

BELLEFONTE AND VICINITY

THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Houser, of Bellefonte. Dr. W. H. Kochler, of Bellefonte, is now spending a much earned vacation with friends in Howard. J. Wells Smith, of Shireleysburg, Huntingdon county, was a business visitor to Bellefonte on Saturday. Mrs. George Meyers, of Philadelphia, is in Bellefonte to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Ella Showers. A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spicer recently. Mrs. Spicer has since been in a very serious condition. Temp Cruse, wife and little son, of Wilkensburg, arrived in Bellefonte Monday for a visit with relatives and friends. James McKee, of Wilkensburg, who had been visiting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Stitzer, has returned home. George Beezer left Saturday afternoon in his automobile for Huntingdon, where he spent Sunday with his wife and family. Mrs. Henrietta Nolan and daughter, Ann, returned home Friday from a visit with friends at Curwensville, Houtzdale and Osceola. Mrs. Bussler, of Boston, who spent two weeks in Bellefonte as the guest of her son, F. R. Bussler, the electrician, returned home. Miss Hazel and Master Philip Crider, of Liberty township, have been visiting at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Steele. Mrs. Jessie Underwood and little daughter and Mrs. Harry Stevenson are visiting with their father, Wm. L. Allen, at Mt. Pocono, Monroe county, Pa. Miss Rebecca Lyon, formerly of Bellefonte, will sail in a short time for Europe where she contemplates spending several months studying music in Vienna. Mr. and Mrs. James Lockard and little granddaughter, Miss Beatrice Lockard, of Lamar, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Lockard's sister, Mrs. James M. Shook. Miss Sarah Bayard, of Williamsport, is visiting at her home in Bellefonte. She is employed in a large store down there and is getting along nicely. Her vacation extends through two weeks. On Thursday Mrs. John Barnhart was stung by something, supposed to be a bumble bee. Since the stinging occurred her body has broken out in large blisters and her case has been a peculiar one. Harry Fisher, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher, of Bellefonte, is a young man who believes that it pays to work and to work hard. Recently he won a set of carpenter tools and again he was made happy by learning that he had captured a prize of a very fine rubber rain coat. George Johnson has opened a plumbing and steam fitting establishment in the room with W. H. Miller, the hardware dealer and will give prompt attention to all orders. Mr. Johnson is a capable mechanic and thoroughly understands the plumbing trade, so that he stands ready to guarantee satisfaction. The managers of the Brush Runabout Co., of Detroit, are sending five of their cars on an endurance run. The course radiates from Detroit to the four points of the compass, the destination being Kansas City, Minneapolis, Boston and Washington, D. C. One of the cars will pass through Bellefonte on about July 30. Harry Stevenson, of Bellefonte, left for Grand Lake, Colorado, where he expects to spend the next two months with his brother, S. T. Stevenson. His time will be taken up while there in fishing and other sports. Mr. Stevenson has not been in the best of health for some time and the trip to this western clime is expected to greatly benefit him in health as well as give him much pleasure. At a regular meeting of the Soldiers Orphan Commission, upon the recommendation of the property committee, Miss Margaret Brisbin was unanimously elected as a teacher in the Soldiers Orphan Industrial School at Scotland, Pa. Miss Brisbin is a niece of Col. J. L. Spangler of this place and is quite an honored promotion. She formerly was a teacher in the Chester Spring Orphan school. Superintendent D. O. Efters is sizing up to a more ideal official than ever, as at the recent examinations held all over the county a number of the weaker school teachers have been dropped from the list of teachers. Since the state has raised the minimum salary to forty dollars per month, the patrons have a right to expect more efficient teachers, and in this connection he should be commended by every one who has a good of the public schools at heart. At a recent meeting of the Bellefonte school board Ward Fleming, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fleming, was elected second assistant principal in the Bellefonte High school to take the place occupied last year by Mr. Dickerman. Mr. Fleming should make an able teacher as he is a graduate of Haverford, took a two year's course in the law school of the University of Pennsylvania and recently graduated from the Pittsburg law school, passed a most successful examination before the state examining board and was admitted to practice at the Allegheny county bar. One of the most productive farms in Centre county is the one owned by dairyman Harry Shively, of Bellefonte. It is the old Shively homestead which is located on Buffalo Run, about three miles from town. This year he had one hundred and twenty-one tons of the finest kind of hay. The barns are full and several large stacks have been built in the fields which are covered with tar paper to keep it dry. Luther C. Kline and Frank Houser built behind the loaded which is considered more than ordinary work. Both these gentlemen are experienced on the farm, and know how to hustle when it is required. In addition to the large amount of hay, forty-three loads of wheat were harvested from eighteen acres of land which is considered a very good return. Ruben Welty resides on this farm and he came in for some of the credit for the raising of this large crop.

