# BELLEFONTE AND VICINITY

The Local Happenings Condensed in Short Paragraphs

## EVENTS WORTHY OF MENTION

What Has Transpired at the County Seat-Movements of our Peoplecal Items Always Desired.

-Commencement exercises are in full bloom.

-Miss Grace Blackford is very ill at

her home on Bishop street.

-The Brockerhoff House office is now one of the finest in central Penna.

-Thomas A. Shoemaker has become owner of a valuable driving horse.

-The first patient in the new hospital, was a young man with a fractured elbow.

Calloway, left for Philadelphia Friday | their relatives.

-Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur F. Harris, of Harrisburg, arrived in town Friday

-The time table on the Lewisburg railroad underwent some changes this week. We have it properly corrected in this issue.

-There was still some corn to plant yet this week, and some corn ground of our county.

-The Democratic primaries will be and the county convention next Tuesday. Keep that in mind.

-The wheat crop, checked somewhat by the dry weather the present month, there is prospect for a fair harvest.

-McCalmont & Co. have something to say in another part of this issue in regard to binder twine. They will make | hold their customary 4th of July picnic that point interesting to farmers this at Hecla Park, as their street carnival in

-The Bellefonte hospital moved from the old to the new building Thursday of up in excellent shape.

-The Punxsutawney borough council has contracted for lighting of the streets of that town at \$65 per arc light a year. and what Bellefonte pays.

-General Passenger Agent Frank always draw good houses. Warfield of the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania, returned home on Friday, from Nashville, Tenn., where he attended the funeral of his mother.

-The curb market started in on sday last, with two venders of plants and a few truck articles. The number gardens increase in their products.

-Col. J. L. Spangler has purchased the Gray hotel at Spangler for \$11,000, without the furnishings. It is stated that considerable improvements will be made about the property by the new owner.

-Miss Lizzie Davis, aged 13, daughter of Thomas Davis, of Tow Hill, was brought to Bellefonte last week and taken to the new hospital where an operation was performed upon her for appendicitis.

-Edgar F. Burkins, of Wilmington, Delaware, having heard Bellefonte highhere to recuperate his health. He may spend the summer here if it proves o'clock. beneficial.

-Mrs. Wm. P. Kuhn left on Monday noon's train for Pittsburg, as a delegate as street, this place, and Miss May Conto the women's missionary convention of klin of East Hampton, L. I., were marthe Lutheran church. Mrs. H. E. Duck ried on Saturday, at East Hampton, of Millheim, left on same train as a delegate from Millheim.

-The Penna. Reserve Corps, of Philadelphia, have forwarded, as is their cus-Curtin. It will be placed in the cemetery on Memorial Day.

-It is coming all right-don't fretwe had some rains of late; there will be hay, wheat, roasting ears, corn, apples, etc., enough, at least, to go 'round, It's the old song of alarm, but there will be the same old result-plenty for all.

-Sunday was an important day at the home of Robt F. Hunter as they had a pleasant caller in a little girl whose name will not be completed until later. Such an event beats zinc dividends for genuine joy. Bob is happy and he should be.

-Prof. Dorsey Hunter, the new proprietor of the book store, has adopted in the Racket store at this place, to Ed. the name of "The Index" for his place and Lew Irvin, who will be the proprieof business-that is quite appropriate. tors of the two lower rooms which con-Mr. Hunter will move his family from tain dry goods, notions, shoes and novel-State College to the Potter residence ties and will be known as the "Racket across from the jail, this place.

-A trout with a very black tail, has been noticed above the Bush house bridge on High street, cavorting around. "Can the leopard change his spots?" If bar, of Boston, have sent invitations for not, how can a trout have a black tail the marriage of their niece, Miss Antoiwithout spots?" The theory might be advanced that this "speckled beauty" must have run his caudle appendage in- June, at noon in All Saints church, Ashto a Watchman ink keg, when its base- mont, Massachusetts. The groom is the ment was flooded. We have been informed that a number of black-tailed trout are to be seen in Spring Creek by the Logan Steel and Iron Co., as near the lime kilns.

-Mrs. Frank P. Blair is in Philadelphia visiting friends.

