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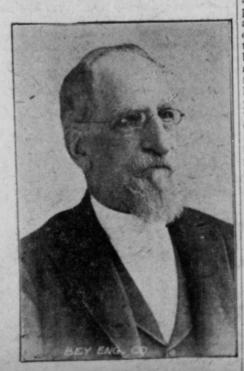
# PASSED BEYOND

One of Centre County's Noted Hotel Keepers.

### CITIZENS DIE THREE AGED

Mrs. Louisa Brackbill Could Not Survive Her Injuries - Other Deaths in The Community The Past Week--Brief Biographies.

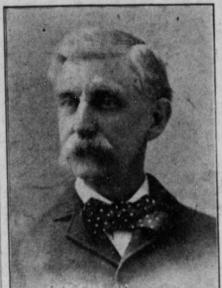
DANIEL GARMAN :- one of Bellefonte's at his home on Sunday evening a few minutes after eight o'clock. Having attained the ripe age of 88 years the physical mechanism weakened, and in the past few years, there was frequent oldest and respected citizens passed away evidence that life was an uncertainty. Although attended during the past year Mr. Garman took frequent strolls about the town. About a week ago a relapse came, a sinking spell incident to old age, came, a sinking spell incident to old age, from which he was unable to rally and gradually sank into his last sleep. Dangradually sank into his last sleep. Was appointed a clerk in the quarter-maker of the same has a proposition of Dauphin county, February 12, 1820. His parents, George and Rebecca Garman,



business with his brother. He also began his career as a liveryman. In 1856 he went to Lock Haven, Penn., and one of the oldest resident opened a jewelry store and livery stable. died Sunday evening about 8 o'clock, at and engaged in the buying and selfing her residence on Spring street. Although of horses. In 1857, while there, he was well advanced in years, her death was married to Miss Louisa Shroyer, who was born at Milton, Northumberland that befel her Tuesday night of last Co., Penn., in 1834, and in 1860 he moved to Bellefonte. A large stock of moved to Bellefonte. A large stock of horses which he bought at that time enabled him to establish himself in a profitable business at once; in 1861 he pure table business at once; in 1861 he pur- feet. Her injuries were of such a serichased the hotel stand opposite the Court House, and personally and successfully conducted the same until 1890 when his sons Corney and Allen S, assumed the management; and sincethen he lived retired life at his residence on Allegheny street, having accumulated a goodly amount to pass the remaining years in comfort and ease. In 1886 the family circle was broken by the sudden death of his wife. To them nine children were born as follows: Edward, merchant, Bellefonte; Allen S., Tyrone; Ira D., jeweler, Philadelphia; Mrs. Maitland, of Williamsport; Corney M., hotelman, Atlantic City; William, mail clerk, Bellefonte; (C. Bruce, died last March;) Mrs. Rebe Cruse, who resided with her father; and Robert, jeweler, of Tyrone. By the death of Mr. Garman Bellefonte looses one of its oldest citi-zens. He was widely known as the proprietor of the "Garman House," one of the popular hotels of the town which bears his name and which he so successfully conducted for a long term of years. He was prominently identified in the community, having served in the boro council and as a member of the school board. For over a half century he was a member of Masonic order and with the late W. W. Montgomery, who was buried in the same cemetery a few hours later, they were the two oldest vestrymen of St. John's Episcopal church, of Bellefonte. The last sad rites took place Tuesday at 2 p. m., services being held at the residence, conducted by Geo. Israel Brown, of Harrisburg, for mer rector, and Norman Stockett, the

WINDEL WHITMAN MONTGOMERY;among the oldest residents of Bellefonte. died Sunday, about noon, at his residence on Allegheny street, after a prolonged illness of two years, from a complication of infirmities incident to his advanced age. During the last year he gradually lost the elasticity of his step and often was assisted around by members of his family. A week prior to his death he was compelled to take his bed, and from was compelled to take his bed, and from that time on he grew weaker until the end came. Was born in Columbia. Lancaster county, Aug. 25th, 1832, making his age 74 years, 10 months and 26 days. He was the son of John and Catharine Montgomery, the family being of the Scotch-Irish origin and hailing from Ballany-Hinch. County Down. Ireland. When Mr. Montgomery was 5 years of age his family moved to Belleville. years of age his family moved to Belle-fonte where they continued to reside the balance of their lifetime. He received his education at the old Bellefonte Academy and on leaving school entered into

partnership with his father in tailoring and gent's furnishing business and later with his brother, Frank Montgomery. When the Civil War broke out he enlist-



