

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

—Candidate Heaton was in town on business not connected with electioneering.

—A heavy shower on Tuesday evening filled up gutters and washed away loose sod.

—Mrs. Harvey Yarrington, of Richmond, Va., is visiting friends in Bellefonte.

—W. E. Gray, Esq., left Monday for a week's visit in Philadelphia and at the seashore.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Richard are making an extended visit with Philadelphia friends.

—William Ammerman, of Shamokin, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Eliza Ammerman, of this place.

—Mrs. Louisa Bush, who was in Philadelphia visiting her sister, has been quite ill of late, is home again.

—The Undine Fire company of Bellefonte are arranging a program for their 4th of July picnic at Hecla Park.

—Esq. Housman, of Tusseyville, and Esq. Horace Herring, of Penn Hall, transacted business in town Monday.

—Samuel Garis, now working in Philadelphia at his trade as a moulder, is visiting his mother, Mrs. William Garis.

—Trees are in blossom and from an elevation make nature look lovely, besides being indicative of a large fruit crop.

—The county's school fathers were in town in full force on Tuesday, in a good humored fight on the school superintendent.

—The New Brockerhoff, under its new landlord, dating from first of the month, is running along to the satisfaction of its trade.

—Bob Hunter's gasoline bicycle, is a husher, pusher and puffer, and beats anything around here on four legs as a goer, up or down hill.

—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jones and two children, of Tyrone, visited Mrs. Jones father, Monroe Armor, of East Linn street over Sunday.

—Willis Williams left Saturday morning for Pittsburg where he has secured employment in McCarthy & Cos. large painting establishment.

—A city firm has taken hold of Albert Roberts' wonderful diphtheria cure and has ordered him to make 12,000 packages for them as soon as possible.

—Frank Woomey, formerly connected with the Bellefonte steam laundry, is now managing a laundry in Jersey Shore. Clarence Smith has his place here.

—Mrs. John Sharp, accompanied by her two daughters, Eva and Bessie, departed Monday morning for a month's visit at their former home in Trenton, N. Y.

—Ex-Governor D. H. Hastings and Cashier Isaac Mitchell of the Jackson, Hastings & Company bank, left Tuesday afternoon for a business trip through Cambria county.

—The entertainment given in Petriken Hall, by the Coleville band proved a delightful event. The attendance was large and the various features of the programme were appreciated.

—The Millheim horse sale last Thursday was a success. All of the animals were sold at an average of \$162.50. R. B. Taylor, of town, bought a fine team of sorrels for \$425; the finest in the lot.

—E. J. Vonada, of Coburn, and Lute Kreamer, of Woodward, transacted business here on Monday. Ed. Braught, of Coburn, one of the prominent teachers of our county, was also in town attending court.

—Misses Louise and Grace Armor, Mame Hamilton, Jennie Harper, Adeline Lyons, Helen and Eva Crissman attended a large dance given by the Terpsichorean society at State College last Friday evening.

—Harvey McClure, son of James J. McClure, of Bellefonte, has secured an excellent position in Laird's large shoe establishment in Pittsburg. He is in the ladies' department and therefore in his element.

—The Coleville band concert in Petriken Hall, Thursday evening, was an excellent affair, and well attended. The band keeps up its reputation. The parts of the program other than the band renditions, were well received and the efforts of Bellefonte home talent a success.

—Rev. W. J. Wagner, of Glasgow, Cambria county, was in this vicinity a few days last week, having accompanied Mrs. Wagner—a daughter of Hezekiah Hoy, of Bcnner twp.—to the parents home to recuperate her health. Rev. Wagner is a son of our esteemed friend Jacob Wagner, of Potter, and has been serving his flock at Glasgow for a number of years to the entire satisfaction of his charge. He at one time temporarily served the Centre Hall Lutheran charge.

—Women's \$2.00 shoes \$1.75—Mingle's.

—Have you been watching the label on your paper?

—On the question of job printing we can interest you.

—The curb market will open next Saturday, May 10.

—James Ginter, Bellefonte, had pension increased to \$12.

—Councilman William Derstine is confined to his home by illness.

—Mrs. Al. Garman, of Tyrone, was a Bellefonte visitor over Sunday.

—Tell your neighbor to subscribe—cheaper than borrowing each week.

—Dr. Sebring has removed his office to corner of Spring and Bishop Sts. x19

—James Ginter, of Bellefonte, has been granted a pension of \$12 per month by the government.

—James A. B. Miller, Esq., is about again after an illness with inflammation of the appendix.

—We would like to hear from other correspondents this week as to the condition of the crop.

—Joseph Fox left for Philipsburg on Tuesday, where he has secured a good position in a store.