-A new line of wash skirts, duck and pique from \$1 98 at Aikens. -Col. and Mrs. Edward R. Chambers

are in Harrisburg this week. -How about that soldiers monument

which was to have been erected? -Mrs. Walter Lillie. of Lewisburg is a guest at the home of her brother, John I. Olewine.

-Mrs. Morris Cowdrick, of Niagara Personal and Social Events-Lo- Falls, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hamilton Otto.

> -Mr. and Mrs. James Chamberlain and little daughter, of Harrisburg, are guests at the home of Judge Furst.

-Mrs. Mary Peters, of Philadelphia, is being entertained at the home of Cheney Hicklen on East Logan street.

-Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey York, of Warriorsmark, will sail for Europe the latter part of this month to be gone all summer.

-Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fishburn left on Tuesday for Harrisburg, Lebanon and -Mrs. Louisa Bush and Miss Louisa | Sharpsburg where they will visit some of

> -James O. Breuer, book-keeper for McCalmont & Co., was called to his home in Kirksville, N. Y., Saturday, by the death of his sister.

-Miss Margaret Potter returned home on Thursday evening from an extended at which ice cream, cake, etc., will be visit to friends in Philadelphia, Washing- , served for the benefit of Grange Hall. ton and Lancaster.

-Ex-sheriff Cronister, now in the hardware business, at Philipsburg, was ing of the Modern Woodsmen of Amerthat needed plowing, in some localities in town on Monday. He has a good ica to be held in Indianapolis, June 16. trade and is getting along nicely.

-The Bellefonte Academy went to held on Saturday afternoon of this week Lock Haven and played the Normal, on Saturday, and lost by a score of 4 to 3 It was an exceedingly well played game.

-Herbert McIntosh, a student at the Academy, was called to his home in had suffered to some extent, though Sharpsburg Saturday by the illness and

-The Undine Fire Company will not Bellefonte will be in progress at about

-Communication with reference to last week. It is the old McKee property roads in Gregg twp., does not conform on Valentine street and has been fitted to our rules, requiring a writer's name notified that Col. Rufus C. Elder, of as proof of good faith; publication therefore was omitted.

-Bellefonte's famous minstrels expect to give an evening entertainment in the Considerable difference between that opera house on Friday, June sth. They are rehearsing now for the event. They

> -With a few new shingles on the roof the old McBride fireproof corner is ready for some new occupants again. It be removed, but it is not so destined.

chased the old Methodist church propwill gradually increase as the truck erty is going to make some extensive repairs to the same. Two modern dwellings will be made out of it and it will be cased with Mill Hall pressed brick.

-Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McCargar, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Fleming, George T. Bush. Wilbur F. Reeder, W. Harrison Walker, and Dr. Russell, of Unionville, are in Philadelphia attending the Knight Templars Conclave in session this week.

-Gregg Post, No. 95, G. A. held memorial services at Meyers cemetery up Buffalo Run on Sunday, May 24th, at 3 o'clock p. m. On Sunday, May 31st, the same post will conduct services in the ly recommended as a health resort is cemetery at Zion at 10 a. m., at Hublersburg at 1:30 and at Snydertown at 3

> -Torrence Bell, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bell, of South Thomwhere the groom has a large store. June ıst, Miss Lydia Bell, a sister, will be mar ried to Mr. Calvin Troup.

-Invitations have been sent out antom each year, a floral tribute for the nouncing the coming marriage of Miss grave of the "War Governor" A. G. Mary Humphrey, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Moore Hmphrey, of Newberry, Clinton county, and Frank Frain, of this place, in the Methodist Episcopal church at Newberry, Thursday evening, June 4th at 8 o'clock.

-Ollie Campbell has accepted a good position with the Clearfield and Huntingdon Telephone company, as superintendent of construction, which is a part of United system which is being extended in that territory. He had charge of the Bell exchange in Bellefonte for a number of years. The new position will secure him a much larger salary.

-Last Friday Ralph Spigelmyer disposed of another portion of his interest Store Company." The Irvin Bros. are active young business men who no doubt will succeed.

-Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kincaid Dunnette Dunbar and Mr. Joseph Downing Mitchell on Wednesday, the 10th of second son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Mitchell of this place. He is now employed assistant superintendent at Burnham, Pa. | fer a favor by coming forward.

## VARIETY OF

# LOCAL NEWS

Gathered From Centre and Adjoining Counties

## SHORT AND TO THE POINT

Events That Have Transpired Recently and Worthy of Mention-Items of Interest for All-Doings of Neighbors.

The salary of the State College postmaster has been increased from \$1600 to \$1700 per year.

Miss Cora McCormick, of Spring Mills, is confined to her home with a severe attack of pnenmonia.

Geo. B. Stover, of Millheim, while ngly gash in his leg.

merly of Penns valley, Co. G, 210 P. V. Krape's postoffice building at Spring

beautifully fitted up. A festival will be held at Grange Hall. Buffalo Run, on Saturday evening, 30,

Dr. W. S. Harter, of State College, will represent Pennsylvania at a meet-

Frank Kunes, son of Samuel H. Kunes, of Eagleville, has been made inspector of ties for the Beech Creek and West Branch divisions of the New York Cen- evening, the fourteen beautiful stations tral railroad.

sonville-that is what merchant Betts on each side of the church. They are death of his sister, Miss Margaret McIn- telephoned us. A good time and lots of pieces of sculpture and represent the fun will be the result.

The dedication of the Spring Mills Lutheran church which was to have taken place June 7 has been postponed owing to a meeting of the General Synod Boyle, of Johnstown, the Vicar General in Baltimore at that time.

Toner Hugg, formerly of Miles, but now a resident of Philipsburg, has been Lewistown, has re-appointed him chief bugler of the 5th Reg. N. G. P. The Citizens hook and ladder com-

pany of Milesburg, 30 strong, have accepted the invitation to go to Lock Haven, July 4. They will be accompanied by the Milesburg cornet band of Supervisor M. O Stover claims they

are to have a 24000 pound iron bridge was expected that the old building would and to have a 70 foot span across Pine ing the Catholic churches all over the creek at Nicodemus Lose's on the new road called "Stover's Near Cut" in Haines two

> Boardman, Clearfield county, where to the occasion. they have a contract to plaster twentyfive dwelling houses; Edward Brooks, of Pleasant Gap, accompanied them.

Tuesday morning as the train on the Lewisburg road was nearing Lemont three deer sprung up in a field close by and watched the train until it was out of sight. They evidently had come into the valley from the mountains to secure better pasture.

The West Branch Medical association met in annual session at the Park hotel. Williamsport, on 19, with Dr. H. G. McCormick presiding at the meeting in the absence of the president, Dr. C. S. Musser, of Aaronsburg. The association will meet the third Tuesday in May, 1904, in Bellefonte. There were about 40 physicians members of the associa- said.

George Holter and Ward Confer, of Howard, on Wednesday of last week, while along the creek they saw a fish in the water and while trying to capture it 10 year old boy been nearby, who being a swimmer jumped in and brought the boys out safe, but not until one of them had sank for the third time.

Lieut. Robert Sterret, of Washington, Miss Annie M. Hunter, at the home of the bride, in St. Louis. The groom is a son of Rev. J. McBride Sterret, of Columbian University, Washington, D. C., whose father Robert Sterret was a partner of Jno. P. Packer, of Howard, this vate James Stine at Pleasant Gap. county; his grandfather, McBride, was the first principal of the Bellefonte ill quite suddenly on Tuesday and had Academy.

Some one at Spring Mills has been furnishing various papers of the county erally comes up the bill loaded like a with complaints about the lateness of the Centre Democrat reaching those on the Rural Routes, and intimating that the W. Reese, of the Bellefonte School Board, publisher is at fault or indifferent. If has intimated that it would be a nice the gentleman had only inquired a little thing for all scholars to come to the hall and not been so ready to censure, he would have found the cause. The Centre Democrat is printed and mailed the to the class the idea would be to wave same as for the past fourteen years, on flags at GEORGE WASHINGTON Reese. Thursday, on which day the other Beile- There are some chaps who, when they fonte papers are also printed. The trouble in Pennsvalley is due to the papers lying at Spring Mills from Thurs- the "long green"-the same kind of stuff day afternoon until Friday morning that Prof. John Harrison says GEORGE until the carriers start out. If any one can do better than we are, without publishing one day earlier, will certainly con-