'63 to '65. He was a great friend of the late Judge Hale who took a great interest in him as a young man and had him appointed to his position in Washington and later had him appointed Postmaster of Bellefonte from 1865 to 1869, without the solicitation of Mr. Montgomery himself. On February 12, 1899 he was again appointed Postmaster of Belle-fonte, serving until Feb. 12 1904, when he was re-appointed for another four years serving until Feb. 12, 1907. He was a popular official and public interests received his careful attention. Early in his life he was married to Mary Catharine Lingle, daughter of J. J. Lin-gle an attorney and former sheriff of the that the chairmen on the above named gle an attorney and former shelling of their county. Their married life proved a pleasant and happy one. Mrs. Mont-genery survives with the following childatone. Another meeting of the officers will be held in about two or three weeks will be held in about two or three weeks. gomery survives with the following children: Mrs. C. J. McHugh, of Pittsburg; Mrs. John C. Bair, Joseph L., Fred and Emma Montgomery, all of Bellefonte. He also leaves two brothers, Henry H. and C. Frank. The deceased was a faithful member of St. John's Episcopal church and greatly interested in its wellfare. For almost 50 years he was secratary of the Vestry of this church. He was a member of the old original Bellelonte band and his death leaves F. Potts Green as its only living member. The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon at Fleming

one of the oldest residents of Bellefonte, the result of a sad and painful accident week when she arose from her bed and, ous character that it was impossible for her to recover. The deceased was the daughter of John Runkle and was born in Centre Hill, Centre county, June 6th, 1819, making her age at time of death 88 years, 1 month and 15 days. In 1841



she was united in marriage to John mer rector, and Norman Stockett, the Brackbill and the same year came to present rector, acting as a supply. The Beliefonte where she has resided ever Masonic order attended the funeral services. Interment in the Union cemetery. furniture business and became one of the leading business men of the town. He departed this life several years ago. The ceased commanded the highest respect of all who knew her. - By nature she was of a retiring disposition, loving her home and the companionship of those who dwelt therein. Her loss will be keenly felt by those who enjoyed her friendliness. Mrs. Brackbill had many friends in our community which was her home for many years. She was a member of the state ber of the Presbyterian church, not only

### FAMILY REUNION SOON TO HE HELD

The Famous Williams Reunion at Martha, September 7th

POORMANS WILL ASSEMBLE

For Another Family Reunion in Boggs Township--Picnics Booked for Hecla Park in the Near Future --Where to Enjoy Yourself

The officers of the Williams reunion to be held on Saturday, Sept. 7th, met and appointed the following committees

to prepare for the reunion; Arrangements—John Miles, James B. Williams, D. J. Gingery and Abednego

Transportation-George Bullock, D.J. Gingery and A. B. Williams. Finance—N. S. Williams, R. G. Williams and Wilson Stiver.

Obituary—Ernest Spotts, Geo. W. Williams and Orvis Williams. It is the desire and expectation of all, that all arrangements will be made for the comfort of the people who attend so that we may all enjoy a pleasant day together. The trains will stop at the grounds as usual; and refreshments and

other good things will be found there.

Dinner and lunch will be sold on the
grounds sufficient for all who may desire uch. This will be in charge of Messrs James B. Williams and Harry Marshall. Don't be burdened carrying your dinner, but come and fill up on the good things

they will furnish for you.

Arrangements will also be made to take care of all persons who come and do not behave as a gentlemen. Those of you this may hit please beware, for this will be strictly enforced. We hope committees will call meetings of their and a report will be requested of each committee at that time. Begin now.

"How poor, how rich, how abject, how august. How complicate, how wonderful is a Williams! How passing wonder. He who made him such!" Walter H. Williams Sec.

### POORMAN REUNION.

In a recent date the officers of the were both born and reared near Lancaster, leans, but moved in 180c, shortly
after their marriage, to Dauphin county.
Our subject, the fifth child in order of
birth, grew to manhood at the old home,
and at twenty-three started out to seek
his fortune locating first at Jersey Shore
Penn., where he learned the jeweler's
trade, and was for three years in that
business with his borther. He also
began to make things pleasant. Mrs.
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the us Poorman reunion met at the home of Mrs. Adda Lucas, Mrs. Nettie Poorman; recitations: Mrs. Claud Poorman, Mrs. Arthur Bedient, Miss Adah Hancock, Miss Amber Confer, Oren Poorman, Martin Fetzer, Charles Poorman, and others. The place selected is near Miles-burg, in Kohlbeckers grove, and the day set is the 24th of August, 1907. will be the second annual reunion of the John and Catherine Poorman heirs, the first being held on the old homestead, now occupied by Fleming Poorman, the 25th of August 1906. To this reunion all the relatives of John and Cathrine Juctice C. E. Shuey at State College

the members of this distinguished famand others. At noon an elaborate dinner will be served, and from a social standpoint these annual gatherings have always proven a great success.

