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DALE REUNION

Attended.

Historical Sketches Read by Dr. J. Y. Under the Old Apple Trees.

Am ong the pioneer families of Centre County were the Dales. They located here at an early date and had a hand in developing its resources. It is therefore fitting that annually they should come assessed to proceed at once to get them together in a family reunion and, in a assessed and get the proper tag. The friendly way, revive memories of the collector must give an owner ro days' past. Saturday this annual reunion took notice either written or verbal, before place at Victor Grange hall, at Oak Hall, he can send a bullet into an untagged which was largely attended by relatives canine. The tax collector or the constaand friends, a number of whom were ble of the district wherein the dog has from a distance. Everybody was in a social mood, thus the day was one of pleasure as well of profit. At 10 a. m. 'headquarters' is authorized to act as executioner. This warning is intended to save those dogs which may have been George Dale, president of the association, properly tagged the brass bit lost or stolcalled the meeting to order. Rev. W. en. It is predicted that there will be a H. Dale, of Cleveland, Ohio, then big "howl" when the war of exterminainvoked the Divine blessing. The sec-retary, Dr. J. Y. Dale, of Lemont, read the minutes of the previous meeting. First of the preliminary meeting held Dec. 27, 1905, for the purpose of effecting an organization and second the minutes of the first annual reunion held August 4, 1906. It was a source of gratitude to ascertain that no member of the Dale family living, in the east or west had ascertain that no member of the Dale family living, in the east or west had passed away during the year, although the connection is quite large. After the preliminaries the regular programme was taken up. The principal feature of the morning was an excellent report report for the various tax collectors the morning was an excellent report report of the tax being 50 cents and \$1. For Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. the morning was an excellent paper pre-pared by Dr. J. Y. Dale. The Doctor had made special preparations and considerable research in order to give a complete history of the Dale family from the time Christian Dale, the ing jurisdiction over the entire county, first, left Germany in 1749 to make his We believe the movement was started by ily from the time Christian Dale, the home in America. The paper dealt largely in local history which was most interesting, not only to the members of proceedings, much to their credit be it the Dale family but to friends and neigh-bors who had come to listen to the pro-telligence in the discussions. Many of ceedings.

At the noon hour the guests were in-At the hoon hour the game have and by high bouchs of the old apple trees, so familiar to many present, a sumptuous familiar to many present, a sumptuous dinner was served. It was one of the old-fashion meals, served in the old-fashion meals and by haws. It was made up as follows: the old homestead on the farm where the dinner the meeting was again called the dinner the dinner the meeting was again called the dinner the dinner the meeting was again called the dinner the dinner the dinner the meeting was again called the dinner the dinner the dinner the meeting was again called the dinner the d before the noon hour. Dr. A. H. Tuttle, of the University of Virginia, and Prof. W. A. Buckout, of State College, who tire programme, were called upon for short addresses. One of the interesting features of the afternoon exercises were a number of recitations by members who belong to the family. Among those who added inter-Dale, Anna Dale, Louella Dale, Mamie Dale and Master Edwin Dale. Clement over the county, many join in this move-ment by reporting any violation of the a history of the persistent use of the Dale, the historian of the association. law along this line. read the paper which dealt largely in the history of the first, second and third generation of the Dale family since they came to this country. The first three generations of this family have all passed away. The history presented by Mr. Dale was gathered from numerous records and papers in his possession and tradition handed down from one generation to another. This paper was elegantly prepared showing that Mr. Dale was thoroughly acquainted with his subject. It was listened to with the closest attention.

TAG YOUR DOG. The following is a brief summary of AT OAK HALL the new Dog Law. The new law rela-tive to canines in Pennsylvania went into effect on June 1, and requires that every dog owner when he pays his tax Held on Last Saturday and Largely receive from the collector a brass tag. This attached to the dog's collar, ex-

empts him from annihilation at the hands of a constable or other officer. The tags ABLE ADDRESSES DELIVERED are supplied by the county commission ers. On one side of the tag is stamped "Centre County Dog Tag, 1907, Paid." Assessors assert that they have more

torical Sketches Read by Dr. J. Y. Dale, of Lemont, and Clement Dale Esq, of Bellefonte--A Royal Repast Under the Old Apple Trees. ing outright misrepresentation regarding dog ownership. Many dogs are not re-

"headquarters" is authorized to act as It is predicted that there will be a

This week the county commissioners received a consignment of 5090 brass oc-tagnal tags a little larger than a nickle. It has the following inscription "Centre County Dog Tax, 1907-Paid." The centre of the tag has the space for the number

The Commissioners are sending

Quite a number of citizens met in the law office of J.T.Mitchel Esq., in Temple Court, on Friday evening, for the pur-pose of organizing a Society for the D pose of organizing a Society for the Pre-vention of Cruelty to Animals, and havproceedings, much to their credit be it the leading men of the town were pres-ent, including Rev. Schmidt and Dr.

