FRANCIS SPEER'S

Breezy "That" Column

THAT winter is here and the Bellefonte people are in a sliding scale.

THAT if you want to put on the gloves you can do it with Calder Ray, he's in the business.

THAT when "Joe" gets a job that he can afford to keep a wife, then something will be doing.

THAT the man in Bellefonte who has money to burn should take it with him when he dies.

THAT when a man in Bellefonte tries to hide his religion, he is wasting time covering up an invisibility.

THAT there are some women in Bellefonte so slow that it takes them about 40 years to reach the age of 25.

THAT the reason some girls in Bellefonte use too much perfumery, is because they haven't any better sense.

THAT William ——, of Bellefonte, says a woman is after his own heart. She maybe after his pocket book.

That Dr. D K. Musser, the Bellefonte dentist, says that the more open-faced a man is the better he likes it.

THAT while it may be true that love makes the world go round it is making some of the young men in Bellefonte go broke.

THAT a young man of Bellefonte the other evening took a pony before he went to bed and several hours later he had a nightmare.

THAT you can't make Chas. Harrison, of State College, believe that a rolling pin gathers no dough. He is two progressive for all that.

THAT judging from what we hear read in the city newspapers Hiram Fetterholf, of Bellefonte, is not the only man who cleans out a bank.

THAT some of the doctors in Bellefonte are very contradictory. They tell their patients not to worry and the very next day they send them their bill.

THAT John M. Bair, of Bellefonte, was asked the other day what kind of face powder his girl used. The young man replied that it is the best he ever tasted.

THAT within the North ward, of Bellefonte, there is a woman who is giving girls lessons in courtship. Next thing she will be teaching young ducks how to swim.

THAT one of the oldest hunters in Bellefonte and vicinity is Isaac Miller and he will tell you that it can't be denied that a pole-cat has scents, and even the porcupine has some good points.

THAT among the women in Bellefonte who cannot understand why tobacco has gotten such a hold on their husbands are those ladies who would die if they drank less than ten cups of coffee a day.

THAT a certain woman in Bellefonte must have a mortgage on a good many drummers who come to the town. She must secrete them in a band box somewhere because her husband hasn't dropped onto the racket yet.

THAT it isn't correct that "Sammy" Rumbarger, of Bellefonte, is clerking in Willard's Bazaar, although he is taking more than ordinary interest there of late. He might someday become a silent partner—ther's no telling.

THAT Deacon Harris, of Bellefonte, says that perhaps the whale story is straight and perhaps it isn't, but you can bet your boots that Jonah had to give his wife some good excuse for being away three nights in succession.

THAT F. O. Hosterman, the enterprising hardware dealer, of Millheim, thinks that the man with iron in his blood, (not bar iron) also needs sand in his backbone, (not plastering sand) and starch in his upper lip, (not laundry starch.)

THAT the girls who sat in the front row at the opera house the other night and who were trying to flirt with the minstrel men on the stage, pronounce the accusation as false, but that's too blamed thin. Girls, acknowledge the corn.

THAT Norman Kirk, who is getting stoop-shouldered doing the morning work around his home, says that one of his arduous tasks is to feed thirty-five head of chickens. The next thing he will be taking care of a flock of horses, or riding the geese to water.

THAT they say that a progressive and sprightly old bachelor, of Shingletown, at one time watered his horses at the mountain but now he is letting them quench their thirst at the stream in the village. His many friends are wondering why he has made the change.

THAT it is to be hoped that that Bellefonte fellow wasn't hurt the other night when the window fell down on his leg while he was trying to make his escape from a husband whose eyes flashed fire with anger when his suspicions were aroused as to what was going on.

THAT when you come to think of it the young men in Bellefonte who married for money are not getting round shouldered in carrying the burden. The same can be said of the girl who thought she had played smash by marrying a farm or a bank account when it proved to be only a bubble.

THAT "The Five Hundred" is the name of a new organization in Bellefonte whose main purpose is to increase leap year proposals. It is composed of young ladies from sweet sixteen to the blossoming age of twenty. The young men of the town are in great danger, especially the fellow who is too timid to say no. These girls are all as pretty and as plump as peaches.

THAT it is stated that a certain gentleman in Bellefonte, who is as close as the bark on a slippery elm tree, went into one of our drug stores the other evening and asked the price of sulphur. When informed that it was worth ten cents a pound the customer rebelled, stating that he could get it from Sears & Robuck for 7 cents; The pill roller replied: "Yes, you can get it in h—for nothing and you won't need to pay the freight, either.

