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EDITORIAL.

It was announced that at the meeting of the Democratic State Central committee in Harrisburg, Wednesday, Chairman Donnelly would retire. In his place Senator Geo. B. Dimeling, of Clearfield was elected. The change is a good one as Senator Dimeling is a hustler.

WHEAT in this county is ripe and ready for harvesting—some already on shock. Hay making is well nigh over and a goodly crop was harvested and under very favorable weather. Now stop your murrering, it displeases the Lord as does the murrerings of the children of Israel in the wilderness.

WAR WITH JAPAN.

The movement of our naval fleet to the Pacific Coast has caused world wide comment, and is generally interpreted that our government wants to take this step so as to be prepared in case there should be a war with Japan. Difficulty after difficulty arises from day to day, between the two nations. In Japan there are two political forces, like in all countries. The party in power desires peace, the other element are arousing for war in the hope of gaining control of the government. Intoxicated over their victory with Russia the Japs are desirous of other conquests, and are looking with a covetous eye towards our Philippine possessions and the Hawaii Islands, which with their large fleets they would soon fill with an army and permanently occupy in the future. It seems certain that this would be the result of hostilities, despite our battleships and boasted greatness. It also would be what this country merits for her inconsistent colonial policy.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

- Mrs. Charles Schreyer, of Altoona, visited friends in Bellefonte the past week.
- William Kuhn, a clerk in the office of the National Tube Works, at Pittsburg, is visiting Bellefonte friends.
- Miss Mildred Cox, the bright little daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Cox, is visiting her grandmother at Lewisburg.
- The Misses Lowry, left Tuesday for Pittsburg where they will attend the wedding of their friend Miss Jane Zellers.
- Miss Margaret Thomas, of Peoria, Ill., is visiting at Lemont. Before returning to the west she will visit Col. and Mrs. Emanuel Noll on Allegheny St.
- Geo. W. Zeigler, Esq., David Atherton and Harry Todd, of Phillipsburg and ex-Judge John G. Love, of Bellefonte, left on a trout fishing expedition to Potter county.
- Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crisman of Wheeling, W. Va. are visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Garbrick at Colleville. Mr. and Mrs. Crisman are on their wedding tour.
- Sunday evening the venerable Daniel Garman was taken ill and since then his condition has not improved, considering his advanced age his recovery is a matter of much doubt.
- Gamble, Gheen & Co. are makin arrangements to build a ware house over the race, north of Peter Kechline's store. It will be 60x30 feet and will be occupied by John Dubs.
- Frank Heckman, of Anaconda, Montana, was a pleasant visitor at the home of his uncle, Daniel Heckman, on Lamb street. He was on his way to Philadelphia to attend the Elks Carnival and other points of interest.
- Lewis G. Menke, of New York City, spent the past week in and about Bellefonte on a vacation. He has had experience in the journalistic field of that city and was an interesting visitor in our office; while here one of Bellefonte's charming young ladies induced him to return here. He is wise, and may come again soon.

Council Meeting

The principal topic was the discussion of ordinances for the new sewer systems to be laid, on which there were wide differences of opinion.

The grading of Reynolds avenue brought up a variety of views and was referred to the street committee.

Action on the Pruner orphanage was postponed.

Solicitor Mitchell submitted a proposition whereby the town could secure a section of state road, that met with favor. It would connect with the road now being built between here and Milesburg, and extends along parts of Linn, Allegheny and Bishop streets. It would be 1 1/2 miles long, and cost \$8,000, of which the Boro would have to pay \$1,000.

Deering Supplies.

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OVER THE COUNTY.

The business men's association of Tyrone will picnic at Hecla Park on Tuesday, August 27th.

Bruce Struble and wife are very much pleased since they have moved in their new home at State College.

The Presbyterian Sunday School will hold its festival on Aug. 3rd at Buffalo Run. All are cordially invited.

The fifth annual reunion of the Shaffer and Hazel families will be held at Madisonburg, Thursday, August 22.

R. B. Harris, a student at State College who has been suffering from rheumatism for some months, has been removed to his home in Harrisburg.

Miss Flo Duck, a teacher in the Waldo Emerson high school, in St. Louis is at home in Spring Mills, where she will remain during her vacation.

H. Long is spending a few weeks in Boston, Mass., on business. In his absence his son, Arthur, is attending to his milling business at Howard.

After suffering for several weeks from rheumatism, Mrs. Isaac Smith, of Centre Hall, is improving somewhat, but is not yet able to be out of bed.

Mrs. W. S. Musser, of Millheim, and two daughters, Aida and Margaret, are now in Chicago where they are visiting friends. Mr. Musser accompanied them to Pittsburg where he is transacting business.

