Bellefonte

BELLEFONTE AND

VICINITY

The Local Happenings Condensed in Short Paragraphs

EVENTS WORTHY OF MENTION

What Has Transpired at the County Seat-Movements of our people-Personal and Social Events-Local Items Always Desired.

-Mrs. Charles Case, formerly of Bellefonte, is very ill at her home near Will- ney to attend the Firemen's convention. iamsport.

a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Rothrock

-Mrs. John Anderson, Jr., and little daughter Adaline, are visiting friends in

-Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gentzel, of Altoona, are visiting friends at Pleasant

-Races at the fair ground on Labor There will be some speed and lots of and Atlantic City. good fun.

-John Steninger, one of Middleburg's business men, was a Bellefonte visitor ter, Mrs. Cyrus Brungard. from Thursday last to Tuesday, the guest of T. H. Harter.

Tyrone, Altoona, Johnstown and other points spent Sunday at the Nittany Rod and Gun Club at Hecla. -Harry Schreyer, formerly of Belle-

fonte but now of Chicago, attended the Business Men's big picnic at Hecla Park while here on a short visit. -Harry L. Hutchinson, ticket agent

for the P. R. R., is off on a trip to Erie. His place is being filled by D. E. Woodring, of Milesburg. -Paul Fortney left Saturday for

Halifax, Pa., near Harrisburg, where he has secured a good position as principal of the public schools.

-Misses Bernice and Rachel Shuey and Margaret Brachbill-are three young Bellefonte girls who have gone to Clearfield county for a stay of two weeks.

-Mrs. Wm. C. Dawson attended the wedding of her sister, Miss Ada Malligan at Hollidaysburg, where she expects to visit for several weeks before returning home.

-Wilbur F. Harris, of Harrisburg, formerly editor of the "Republican" and "Daily News," spent several days with his parents, of East Howard street, during the past week.

-Mrs. John Noll, Saturday morning started to go down to the cellar but tripped on the top step and fell the full length of the stairs to the ground below,

-About 10 o'clock Wednesday night the water spigots at the Garman house suddenly stopped flowing. On examination, an eel twelve inches in length was discovered wedged in the pipe.

-Montgomery & Co. make their announcement for fall goods, in another part of this issue. The wind is blowing over the oats stubbles and change of clothing will be necessary later.

-Lock Haven amateurs will sing their opera "Pirates of Penzance" in Bellefonte on Monday evening, Sept. 15th, They have been rehearsing it for a long time and as it will be sung as a hospital benefit ought to attract a large audi-

-Alexander Morrison representing the Logan Fire Company, and Thos. Howley representing the Undine Fire Company, left Monday for Puxsutawney to attend the District Firemen's convention which will be in session at that place on the 26th and 27th.

-George H. Cook and wife are making a short visit with friends in this place. Mr. Cook is a brother of Andrew, Claude and Chas. F. Cook, and has been located in Arizona for some years, where he has stores at Prescott, Phoenix and Tucson, and is also interested in mining.

-Dr. Richard H. Thomas and wife, Anna B. Thomas, prominent members of the Society of Friends, were present at meetings held in the Friends Meeting House, last Sunday. At the evening meeting Dr. Thomas gave a lecture on "The Society of Friends, Its History and Principles."

-B. V. Fink, one of our constant readers of Julian, while attending court paid us a short call. He tells us that in 1856 he cast the only vote polled in Taylor township for Buchanon for President, and has been voting along the same line ever since, as well as a family of stalwart sons.

-Prof. I. A. Zeigler writes us from Westport, Pa., that he has purchased the Hazleton, Pa., Business College and will take charge of the institution after April 1st, 1903. Prof. Zeigler is a native of Wolfs Store, and for several terms taught school throughout this county and is a young man of ability and

-Monday evening a thief broke into cluding the knife which he used in cutget a roast of another kind.

-The attendance at court this week is unusually large.

-Mrs. Robert Hunter, of this place, is ill of tonsilitis.

-Our seashore excursionists are gradu-

ally returning home.

-Dr. Edward Harris, of Butler, Pa., is visiting his parents. -Curtis Y. Wagner lost a valuable

horse on Saturday night. -Fred Chambers returned home Saturday from Chester county.