Electric Theatre—up-to-date pictures; clear, clean, no rainy films, all fine. Mrs. Harry Jenkins and son, Raymond, have returned from Rebersburg where they had been visiting friends. After a pleasant visit with Miss Cora Brungart, at Centre Hall, Miss Nettie Bair has returned to Bellefonte. J. Fred Kurtz, of Lewisburg Journal, accompanied by Mrs. Kurtz, spent from Saturday to Monday, with the family of his parents, Fred, and Mrs. Kurtz. Miss Marie Meek left Bellefonte, Monday, for a well-earned vacation. She will spend part of the time with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Morris, who resides in Pittsburg. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Simpson (nee Garman) left on Saturday evening for Scranton, Pa., their future home. Mrs. Simpson had recovered from her attack of pneumonia to make the trip safely. Miss Stella McCoy, one of the faithful and obliging clerks in the Willard Way, is now off on her vacation, most of which will be spent in Jersey Shore with her brother, Herbert, and his family. The eighth annual reunion of the Reformed people of Lock Haven, Bellefonte and Nittany valley, will be held at Hecla Park, Thursday July 30th. The special train will leave Bellefonte at 9 a. m. Miss Helen Cedar left on Saturday for Janesville, Wis., where she will visit Mrs. Ford, later going on to Newton, Kansas, where she will be the greater part of the summer with her aunt Mrs. Steinkirchner. Hon. Ellis L. Orvis and Col. J. L. Spangler, accompanied by their wives, left here on Tuesday morning in the Bros. touring car for Harrisburg and other points. They expect to be gone several days on their trip. Alfred S. Osman of Lincoln, Neb., departed for his western home after a month's visit with relatives and friends in this section of the state, he being a pleasant guest of his sister, Mrs. Hibler, in Bellefonte, a portion of the time. Alfred Thompson, one of Snow Shoe's enterprising business men, was a visitor to Bellefonte Thursday, Mr. Thompson was 51 years old Saturday, July 21, and his many friends in that place gave him a pleasant surprise. Paul Wetzel, son of Hon. Henry Wetzel, of Bellefonte, is reported to have made an excellent showing as a student of Pennsylvania State College. He is taking a course in Electrical Engineering and he has great promises for the future. The masons and carpenters of Coleville, are contributing part of their work to the building of the Provisional chapel at that place. The foundation walls are finished and show skilled workmanship. The trustees promise to have it ready for use by fall. Miss Marie Roder came up from Baltimore recently for a visit at the Shoemaker home here and taking advantage of the presence of such a competent care-taker, Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker left their establishment and flitted away to Buffalo, Thursday, just for a little vacation by themselves. We are under obligations to our esteemed veteran friend, Emanuel Noll, an always obliging official at the Penn's passenger station, for two boxes of honey, of a beauty and quality which bees can not excel. Mr. Noll is one of the most successful apiarists in the state, and besides has the good quality of letting the Centre Democrat have samples to prove it. Thanks—may your bees ever bring you big results without a sting. From every indication the peach crop in Centre county this year will be the largest ever known in this section. Col. Keyolds has in his orchard eight thousand bearing trees and he expects a yield of at least an average of a bushel to a tree. Charles Schad has fully as many trees in his orchard on Muncy mountain and expects from six to eight thousand bushels. There are several large orchards down Pennsylvania and in Nittany valley and in all there is promise of a large crop. Eddie Thompson, the bootblack, who is located in Crider's stone building, on High street, has made considerable improvement in his place of business by putting down new linoleum on the floor and supplying the room with a number of new chairs for the comfort of his many patrons. He also has a showcase filled with cigars, blackening, shoestrings and other articles found in a place of that kind, and the surroundings are neat and tidy, and thus Eddie is getting along nicely. Miss Louise Armor, daughter of Monroe Armor, and stenographer for the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania, became suddenly ill on Sunday afternoon, and