D. Thomas F. Hunt, dean of the school of agriculture, and Mrs. Hunt have taken their permanent abode in State College. They will shortly occupy the house next to Prof. Fahr's residence on the campus.

Miss Prescilla Stuart, of Boalsburg, attended the wedding of Miss Prescilla Ann Wilson to W. C. Williams which took place at Curwensville, on Wednesday of last week. The bride was formerly of Harris township.

The many friends of Chauncy Bill Stuart, formerly of State College, will be pleased to learn that he has finally made a rich strike on his oil lands in Oklahoma, as a week or two ago he blew a well which is now spouting fifteen hundred barrels of oil a day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Weibly, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. G. F. Merris, of State College, left recently for Ohio, where they will spend several weeks. Mrs. Merris will not return to State College as she expects to join her husband, who has a good position in Indiana.

Samuel Weiser, of Millheim, has been confined to his home with a very sore eye. Three weeks ago Mr. Weiser was engaged in putting up spouting and got some dirt in his eye. The eye became very much inflamed and at present under treatment by a physician.

Rev. Ralph Illingsworth, of Baltimore, spent a few days recently with his family who are taking their summer outing at the Snyder home near State College. The reverend is about to leave the Monmouth city to be installed pastor of the Reynoldsville charge some thirty miles out of that city.

At the stove mill recently set up on John Decker's lands, in the Seven mountains, there were already two accidents the first week. Mrs. Winkler was caught by a belt, resulting in a broken arm. Next day Mr. Bears, head sawyer, came in contact with a circular saw and had his thumb amputated close to the joint.

Miss Esther Sparr returned to her home in Williamsport, after spending a year with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Reed, of Boalsburg. Mrs. Reed has been complaining from ailments of a pulmonary nature, accompanied her and is spending some time in Williamsburg with her sister, Mrs. Belle Stewart.

Lumberman C. J. Finkle, of Spring Mills, brother to Adam Finkle, also a lumberman, says that the lumber business is decidedly active, particularly for staves and laths and the demands for lumber were never so pressing as at the present time. He is operating his mills to their utmost capacity to keep even with his orders.

One day recently Paul Witmer, son of W. W. Witmer, of Buffalo Run, was out in the field mowing when his horses frightened and ran away. In attempting to stop them he was knocked down and trampled upon, sustaining an ugly cut on the leg from the horses' hoofs. No bones were broken and he fortunately escaped being caught in the machine.

Mrs. James A. Quigley, of Blanchard, had as guests several days recently Mr. William Elliot and daughter of Pittsburg, who are spending the summer at State College; Mrs. J. Edwin Quigley, of Pittsburg who with her two daughters is spending some time at the home of her father, D. F. Good in Lock Haven; and Mrs. Florence Umberger, of Lock Haven.

Plans have been completed for having a Methodist day at Fernwood on July 26th, covering the charges represented by Phillipsburg, Osceola, Houtzdale, Ramey, Madera, Morrisdale, Munson, Winburne and other nearby places. Among the speakers will be Rev. Dr. E. H. Yocum, Rev. Dr. Geo. M. Klepfer, Rev. J. H. Daugherty and Rev. S. D. Wilson. Special music, in charge of Prof. William Dunning, will be a feature.

Early in the spring T. B. Jamison, of Spring Mills, bruised the palm of his right hand but considered it of no consequence. An excrescence, however, was formed which became very painful and grew so rapidly that in a short time he was unable to close his hand. Dr. Braucht applied several remedies but of no benefit, and concluded that an operation was necessary which was performed. It is thought he will be able to use his hand in a short time.

John Smith and family, son Melvin Smith and wife have moved their home hold goods to Newton Hamilton, where the families will reside. They were engaged in lumbering near Shingletown for several years, which work was a financial success. A few weeks ago the saw mill was moved a short distance west of State College. That work being completed, they have again moved the mill, this time to Millin county, and will continue the work there for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Spangler and children, of Chicago, are at present visiting their old homes, Centre Hall and Pottery Mills. Mr. Spangler is one of the three sons of W. W. Spangler located in Chicago, and is clerk to the Industrial Agent of the Northwestern Railway. They will remain here for about another week. Mrs. W. E. Spangler and children, also of Chicago, is at her former home—Pottery Mills—and will remain until some time in August, when her husband will come east to enjoy a brief vacation.

James Korman and Geo. Bright, of Penn Cave, were callers and report matters flourishing in that section.

The Howard Mattress Co. have moved into their new building and are turning out their product at a lively rate.