—No one can afford to miss our offer of \$4 photos for \$1.69, until June 29th. Mallory & Taylor.

—John V. Sullivan, of Altoona, is dispensing liquors at the Brockerhoff House, under the new management.

—County Chairman John J. Bower was made to rejoice on Monday over the advent of a bright boy at their home.

—Next entertainment will be "The Bellefonters" in the opera house, Thursday and Friday evening of next week.

—The Bellefonte Academy nine won another game Saturday by defeating the Howard Amateurs by a score of 23 to 3.

—Why delay? Only a short time for our \$4 photos at \$1.69 the dozen. The beautiful, permanent finish. Mallory & Taylor.

—Mrs. J. G. Meyers, of Aaronsburg, was a visitor a few days last week at the home of her step-son, J. C. Meyers, Esq., of this place.

—Harry Walkey and Ad Fauble were to Lock Haven Tuesday evening where they were initiated into the mysteries of the Beneficent Order of Elks.

—The following have been allowed an increase of pension: Wm. A. Ishler, Bellefonte \$8. Jacob A. Fisher, Aaronsburg, \$12. Josephine B. Lewie, Philipsburg, \$8.

—Cornelius Stover, of Rebersburg, C. W. Wolf, of near Aaronsburg, Jerry P. Heckman, of Gregg, and Jared Kreamer, of Rebersburg, were among arrivals at Bellefonte beginning of the week.

—The ladies of St. John's Episcopal church will hold a cake and candy festival next Saturday afternoon and evening in rooms in the building formerly occupied by Miss Mary McGill, as a boarding house.

—The Junior Oratorical contest, by the students of the High School, for the Reynold's Prize, will be held in Petriken Hall, on Wednesday, June 4. The graduating exercises will be held the following afternoon, Thursday, June 5, at the same place.

—James R. Dunn, Esq., of Pittsburg, representing a large law firm of that city, has been in Bellefonte for the past four weeks buying up lands for the State Forestry Reserve. He has secured 80,000 acres of land, which is equal to about four townships.

—Hon. J. M. Belford, a noted orator of Riverhead, New York, will deliver a lecture in Petriken Hall, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., on Thursday evening, May 22. The subject of the lecture will be "Going in to Win." The admission will be 25 cents.

—The best and most exciting ball game of the season will be played at the Glass Work's meadow, Saturday afternoon, May 10, between the Lock Haven Normal and the Bellefonte Academy nine. These two teams played an eleven inning game at Lock Haven a few weeks ago.

—Women's \$3.00 shoes \$2.50—Mingle's.



THE BELLEFONTERS.

Next Thursday and Friday a fine entertainment will be presented in the opera house, this place, to be known as "The Bellefonters." It is a musical extravaganza with melodies from popular opera's, with over 300 people in the cast, fully costumed. For the past month this production has been in preparation here under the direction of Prof. Charles H. Geesey, a gentleman of ability and experience.

REAR Admiral Sampson died at his home in Washington on Tuesday evening. He had been ill several months.

—W. L. Douglas' Patent Colt Skin \$3.50—Mingle's.

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

OVER THE COUNTY.

D. W. McCloskey has removed from Romola to Spring township.

Catherine J. Richardson, of Linden Hall, has been granted a pension of \$8 a month.

Pensions were granted to John M. Markley, Snow Shoe, \$24, and Wm. Clark, Loganton, \$19.

The time has been set for the golden anniversary of Dr. D. M. Wolfe's educational work. It will be on August 7th, at Spring Mills.

Mr. Frank Long, of Salona, is setting up a skimming station at Jacksonville, and will have it ready for operation in about two weeks.

Rev. Sheeder, of Mechanicsburg, has accepted the call to be pastor of the Aaronsburg Lutheran church, and he is expected to arrive about the first of June.

Wm. Boal, of Potter twp., has been suffering considerably from muscular rheumatism for the past two weeks. His condition is considerably better at present.

The relief committee for the Clinton-dale sufferers reported Saturday at Lamar that they had received \$140.90 in cash and a lot of groceries, provisions, clothing, etc.

In Clinton county, on Tuesday, the ballot for county superintendent resulted as follows: J. W. Elliot, of Renvo, 48; Ira N. McCloskey, of Lock Haven, 104. Prof. McCloskey was declared elected and the convention adjourned.

The race track below Lock Haven is being rolled by the steam roller. The track pronounced by well known horse trainers as one of the best in the state. Without a race course, Lock Haven is sporty and up to date.

Dr. John F. Harter, who has been seriously ill for weeks with bilious fever, is so much better that his attending physician thinks he will be able to be taken to his Millheim home in a week or ten days, whither he moved from State College.