up until Tuesday there seemed to be some doubt as to her recovery. She had washed her hair and was sitting in the sun to dry it when she was seized with something like a sun stroke or congestion of the brain. A physician was quickly summoned who applied the proper remedies and succeeded in retarding the disease. Her permanent recovery is expected but it will be slow. Edward Haupt, the manufacturer of cement building blocks, has his apartment house up and the interior is now being put in shape for the plasterers. There will be four flats, having every convenience found in a modern tenant house. A novelty about this house is that it has a concrete, or cement roof, which is the first of the kind in this section of the state, making the house almost fire proof. Several tons of wire were used to keep the cement from cracking, thus giving it durability and permanency. It will last for years without repairing. Edward A. Uffington Valentine, an old Bellefonte boy, and son of the late Abram Valentine, has again broke out in literature. About two years ago he surprised his friends with the publication of a book, "Hekla Sandwith," a novel dealing almost exclusively with the early settlers and history of this section of the state. Of late he has been traveling in Europe and on Sunday he had an article in the Associated Magazine on "An American Girl for Queen of the Balkans," a sketch of Miss Calhoun, of California, a few years ago a famous actress but now the wife of a Persian prince.

—so always admits you to the Electric; always up-to-date. Miss Edna Murray, of Centre Hall, was a Bellefonte visitor, yesterday. I. S. Frain, of Abdera, was a business visitor to Bellefonte Tuesday. Mrs. Flora Dale left Tuesday for an outing of several weeks at Ocean City. Mrs. Oberheim of Lock Haven was a visitor Wednesday at the home of H. S. Kay. Miss Mary Taylor left Tuesday afternoon for New York to visit her brother Samuel. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Crissman, of Gettysburg, spent last Sunday on the Gettysburg battle field. Mrs. James A. Beaver returned home on Monday from a very pleasant visit with friends in Huntingdon. Mrs. C. M. Parrish and son Joseph, with Miss Anna Fox, are in Atlantic City where they are enjoying the ocean breeze. 2000 feet of fine pictures at the Electric; singing and orchestra Saturday night. All for 5c. You should not miss it. Mrs. S. C. Burnside, who has been spending the summer at her old home in Howard, was a Bellefonte visitor on Monday. James C. Furst, Esq., left on Monday for Long Island, where he will attend the wedding of his cousin, Mr. Chamberlain of Milton. The thundergust on Tuesday evening brought over three-fourths of an inch of rain, which was welcomed by all. Weather has been warm all along. Charles Miller, who kept a cigar store in the room now occupied by Rodgers the shoemaker, is said to have had a slight stroke on Sunday morning. Mrs. Frank Claybaugh, and son Blair of Huntingdon, after spending a week at Linden, camping, are spending several days at the home of W. H. Hamilton on Penn street. Luther Houser, of Tyrone, is spending a short time with friends and relatives in Bellefonte. Luther is quite a popular young man and his many friends are glad to see him. The borough council is giving a reminder of walks that need repairing, among which are: Reynolds, Kurtz, Brockerhoff, Brant, hose, and others. Overhauling is now in order. The Nisely camp on Fishing creek, struck tents on Tuesday after a nice ten day's, for those coming and going on a few days. The Meek-Harris camp on same ground, is still a running. The Co-workers of the Bellefonte Lutheran church held a social at the home of Lewis Gettig on Thomas street on Tuesday evening. Seasonable refreshments were served and all had a good time. J. B. Mayes, marble dealer, of Leontown, was a visitor in Bellefonte on Monday. Mr. Mayes is now looking after the works at Milton and Watsontown where they are putting out a large amount of work. W. F. Leathers, business manager of the Howard canning factory, was a visitor to Bellefonte Monday. He stated that as soon as a few necessary repairs were made the factory would begin the canning season. S. G. Gearhart president of the fourth district Pennsylvania Y. M. C. A. of Sunbury, was in town today arranging for the annual district convention which will be held in Bellefonte some time in October. Fred Showers was a visitor at Spring