-Wm. H. Graham and wife returned from a visit to Binghampton.

-Clarence Tate went to Panxsutaw-

-Mr. and Mrs. John Fryberger, of -Mrs. James Ott returned home from Philipsburg, are visiting W. R. Brackbill. -Barber Frank Sasserman is the

proud father of a pretty little baby girl. -Louis Doll, of Patton, Pa., is at kindly pronounced him a brainless death. present visiting his parents on Bishop idiot.

-Geo. O. Boal and wife, of Washington, were the guests of Mrs. Longwell on Spring street.

-Miss Henrietta Butts has returned Day, by some of our local steppers. from a few weeks' visit to Philadelphia

> -Mrs. Nell Barnes, of Washington, issue. D. C., is visiting her friend Miss Mira

-Quite a large party of people from Humes on Allegheny street. -Keep in mind that Robt E. Pattison

> Hall, Thursday, September 18th. -Orrie Ishler left for Pitcairn, one day last week, to seek a position. He is one of Bellefonte's most worthy young

-Mrs. H. C. Cooper and little daughter, of Yonkers, N. Y., are visiting the Misses Benner at their home on High

-Everybody is kicking since their water rates have been advanced. There was a good attendance at the appeal

-Miss Edith Dailey and C. H. Osmer, of Bellefonte, were married on Saturday, by Rev. A. S. Bowman, at Hollidaysburg, Pa.

-Mrs. Isaac Longacre left for Pittsburg called there by the illness of her son, Charles, who is suffering from typhoid fever.

-Rash Irwin, one of the clerks at Mc-Calmont & Co's store, left Sunday for Washington, D. C., where he will enjoy a short vacation.

-John, Daisy and Anna Keichline. accompanied by their mother, Mrs. John from Battle Creek, Mich. -Quin Mills, of Washington, Pa., who

past six years arrived in town Monday evening to visit his parents.

prominent attorney of Harrisburg. -Miss Frances Blackwell, of Jersey Shore, who has been a guest of Hamilton Otto for the past two weeks, departed on grand stand will be only 25 cents.

Sunday for a week's visit with Mrs. Al. Garman at Tyrone. -A. S. Fleck, of Julian, who recently returned from a three year's term of service in the Phillippine Islands was one of

our numerous callers on Monday. He

is looking hale and hearty from his trip. -The public schools of Bellefonte will open in all departments, on next Tuesday, Sept. 2. Examination for entrance to the High school will be held in the Howard street building on Friday morn-

ing of this week, beginning at 9 o'clock.

-In last week's "War Cry" are excellent pictures of Ensign McIntire and Lieutenants Stiles and Hershberger, also of Sisters McCloskey and Switzer accom-Harter, bearing upon their successful work in Bellefonte.

-Extensive repairs are planned for the Bush House, principally the installing of an independent steam heating stream. plant and new steam heat fixtures throughout the building, with radiators in all the rooms. The contract for this ing and have decided to carry the matter work has been let to Schadd Bros., the Allegheny street plumbers, who will give them a first class job. New furniture and interior decorations will be included in the improvements.

-H. C. Quigley, Esq., has rented offices on the second floor of Temple Court, between Harry Keller and John M. Dale's offices facing front, the rooms formerly occupied by the Democratic County Committee. Mr. Quigley's offices connect with those of Mr. Keller. This is a fine location and our friend Quigley will be able to spread out under his own vine and fig tree. He was the junior member of the firm of Reeder & Quigley, recently dissolved, and has a large clientage.

-Last week a carload of handpicked apples were shipped from this station, gathered up from orchards in the vicinity of Zion, at 30 cents per bushel. The apple crop in this county is large the slaughter house of Gettig & Kreamer, and the fruit is likely to be cheap. Of and stole about 75 pounds of roast, in course cider and apple butter will be correspondingly plenty, but, mortifying ting the meat. The fellow may try to to tell, the old-time apple butter boilings get ahead of the Chicago trust to supply and "snitzings" with blum-sock games himself with cheap meat, but that kind and going home with the girls in the of game may take him to Brungart's morning, are a thing of the good old county boarding house, if repeated, and times when militia and volunteer battalions were among the great days.

-Miss Grace Markle, of Hublersburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. James D.

