

HAPPENINGS ABOUT TOWN

The Local News Compiled During the Week

BRIEFLY TOLD IN A FEW LINES

Movements of Our People—Personal Mention, Society Events—What Has Transpired Worthy of Mention—Short Paragraphs. —Some correspondence reached us too late last week for insertion. —Harry Otto left Saturday for Johnstown, where he has secured employment. —The Coleville band puts the cover over the piano and "takes the rag off the bush." —Maurie Otto, of Niagara Falls, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Otto. —James A. Feidler, of Sharon, Pa., paid his friends in Bellefonte a short visit last week. —Miss Margery Knowles, of Richmond, is a guest at the home of John M. Dale, Esq.,

—The best dressed men you meet are in the shoes we sell—Mingle's. —Charles E. Dorworth, political writer on the Pittsburg Times, is home on a vacation. —Wallace Gephart left Monday evening for Princeton College to resume his studies. —Michael Hess and his son, John, left on Tuesday afternoon for the Buffalo Exposition. —If style and price are an object, we shall sell every lady in town her winter shoes—Mingle's. —Miss Barrows, of Baltimore, is a guest at the home of the Misses Armor, on East Linn street. —Roger T. Bayard left Saturday for Bradford and will visit the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo. —Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hutchinson and children are visiting at the home of Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson, on East Howard street. —Mr. and Mrs. Homer O. Barr, of Boalsburg, were visitors at the home of his sister, Mrs. Emma P. Wilson, on East High street, last week. —Rev. Z. A. Yearick, of Shenandoah, Pa., delivered an able sermon in the Reformed church on last Sabbath. He is a native of Marion twp. —To make room for matter relating to the assassination of the president, our Historical Review and other matter is omitted for next week's issue. —E. F. Saylor, wire chief of the West Branch Telephone Company, whose headquarters are at Williamsport, was the guest of Nelson E. Robb, at this place over Sunday. —There will be services in the Reformed church next Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours, and at Zion in the afternoon. Rev. J. Rauch Stine, of Harrisburg, will officiate. —Col. James P. Coburn and William P. Humes left Wednesday afternoon for Canton, Ohio, to attend the obsequies of the late President McKinley in that city to-day. Gen. Hastings also went to Canton. —Rev. Geo. E. Lambert, pastor of the Reformed church of Danville, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bower over Sunday. Rev. Lambert is a native of Madisonburg and has risen to prominence in the ministry. —Robert Cole, the Bellefonte architect, has been elected the architect for the building of the new hospital in Lock Haven. He understands his business and will give the people of that city a building of which they can be proud. —A basket of most luscious peaches' from the thriving orchard of ex sheriff Shaffer, of Nittany, was kindly presented to ye editor, and were so choice in every respect that we cannot forbear to offer our esteemed friend thanks commensurate with the fruit. May he be spared to gather many crops of the kind. —Mrs. Edith Schrad and J. L. Seibert, of this place, Nell Meek, of Johnstown, who is a member of the Centre county association, G. W. Litzel and H. S. Braucht, of Spring Mills, and Coons, of Scotia, will represent the Centre County Medical Association at the state convention, which meets in Philadelphia Sept. 23rd. —The post office department at Washington has directed that the post offices throughout the country shall be closed on Thursday, out of respect to the memory of the late President McKinley. In obedience to this order the Bellefonte post office will be open only from 10:30 to 11:00 a. m. for the delivering of mail. The carriers will make only the early morning collection and delivery. —James J. Gramley and wife, who have been spending the past summer among relatives in Illinois, arrived home on Saturday and are all the better for the trip. Mr. Gramley was very favorably impressed with Illinois and was a close observer of their methods of farming and living. It is likely that he and Mrs. Gramley will make their home at Rebersburg, with Mr. Gramley's mother. —The contracts for the erection of the Petriken