At Rock a cow-barn with a capacity of over a hundred cows is in construction near the creamery and a railroad will be made to convey the milk on a truck from the barn to the creamery. It is likely that a second barn will be built after the first is finished.

The commissioners of Northumberland county have sent postal cards to criminal court jurors notifying them of the postponement of court from May 6 to June 2, on account of the prevalence of small-pox in the county. In Mt. Carmel alone more than thirty cases exist.

The eleventh Annual Convention, of the Altoona District Epworth League, will be held at Philipsburg, May 15 and 16, beginning at 2 p. m. May 15th, and closing after the evening session, May 16th. Bishop Cyrus D. Foss, D. D., L. L. D., of Philadelphia, will deliver a sermon. Address on Friday evening, May 16th.

Lee Bottorf, aged 16 years, a son of John Bottorf, of Scotia, had a miraculous escape from death last Thursday afternoon. He is brakeman on the ore train at Scotia, the car on which Bottorf was breaking jumped the track throwing him over an embankment. His left arm was broken and leg is badly wrenched.

The Gardner Shingle Company has a saw mill on the Tussey mountain in Blair county that has not been running since last fall. A few days ago Mr. Walker, superintendent for the above firm, made an examination of the machinery, when he discovered two sticks of dynamite, cap and fuse, in the fire box of the boiler.

Mr. O. H. Osman, Asst. Supt. of the Baltimore Life Insurance Co., of Tyrone, Pa., has resigned his position and has accepted a position with the State Life Insurance Co., of Indiana as District Manager of Centre, Clinton, Clearfield, Blair and Huntingdon Co's. Mr. Osman is formerly of Lemont, where his parents reside. We wish him all the success he so well deserves.

Irvin G. Gray, the well known Stormstown horseman, paid a visit to Hollidaysburg last week about completing arrangements for opening public training stables at Dell Delight park this season. He will also have in training a string of flyers, composed of Richard A., 2 10/16; Sallie Derby, 2 16/16; Luella, McC. 1.18 1/2; and Rosemont, by Azmoor, a very promising young hoar that can step as fast as any mare's colt.

IN ADJOINING COUNTIES. A small force of men began Saturday afternoon the work of grading for the Jersey Shore and Oak Grove trolley line. The force will be largely increased next week.

A paper called "The Acorn" will make its appearance sometime during the summer at Oak Grove, Pa., which will be fathered by Senator Peale, of Lock Haven.

The Quaker Cuff Company, operating

in Philadelphia, will erect a factory at Lewisburg and will give employment to 200 hands. The site was furnished by public subscription.

Prof. T. A. Ilgen, of Clinton county, withdrew from the race for County Superintendent and went to Philadelphia, where he holds a good position. He was principal of the Centre Hall schools the past two winters.

The State Forestry Commission last week bought 83,000 acres of forest land in Central Pennsylvania, of which 8,500 are in Huntingdon county; 74,000 acres are in Union, Centre and Mifflin counties, and 500 acres are in Pike county.

Now that the gasoline stove season is setting in, remember this: If you have a gasoline fire, throw flour on it, or meal or sand. Never water. Flour, meal or sand will put the fire out. Water only spreads it. Now fix this up in your mind so it will come handy when you need it.

About two weeks ago a Union county farmer, living near Lewisburg, was visited by a man selling harness. He bought a set for \$8. The fellow refused the money, but took the farmer's note. A day or so ago the farmer was notified that a note for \$8 against him awaited payment at the Milton bank.

While assisting in the erection of a sixty-foot iron stack at the Juniata Sand works near Lewistown Friday Isaac Beaver, foreman of the works, was killed. The stack slipped and caught Beaver's head crushing it between a partition and the rim of the stack. He was 55 years old and is survived by his wife and nine children.

The Tennis Construction Company last week commenced the grading and laying of tracks for the Tyrone electric railway, beginning on South Pennsylvania Ave. at the station and to extend to and connect with the completed portion on Washington avenue at Tenth street, which, when finished, will complete the track laying from Tyrone to Bellwood.

Fire started by three small boys playing with matches at a pile of straw on Thursday afternoon destroyed stables belonging to Mrs. Rankin, Mrs. Aikens, Mrs. Blett, I. C. Dimm and the Vines estate and a dwelling house and blacksmith shop belonging to Mrs. Petzer, all situated in the Fourth ward of Lewis-town, Pa. Loss \$4,000; mostly insured.