THAT there can be no objection to girls being girls, but when they go into the sacred house of worship they should try and act the lady. There is a crowd of girls who go to a brown stone church in Bellefonte who do nothing but giggle and talk about the boys from the time they cross the sacred threshold until the benediction is pronounced. It is a great annoyance to people who go there for worship and thus they had better cut it out.

CONTENTMENT.

Ice upon de ribber
An' de snow upon de groun'.
What's de use o' fussin'?
Sprin's a comin' roun'!

Winter in de chimbley.
An' he holler all de day.
What's de use ter worry?
June is on de way!

Winter win' a-blowin'
An' a-singin' to de moon.
Quarrel all yo' please, sah;
Heah's a howdy chune!

Real Estate Transfers.

Margaretta Dunning to Harry Francis, Jan. 10, 1895, lot in Port Matilda; $1.00.

Robt. Cook, et ux, to W. Scott Craine, Jan. 24, 1908, land in Howard Twp.; $600.

Bernard Lauth's estate, to John Mokle, Jan. 13, 1908, lot in Howard borough; $1.00.

L. C. Rearick, et ux, to E. H. Grove, Jan. 17, 1908, 99 acres and 65 perches in Benner Twp; $3000.

Grant Williams, et ux, to B. W. Rumberger, Feb. 1, 1908, 3 acres in Walker Twp; $350.

S. Peck, ex'tor, to Grant Williams July 1, 1907, 3 acres in Walker Twp.; $500.

Aaron Stoner et ux, to Samuel Williams, May 1, 1886, lot in Woodward; $25.

S. M. Murtrie to Mary Wertz, Feb. 28, 1905, 4,200 square feet in Spring Twp.; $200.

John A. Milhollow et ux, to Ora B. Smith, Jan. 13, 1908, lot in Burnside Twp.; $300.

W. A. Ishler, Sheriff, to Henry Brown April 23, 1892, land in Walker Twp.; $110.

Thos. A. Williams to May C. Williams Jan. 6, 1908, 13 acres and 65 rods in Walker Twp.; $450.

Fred F. Smith et ux, to Roy R. Rowles Jan. 15, 1908, premises in Philips; $1,075.

Felix Shuey to Sarah Schenck, April 24, 1884, 20 acres and 45 perches in College Twp; $1,115.40.

A. A. Schenck to Clara R. Schenck, Jan. 24, 1908, 1-10 interest in homestead, in Liberty Twp.; $750.

Sam. T. Schenck et ux, to Clara R. Schenck, Jan. 17, 1908, 1-10 interest in homestead in Liberty Twp.; $750.

Chas. F. Schenck et ux to Clara R. Schenck, Jan. 7, 1908, 1-10 interest in homestead in Liberty Twp.; $750.

D. G Bush et ux to Sarah A. Schreffler April 2, 1872, lot in Benner Twp.; $112.

Trial List.

For February term of court commencing Monday, Feb. 24th, 1908:

FIRST WEEK:

Geo. R. Meek, administrator, vs. Beaver Run Coal Co.
Thomas Boal vs. W. H. Moyer.
Henry T. Irvin, vs. O. of P. of Union Twp.
H. R. King vs. J. K. Palmer & Co.

SECOND WEEK.

Fannie A. McEntire vs Hayman Woods & Co., and Street & Smith.
E. C McEntire vs. Hayman Woods & Co., and Street & Smith.
Frank McCoy, et al, vs. Alfred and Minnie G. Rowan.
Jacob Lee vs. Jacob Sparr et al.
Hannah Kein vs. Boro of Philipsburg
John W. Peace, use of P. B. Crider & Son, vs. Miller Herman and J. H. Herman.
Louisa Meyer vs. Adam Moyer.
T. R. Harter vs. Nathan Hough, et al.
Henry T. Zerby vs. L. E. and A. S. Stover.
James D. Seibert vs. J. H. Lingle.
Theodore Fetzer, et ux, vs John Spease.
Mrs. Carrie Freeman vs. Moshannon National Bank.
Chas. F. Heickle, et ux. vs. Harrison Hafer et al, two cases: Ejectment and trespass.

Disappointed in Love.

Disappointed in love years ago, Miss Virginia Leader, who died at Hanover, Pa., last week, lived the life of a recluse Never has she ridden on a street car visited a theatre or even seen a telephone. Only twice in 50 years did she leave her home. The first time was during the battle of Hanover, in 1863, when the Confederates entered her father's printing office, which adjoined the house, and threatened to burn it. Then she sought refuge in Center Square, and, although she lived within a block of the square, that was the only time she entered it in half a century.