### Hecla Park Picnics.

The following dates have been reserv-

" 26-Concert.
Aug. 1-Lutheran S. S. of Bellefonte. 2—Meyer and Maurey Reunion. 3—Mill Hall Sunday School. 8—Christian S. S. of Lock Hayen.

10—Snydertown S. S. 14—Salona M. E. S. S. 15—United Ev. S. S. of L. H. 16-Concert. 20-Business Men's Picnic.

21-Baptists Y. P. Union L. H. 22-Bellefonte A. M. E. S. S.

28-Hoy-Yearick Reunion. 29-Tyrone Business Men's. 30-Concert.

### Sept. 2-Carpenters Union. For and Against a Boro.

set for taking testimony on the issue of least 200 representatives at the confer-whether that town should be incorpor-ence. ated in the future. There is a diversion of sentiment that has grown pronounced. The movement was started in order to secure better control over local affairs, catcher. It was made so by the recent

ber of other boros in our county. The objection to the movement is principally on the ground that it would

ncrease local taxation. Monday was devoted to taking of testimony, and on Saturday the question will be argued fully before Judge Orvis.

\* Be careful how you grasp an opportu-

### IN GRIP OF BLACKSNAKE.

Mother of Presiding Elder Dunlap Had Terrible Experience

Mrs. John Dunlap, of near Yoe, mother of the Rev. James F. Dunlap, presiding elder of the Williamsport district of the United Evangelical church, had a blood Harvest. curdling experience with a blacksnake on Wednesday afternoon of last week. The reptile wound itself about her body and INSPECTED A LUMBER CAMP lung to her with such tenacity that it had to be cut loose in pieces.

farm hands. She was alone on a newly cleared tract of land, awaiting the return of the wagon from the barn, when she felt that her legs were entangled in what she thought was a piece of binding twine. She attempted to disengage herself and was horrified to find that she crat drove to the lumber operation of was in the coils of an immense black- Dales and Bennett, located at what is snake. The reptile resisted every effort to tear it loose, tightening its hold to such an extent that Mrs. Dunlap was Bellefonte. This is a delightful drive, thrown to the ground.

Fortunately the wagon was just returning, and the farm hands, attracted by her cries for help, ran to her assistance. They tried to tear the snake loose, but succeeded only in causing it to tighten its hold. Finally, with their knives, the men hacked it from her body piecemeal. The snake measured more piecemeal. The snake measured more than seven feet in length.

### Fisherman Arrested.

Last week Ammoon Rote, R. A. Confer and Irvin Kerns, of Penn township, were arrested by fish warden Shanon, of Tyrone, for illegal fishing. Rote was arrested on two charges, for fishing with a net of too large size and for using wire screens in the dam to catch the fish. Confer was arrested for using a net of too small mesh and Kern for fishing with a net of too large size and too small mesh. In substantiation of his charges the fish warden found the men with the nets in their possession.

They were brought to Bellefonte on Wednesday and given a hearing before justice of the peace John M. Keichline. The evidence was so plain against them that he had no alternative but to impose the penalty prescribed by law, which is hold down the conveyance to keep it twenty-five dollar fine and costs, the latter being about twelve dollars in each horses, the camp was reached. After case. The men refused to settle and apsizing it up, a fair conclusion was reachpealed the case to court. Justice Keichline ed that if a man wanted to look out he has had hundreds of cases before him for violations of the game and fish laws back and look up. The party was wel-and these are the first cases that were comed by Al. Dale who had the appearever appealed to court, other violators when found guilty being only too ready to pay their fine and avoid the heavy

at his home at noon, and an interesting lus the art of converting logs into boards little son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woodand scantling. They have an up-to date ring, of Howard Street, died in the hossawmill and one of the finest Peerless of the work. He seems to know what pital in Philadelphia, on Sabbath morning where he had been taken for treatment several weeks ago; Mrs. Louisa Brackbill, the aged widow of John Brackbill, died at her home on Spring street on Sabbath evening at 8.10; Verily, Bellefonte was a house of mourning.

Poorman, deceased, are cordially invited to attend. Come, bring your basket and prepare for a pleasant day with your friends.