Hall for the ladies of the W. C. T. U. of this place were awarded this week. John Noll puts up the foundation and Isaac Miller has the completion of the building at \$12,456. The cost of the building with pavements and inside furnishings, sealing, etc., will put it near to \$14,000. Frank Wallace starts soon as possible on the brick work and it is expected that it will be under-roof before winter sets in and finished by April 1st, 1902. Robt Cole's plans were approved. —Last week's fair brought in some of the "old-timers," and among these was colonel J. D. Hubler, dentist, of Tyersville, a native of Haines township and a sprig of the once prominent Habler family of that end of Penns valley, who owned one of the best farms in the valley, and were noted for their influence and hospitality and endless cleverness. That Hubler family sprung from among the early settlers and became widely connected. The subject of this squib, colonel David, or Dave as he went by, was ever jolly and we found him the same old Dave as of old. He was born of a military spirit and grew up in that faith, and was a prominent figure at musters and battalions, and finally rose to become Colonel of the volunteer regiment which position he held when the annual battalion was abolished at the beginning of the civil war. Dave is a good fellow to meet and have a talk with about "old times," and looks healthy and portly enough to fill a large judge's chair.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE. Gathered from the Various Offices About the Court House. MARRIAGE LICENSES { George W. Darr - - - - Bellefonte { Sadie B. Thorp - - - - Yarnell { William C. Kalder - - - - Millmont { Anna Reiarick - - - - " { William Harshbarger - - - - Osceola Mills { Ida Glasgow - - - - Tusseyville { H. B. Mallory - - - - Altoona { Emma Johnson - - - - Bellefonte { Samuel T. Bowmaster - - - - Fleming { Elmira Tresslar - - - - Filmore { H. W. Greenoble - - - - Cumberland, Md. { Mary H. Bartholomew - - - - Centre Hall { Maurice M. Overly - - - - Mammoth, Pa. { Eliz. W. Wagner - - - - Martha { Alex. D. Ingram - - - - Pittsburg { Anna L. Watson - - - - Unionville REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Caroline Rumberger to Mary Ann Herd, Sept. 14, 1901; lot in Phillipsburg, \$2000. P. E. Womelsdorf to Herbert H. Ashman, Sept. 3, 1901; 1/4 of a lot in Phillipsburg, \$2750. Harrison Kline treasurer to S. P. Wolverton et al, August 20, 1898; 141 acres in Burnsides, \$5,340. Mary F. Blanchard to Martha S. Packer, June 1, 1901; house and lot in Howard twp., \$550. Andrew B. Herd et ux to Caroline Rumberger, Jan. 17, 1899; 1 lot in Phillipsburg, \$2300. J. Kyle McFarlane et ux to Frank McFarlane et al, August 31, 1901; two tracts in Benner, \$9280. Ellen Furey to Catharine Speer, Sept. 1, 1890; 1 1/2 interest in 150 acres in Benner, \$100. A. V. Larimer, to Catharine Larimer, June 19, 1877; 8 1/2 interest in 150 acres in Benner, \$5000. Jacob Fishburn et ux to Mary Pratt, Nov. 15, 1869; 80 perches in Benner, \$40. Annie Tobin to W. D. O'Brien, March 12, 1901; lot in Snow Shoe, \$700. MEMORIAL SERVICES. Citizens' memorial services of our late president William McKinley, will be held in the Court House, under the auspices of Gregg Post, No. 95, on Thursday evening, Sept. 19, at 8 o'clock. All citizens invited to participate. JAMES HARRIS, Post Commander. PROGRAMME. Prayer - Rev. Geo. I. Brown Singing, "Lead Kindly Light," - Choir Address - Hon. Jno. G. Love "Nearer My God to Thee," - Choir Address - Hon. A. O. Forst "America," - Choir Address - E. L. Orvis, Esq. Singing, "Jesus Lover of My Soul," - Choir Address - Hon. W. C. Heinie "America," - Choir Address - H. S. Taylor "America," - Choir Address - D. F. Fortney Singing, "America," - Choir Prayer - Rev. W. P. Shriner, D. D. Doxology - Benediction. SERVICES SUNDAY EVENING. A memorial service was held in the M. E. church on last Sabbath evening in memory of President McKinley. The large audience room was crowded to its utmost capacity at an early hour, and the solemnity of the occasion was preserved throughout the exercises. The service was beautiful as well as appropriate, as nearly all the pastors of the various churches were present, and assisted in the exercises. The first address was made by Dr. Holloway, of the Lutheran church, who spoke principally of the personal character