Joseph H. Covert, of Philadelphia, arrived in Bellefonte on Friday to visit his son Harry, who is one of the trusted employees at the Reynolds home.

Irvin Ward, one of the Pennsy's trusted engineers, is seriously ill at his home in Tyrone with cancer of the bowels. He was formerly of Pine Grove Mills.

Lightning killed a fine milk cow for Ellis Horner, west of Centre Hall, a short time ago. The animal was out in pasture and when the bolt struck her she is said to have been twisted about like a top.

Allison Bros., of Spring Mills, have improved the water course to their flouring mill, made several changes in the machinery and gained more power; they are now running on full time and doing a large business.

Prof. Charles F. Shaw, the Governor's soil expert, who has been surveying in the section of State College for the last six months, has moved his headquarters to Centre Hall in order to complete the survey from that end of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pillsbury and children, of State College, left last week for Columbus, O. After a two weeks visit with friends and relatives Mr. Pillsbury will return home and Mrs. Pillsbury will go on to St. Louis to visit her parents.

A. H. Hosterman, of Centre Hall, has returned home after spending a month with relatives in Michigan and other western states. He was well pleased with the people as well as the surroundings, but prefers Pennsylvania as a home.

Rev. H. W. Bender, pastor of the Lutheran church, has tendered his resignation to become effective October 1st. He went to Phillipsburg over a year ago and by his affable demeanor has made many friends. What he is going to do in the future is not known.

A. H. Knisely, proprietor of the Nittany Inn, accompanied by his wife and sister-in-law, Bertha Wetzel, left on Tuesday of last week for an overland trip to Fisher's Ferry, Northumberland county, where they spent a short vacation among friends.

Miss Orpha Gramley, of Spring Mills, has been chosen a teacher in the public schools of Phillipsburg. Miss Gramley has been known as one of the advanced teachers in Gregg township, and no doubt will be able to fill the position to which she has been elected with entire credit.

Rev. B. F. Beiber, of Milton, the newly elected pastor of the Centre Hall Lutheran charge, filled the regular appointments on the charge, and will continue to do so. The parsonage is about to undergo extensive repairs, after which he will occupy it. His marriage is a forth, coming event.

The wall for the new dwelling house to be erected by Prof. C. R. Neff, on his farm above Earllystown, is completed. The work was done by John R. Strong, of Pottery Mills. As soon as the Houseman carpenters complete the Hosterman farm dwelling house, they will begin work on the Neff house.

Last week the big black team of horses on the experimental farm, at State College, ran away with the mowing machine, badly damaging the machine. The driver was in the rear of the machine oiling it when the horses took fright so that he escaped being injured. Neither of the horses was hurt.

During a recent thunder storm B. F. Grove, of Penn township, Huntingdon county, had forty-seven sheep that had taken refuge under a tree killed by a single stroke of lightning. The loss was about \$500. About two years ago two cows were killed by lightning under the same tree. A strange coincidence is that on neither occasion did the tree show any effects of the flash.

In order to obtain the benefits of the purest mountain air, Howard Fetterolf came home from Pittsburg and will remain at Centre Hall until he regains his former good health. For a year or more he has been working in brass in one of the large shops in Pittsburg, and seemingly for a long time he was able to withstand the poisonous gases and filings but later he began to feel the ill effects of his surroundings.

Prof. Fred E. Foss, who for the last 14 years has been head of the Civil Engineering department of the Pennsylvania State college, has been called to a professorship in the department of civil engineering practice in the school of applied science, Carnegie Tech. School. Another resignation that many regret is that of Prof. I. Thornton Osmond, dean of the School of Mathematics and Physics. It is reported that Prof. Osmond will retire from teaching. Dr. J. Frank Meyer, of Penn Hall, will succeed Prof. Osmond.

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Criders' Exchange.

A new dyeing machine is being installed in the knitting mills in Millheim. These mills are in a very flourishing condition and are very ably managed.

Mrs. M. R. Lawrence and daughter, Mittie, of the Nittany Printing and Publishing company, of State College, are spending a six weeks vacation at the Wayside Inn, South Portland, Me.

The ladies of the Evangelical church, at Howard, will hold a social on Saturday evening July 20, at the meetings. Ice cream and the usual refreshments will be served. Come you are invited.

Carp are seriously plenty and large in the Bald Eagle, and are thinning out other fish to some extent. How to get rid of these fish is a problem that puzzles our fish authorities as well as the fishing fraternity. Carp get large enough in our local streams to weigh anywhere from 10 to 20 pounds. The carp preys upon all other fish.