ENORMOUS FINEFOR STANDARD OIL CO

BELLEFONTE, PA., THURSDAY, AUGUST 8, 1907.

Severe Penalty for Accepting Rebates From Railroads

IS OVER 29 MILLION DOLLARS and asked for a horse but was refused

Will Appeal the Fine as Excessive--Enormous Profits Declared by the Robbed by the Trust

Inited States District Court at Chicago, ined the Standard Oil Company of Inliana \$29,240,000 for violations of the daughter of James Parks, and instead of law against accepting rebates from rail-roads. The fine is the largest ever as-sessed against any indiviyuals or corporation in the history of American crim- return at the appointed time Mr. Bartley al jurisprudence, and is slightly more than 131 times as great as the amount received by the company through its re-bating operation. The case will be car-drove until Friday morning when Hearied to the higher courts by the defend- man with three girls in the conveyance, ant company.

Under the seven indictments still pend-ing against the Standard Oil Company and was so worn out that it could not an additional fine amounting to \$88,440-oco may be levied against the company if found guilty on trial. There are in these seven indictments a total of 4422 counts, and the maximum fine in each count would be \$20,000.

The penalty imposed upon the com-pany is the maximum permitted under law, and it was announced at the end of a long opinion in which the methods and practices of the Standard Oil Company were mercilessly scored. The Judge, in Heeman will be given a hearing this fact, declared in his opinion that the evening at 7 o'clock at the office of squire officials of the Standard Oil Company Keichline.

at Chicago, Saturday, when the corpor-ation was fined \$29,240,000, there comes difficult to arrange a suitable hour. Not one section of a report from Herbert daunted in their zeal, finally a suitable Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, to President Roosevelt, showing how the great oil company has piled up profits for 25 years and how the consum-

MONEY FOR GRAFT RUNAWAY COUPLE CAUGHT. For sometime a young man by the name of Wilson Heaman had been in he employ of Thomas Beaver, Wednesday night of last week, he went to the livery stable of Frank Bartley and secured a horse, stating his aunt, who re-sides a short distance from Milesburg, was sick. Thursday afternoon, about 4 o'clock he appeared at the stable again

on account of his ill treatment to the horse the previous night. He stated that his aunt had died, and put up such a pitiable plea that he was finally given a horse with the promise he would be No Votes for Candidate Sheatz--Company -- The Consumer being back early in the evening. He drove up to the Court House where he met John Knisely from whom he begged a dollar Judge Kenesaw M. Landis, in the on the casket of his dead aunt. After

leaving John Knisely he went to Lamb Street where he took in the buggy the became suspicious and he and officer were caught on the other side of Philips

while the girl was released

Early School.

Monday morning William J. Dale, of Oak Hall, was in our office and showed

WORST INDUSTRIAL METHODS. Closely following the terrific blow suf-fered by the Standard Oil Company in United States Judge K. M. Landis' court



How the State Funds Were Juggled by Politicians

THE PART PLAYED BY SHEATZ cept financially.

No Votes for Candidate Sheatz --Soldiers Indignant.

The Republican machine in the State was hopeful that the turn-down the old veterans received at the hand of Stuart, stood. in defeating the pension bill which was blow over and that old veterans would don't like him. fall in line and support Sheatz, the gang candidate for State Treasurer, this fall. the glad hand. In this the gang has received a severe many sanguinary battles during the civil war, are out in open stand against the further rule of the gang. Veter-

sions of supporting candidates other than that of the machine are frequently

made and heard. the Fifth Penna. Reserves which organization recently held its annual reunion at Northumberland, is out in an appeal to the old soldiers to fight the gang bitterly.