Mills on Saturday, and while there he made a trip to the mountains for huckleberries. He reports them quite plenty, and picked about twenty-three quarts in about seven hours. The huckleberry crop is now being harvested. Persons who go out from Bellefonte report that they are plentiful here, and large shipments are being made from Spring Mills and Coburn and pass through Bellefonte to the larger cities. An esteemed farmer of Walker township informs us that while he is endeavoring to exterminate the Canada thistle, some of his neighbors give no attention to the pest on their land, thus keeping up the spread. Fight onto extermination of the cursed stuff. From the liberal patronage accorded the Theatrum it is evident that the people of Bellefonte appreciate the big double show they are giving, for 5c. They show from three to six pictures a night, to say nothing of the songs. Can you beat that? One of the most fashionable and pleasant resorts in this vicinity is at the Country Club, at Hecla. There is hardly a week passes without some social affair being held there. Saturday the annual meeting took place and was largely attended. The officers of the club were re-elected which are as follows: Col. J. L. Spangler, president; R. B. Freeman of Tyrone, vice president; and George R. Meek secretary and treasurer. Our devil George Dress, had the misfortune on Friday morning of getting his hand into the press while feeding it. The result was that three fingers were smashed and one broken. He is a very little fellow and made no outcry when he received the painful accident, but simply made one dive for Dr. W. W. Feid's office. Here he went through the trying ordeal like a little man, and the probability is that if he belonged to Company B he would make one of the bravest soldiers among the boys. He is now wearing the injured hand in a sling but it will not be long until he will be raising the devil with us again. He is a good little fellow and is missed in this office.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

- Oran J. Allison - Howard. Ida M. Rothrock - Philadelphia. Harry E. Weber - Philadelphia. Caroline A. Hull - Philadelphia. John Pittz - Clarence. Anna Kresko - Philadelphia. Jacob Walk - Sandy Ridge. Lydia Weaver - Port Matilda. Wm. H. Moyer, the south side huckster, finds trade picking up in the Burnham district where he sells the greater part of his produce, meats, etc. The first week in this month he killed three large beaves and three veal calves, all of which was readily sold. Jacob Campbell who resides in the upper part of Clinton county was bitten by a rattlesnake the other day and immediately sat down and with his pocket knife cut the flesh away where the snake had bitten him, and sucked the wound vigorously.

OVER THE COUNTY.

Mr. Young, of Nittany, was a caller and informs us that the hail storm early last week did great harm to corn and oats down that way. The Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church, at Buffalo Run, will hold a festival on the church lawn, July 25th; you are cordially invited to attend. Huckleberries come in so plentifully on curb market mornings indicating that the crop in the mountain sections is large and a paying one for the pickers. State College Camp No. 6137 M. W. A. will hold their picnic at Hunters Park, on Saturday, August 1st. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. A complete programme will be published by the committee in charge in a few days. Marion Twp. has elected the following teachers for their school: Prains No. 1, Calvin Hoy from Hulersburg; primary No. 2, Jacksonville, A. A. Pletcher from Howard; Grammar No. 3, Chas. Shaffer, of Zion; Hays No. 4, D. A. Deitrich, of Hulersburg; Henderson No. 5, Mary Deitrich, of Mingoiville. George S. Kieckner and wife, of Freep, Ill., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Christ Decker, of Zion, and other friends in that vicinity. Mr. Kieckner is a native of Union county, but left for the West in 1859, this being his first visit to this section of the country in the past twenty-two years. John Musser with his daughter, Miss Margaret, arrived in Boalsburg from Wilkesbarre, recently. Mr. Musser, who is employed with a flour and feed company, returned home while Miss Margaret will remain for a period of six weeks, dividing the time among friends at the College, Lemont, Centre Hall and Boalsburg. Rural mail carriers who want a vacation at the expense