ASSAULT UPON A LITTLE GIRL

Thursday evening of last week there was considerable excitement in town over the report that a strange man had waylaid two little girls on the outskirts of our borough. Two girls, Amelia and Ella Neese, aged 13 and 11 years old, daughters of J. H. Neese, who lives on the Jacob Valentine farm which adjoins the borough on the south, on their way home from school on Thursday evening, when near the Nittany Valley railroad track a man suddenly came out from a bush where he had been hiding and knocked Amelia down, kicked her in the side and inflicted other injuries upon her. He also struck the other little girl. He should have said that he was going to kill them. The cries of the girl attracted the attention of the father and another man by the name of Markle who hastened to the place and they saw the man disappearing in the vicinity of the Valentine Furnace. They followed him as far as they could keep track of his movements, and finally disappeared. They came to town at once for assistance and an extensive search followed.

The little girls could give a partial description of the man and said that they had seen him in Bellefonte. This led the police to believe that it was not a stranger. They had a couple of chaps under suspicion and took several out to the home of Mr. Neese, but the children could not identify any of them. The little girl recovered from her injuries sufficiently to be about on Saturday, at the direction of the police, they spent the day in town, strolling about the streets to be on the watch of any person that they might recognize as the offender. In passing along Allegheny street, as they came by a group of town boys Ella stopped suddenly and told the other girls with that "there is the fellow" pointing one of them out. They immediately informed the police and when they went to the place they learned that young Joseph Wolf had been in the crowd but left a moment previous. They went to the home of his father, Wm. Wolf, and there they found the young man. He was taken out to the Neese premises and there the other girl identified him again as the man that had beat her. Her little sister again identified him.

Young Wolf is a lad of about 16 years. He claims that the day this assault was committed he had been digging garden for Mrs. Joseph McCulley and could not have been there. He stoutly denies that he committed the assault. The police claim that while he did dig garden that there was a space of time late in the afternoon that he can not account for.

Wednesday evening he was given a hearing before Justice Keichline. A large number of witnesses were heard. The testimony was uncertain. The hearing attracted a large crowd. The justice bound the young man over for court in the sum of \$200 which was furnished.

—Get them now, it is your chance for the best \$4 photos at \$1.69 the dozen. Mallory & Taylor.

—Women's \$1.50 Oxfords for \$1.00—Mingle's.

Hot Rolls, hot muffins, hot cakes, made with Royal Baking Powder may be freely eaten without fear of indigestion.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

Gathered From the Various Offices About the Court House.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

- Thomas E. Glenn - Fillmore
Grace D. Sellers -
Charles L. Gross - Bellefonte
Clara Ellenberger - Port Matilda
Edward Irvin - Loydell
Ella Meyers - Hawk Run

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

- Henry Lenker, et ux to Michael Bank, et al to April 24, 1902; 6.26 acres in Rush. \$500.
Ida J. Hartwell, et baron, to Nathaniel T. Pate, Sept. 13, 1901; 1 tract in Taylor twp. \$1.
H. C. Robison, et ux, Susan Honstman, March 30, 1901; 97 acres in Potter twp. \$2300.
P. F. Bottorf to David Reed, April 10, 1902, in Ferguson twp. \$150.
W. S. Miller, trustee, to May Brindle, April 1, 1902; 1 lot in Miles twp. \$265.
Charles Sumner Musser, et al to George J. Weaver, Jan 18, 1902; 2 lots in Aaronsburg. \$700.
John Gaffney to Salina M. Slane, April 15, 1902; 1 lot in Bellefonte. \$250.
Edward Sellars, Admr., to H. Meyer, May 1, 1902; 1/2 interest in farm in Potter. \$2564.46.
M. P. Burd to Chas Bower, Dec. 30, 1901; 22 acres in Haines. \$500.
J. O. Bower, et ux, to Chas. Bower, Dec. 7, 1899; house and lot in Haines. \$540.
Christian Kunes, et ux, Jas J. Kunes, Feb'y 20, 1886; house and lot in Liberty Twp. \$300.
Flotilla J. Packer, et al to Geo. S. West, et al, March 26, 1902; 35 rods in Liberty. \$600.
Levi P. Stove's Exr. to Anna R. Kreighbaum, March 29, 1902; 3 lots in Aaronsburg. \$775.
Michael M. Musser to John H. Dutwiler, April 1, 1902; 1 lot in Aaronsburg. \$1590.
H. B. Powell, et al, Com. of James I. Pearce, to S. C. Benford, March 4, 1902; 1 lot in Philipsburg. \$632.
Margaret R. Hanna, et baron to Caroline Confer, April 1, 1902; 6 acres 16 perches in Gregg. \$25.
Margaret R. Hanna, et baron, to Jane Weaver, April 1, 1902; 1 acre in Gregg Twp. \$25.