#### ACADEMY NOTES.

We are glad to note the progress our Academy is making in the educational world. It has always sustained a high reputation for thoroughness and its students have acquitted themselves creditably wherever they have gone. The success of the school has naturally attracted many students from far and near, and this increase in students has necessitated a gradual increase in the faculty. A new instructor was added last year and now Prof. Jas. R. Hughes has secured still another for next year in the person of Bayard H. Sharpe, the clever athlete of Penn'a State College, who graduates this year. Mr. Sharpe, by reason of his excellent scholarship and general athletic ability will, doubtless, prove a card for the Academy. The principal will give up several classes next year to Mr. Wharton, who has been specially trained for classical and hischopping wood on the mountain, cut an torical work, while he himself will superintend the general interests of the school. Col. Austin Curtin on Monday received Mr. Sharpe will assist in the mathemathe grave stone of James B. Watson, for- tical work. This step on the part of Mr. Hughes from teaching principal to head master is a most important one, ought to Mills is now complete and presents an elevate the school far beyond any level attractive appearance. The interior is as yet attained. It means expense, but the new students added under such a system will warrant it. A school that benefits the town intellectually and financially as the Academy does merits hearty co-operation on every hand.

Misses Overton, Hill and Davis and Messrs. E. H. Myer and W. P. Wharton, have all been retained as instructors for next year.

#### BLESSING THE CROSS.

In St. John's Catholic church Friday of the cross, presented to the church by The Jacksonville Hunting Club will Miss Sarah Collins, were dedicated. hold a festival on the 13 of June at Jack- These stations are placed along the wall journey to, and crucifixion of Jesus, the Christ. They are valued at \$500.

In these services Father McArdle, the pastor, was assisted by Rev. Father of this Diocese, and Rev. Father Bowen, pastor of the church at Tyrone.

Father Bowen, made an earnest address, explaining the meaning of the stations of the Cross. He told the story in beautiful language of the crucifixion of our Saviour and stated the Catholic church early in its history had stations erected along the route over which Jesus had traveled on this memorable occasion. Pilgrims from all over the world visited the scene every year, but still there were many good Catholics who would not make the pilgrimage, so early in the 17th century the Pope issued an edict allowworld to place these stations within their walls.

The closing service of the evening was W. P. Johnson and H. V. Hile, of the Benediction, conducted by Father Pleasant Gap, left on Tuesday for Boyle. There was special music adapted

> -Democratic primaries come on Saturday.

> -Petitions continue to circulate on the change of the location of our postoffice. -Lieut. Boyd A. Musser, of Colonel

Elder's staff, has been promoted to cap--The Bellefonte Minstrels always gave good entertainments and drew

large bouses. -Communion service will be held in the United Brethren church Sunday morning and evening, May 31st.

-Some of you chaps who are getting polite notices from us should open up. If you are in arrears enough has been

-W. T. Speer, who had an operation performed in Philadelphia last week, is improving rapidly and is expected home some time next week.

-The Y. P. C. U. of the United Breth they both got in the water and would ern church will serve lunch, ice cream haveidrowned had not Buddie Schenck a and cake on Memorial Day, May 30th in the lecture hall of the church. Your patronage solicited.

-The minstrel show in the opera house, June 5th, will be for the benefit of the hospital fund. The cast will contain D. C., was married Thursday 21st to 55 people, with band and orchestra; street parade at noon.

> -Corporal James Gilbert Taylor, of Co. B, will deliver the Memorial address on Decoration Day at the graves of Sergeants Showers, Charles Garis and Pri-

> -Mail carrier John Bair was taken to lay off. He is about the hardest worked carrier in the crowd. He genpack mule.

-We are informed that our friend, G. this evening supplied with flags, and when he comes up and makes his "spiel" get in a corner, want to fall back on the flag. Why not let them wave some of WASHINGTON Roose flaunted in his face a year ago to withdraw for the benefit of securing C. L. Gramley's election as County Superintendent. Why not?

### LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Pitcairn Roy Miles, Sara J. Armagast Fillmore REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. F. W. Crider et ux to John Anderson,

Sept. 27, 1902; lot in Bellefonte, \$2,850. Jno. W. Bean et ux to Thos. M. Way. Jan. 24, 1800; land in Taylor twp. \$145. Ino. J. Bower et ux to William Tress-

ler, May 13, 1903; land in Unionville. Wm. Tressler, exec. to John J. Bower, March 24, 1903; land in Unionville, \$400. Hammond Sechler et ux to Kate Hor-

ner, May 25, 1903; land in Potter twp. \$165. Wm. F. Cronster et al to Mrs. Sarah Bumgardner, March 11, 1880; land in

Ellen K. Ashman et al et baron to John Kiss, May 16, 1903; land in South Philipsburg. \$90. C. T. Fryberger et ux to Susan Hessler,

Eagleville. \$8.

April 15, 1889; land in South Philipsburg. \$160. Wm. Tressler Exr., to Mary T. Tress-

ler, March 28, 1903; lot in Milesburg. \$320. Mary J. Tressler et baron to Kate A. Adams, May 16, 1903 : lot in Milesburg.

John Q. Miles Treasurer to Hugh Ward, June 11, 1894; land in Snow Shoe twp. \$23 64.

John O. Miles Treasurer, to Commissioners of Centre Co., June 30, 1896; land in Snow Shoe twp. \$21.25.

Z. W. Hoy et al Exrs. to Joseph H. Long, May 16, 1903; land in Marion Michael Hefferen et ux to Wm. Hef-

feren, April 11, 1902; land in Rush twp. Emery Sedlock et ux to G. L. Whitehead Coal Co. May 16, 1903; land in Rush twp. \$550.

J. H. Reifsnyder, et ux, to W. T. Zeigler, et al, May 8, 1903; land in Haines twp. \$100.

## TRIAL LIST.

For special term of court commencing Monday, June 22nd, 1903: Hugh Ward, Jr., vs. J. T. Lucas. Patrick Ward, Jr., vs. J. T. Lucas,

Lumber Co. VS. \*\* vs. A. J.

Lehigh Valley Coal Co. vs. Beaver

Geo. W. Jackson Estate vs. Jackson, Hasting & Co. Charles McCafferty vs. Mary Cook and

John Caldwell. Charles McCafferty vs. May Cook and John Caldweil and Benjamin Housel. Geo. L. Reed vs. W. S. Weston.

## ADJOINING COUNTIES.

Clarence Riley, a Williamsport boy, while gigging fish as he stood on the chute wall at that place Friday evening, captured a German carp three feet long that weighed 23 pounds. This is the NOTICE, biggest carp caught in that section this spring.

The Lock Haven Paper Mill have been awarded a contract for furnishing 1,900,ooo pounds of paper to the internal revenue department this year, a contract that these milfs have been filling for ten years past. They also furnish the paper for government stamps.

St. John's Catholic church at Milton was struck by lightning Friday morning and damaged to the extent of \$1000. Running from the steeple through the interior of the structure the bolt damaged the organ and choir box, tore out bricks and wrought havoc generally.

A scarcity of water is troubling the operating officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad on the Pittsburg division. It is likely that the water trains to carry the necessary supply from Lilly to Gallitzen will be placed in service. The company has a number of tank cars that are used especially to haul water to points on the main line where the short-

age is felt. The body of L. A. Clinger, Adams Express agent, who has been missing from Milton for a week, was found Thursday evening a mile west of that place by some men who were gathering driftwood. Deceased has been express agent at Milton for 20 years. He is survived by five children, all grown up. One of his children is Mrs. J. A. Winegardner, who formerly resided in the Crider's Exchange at this place, and whose busband fires on the Lewisburg passenger train.

What is believed to be the oldest building in this section of the state, the log house on the farm of John Knepley, near Jersey Shore, was torn down last week to make room for a modern residence. The house was built 140 years ago. The interior was finished with split lath, which were put together with nails hammered by a blacksmith. The bricks in the chimney, it is supposed, were products of England. The house has never underwent repairs and was in a good state of preservation.