-Miss Ellen Orbison, of Huntingdon, is a visitor at the home of Mrs. Nannie Orbison on Curtin street.

-Dr. Laurie, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will hold service next Sunday morning and evening.

-John S. Sommerville, of Winburne, was in town Monday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Potter. -George English, of Pittsburg, is

spending a few days at the home of his uncle Morris W. Furey near Bellefon te. -John Anderson, Sr., returned home

and was greatly benefitted by the trip. -According to Monday's Daily News Editor Miller ran across a fellow who was "too many" for him and then un-

-Milesburg Lodge O. U. A. M. will hold a festival on Saturday evening. A hack will start from the Diamond at seven o'clock to convey any who may wish to go down.

-The Beckwith murder trial will be called this morning, at the time the -Mrs. Carrie Emerick Ruhl, of near | Centre Democrat is being printed. Por Lewisburg, spent a week visiting her sis- that reason we will be unable to give any report of the trial until our next

-Mrs. W. Harrison Walker, of this place, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Hoffman, departed for the latter's will be at the Grange Exhibition, Centre | home at Pleasantville, Pa. Mrs. Walker will be gone for several weeks' visit to her former home.

-A movement is on foot to circulate petitions among the people asking certain members of our council to resign. The attendance at the water appeals last evening was sufficient to indicate that something was disturbing the people.

-George Nevin Brandon, formerly of this place, but now of Carlisle, has been chosen professor of music in Centre College, Kentucky. For many years Mr. Brandon has been prominent in musical circles throughout Pennsylvania.

-Some of the vilest cases heard in Ridge. court came up this week from Milesburg and are a disgrace to that community. It seemed that the majority of the inhabitants of that vicinity were in attendance at court to feast on the loathsome proceedings.

that the essential facts are given, and a born in Unionville and was the son of sirable, much less to be heard in court salesman for a large Philadelphia firm. energetic, young men, full of enthusiasm Keichline, Sr., returned last Thursday by a general audience, such as usually He is survived by his parents and the and earnestness, and as teachers are in

has been absent from Bellefonte for the Monday, September 1st, the Fair Asso- David, of Houtzdale, and Seth, James, There is only one relief for this blundciation have arranged for opening the Gertie and Bessie at home. The family season at that time with some fine racing -Benjamin M. Nead, Esq., and wife on their track, which has just been placed news of his death reached them. were visiting at the home of Wm. R. in A I condition. The fastest horses in Jenkins on High street. Mr. Nead is a the county have entered and the races hotel in Philipsburg at 3 o'clock Thursand one running race. The admission

CITIZENS PROTEST.

Last evening a crowd of indignant citizens attended the session of water appeals at the council chamber. The committee on appeals consists of the water committee, president of council and burgess, and they had to listen to a storm of protests. The cause of this is that water rates for domestic purposes have been largely increased, while that for mechanical purposes have gone up three and four fold, so that most all the water motors in the town will have to be thrown out if the present rate stands.

The charges on the Bush House will be over \$300, which is so enormous that panied by an article written by T. H. they will abandon the town system and secure their supply from an artesian well. Liverymen will have to do the same or take their horses to Spring Creek for water and wash their vehicles in the

The large consumers, by attorney, formally made their protest at the hear. dynamite and a long fuse to its neck. into the courts where the water committee will be compelled to make an official accounting of their manner of conducting that department and just how the public monies are spent, on the pipe lines and about the water works; and such a rendition we believe will be profitable. If one half the stories current, of divies, rakeoffs, leaks and dog were blown to atoms. wastes are true, the water works and all connected therewith deserve a thorough renovation, which might reduce expenses and relieve the excessive water taxes.

Beckwith Jury Secured &

Owing to the illnesslof E. R. Chambers, Esq., assistant counsel for the Commonwealth, attorneys J. C. Meyer and W. F. Reeder have been retained to assist the District Attorney, N. B. Spangler. By Thursday noon the selection of a jury was competed as follows:

Harry Lingle, Philipsburg. John D. Miller, Walker. John Y. Stover, Miles. W. H. Miller, Miles. mus Lose, Haines. R. C. Mallory, Rush. Benj. F. Vonada, Marion. Chas. McClintic, Walker. Henry Breon, Penn. S. H. Hoy, Benner. Michael Shaffer, Potter—talesman. Fred Bartley, Boggs-talesman.