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The Dale's Reunion. The Dale Family reunion will be held Saturday, August 3rd, in the Grange hall at Oakhall. This is not only for the members of this distinguished by sirs. Jackson charged her husband with striking and choking her, abusing her children, threatening arson, habitual drunkenness, menace to the community, obtaining goods. false pretence and forging her name to ily, but the public is cordially invited. orders and being of unsound mind. At There will be several excellent addresses the conclusion Jackson was bound by prominent members of the family, over for court and now is a guest of Sheriff Kline.

### Seventh Calvary Reunion.

ed for gatherings at Hecla Park, this season:

July 25—Reformed Reunion.

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Aug. 1—Lutheran S. S. of Bellefonte.

Tennion of the Seventh Pennsylvania

Cavalry, will take place on Wednesday and They stopped to get a drink at a hydraulic and they turned to go on their way they saw Himes running after them wildly. No sooner had Barnes turned his back than Himes pulled his revolved.

Post Room, with a camp fire in the ev-Post Room, with a camp fire in the evening which will be addressed by a number of prominent speakers, among them being Judge Love, who has been selection of the former's heart, of less than twenty feet. ed and who has consented to deliver the principal address. The exercises will be interspersed with singing, recitations, recounting of adventures, etc., which will make it extremely interesting.

# Gypsies' Convention.

A reunion of gypsies will take place about August 1 along the Bald Eagle creek, a short distance south of Lock Haven. A large band of them is now camping at that spot.

It is expected, gypsies will arrive from all sections of the state. This is a central For and Against a Boro.

On Monday, Snow Shoe was well represented in Bellefonte, as it was the time along the creek, says there will be at

### Tag Your Dog.

Every constable in Bellefonte is a dog walks, the schools and policing, and other privileges. The population of about 600 would be larger than a number of other byce. In the schools and policing, and other privileges. The population of about 600 would be larger than a number of other byce. In the street and side of the work of the schools and policing, and other privileges. The population of about 600 would be larger than a number of other byce.

## A PLEASURE TRIP TO THE MOUNTAIN

Mrs. Dunlap, who is 58 years of age, was helping in the harvest field, on account of the unavoidable scarcity of Lumber Camp at Glenn Harris-Saw a Lawyer Transformed Into a Lumberman-A Modern Mill.

The other afternoon Dr. M. A. Kirk, his daughter Lois, S. A. McQuistion and the associate editor of the Centre Demoespecially at the time of the year when Fortunately the wagon was just re- nature is clothed in a garland of beauty mountains are densely covered with green verdure where the laurel blooms as the rose, presenting a unique and picturesqe sight. Forging our way through the compact forest a number of comfortable homes were passed, the inmates of which were thoroughly contented with their lot in life. They were not chasing butterflies or building air castles with the idea of gaining wealth, honor or power, but are letting each day provide for itself. They are thus happy, and in passing one of the homes we noticed eight or ten frolicsome ladies and gentlemen engaged in playing kiss-inthe-ring, and so hard was the smack that even the echo took it up and vibrated to the mountain tops. The young ladies were beautiful, and thus the young gentlemen were in clover. After descending a precipitous hill, so steep that the occupants were compelled to get out and from pitching over the heads of the sizing it up, a fair conclusion was reach would have to lie on the broad of his ance of Methuselah, with his overalls. unshaven face and his broad brimmed hat. Our friend David McCloskey wore

logs are being brought to the mill severy day. The white pine, hemlock and oak number of men and teams at work and lumber is first class and already there is a great demand for it. As far as the This contract is by no means a picnic, is a great demand for it. As far as the eye can carry hundreds of acres of good timber can be seen which when con-verted into saleable lumber will bring a big price. They have a large number of men working through the woods and everything from bark, wood and good timber is being hustled off as fast as possible. The indications are that at the close of three years (when their contract expires) the Dales and the Bennetts will be riding around in a \$5000 automo-

### Shooting Affray.

Thursday Daniel Barnes and Richard Yingling were walking along near the store in Burnham, a surburb of Lewistown, when they passed Oliver Himes, Barnes quietly remarked to his comrade. "There goes the fellow at whom the boys yell "have a bite?" It has been the habit R. H. McGhee, of Lock Haven, was in Bellefonte the other day making the preliminary arrangement for holding the reunion of the Seventh Pennsylvania heard by any one expect themselves. and discharged its contents in the direct-

> Himes was arrested a few hours later and brought to Lewistown by Squire and Scotia. One fact that gives a cer-Yingling, who saw the shooting. He was committed to jail in default of \$1000

ion of the former's heart, at a distance

Barnes is a young man, unmarried, aged 27 years. He was taken to the Harrisburg hospital.