This is Quick Work.

A love romance was bought to a happy climax, when J. A. Herrold, of Independence, Snyder county, was wedded on the spot without prearrangement at a banquet at Middleburg, to Miss Minnie C. Erb, daughter of Rev J C. Erb, of Port Treverton. While seated at the banquet board the would-be groom proposed to his sweetheart and she as promptly accepted Prothonotary Shindel, being also a guest, was secured and the knot tied in the presence of all seated at the banquet table.

Mail Investigations.

Postoffice Inspector Clark was in Lewistown recently investigating irregularities of the mails A number were fined ten dollars for having enclosed messages in packages that were sent through the mails at the merchandise rate. A common violation is that of writing on the margin of the newspapers and mailing them by placing a one cent stamp on the wrapper. Those who are caught doing these tricks find it dear in the end.

Wabash May be Coming.

For the past week a corps of surveyors, said to be employed by the Wabash, has been running a line through Morrison's Cove and Turkey valley, in the south end of Blair county, and as a result farmers are excited over the prospects of a railroad through that section. Representatives of the Pennsy have been sent out to protect the company's interest.

Popular actors, as a rule, draw better than the cigars named after them.

MISS ENID YANDELL.

Bronze Statue of Major Thomas' Latest Work of Famous Sculptress.

A beautiful bronze statue of Major John W. Thomas, subscribed by the employees of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad, of which he was president, has been executed by Miss Enid Yandell, the greatest American woman sculptor.

Miss Yandell is one of the three woman sculptors of America to receive a decoration from the French government and is the only woman member of the National Sculpture Society of America.

Miss Yandell is from Kentucky, a state where women have been famous chiefly for their beauty and the ease with which they have won social conquests both at home and abroad. This

MISS ENID YANDELL.

young woman sought out art and reached its highest plane. But now, when success has crowned her work, she says to her Kentucky sisters:

"You are on the right road to happiness. Get married. Success in all lines is hard. It robs life of half its beauty and sweetness.

"I don't mean to intimate that the woman who has failed at everything else should resort to matrimony, for the woman who hasn't the right sort of heart and brain to succeed in other vocations will be a failure as a wife and mother. The secret to all success lies through three elements—love, kindness and charity.

"The road to any success is paved with sacrifices, and it is only a matter of whether you are willing to pay the price. The woman who decides upon a career must make up her mind to sacrifice that which is nearest and dearest to a woman's heart, home and love.

"I am of the belief that no woman should get married until she finds the man she cannot live without and of course must exact the same love in return."

THE BIRDS AND BEES.

I think the bees, the blessed bees,
Are better, wiser far than we.
The very wild birds in the trees
Are wiser, far, it seems to me,
For love and light and sun and air
Are theirs and not a bit of care.

What bird makes claim to all God's trees?
What bee makes claim to all God's flowers?
Behold their perfect harmonies,
Their common board, the common hours!
Say, why should man be less than these,
The happy birds, the hoarding bees?

—Joaquin Miller.

Vegetable With Old Lineage.

Asparagus is the aristocrat of the food plants. None other has so distinguished a lineage, for its records reach back almost to the beginning of authentic history. It is mentioned by the comic poet Cratinus, who died about 425 B. C. The Romans held asparagus in the highest esteem, the elder Cato treating at length in his "De re Rustica," still extant, of the virtues and correct cultivation of the plant. Pliny, writing about 60 A. D., has a great deal to say of asparagus. He says, "Of all the products of your garden your chief care should be asparagus."

Public Sales

All persons who have their bills printed at this office will receive a free advertisement in this column. Others will be charged $1. As the circulation of this paper is **OVER 5,200** a week (2000 more than any other,) farmers recognize it as the best place for advertising their farm sales. We have exceptional facilities for printing bills promptly and at reasonable prices.

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THURSDAY, FEB. 27:—On the Michael Fiedler farm, 1½ miles west of Woodward. 5 horses, span of good mules, 12 milk cows, 2 stock bulls 25 head of young cattle, 2 Chester white boars, 4 brood sows, 24 shoats, binder, mower, 3 Conklin wagons, 2-seated carriage, buggy, sleigh, etc. Sale at 9 o'clock. J. L. Winegardner.

THRSDAY, FEB 27:—on Brockerhoff farm near Fillmore. Reuben Breon will sell 3 horses, 6 milk cows, 8 young cattle, short-horn bull, 2 brood sows, champion binder McCormick mower; and a full line of farm implements. L. F. Mayes, auct.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29:—2 miles north of Milesburg, in Holts Hollow, James Krebs will sell farm stock, implements and household goods.