The members of the Fifth Penna. Reserve have been appealed to by him

with the following card: Dear Comrade:-At the late reunion of the Fifth Pennsylvania Reserves, held at Northumberland, on Wednesday, May 8th, 1907. a resolution was unanidaunted in their zeal, finally a suitable hour was selected that would not con-Cochran, of Williamsport, for originatflict with time for worship of the various denominations It was 7.30 o'clock in the morning, and not a bit too early for of \$1,000,000 for that purpose. His bill William L

and Original, Its the uppish fellow who refuses to be downed

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All things come to those that waiton themselves.

FACT, FUN AND FANCY.

Bright, Sparkling Paragraphs--Selected

Some men are never embarrassed, ex-

Even the tight-rope walker may keep his balance in the bank.

A wise man is simply one who knows when he has said enough.

Because man is made of clay it doesn't prove that every fellow is a brick.

A river is fed by smaller streams, and they actually make its mouth water.

When a girl goes back on a fellow it is generally because he is miss-under

Even when a fellow is on the defenintroduced for their relief, would soon sive he is offensive to the people who

The offer of an engagement ring gen-erally influences a girl to give a fellow

The first thought of some people when jolt. The old boys who went through they get to heaven will be to send a souvenir post-card.

We can always think of a lot of reasons why other people ought to be satis-fied with what they have.

WEDDINGS.

JUSTICE-BILLET.

Homer Justice, of Valley View, and Miss Marie Billett, of Coleville, were quietly married at the U. B. parsonage comrade Hayes Grier, Secretary of pastor, Rev. W. H. Spangler.

COLPETZER-SHUEY.

Miss Lillie L. Shuey, daughter of Franklin Shuey, of Pleasant Gap, and John W. Colpetzer, of State College, were united in marriage by the Rev. J. B. Durkee, Tuesday morning, at the parsonage of the Pleasant Gap M. E. church.

FULWELDER-RUSS.

Sunday evening Albert C. Fulwelder, of Harrisburg, and Miss Bertha Russ, of Philipsburg, were united in marriage by Rev. S. D. Wilson. The groom is a musician and is engaged in the piano business in the Capitol city, while the bride is one of Philipsburg most popular

GROVE-WITMER.

William L. Grove, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan J. Grove, of Lemont, and Miss Ella M. Witmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Witmer, of Pine Grove Mrs. John B. Witmer, of Pine Grove Mills, surprised their numerous friends by coming to Bellefonte last Wednesday getting a marriage license, then quietly slipping away to Watsontown where they were married. They have returned home and taken rooms in Lemont where they will make their home, the bridegroom being a trackman on the Lewisburg and Tyrone railroad. SPICHER-HECKMAN.

Brief addresses were made by Rev. J. Stonecypher, Rev. W. H. Dale, John Dale, Willard Dale, A. A. Dale, W. J. Dale and Henry Hoy.

The entire exercises were interspersed with most excellent music furnished by a choir composed of members of the Dale family. The officers elected for the ensuing year were as follows:

Geo. Dale, president; David E. Dale, vice president; Dr. J. Y. Dale, secretary; John S. Dale, assistant secretary; W. J. Dale, treasurer; Rev. W. H. Dale, chaplain: Clement Dale, historian.

Executive Committee-A. A. Dale, A. W. Dale, Philip S. Dale, Dr. James S. Dale, Edmund Dale.

This closed the second annual reunion all present to be a complete success.

Council Meeting

Outside of the routine of business the

on Allegheny, Howard and Bishop adulterants. taking advantage of the State Road appropriation was discussed. Col. Spang-ler was present and urged immediate ac-A resolution was unanimously tion. passed that a petition be prepared at once for that purpose, to be presented first to the County Commissioners and then to the State Highway Department ers attention was called to the moving at Harrisburg.

Sunbury business men are up in arms over what they term exorbitant charges for electric light on the meter system by the Edison company, which has

his paper which had not been completed ed the Bellefonte Branch of the Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Within two days after this meeting a had been interesting listeners to the en- case was reported which will probably be prosecuted just as soon as the society secures its character. The need of such a society is very apparent, and no guilty person should be left escape. The person who illtreats an animal would fifth and sixth generations of the Dale steal and do anything in the catagory of family. Among those who added inter-est in this respect were Mrs. Sarah Dale, Mrs. Carrie Dale and Misses Catharine is to be hoped that the good citizens, all

Building Boom At The College.