of the departed president and paid an eloquent tribute to the purity of his life. Dr. Lowrie, of the Presbyterian church, went to some length in reviewing President McKinley's official career. In the hymns the immense audience, consisting of people of all denominations, joined with their voices, led by united choir, and the effect was profoundly thrilling. On Saturday forenoon, all the church bells of the town, at an appointed hour, tolled the death of the assassinated president, and the town and vicinity were in gloom. EXERCISES BY THE SCHOOLS. The public schools of Bellefonte will hold memorial exercises Thursday morning beginning at 10 o'clock. An appropriate program has been prepared. Dr. H. C. Holloway, Senator Heinie, Col. W. P. Reeder, J. C. Meyer, Esq., and D. P. Fortney, Esq. will address the schools at the Brick building and Dr. W. P. Shriner, Rev. W. H. Brown, Clement Dale, Esq., and J. Kennedy Johnston, Esq., will speak at the Stone building. The public schools at Pleasant View will hold memorial exercises in the Pleasant View chapel this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Capt. H. S. Taylor will deliver an address and appropriate music and readings will make up the program. BANKS CLOSED TO-DAY. The several banks in Bellefonte will respect the request of the governor of the Commonwealth for a suspension of business on Thursday the day of President McKinley's funeral at Canton, and will close their doors to all business on that day. A memorial service in honor of our late president will be held in St. John's Episcopal church, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. George Israel Brown, the rector of the church, officiating. All are welcome. Memorial Services. On this, Thursday, afternoon memorial services will be held in the granite Auditorium, in memory of the deceased president, in which all the ministers of Centre Hall and other parts of the county, will take part.

VARIETY OF COUNTY NEWS Items of Interest Gathered From All Sections. SHORT AND TO THE POINT What Transpired Worthy of Brief Mention, the Past Week—News From Over the County—For Hasty Readers—A New Department. Irvin A. Meyer, of Haines twp., has gone to Philadelphia to complete his course in the musical institute. When you have anything to sell, rent, trade, or buy try our Free Want Department. Cost nothing and will bring quick results. Among the exhibits at the Centre County Fair last week to attract attention were the Angora goats from Col. Reynolds' farms in Benner twp. Amos Ward, who had been working in the Baldwin Locomotive Works at Philadelphia, has given up his position there and has returned to his Centre county home. The annual Buffalo Run M. E. church reunion will be held at Waddle on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, September 27th, 28th and 29. The reunion was a feature inaugurated last fall. O. W. Bowersox, living on the Prof. Hamilton farm, 1 1/2 miles north of State College, will sell his farm stock and implements at public sale on Saturday, October 26. It will be a large sale. William Fishburn, who left Centre county about eighteen years ago, returned last week and expects to spend some time visiting his brothers and other relatives here. He is farming in Nebraska. Anna McEntire, Frenchtown, N. J., Louise Lemmerman, Hasbrouck Heights, N. J. and Florence Luckenbach, Bethlehem, Pa., members of class of 1899 of Moravian Seminary, at Bethlehem, Pa., are visiting Miss Freda Hess, of Linden Hall, Pa. The engagement of Miss Annie N. Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Brooks, of Pleasant Gap, and Harry Getzler has been publicly announced and the wedding will be celebrated at the home of the bride's parents on Thursday, the 26th, at 5 o'clock. Mr. Getzler is a son of Henry Getzler, but has been employed for more than a year in the Penna. Railroad shops at Altoona. James Shoeneft, of Osceola Mills; John Ryan, of Bellefonte, and James O'Donohue, of Tyrone, employed in the Tyrone Foundry and Machine shop, were badly burned Monday afternoon by an explosion of hot metal. Shoeneft was the most seriously injured, as the clothing was burned from his back. The other two men were not burned to such an extent as to be considered dangerous. Charles Neidigh, little son of Jacob Neidigh, of Ferguson, met with a serious accident. His father was working a manure spreader and the little fellow was following in the rear. Suddenly the spreader flew out of gear and the spikes caught the lad's arm stripping it of flesh and muscle besides inflicting several wounds on his head before the machine could be stopped. William Hess, of Boalsburg, took unto himself a wife in the person of Miss Ella C. Messenger, daughter of John Messenger, of Colver. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Rearick at 4 o'clock on 10th, and after a supper and reception at the groom's home at Boalsburg, Mr. Hess and his bride returned from their wedding trip and on Sunday last arrived in this place stopping at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stitzer, and from thence proceeded to their home in Boalsburg. The wedding trip took in the Buffalo Exposition. IN ADJOINING COUNTIES. The Lutheran Synod of Central Pennsylvania meets at Millifinburg, September 25. During the past few weeks over twenty-five head of cattle have been found dead in the herd that have been pasturing near Penfield. John Shaw, a well known resident of Eagleville, sustained a stroke of paralysis Thursday last, from which he is slowly recovering. The creamery plant of the Pleasant Valley Creamery Company, of Milton, Union county, located at Kelly X Roads, was totally destroyed by fire on Friday evening. The general store and large warehouse of J. M. Cronley, at Forest Hill, Union county, was totally destroyed by fire along with all contents on Saturday evening 7th. Daniel Paul, son of John Paul, of Woodward township, was fatally injured on 12, in the fire clay mines of the Pennsylvania fire brick company at Monument. The young man's injuries resulted in his death a few hours later. The fourth annual session of the United Evangelical Village camp of Sugar valley, will commence in the Albright church, Loganton, October 3, and continue six days. The meeting will be in charge of Rev. S. P. Reames, P. E. of Lewisburg. B. Frank Thompson, while driving to his home at Beech Creek, from Bellefonte Saturday night, collided with a heavy wagon between Bellefonte and Eagle-

ville, resulting in the overturning of his buggy and throwing him out. His horse was easily controlled and did not become much frightened. The buggy was somewhat damaged. The work of erecting the derrick on the farm of William Gammo, in Bald Eagle township is completed and all ready for "swinging" the drilling tools. The derrick is 74 feet high and has been constructed in a most substantial manner. This is about five miles from Lock Haven, and if they "strike oil" our neighbors down there will find their city riding on a big boom. William E. Dodge, of Williamsport, a well known base ball player, has unexpectedly fallen heir to a fortune of \$100,000, two-thirds of which is in cash and the balance in real estate. In 1876 Mr. Dodge's father, J. W. Dodge, then residing in Lock Haven, started for the west and located in the Black Hills. Nothing was heard from him until a few months ago, when a letter was received from R. J. Baldwin, an attorney at Seattle, Wash., stating that Mr. Dodge had died in that city leaving a large estate, and that the writer was trying to locate his local heirs. THE FAIR A SUCCESS. The promoters of the Centre County Fair are much gratified over the result of the second county fair held under the new management, last week. Despite the unfavorable weather, as there were threatening clouds and more or less rain each day, except Saturday, the attendance was very large. On Thursday there were at least eight thousand people on the ground, while a great many who contemplated coming remained at home fearing the rain. On the other days there was good attendance. For the week, it is closely estimated that the attendance aggregated eighteen thousand. The line of exhibits was good, but can be made larger as the public become more interested in the enterprise. There was plenty and a variety of amusement to entertain all who came. The track was in poor condition so that only a few of the races could be given. The rain made it soggy and unsafe for those who had good horses, and were liable to injure them by slipping or falling. The attendance has fully demonstrated to the management that the people appreciate their efforts, and they now are assured as to the future success of the undertaking. Knowing this, other