TUESDAY, MARCH 3:—1 mile west of State College, D. W. Garbrick will sell live stock and farm implements. L. F. Mayes, auct.

THURSDAY, MARCH 5:—2½ miles west of Julian David Henderson will sell farm implements and choice Holestein stock. L. F. Mayes, auct

FRIDAY, MARCH 6:—On the Samuel H. Kunes farm, 2 miles west of Eagleville, 3 horses, 2 colts, 1 brood mare, 2 milk cows, 17 young cattle, wagons and a full line of farm machinery and implements. Sale at 10 a. m. Hayes Schenck, Auct

SATURDAY, MARCH 7:—in Boalsburg, C. D. Moore will sell all household goods at the residence occupied by John Gingerich. L. Frank Mayes, Auct.

TUESDAY, MARCH 10:—1 mile east of Fillmore, at 10 a. m., J. F. Garner, will sell 4 work horses, 2 colts rising 3 years, 1 yearling, 10 cows, two are shorthorn, and 1 shorthorn bull, 15 head of young cattle, 35 shoats, wagons, all kinds of farm machinery and implements, good as new, butcher tools, &c. Frank Mayes, auct.

THURSDAY, MARCH 12:—2 miles west of Madisonburg, Mrs. C. A. Houtz, will sell farmstock and implements. Sale at 10 a. m. H. H. Miller, Auct.

THURSDAY, MARCH 12:—3 miles west of Unionville, Shedrack Parsons will sell live stock and implements. S. K. Emerick, Auct.

THURSDAY, MARCH 12:—One mile southwest of Boalsburg, on the N. E. Hess farm, J. F. Lohr will sell a full line of farm implements and live stock. L. F. Mayes, auct.

FRIDAY, MARCH 13:—At Boalsburg, Mrs. Rosanna Bricker will sell all her household goods. Sale at 1 p. m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 14:—At Roopsburg in Benner Twp., Frederick Kammerer will sell: Horses, 3 cows, 1 heifer, 75 chickens, harness, buggy, wagons and farm implements. Sale at 1 o'clock. L. F. Mayes, Auct.

MONDAY, MARCH 16:—¾ miles west of Jacksonville; Mary E. Beck will sell: 2 brood mares, 1 colt, 5 head of cows, some will be fresh by time of sale, 7 head of young cattle, 2 bulls, 2 brood sows with pigs, 15 shoats, together with a full line of farm implements, of which some are almost new. A. C McClintic, Auct.

MONDAY, MARCH 16:—J. C. Walker will sell horses, Ayrshire cattle, hogs, sheep, farming implements and household goods, in Lamar township 2 miles east of Salona. Sale begins at 10 a. m. C. W. Rote, auct.

TUESDAY, MCH 17:—A. L. Paul 3 miles west of Mill Hall, on the Kreamer farm, will sell a big line of farm stock and implements. Sale at 10 a. m. Clark McClintick, Auct.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18:—F. A. Yearick, of Spring Mills, will sell farm stock and implements.

MARCH 18:—W. N. Weaver, of Zion, will sell horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and farm implements. A. C. McClintic, auct.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18th:—2 miles West of Bellefonte in Benner Twp., Mrs. David Rothrock will sell a full line of stock and farm implements, including one horse, three cows New Superior grain drill, Deering binder, Buckeye riding cultivater, sulky riding plow, 2 plows, wagon, 2 corn planters, McCormick mower, almost new, sled, carriage, top buggy, harness and household goods. Sale at 1 o'clock; L. Frank Mayes, auct.

THURSDAY, MCH. 19th;—At Hunters Park, Benner Twp., Mrs. Rachael E. Henderson will sell a full line of farm implements, live stock, and household goods. L. F. Mayes, Auct.

THURSDAY, MARCH 19: 1¼ miles west of Hublersburg, on N. H. Yearick's farm, C. L. Johnson will sell horses, cows, hogs, sheep, and a full line of farm machinery and implements. Sale at 10 a. m. A. C. McClintic, auct.

FRIDAY, MARCH 20:—near Pine Grove Mills, D. W. Miller will sell: 12 head of horses and colts, 8 milk cows, 15 head of young cattle, 11 shoats, binder mower, hay rake, hay tedder and general line of farm implements. Sale at 10 a. m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 20: One mile west of Fleming, John Hipple will sell: 6 horses, four of which are mated teams, 2 milk cows, 9 young cattle, 4 shoats also a full line of farm implements, grain in the ground and household goods. Sale at 10 a. m. S. K. Emerick, Auct.