Condemned in Missouri and New York.

Judge Clarke, of St. Louis, has convicted and fined heavily a number of grocers for selling baking powders containing alum.

The week before the Health Department of New York seized a quantity of stuff being sold for baking powder which they found was made from alum mixed with ground rock, and dumped it into the river.

The Health Authorities are thus taking effective means to prevent the introduction into our markets of injurious substitutes in place of wholesome baking powders. As alum costs only two cents a pound, there is a great temptation for those manufacturers who make substitutes and imitation goods, to use it. Alum baking powders can be detected by the health authorities by chemical analysis, but the ordinary housekeeper, whose assistance in protecting the health of the people is important, cannot make a chemical examination. She may easily know the alum powders, however, from the fact that they are sold at from ten to twenty cents for a pound can, or that some prize—like a spoon, or glass, or piece of crockery, or wooden ware—is given with the powder as an inducement.

If You Could Look into the future and see the condition to which your cough, if neglected, will bring you, you would seek relief at once—and that naturally would be through Shiloh's Consumption Cure. Guaranteed to cure Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma, and all Lung Troubles. Cures Coughs and Colds in a day. Write to S. C. Wells & Co., Le Roy, N. Y., for free trial bottle.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the matter of the estate of Patrick McGowan, late of Snow Shoe township, dec'd. In the Orphan's Court of Centre County, Pa. The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the court, to dispose of the exceptions filed to the account of the Admr. C. T. A. and make distribution of the balance remaining in the hands of said accountant, among those legally entitled to receive the same, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office No. 15 north Allegheny street, Bellefonte, Pa., on May 28, 1902, between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock a. m. when and where all parties in interest are requested to be present, or to be ever departed from coming in on said fund. JAMES A. B. MILLER, Auditor.

Weather Report.

Table with columns: DATE, TEMPERATURE (Maximum, Minimum), and rows for May 1-7 with weather conditions like 'clear', 'cloudy', 'part cloudy', 'cloudy'.

Are you Looking For a Bargain

In a cheap Hair Brush? If so, we have it—all brittle, well made; in Aaronsburg worth 35 to 40c. We have them in light and dark shades. They will not be here long. If you need one call soon.

GREEN'S PHARMACY, Bush House Bldg. Bellefonte.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of JOSIAH TAYLOR, deceased, late of Potter township, Centre county, Pa., 1902. Letters of administration upon said estate having been granted by the Register of Wills to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims, to present them for settlement.

JOHN H. TAYLOR, Admr. Tusseyville, Pa.

W. G. Rankle, Atty. Bellefonte, Pa.

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on Thursday, May 22nd, 1902, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 30th, 1874, and the Supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called THE CENTRAL SUPPLY COMPANY, the character and object whereof is the buying, selling and dealing in goods, wares and merchandise of all kinds, by wholesale or retail, and for those purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

WILBUR F. KEEFER, Solicitor.

FREE AD COLUMN.

TWO beagle dogs, one with collar and chain, came to the residence of David Raymon, at Fee Mills, the owner can get same by paying cost of keeping.

WANTED.—We can give several active young men employment soliciting. Inquire at this office for further information.

FOR SALE:

EGGS—Barred Plymouth single comb brown leghorn, silver and white Wyandotte 50c. for 15. Marion L. Mattern, Julian, Pa. x16

FOR SALE—Two pair Pea fowls, young. Price \$5 pair. Also pure bred Mammoth bronze turkey gobbler. H. H. Rachau, Spring Mills, Pa.

FOR SALE—Full blooded Chester white pigs. Subject to registry. Inquire of D. F. Houser, Houserville, Pa. x19

FOR SALE—Good home for sale 1 mile east of Linden Hall Station, in Harris township, containing 15 acres and 22 perches or the best land in Penna valley; thereon being a good house, barn, blacksmith shop and other out-buildings, and good fruit. Being a good place for blacksmithing. For further information call on Mrs. Elizabeth Gettitz, Linden Hall, Pa., or S. D. Gettitz, Bellefonte, Pa.

FOR RENT:

FOR RENT—A brick dwelling, at Centre Hall. Inquire at Centre Democrat office.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Prices at the Lock Haven carb market Wednesday morning as follows: Butter, per pound 30c; eggs, per dozen 16; chickens, per pair 70c to \$1.00; potatoes, per peck 30c.

Bellefonte—Produce.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price. Rows include Eggs, Lard, Butter, Side, Shoulder, etc.

Bellefonte—Grain.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price. Rows include Wheat, Old, Wheat, new, Oats, Rye, Corn, shelled, Corn, new.