RECENT DEATHS.

FRANK JOHNSON:-a well known and respectable colored citizen of this place, an early hour Monday morning after a

V. R. HARKNESS :-- aged 60 years, a brother of Mrs. W. A. Buckhout, died at the Buckhout home, State College, Wednesday 20. His body was taken to Philadelphia for burial.

JACOB KAMP :- Died at Lock Haven Thursday, 21. Mr. Kamp had been in ill health about three years with diabetes, which finally produced complica-Wednesday morning from an extended tions. Jacob Kamp was born in Flonheim, Germany, Nov. 18, 1838 When visit to Philadelphia and Atlantic City, 17 years old he came to this country, and located in Lock Haven. In 1838 he embarked in the boot and shoe business, which business he continued until his

MAJOR WILLIAM H. MILLER :- died at Boalsburg, Monday morning, of infirmities due to old age. He was 89 years of age. During his earlier life he belonged to a local military organization in Penns Valley and Gov. Shunk conferred the title of Major upon him. Surviving him are his second wife, and the following children: Mrs. Andrew Lytle. of State College; John, who lives on the old homestead near Boalsburg, and Mary and Nora at home. Interment in the Boalsburg cemetery, Wednesday morn-

DR. FREDERICK MOVER:-died sud-AxeMann, Thursday morning, 20. He lost \$250 and a Nittany Valley farmer a had been stopping there for a week while suffering with heart trouble. A few moments before he passed away he called Mr. Harter to his bedside, telling him that he was dying and asking to have his son notified that he was dead. Dr. Moyer was born at Lewistown about 70 years ago, his father having kept hotel in that place. He read medicine with Dr. William Wilson, who was the father of Mrs. A. G. Curtin, and attained eminence in his profession. He is survived by his son A. Curtin, who is superintendent of the fire brick work at Sandy

CHARLES PRATT :- of Unionville, died hospital at Philadelphia. Two days vear, previous Mr. Pratt was taken ill with a malignant form of typhoid fever. The remains were brought to the home of his -Our report of court proceedings is an parents at Unionville. Interment in the excellent one this week for the reason Unionville cemetery. Deceased was reporter S. D. Gettig, Esq. We do not He was aged 34 years, 11 months and 2 speedily remedy the mischief. think the publication of such things de- days. He was employed as a traveling following brothers and sisters: Frank demand, and a man of this kind should were not aware of his illness until the

will be fine, there will be two trotting day morning, 22. About a week ago Mr. Shrom went to Philipsburg to work at to the ground and including seat on the his trade that of painting, and on Wednesday he was taken ill with inflammation of the bowels, death ensuing as tax-payers, anyhow? A TAX PAYER. aboved stated. Deceased was born in Bellefonte and was 42 years of age. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shrom, both deceased. He was a painter by occupation. He was a member of the Logan Fire Company and the Improved Order of Red Men, and Painter's Union. The remains were brought to Bellefonte and taken to the home of G. D. Ingram, on East Lamb street, from whose residence the funeral took place on Sunday afternoon, attended in a body by the Improved Order of Red Men and the Painters and members of the Logan and Undine Fire Co's., to the Union cemetery, headed by the Coleville band. Rev. Brown, of the U. B. church, officiated at the grave.

Tied Dynamite to His Dog.

George Mechou, of Drifton, Pa., owned a dog which had the mange. He took it to the woods and attached two sticks of Then he lit the fuse and retreated to a place of safety, forgetting to tie the dog.

The canine ran after its master to his residence. Mechou was successful in reaching the house in safety and closing the door. The dog badly trightened by the sizzling fuse, took refuge under the dwelling. In a few seconds an explo-

Gypsy Injured.

A gypsy was kicked by a horse at a camp near Milesburg on Saturday and was brought to the Bellefonte hospital. Upon examination it was discovered that his skull was fractured. Doctors Hayes and Sebring performed the operation of removing a portion of the bone. The man is about 40 years of age and has a a wife and four children. His case is considered hopeless.

Weather Report. Weekly report-Bellefonte Station. TEMPERATURE Maximun Minimus DATE Aug. 21, part cloudy. part cloudy 7 Rain: On 21, noon, .21 inch.