MARCH 20—At Jacksonville, B. F. Vonada wil sell a full line of farm implements and live stock. A. C. McClintic. Auct.

MONDAY, MARCH 23:—at Fillmore, C. E. Lutz will sell a full line of farm implements and live stock. L. Frank Mayes, auct.

TUESDAY MARCH 24:—2 miles east of State College, W. C. Meyer will sell: 12 good horses, 16 head of cattle, 100 head of Chester white hogs; among which are 50 shoats and 10 brood sows; 150 chickens, a full line of farm implements all in first-class condition. Sale at 9 a. m.; L. Frank Mayes, auct.

TUESDAY, MARCH 24:—W. M. Grove will sell household goods, live stock and farm implements, 3 miles west of Spring Mills. Sale at 10 o'clock. H. H. Miller, auct

TUESDAY, MARCH 24:—S. H. Shaffer, of Zion, will sell 5 horses, 10 head of cattle, 2 brood sows 7 shoats, lot of pigs 7 weeks old, 10 ewes. A full line of farm implements, wagons, buggies, harness and household goods. Sale at 10 a.m. A. C. McClintic, Auct.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25:—4 miles west of Centre Hall, on the L. Rhone farm, John H. Breon will sell; stock and farm implements. Sale at 10 o'clock sharp. Wm. Goheen, Auct.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25:—1 mile from Romola, on the W. L. Harvey farm, Mrs. David R. Confer will sell at 10 a. m. 3 work horses, 3 2 yearling colts, 1 yearling colt, 6 milk cows, some fresh at time of sale, 10 head of young cattle, brood sow and a full line of farm implements. David Wentzel, Auct.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25:—D. D. Royer will sell; one mile east of Rebersburg, horses, his herd of red Durham cattle, sheep, 75 head of C. W. & Berkshire hogs, 50 pure bred White Wyandott chickens. A full line of farm impl ments, and household goods. Sale begins at 10 a. m. H. H Miller, Auct.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25:—2 miles west of Bellefonte D. H. Shivery will sell full line of live stock and farm implements. Largest farm sale of the season. L. F. Mayes, auct.

THURSDAY MARCH 26:—on the Short Horn stock farm 2 miles east of Saloua station at 9 o'clock a. m. Horses, short-horn cattle, Shropshire sheep, Berkshire hogs, Barred Plymouth rocks—farming utensils and some household goods. If it storms this sale will be held under cover.

THURSDAY, MARCH 26: One mile west of Tusseyville, H. E. McClellan will sell 11 head of horses and colts, 5 cows, 15 young cattle, 10 brood sows, 20 shoats, 51 sheep and full line of farm implements. Wm. Goheen, auct.

MARCH 26th 1908:—1¼ miles west of State College, O. A. Johnson will sel a full line of farm implements and live stock. L. F. Mayes, auct.

THURSDAY MARCH 26:—At Axeman, T. E. Jordon will sell large lot of choice farm stock consisting of 6 good horses, 13 milch cows, Holstein bull, 10 sheep, 42 shoats, 6 boars 7 brood sows with pigs, and a full line of practically new farm implements. Sale at 9 a. m. A. C. McClintic, auct.

FRIDAY, MARCH 27:—Wm. Breon, on the Curtin farm near Bellefonte, 6 horses, 18 head of cows and calves, and every description of farm machinery. Sale at 10 a. m. Frank Mayes Auct.

SATURDAY, MARCH 28:—1½ miles north of State College. Samuel Ewing will sell 5 work horses, 1 two year old colt 11 milch cows, will be fresh by time of sale, 13 young cattle, hogs and sheep, 1 DeLaval seperator. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock sharp. Wm. Goheen, Auct

FRIDAY, MARCH 20:—one mile east of Clintondale, on the Geo. Gramley farm, Lloyd Maurer will sell 4 horses, 10 milk cows, 40 hogs and a full line of farming implements. Hayes Schenck, Auct.

TUESDAY, MARCH 31:—on the Reynolds farm No. 2, in Benner Twp., J. W. Benner will sell live stock and farm implements. L. Frank Mayes, auct.

Wednes'y Mch., 4, D. H. Beyer

of Franklinville, will sell 2 good mules six years old.

8 good milk cows 1 heifer bulls, 5 brood sows, 1 boar, 11 shoats and a full line of farm implements. Also farm of 200 acres, good buildings etc. Sale at 10 a. m. G. C. Waite, Auct.

Thur. Mch, 5th, D. Henderson

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