Bellefonte will have to get a hustle on or State College will take a spurt one of these days and pass it in population. This summer, in additon to the building being done by the College proper, there are from ten to a dozen dwelling houses being erected in the borough by private individuals. And they are not cheap houses, as practically all of the buildings are of brick and will cost anywhere from three to twelve thousand dollars. Probably the largest and most expensive house being erected is one by James Lytle, which will have 22 rooms and will cost close to twelve thousand dollars. J. C. Meyer, of Bellefonte, is erecting a house there that will cost in the neighborhood of seven thousand while there are a number which will cost four and five thousand. This, in fact,

is on a par if not in excess of values of real estate in Bellefonte, and it all shows unmistakably that the investors look for a continued growth at State College.

Pure Food For Animals.

The new law regulating the sale of feed for domestic animals in Pennsylvania became operative on 1st. and state of the Dale family which was voted by enforce it. The act conforms closely to department of agriculture is prepared to the federal law and makes no unnecessary features for marketing food in this state and will cause millers little trouble. Outside of the routine of business the following is worthy of note at the regu-lar meeting on Monday evening : lar meèting on Monday evening : Assessed valuation of property in the boro was reported at \$1,625,436 84, net ting in taxes \$21,149.84. Ordinances for the building of sewers shells, coffee hulls. oat hulls and like

Copperhead Snake in Corn Barrel,

While picking corn from a barrel Mrs. Irvin Showers thought the corn was being moved of its own accord, but upon closer investigation she discovered some shiny object in the bottom of the barrel. Suspicion was aroused and Mrs. Show. contents of the vessel. A pair of

PROFITS NEARLY BILLION.

"The total dividends paid by the Stan-

dard from 1882 to 1906, were \$551,922,904 averaging thus 24.15 per cent per year. The dividends, however, were much less than the total earnings. It is substan-tially certain that the entire net earnings of the Standard from 1882 to 1996 were at least \$790,000,000 and possibly much

"These enormous profits have been based on an investment worth at the time of its original acquisition not more than \$75,000,000.

worst industrial methods, the exaction of exorbitant prices from the consumer, and the securing of excessive profits for the small group of men who over a long series of years have thus dominated the

report will be made public, setting forth

Favorable Crops.

Haymaking and harvest was about ed in Millheim has been indulging in a Columbia, Pa., July. 1907. ended with close of last week, both hay pipe dream or in something else (about and grain have been a good crop and were hauled into the barns in fine con-dition. Owing to the cold spring the season was solved the cold spring the season was some three weeks later than always, and never forgets the farmer, even though men will give little con-cern over the good that the tiller of the soil should meet with. Corn, also check-ed by the unfavorable consistence. ed by the unfavorable spring, is also catching up and a good crop is in prospect, if no early frosts nip it. Po-

Sadly Afflicted.

upon to undergo a series of sad afflictions. Week before last the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hughes died quite suddenly and hardly had the news of that sorrowful fact been received until word came from Milwaukee, Wis., that Donald, the seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hughes, had been stricken with paralysis and was in a critical con-dition. Monday Mrs. J. K. Dunkle, Rev. James P. Hughes' eldest daughter arriv-ed in Bellefonte from Philadelphia, and

Because the Lewisburg borough neg-

Sunday School. In these days it puzzles most people to get to Sunday School by the fact that he wanted to kill the bill. 9.30, 10 a. m. or 2 p. m.

Business Men's Picnic.

counties will hold their annual picnic at put the Governor in a hole. Hecla Park. The program is completed It is replete with everything that tends up to you and every other old soldier, to amuse and please. Among the many and the kin of every old soldier, and and expenses. These teams are evenly He is the first man mainly responsible interest- ing. It will be remembered that the that presents birrent birren

The person who has been circulating the report that a new bank is to be start

Fire Near Roopsburg.

oats is also fully up to an average, and of apples there will be plenty for pies, and for apple dumplins and "snits." was unoccupied at the time and was one of the prettiest little homes to be found in that community. It caught on the in that community. It caught on the roof and the indications are it was the work of an incendiary. It caught fire about 8 o'clock and burned until 10. The Hughes family has been called The farmers and neighbors labored hard

Pennsy to Make Automobiles.