needed improvements on the grounds will be made so as to give larger room for displays of all kinds. Next year they will endeavor to introduce entirely a new line of amusements and on a more elaborate scale. It is also quite likely that the time of holding the fair will be changed to about the first week of October. The location of the ground has shown that it is easy of access from all points of the county and adjoining counties, as there were many people here from Lock Haven and Tyrone on the various days. The fair was also a benefit to our town from a business point. The crowds that were here not only patronized the hotels, but the various merchants were more than occupied waiting on the customers from out of town. For this reason it is proper to take an interest in the fair in every way possible and when next year comes around help to make it a greater success than ever. RECENT DEATHS. TERRY READDY—An aged citizen of Eagleville, died on Monday, 9th. BERTHA MILLER—aged 23 years, died Friday morning at five o'clock, at the home of her father, Henry Miller, on Reynolds avenue, of consumption. Deceased is survived by a father, husband and one child. ANNA MARY RICHARDS—passed away peacefully at Julian, on Tuesday, September 10th, after an illness of several weeks of congestion of the lungs, at the age of 33 years. She leaves to mourn her loss, besides her father the following brothers and sisters: James Myers, of Blue Ball, Clearfield county; Jacob, at Julian; Mrs. Rebecca Parsons, Graham; Miss Mertie, at Julian, and Mrs. Maggie Price, of Birmingham, Huntingdon Co. Her remains were interred in the Henderson cemetery. MRS. CATHARINE SPOTTS—wife of S. M. Spotts, died at Tyrone, Monday morning, of typhoid fever, aged 39 years, 6 months and 14 days. The deceased's maiden name was Catherine Cowher. She was the daughter of Samuel and Sarah Cowher, and was born in Centre county. Surviving are the husband, one daughter and three sons, viz: Mrs. Geo. Alonzo, of Tyrone, and Clifford O., Jacob and Ray, at the family home. Besides the mother of the deceased, one sister, Mrs. Frank Woodring, survives and resides in Tyrone. Two half brother and one half sister survive also: Thomas Newman, Frank Newman, and Miss Nora Newman, all of Phillipsburg. A House Burned. The large frame house on the farm owned by William Whitmer, and occupied by James C. Whitmer, three miles west of Bellefonte, was burned to the ground, on Friday morning the 6th, with over half its contents. Mr. Whitmer's loss is heavy. —If we haven't the best shoes in town, we'd like to know it—Mingles.

Weather Report. Weekly report—Bellefonte Station. DATE TEMPERATURE 1901 Maximum Minimum Sept. 12, cloudy 75 61 13, part cloudy 75 60 14, clear 75 63 15, cloudy 76 64 16, clear 75 60 17, cloudy 75 56 18, cloudy 65 47 Rainfall: On 12th, 34 inch on 15th, morning, 16 inch; on 17th, forenoon, 41 inch. PROF. J. ANGEL an expert EYE SPECIALIST with headquarters at 714 Centre St., Williamsport, Pa., will be at the Bush House on Tuesday, Oct. 8th. Office hours 10 to 12, a. m. 7:30 to 7, p. m. Those who suffer with headache, weak eyes or tired vision, will be well repaid by calling on the Professor. His prices will suit everybody. Reading and sewing glasses from \$1.50 per pair and up. AUDITORS' NOTICE In the Orphan's Court of Centre county, in the matter of the estate of DAVID HARKSTEL, of Ferguson township, deceased. The undersigned an auditor appointed by said court to distribute balance in the hands of the accountant to and among those locally entitled to receive the same, will attend to the duties of his appointment on Saturday the 6th day of October, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at his office in Eagle Block, in the borough of Bellefonte, Pa., when and where all persons interested in said estate can attend or be forever debarred. S. D. GETTIG Auditor. NOTICE To the citizens of Spring Township—According to Act of Assembly approved July 11th, 1860, the various school boards are compelled to enforce the Compulsory School Law under fines and a forfeit of one-fourth our state appropriation, if not enforced. The school board of Spring township hereby notify the parents and guardians that all children between the ages of eight and sixteen years must attend school continuously until excused according to provisions of said Act. By order of