Charles Johnston, aged 60 years, residing near Blanchard, fell off a load of hay at the farm of Leonard Metzger on Monday afternoon and laid unconscious for two hours. Then he managed to drive his team home but was in a dazed condition and lapsed into unconsciousness again, remaining in this condition until 2 o'clock next morning.

On Saturday afternoon, Frank Lee and Frank Wian pitched eight loads of hay and unloaded six. Monday afternoon they pitched nine loads and loaded seven. Charles Bitner was the builder. This was done on the farm of Israel Kauffman, near Bellefonte, and it was a pretty big half-day's work. It shows what a fellow can do when he gets a hustle on.

Gov. Stuart has appointed Arch Billings, of Edinboro, as agent for the state dairy and food division at Harrisburg. The governor has also appointed one of the ablest men on the faculty of the Pennsylvania State College, Dr. William Frear, professor of agricultural chemistry. Frear will analyze all samples of foods collected by the agents of the division in the various counties in the central portion of the state.

Mrs. Helen Martin, well known as the author of "Tilly, the Mennoite Maiden," and just now being widely advertised by "His Courtship," came to State College last week with her children to spend the summer with her sister, Miss Reimensnyder. Two days after, her youngest child developed scarlet fever and had to be taken to the infirmary. Fortunately, it was a mild case and the child is now rapidly convalescing.

Ira Gill, of Pleasant Gap, came near losing his left arm Saturday morning about 10 o'clock. William Noll has a saw mill on the old Hamilton homestead near the Pleasant Gap station, and Mr. Gill was engaged in cutting stuff with a crosscut saw. He reached over the saw to adjust a board when the sleeve of his shirt caught the saw and drew his arm into it, cutting it through the flesh and half way into the bone. S. H. Williams, of Bellefonte, who was working in a field near by, unhitched his horses and took the injured man to his home when a physician was called who put a number of stitches in the wound. He is now getting along as well as can be expected, but owing the fact that the bone was almost severed the injury is very painful.

The Business Mens Picnic will be held at Hecla Park, August 20.

The Hagens, of Farmers Mills, have completed their work in Centre Hall and are now erecting a dwelling house and outbuildings at Coburn for Warren Corman.

According to John R. Strong, the Potters Mills taxidermist, it will take a lawyer and judge to keep the average sporting man within the bounds of the game laws. The local game warden found a mounted robin and woodpecker among Strong's collection and in order to save paying the penalty for violating the laws, Mr. Strong was obliged to go before a justice and make oath that the birds had died from some unknown cause.

A Disastrous Fire.

The most disastrous fire in years in Tyrone's record occurred Tuesday afternoon when the extensive planing and saw mills of F. D. Beyer & Co., at the corner of Lincoln avenue and Sixteenth street, the plant of the Tyrone Milling company and four dwelling houses on Sixteenth street, three stables and other smaller buildings, and much of the lumber in the F. D. Beyer & Co. yard fell prey to the swift-consuming flames. It is thought that it caught from a hot box in the under-machinery of the mill. There was insurance amounting to \$12,000 on F. D. Beyer & Co's mills and lumber. A. W. Beyer's mill was insured for \$2,000, less than one fourth of his loss.

New State Road.

Things are in a hustle and bustle along the pike between Bellefonte and Milesburg. R. B. Taylor as contractor and S. H. Diehl as inspector, for the new state road, have a large number of men and teams employed who are just rushing things. In several places they have made a fill of two feet in order to place the road on a high level, away from the floods, most of which comes off the edge of the mountain and down through Armor's Gap. Large heavy stones are being placed in the bottom of the roadbed, which is then filled in with dirt. This is rolled with a new Kelley 10-ton steam roller, recently purchased by Mr. Taylor. When this passes over the road everything is pressed solidly together. Nine inches of crushed limestone will be put on lastly, which will be rolled until it becomes hard. The crushed limestone will be secured from the large crusher in Armor's Gap, owned by the American Lime & Stone Co. The road was commenced near the Shoemaker residence, and they are working toward Milesburg, and are making a most excellent showing. If they keep at the pace they are going, the road will be built within the prescribed time.

—This coming week Edmund Joseph expects to have issued a small 4 page paper to be known as "La Bellefonte" that will attract attention. The young publisher is a bright and ambitious lad, and who knows but some day he may rival Hearst or a Pulitzer.

OUR MID-SUMMER

Clearance Sale

is now going on and will continue until the end of the month. If we could bring our store to your door we might convince you of the wonderful money-saving bargain we are offering. But we cannot come to you, so the best thing we can do is to invite you to come to us, and we might add, come soon, while the stock is complete.

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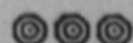
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