THE GREAT PICNIC AT HECLA

The Centre and Clinton county Business Men's Picnic at Hecla, last Thursand a veteran of the Civil War, died at day, was the greatest gathering yet held there. There were about 12,000 people in the park. The trains brought some 10,000, and those that came in conveyances and on foot, will swell the number close to the figures named. The day was beautiful, a pleasant breeze, and cool atmoshere, with dust laid by a light shower early in the morning, was all that was needed to make it a delightful day. Three bands discoursed music, the pavilion was alive with those who delight in tripping the light fantastic toe, the lake afforded pleasure to such as delight in boating; Harrison's restaurant fed the hungry, and the innumerable baskets Haines. \$100 by picnic groups, filled with the best and richest of the season prepared by the wives and daughters of the farms, and the delicious ice cream at several saloons, etc., all contributed to satisfy any taste Miles twp. \$56 74. for eat, drink, and pleasure. There was no drunkenness and the behavior all around was exceptionally good. The \$65. merry go-round was there to give you a whirl and a few booths to try your luck in taking chances. To sum up: It was the greatest, most pleasurable, and Oct, I, 1901; property in College twp. orderly gathering yet held at Hecla. We \$650 need not give a minute account, as about everybody was there and took it in.

Reports of considerable sums of money having been taken by pickpockets from unsuspected picnicers at Hecla, are still coming in. It is stated that a traveling denly at the home of H. E. Harter, at salesman, whose name was not learned, ten dollar bill.

A GRAVE MISTAKE.

At a meeting of the school board, held on Monday evening of last week, we learned through the Daily News that Miss Craighead was elected to teach mathematics, physics and so on in our High School. When we asked one of the directors who Miss Craighead was be promptly answered that he did not know, that all he had seen of her was a picture exhibited before the board, and that she had no experience in teaching except in a small private school, and Saturday afternoon in the Pennsylvania that only extended over a period of a

The putting of a young woman, without experience, to teach the most important branches in the entire school and in where from thirteen to twenty years, is a mass of dirty proceedings omitted by our Mr. and Mrs. Riley Pratt, of that place, will be early in seeing their mistake and

The woods is full of well educated, er to our people. The young and faithwhat ever he can to strengthen the mathe- paper during the campaign. EDMUND J. SHROM :- died at Huggs | matical course of that institution by engaging men of experience and ability to teach these very important branches. Of course this will be somewhat tough on the tax-payers of the borough, but what does the school board care for the

Fire at Pine Camp.

The oil stove in Mrs. A. G. Brown's tent on the Pine camp grounds exploded Wednesday morning, destroying Mrs. Brown's tent and contents, also the tent and contents occupied and owned by Snavely, Coburn. Box 28.

Brown's tent and contents, also the tent rew, cost \$50, for \$30 cash. Inquire of W. H. Mrs. Ellis Myers. The flames communicated to the other tents and before they same to this office and be rewarded. A.B.Y. southeast corner of the grounds were burned. About fifty men from Pine and J. F. Garthoff, Bellefonte, Pa.

last year. There was talk of a deficit in the treasury, but the report of the finance committee and trustees showed the finances in good condition.

An Increase of Over 1,000.

P, O. S. of A. statistics, as presented at the state camp at Williamsport Tuesday. show an increase of membership during the year of 1,948. There were 657 camps on the roll June 30. The total receipts sion occurred. The building and the during the year were \$560,547.91. and the expenditures \$505.821.47. William Thomas was elected state president.



LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

MARRIAGE LICENSES John J. McDonald . Jamestown, N. Y. Crete, Neb (James M. Stere -Fleming Effie F. Delp . (Reuben E. Vonada -Miles Twp Bertha J. Miller -(Wm. Kline .