### Lived Over a Century.

Mrs. Rosanna Jackson, who was probably the oldest woman in Pennsylvania, died Saturday afternoon at the Aged Collored Women's Home Williamsport. She was born in Bellefonte in 1804 and was therefore one hundred and three years old when she died. Her husband John Jackson, was the first colored preacher in Williamsport. He died a number of years ago. She was the mother of six children only one of whom, John Jackson is will living the terms. John Jackson, is still living. He is things for the town. seventy-three years old.

### FACT, FUN AND FANCY.

Bright, Sparkling Paragraphs--Selected and Original,

"Go ask papa," the maiden said. He knew that her papa was dead He also knew the life he'd led And understood her when she said.

The fellow who leads a dog's life nat-

urally growls about it. Does the boss of a political machine have wheels in his head.

It naturally takes a certain amount o sparking to make a match.

The only aim in life some people seem to have is to look for a larger target.

It is hard to preach total abstinence then lemonade costs more than beer. Lend a man money and he will gen-

erally be grateful enough to return for When a woman's head is turned by admiration she should remember Lot's

The fellow who is willing to bet his bottom dollar seldom has to dig down

Even in the case of the self-made man

woman can finish up the job by making a fool of him.

You can't buy your way into heaven by robbing the grocer to help swell the Sunday morning collection.

NUTS TO CRACK.

Which is the leading city in America? Boss-town (Boston). Why are pianos the noblest of man?

ufactured articles? Because they are grand, upright and

Why did Shakespeare's wife love him Because she had a will of her own.

When is a lover like a tailor? When he presses his suit. Why should the largest tree in a town

There should be no bigger tree (bigo-

e near the church?

Why is a person who tells falsehoods ike a person deeply in debt?

Because he has great li-abilities.

# THAT STATE ROAD.

A little over two weeks ago contractor R. B. Taylor began work on the rew state road between Milesburg and Bellefonte, and in that time considerable work has been done on the other section. The large 10-ton roller, with spikes in the rim of the wheel, loosens the road bed of the old pike, at the same time it draws after it a heavy plow which tears up almost everything in its path. Then

engines to be found in the state. While he is up against and is pushing the work the mill is in motion the saw goes through a big log as sleek as grease.

There is a tramway running back into the mountains for two miles and large roll). Samuel goes over the route each roll). Samuel goes over the route each day and reports to the department the

and Mr. Taylor knows it.

### Lewistown Woman Shot.

Miss Laura Ronaldson, aged 28 years, and, of independent means, who some time ago went to New York from Lewistown, Pa., to study music and art, was shot to death in her rooms in an uptown apartment house early Friday. To all apartment house early Friday. To all appearances the woman killed herself. She was found dead in bed. A bullet had entered the mouth, lodging in the brain. The right hand rested upon a revolver. Very little is known of Miss Ronaldson here, even by those in the house in which she lived. She occupied an expensively furnished suite and devoted her time to study. She is said to have owned a house on Lexington Ave. which was looked after by an agent. A bank book found among her effects showed a balance of \$6,000. She left no communication so far as can be learned. The police found a woman friend of Miss Ronaldson. This woman said the sui-cide had long brooded over the death of a girl chum three years ago who killed herself by shooting.

### Branch May be Built,

There is a probability that the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. will build the connecting link of railroad between Lemont that superintendent J. K. Johnston, chief engineer Stone and R. B. Freeman, bail for his appearance at next term of president Judson P. Welsh, of the Pennsylvania State College, went over the route of the proposed connecting link from Scotia to Lemont. The original survey did not run through State College but a careful inspection showed that the road could be run through the College at a very easy grade and when the new and last survey for the road is made it will be through State College. This would give State College additional railroad facilities and a number of trains would pass through Bellefonte instead of backing in and backing out. This, of itself, would be cause for Bellefonters to rejoice, for it would be a step in advance that could not help but mean greater

If they would be doing their duty they would be picking up the stray canines running about the city unlicensed; and incidentally obtaining a fee for the work. Better have a tag put on your dog if you want to save trouble.

The Patrons Picnic.

The Patrons of Husbandry, of Centre County, will hold their annual Encamp-County, will hold their annual Encamp-County, will hold their annual Encamp-County at Eals at Grange Park, Centre but was informed that over half the necessary amount had been secured.

New Bank for Millheim

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On Wednesday a gentleman was at this office and extended us an opportunity to become a stockholder of a new bank, which it is proposed to start at Millheim with a capitalization of \$25,ooo. It is unnecessary to remark that we did not invest, for what is the use of talking such matters over with a printer; but was informed that over half the necessary amount had been secured.

Samuel Shank, Mrs. Rachel Walker, Mrs. Martha Miller, and Wm. Woomer whose ages average eighty eight years.