Though not yet officially annoucned it has had drawings made and arrange-ments are about completed for the mak-ing of automobiles in the Altoona shops. If Sheatz is elected

He succeeded in doing so by raising the appropriations to a figure that was alto-

gether unnecessary, but it was done to Remember that Tuesday August 20th, enable him and his colleagues to say the business men of Centre and Clinton that they voted for that pension bill, and

and it is one of the best ever prepared. date for State Treasurer, and it is now in marriage to Calvin Spicher, of Wil-It is replete with everything that tends up to you and every other old soldier, kinsburg, but formerly of Potter twp. attractions will be a game of ball between every man who is really the friend of families were present to witness the the Autos: of Lock Haven, and the the old soldier, to administer a stinging ceremony, which took place at 11 o'clock

It will be remembered that the that presents himself before you for your Philipsburg team has not been defeated suffrage. Without regard to party, he City, N. J., as best man. Following the this season. One of the best bands in the State has been engaged to give con-certs all day. If you don't care a fig for base ball you can dance all day. The usiness. In a few days another section of the eport will be made public, setting forth your hand. There will be plenty of cars

WM. HAVES GRIER. Secretary Fifth Reserve Asso.

Another display of the trend of the times is in the action of the Union Vetseason was some three weeks later than usual, and farmers were in fears as to the outcome, but are well satisfied with the result—not often that crops were better be good or else the same capital- the civil war. Last Thursday the annu- made 2100 per cent. profit on the work.

Major John M. Caldwell, J. Harvey Sunday night Samuel Thomas' house Hause and James M. Gibson, submitted Park, Md. They show that Sanderson prospect, if no early frosts nip it. Po-tatoes are likely to be abundant, and the cats is also fully up to an average, and carse the polarity of an average, and carse the polarity of the po

> "Resolved, that it is the sense of the Union Veteran Legion, No. 108, at their annual picnic at Milton Park, July 25, 1907, that the action of Governor Stuart During t to extinguish the flames but were unsuc-cessful. Mr. Thomas lives in Bellefonte ed him to his action, did a great wrong and injustice to the old soldier. The protestations, of their honor and respect examined a large number of milk samples for the old soldiers, that they never could repay the great debt they owe ipsburg, Bellefonte and the Second Briis stated that the Pennsylvania railroad them, seems hollow in view of the action

ed in Bellefonte from Philadelphia, and Tuesday left for Milwaukee to assist the afflicted family. The latest reports from the child is that he is sinking, with practically no hope of recovery. Intervention of the train service of the puniata shops as one department will be entirely devoted to their manufacture. They will be large, handsome cars. Intervention of the train service of the soldiers. As chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, his efforts were to the end of defeating the Cochran Pension bill. This bill would have brought relief ives at four, will have to learn to pay to stead of cabs for the train service of the it will not be with the votes of the old

The resolutions are to the point and raise.

An unpretentious but pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Heckman, on east Lamb street,

the Governor in a hole. Wednesday 31st, when their daugh-ter, Miss Rebecca Heckman, was united Only the immediate members of the two

bridesmaid, and William Sholl, of Jersey groom were driven to Milesburg where bridegroom is a mail carrier in Wilkinsburg and a young man of splendid worth. They went to housekeeping at once in their own newly furnished home.

Great Painting Profit.

A new and sensational discovery has been made by the commission of a batch The Commission has considered this new revelation and has embodied it in the

The papers were located by Attorneys Scarlert and Stranahan and Secretary Calvert during their work in Deer paid the various parties who did the painting on the walls and ceilings 12 cents a square foot and that he collected \$2.52 a square foot from the State for the

Pure Food Tests.

During the latter part of last week Dr. Willam Frear, of the Pennsylvania State College experiment station, set up a temporary laboratory at Tyrone and, with the aid of Assistant Chemist Given, of Lewistown, Huntingdon, Tyrone Philgade camp which was held at Tipton. The emonade and soft drinks which were on ments are about completed for the mak-ing of automobiles in the Altoona shops. The machine will be used in cities in-Berry as custodian of the people's money are in course of examination in the station's laboratory. station's laboratory.

Look At It Now. All persons who thoughtfully remitted and his family in his last days when it his said. It has been sel-ing for six cents since May ist, of this year. No time has isen fixed for the

> The city of Williamsport has given a site for a new armory and the state has promised \$50,000 for the crection of a magnificent building to house the four companies of the Twelfth Regiment in that place