Frank A. Summons - Pittsburg Elizabeth Harnish - Wingate REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Mary Kennedy to Miles Hoover, April 8, 1902; lot in Rush. \$300. M. W. Cowdrick, et al to Going Thomas, April 8, 1895; lot in Spring. \$100

July 28, 1902; 5 acres 26 perches in Margaret Crissman, et al to J. B. Hogue, et al, June 27, 1902; lot in Philips-

Wm J. Harter, et al to Maria Snyder,

Peter Klinefelter's trustee, to Frederick Schlegle, May 3, 1876; property in

April 15, 1892; property in Miles twp. Lehigh Valley Coal Co. to George Lorrah, March 13, 1899; lot in Snow

Mary Brown's Exr., to Mary Slagle,

Shoe. \$100. William Sellers to Edward Sellers,

Sarah Spankle to Emma Garbrick, Oct. 9. 1900; lot in Spring. \$1.

Alfred Witherite, et al to Martha J. Furl, Jan 18, 1902; 191/2 acres in Boggs. Safe Deposit & Trust Co. Pittsburg to

Jas M, Monigal, et al, Aug. 8, 1902; 138 acres 47 perches in Taylor. \$172 82. Going Thomas et ux to H. Y. Stitzer, Sept 18, 1900; I lot in Bellefonte. \$169.-

William Reese to Jessie Cohn, Jan. 8, 1902; lot in Rush. \$175. Robt. H. Lynn et ux to Lizzie E. Baer, Aug. 5, 1901; x acre in Rush. \$450.

DON'T WAIT. If you knew how SCOTT'S

CONTRACTOR OF COMMENTS

EMULSION would build you up, increase your weight, strengthen your weak throat and lungs and put you in condition for next winter, you would begin to take it now. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists.

Will pay for THE CENTRE DEMO--In order to celebrate "Labor Day," and Mrs. Lizzie Black, of Harrisburg; have been elected to Mr. Kinzle's place. CRAT from this date to February 1st, 1903, about six months, at half ful principal of the Academy is doing price. You will want to read the

PENNY A WORD ADV.

Advertisements less than 25 words, from subscribers, one issue free. Additional issues cents. Rate to others, penny a word for

WANTED:—To buy a steady and faithful horse or mare, 3 to 8 years old, weight 1200 to 1300. J. J. Gramley, Rebersburg, Pa.

FARM FOR SALE:—86 acres. ½ mile from Unionville. All good buildings, barn and other outbuildings, good fruit and water. Good chance for putting out fall crop. Harris Calboun.

vicinity ran to the camp ground and extinguished the flames.

Wanted:—A practical printer and newspaper man, with moderate means, is wanted to take charge of the Sugar valley Journal Falling eyesight, which threatens to terminate into total blindness, disables the present owner to continue giving the business his personal attention. The entire printing plant, subscription list and good will of the office is offered at about half its real value if taken soon. A splendid opportunity to get into a paying business here presents itself to the printer who knows a good thing when he sees it, and will strike while the iron is hot. Call on or address b. Scott Currin, Loganton, Pa.

WANTED:—A lady residing in vicinity of Bellefonte can secure several months em-ployment, canvassing for a No. 1 household article; good wages for competent person. Address "Manufacturer" care of Centre Demo-crat, Bellefonte.

WANTED:—25 men to cut lime kiln wood, 55 cents a cord, good chopping, level ground. Pay every two weeks. W. D. Walker & Bro., State College, Pa. 236

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

The prices of produce at the Lock Haven eurb market Wednesday morning were as follows:

follows:

Butter per ib. 18 to 20c.; eggs per doz. 20c.; potatoes per bu. 50c.; string beans per pk. 18 to 20c.; shelled peas per qt. 15 to 18c., sweet corn per doz. 5 to 18c.; old chickens per lb. live weight, 10c.; spring chickens per pr., 40 to 60c; letture per head. 2 to 8c.; onlons per pk., 28c.; radishes per bunch. 5c.; beets per bunch. 5c.; turnips. bunch fc.; cucumbers per doz., 6 to 10c.; small cucumbers per 100. 25 to 30c.; cabbage per head. 3 to 5c.; tomatoes per pk., 40c.; huck leberries per qt., 5 to 7c.; elderberries per qt., 5 to 7c.; elderberries per qt., 5 to 7c.; apples per pk., 8 to 10c.; pears per pk 15 to 20c.; peaches per pk 40 to 50c.

Bellefonte-Produce. The following prices prevailed Wed-The following prices are paid by SECRLER & lo., for produce:

Bellefonte-Grain. The following prices are paid by C. K. WAG

NER for grain.