R. M. KAUF, Secy. SCHOOL BOARD. Sept. 17, 1901. FREE AD COLUMN Advertisements "For Sale," "Wanted," etc., when not exceeding 20 words, will be inserted in one issue FREE for all patrons of this paper. Advertisements exceeding 20 words will be charged a PENNY A WORD for what is in excess of that number. Each subsequent issue of the same advertisement will cost at the rate of a penny a word. Our patrons are urged to make use of this Free Want Department whenever they have anything to buy, sell, rent, secure employment, etc. As this paper goes into over 2000 homes each week it will prove of great value to you. FOR SALE: FARM FOR SALE—1/2 mile north of Linden Hall, 92 acres, 5/8 clear, with outbuildings, Samuel Elipka. FOR SALE—Farm 186 acres, lime and free stone; high grade brick clay and best quality limestone. Inquire at this office. FOR SALE—The hotel, at Blackard, Pa., known as the DeLong property, consisting of a large frame building and good barn, now occupied by James I. DeLong, is offered at private sale. Owing to the large brick works and other industries being established in that immediate locality, this is a valuable hotel stand. Possession can be given October 1st, 1902. For terms and other information apply to W. G. Rankie, Attorney, Bellefonte, Pa. GOOD PROPERTY FOR SALE—Fred Wiegand offers for sale the "Frank Property," situated on the south side of public road leading from Mileburg to Turin, on the north side of Paradise creek, to Berge township, about 2 1/2 miles east of Mileburg and one mile from Turin, containing 3 acres more or less, originally part of the Harvey farm; on it being a good foundation for a house, all the necessary out buildings, about seventy five peach trees, apple orchards, plums, quinces and nuts. The property will be sold with immediate possession will be given on payment of the purchase money. See the undersigned at once. S. D. GETTIG, Bellefonte, Pa., or IRVIN HARVEY, Roland, Pa. WANTED: WANTED—A lady to care for an aged lady—an invalid—must be strong. Good wages for right person. Apply at this office. WANTED—A purse in Bellefonte on Saturday morning, containing about \$2 in paper money. A liberal reward will be given by Lyman Rieker, Zion, Pa. WANTED—On Friday about the centre of the fair ground, a lady's silver watch, stem winder, closed case. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at this office. WANTED—300 bushels of potatoes at local prices. J. H. Reidsnyder, Millheim, Pa. WANTED—A live, wide awake correspondent is wanted at every point in this county to report the news regularly for this paper. Send us the news, we'll print it. WANTED—To find a paper in Centre county that publishes more news than the Centre Democrat. WANTED—A wife; must be good looking, an American, in her thirties; willing to look after the interests of a farmer's home. Address: W. H. St. Louse, Pa. WANTED—We want the business men of the community to realize that the circulation of this paper each week is over 2000. WANTED—A boy about 16 years old, living in Bellefonte, can secure position in this office to learn printing trade. WANTED—30,000 bushels of apples. Address the Bellefonte Produce Co., Bellefonte, Pa. WANTED—If your neighbor constantly borrows your Centre Democrat we want you to remind him that it cost but one dollar per year in advance. WANTED—We want every patron of this paper, whenever he has anything to sell, rent, loan, etc., to make use of this "Free Want Column," it will be seen and read in over 2000 homes in Centre county. WANTED—Several persons of character and good reputation in each of the counties of this county required to represent and advertise old established wealthy business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$1500 weekly with expenses additional. \$25 payable in cash each Wednesday direct from head office. Horse and carriage furnished when necessary. References: Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Manager, 316 Caxton Building, Chicago, Ill. MARKET QUOTATIONS Bellefonte—Produce. The following prices are paid by SCHUBERT & CO., for produce: Eggs, per dozen 13 Lard, per pound 10 Butter, per pound 20 Rice, per pound 20 Beans, per pound 12 Shoulder, per pound 5 Bellefonte—Grain. The following prices are paid by C. Y. WAGNER for grain: Wheat, old 65 Wheat, new 63 Oats, old 45 Oats, new 43 Barley 45 Corn, shelled 55