They have a strenuous burgess down in West Chester, and he proposes to take decided steps to put an end to chronic drunkenness. He announces that on the first of July he will furnish the hotel keepers with a list of all those who have been before him on the charge of drunkenness, and if after such notice any liquor is sold to them he will prosecute the seller under the law which prohibits the selling of liquor to persons of known intemperate habits. This is a new step in the line of temperance reform, and as West Chester is a small town with only ten places where intoxicants are sold the experiment will be watched with interest.

# THE OLD RELIABLE



Half a dozen fishermen, with a seine, secured a whole boat load of carp a few evenings ago in the river below the dam at Lock Haven. Some of the fish were large size.

The Mann Edge Tool company, of Lewistown, will erect a large ax factory at Mill Hall. The plant is to be a large one and will have a capacity of not less than 1,2000 axes per day.

Yesterday morning about 4:30 o'clock the house of Willard F. Brown. occupied by Geo. Gobble, at Clintondale, took fire, and was burned, with little of the contents saved. Mr. Brown estimates his loss at from \$500 to \$600, with \$350 insurance. Mr. Gobble had \$350

#### STREET CARNIVAL.

The Undine Fire Company is preparing for a big event in our town the first week of July next. It will be a Popular Street Carnival that will be in operation for five days. It is a new thing in the line of entertainments and is a sort of a midway, like at the Worlds Fair, only not as elaborate. There will be about a dozen distinct attractions, or side shows, each one having a special attraction with a number of free public entertainments, such as rope walking, baloon ascensions, diving from a high platform, magic etc. We can not give a detailed description, but will furnish same later.

The Undine boys have contracted with a traveling troop of professional people who exhibit exclusively in this line of business. Altoona and Johnstown recently had such a street carnival and it proved entertaining and a success financially.

Notice.

A report has been circulated in Beliefonte and vicinity that I have purchased the cows formerly belonging to the L. C. Rearick dairy. I now make the positive statement that I do not have a single cow on my farm or in my p session that at any time belonged to the L. C. Rearick dairy.

C. A: Houtz being duly sworn according to the law doth depose and say that the facts set forth in the above statement are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information

worn and subscribed before me May 28th, C. A. HOUTZ.

CLEMENT DALE, Notary Public. Commission expires February 27th, 1,05

ANNOUN CEMENT. We are authorized to announce the name of rederick Robb, of Curtin township, for the ffice of Jury Commissioner, subject to the de-

#### office of Jury Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. PENNY A WORD ADV.

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

FOR SALE: -2 year-old Swiss bull, pure stock. C. E. Lutz. Fillmore.

MONEY TO LOAN on approved security. J. A. B. Miller, Atty. Bellefonte, Pa. MONEY TO LOAN:—On approved real estate security. N. B. Spangler, Bellefonte

LOST:-Two foot rule brass bound May 20th No. 62 between Unionville and my place. Will reward finder for return of same to C. H.

WANTED:-A good horse, give description, and price. Address, "Horseman" care this office.

FOR SALE:—A good farm in Mifflin county, containing 150 acres well improved, convenient to market and B. R. renning through the farm adapted for stock and truck farming. J. H. Reifsnyder, Milheim. FOR SALE:-Locust Hill poultry farms, an, Pa. Eggs 75 cts. per seiting. Barred lymouth Rocks, S. C. Brown and White Leg-orns, Sliver and white Wyandottes, Pekin ucks. Free range. Special prices on quan

A STEADY INCOME:—Salary or commission paid weekly. Our 1200 acre nursery requires local and traveling agents everywhere to dispose of its products. Will arrange for whole or part time. Outfit free, We guarantee profitable and pleasant employment the year round. Write to-day for special terms. Brown Brothers Company, Rochester, N. Y.

# MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Bellefonte-Produce. The following prices prevailed Thursday morning :

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

Lock Haven Curb Market. Prices at the curb market Lock Haven,

Wednesday morning:

Butter, 16 to 18c, lb.; eggs per doz. 14 to
18c; potatoes per bu. 70cts chickens per
pair 50 to 80c; onions, per bunch 5c
beets per bunch 5c; asparagus, per bunch
13c; rhubarb, per bunch 5c; oats per bu.