound..... 08 Butter, per pound..... 07 Sides, per pound..... 07 Shoulder, per pound..... 07

The following prices are paid by PHOENIX MILLING Co., for grain: Red wheat per bushel..... 75 Rye, per bushel..... 48 Corn, ears per bushel..... 46 Corn, shelled per bushel..... 49 Barley per bushel..... 30 Oats, per bushel..... 30

Coburn Markets. Following are the prices paid for grain by the dealers at Coburn: Wheat (old) per bushel..... 70 Corn, new white..... 40 Oats..... 30 Rye..... 40 Barley..... 30