of the government will have to crowd it in between July 1 and Nov 1, according to an order just issued by the postoffice department at Washington. Rural carriers are allowed two weeks off each year with pay. In the past they were permitted to take their two weeks whenever they desired and it did not matter to the government whether it was taken in July or March just so it was taken. It is all different now. Mr. H. E. Van Norman and Mr. Larsen, of the Department of Dairy Husbandry, State College, are attending the third session of the Graduate School of Agriculture, held this year at Cornell, during the month of July. Dr. Hunt Dean of the College of Agriculture, has been in attendance the past two weeks. Many men prominent in agriculture are on the program and the lectures and discussions are of scientific value sufficient to attract men from all parts of the country. Mr. and Mrs. James Miller, of Elizabethville, Dauphin county, recently celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding in quite an elaborate style. A bountiful spread of good and substantial things of life was prepared and thoroughly enjoyed by a large number of guests. At the close of the dinner the aged couple were presented with a purse of money as a testimony of friendship. Mr. Miller is secretary and treasurer of the Lykens Valley Mutual Fire Insurance Co., and is well and favorably known down through Pennsylvania. He is a pleasant gentleman and his friends will be glad to hear of the eventual occasion. He is also a warm personal friend of ex-Sheriff D. W. Woodring, of Bellefonte. The Rush Township School Board at a meeting held on Saturday evening elected the following teachers for the ensuing term: Sandy Ridge—Grammar school, H. A. Detweiler; Intermediate, Henrietta Kirk; Primary, Bertha Hessong. Edendale—Grammar, Madge Shugert. Primary, John Biddle. Tower—Grammar, Charles Knapper; Primary, Anna Bowers. Klondyke—Annie McMahon, Reese—Cyrus Hutton. Park—Lizzie R. Crum. Point Lookout—Grammar, May Conaway. Primary, Mame Fiegal. North Phillipsburg—Grammar, H. E. Stover; Primary, Hilda Thomas. Munson—Grammar, Netta Gunther; Primary, Margaret Allen. Moshannon—Bessie McCord. Noah Brungart found the lost horse Monday and is accordingly happy. Mrs. David Brungart is visiting her sisters Mrs. Luther Frank and Mrs. Jerome Myer. Her husband, who is a professor at the Susquehanna College, at Selingsgrove, is taking a post graduate course at a summer school in the North. David Lukenbach, Esq., wife, son and daughter, of Bellefonte, are visiting relatives at Rebersburg, an enjoying old acquaintanceship. Banker Lukebach, of Tyrone, knows how to make the average kids' heart go pit-a-pit and his brains go rub a dub, etc. The other evening there was an educated dog-show on Rube Bierly's lot and when the visitors took it in, L. observed about twenty youths wistfully viewing the tent. He at once made them all his guests and friends by paying their way in. He is wined "a chip off the old block." David Myer, of Centre Hall, is visiting the scene of his happy boyhood in and around Rebersburg. "Dave" is one of the boys whose heart stays always young. Jacob Kreamer, the common ancestor of a numerous and highly respected family of well-to-do people, gave the ground (about six acres) for the Rebersburg cemetery, to be used for burial purposes, for the community as long as the name of Kreamer survives. His sons, whom we remember, were John, Daniel and Joseph, all of whom have been gathered to their fathers. Since Wm. J. Mallory has returned, he recalls many incidents of the almost forgotten past. "Bill" used to beat the tenor drum and Sammy Faust played the fife, on every patriotic occasion. He remembers a war meeting in 1861, in the old red school house, where the war speeches were made by Hon. James T. Hale, Hon. Fred Kurtz and others. After the meeting enlistments were called for, and among those to respond were Wesley Bierly, Erastus Burkett, George Burkett, Philip Woodring, Simon Stover, Charlie Winters, Henry Wolf, Simon Wolf, Henry Meyer, Thomas Meyer, Wm. Meyer. At the same time about two hundred boys of from twelve to 14 years old, following the fife and drum tendered their services as fighters. But after a time, the brave boys were brought home in caskets, one by one, and then the ardor cooled. Of the above named, but three survive: Erastus Burkett, who lives in Chicago, Thomas Meyer who is a dentist in Lock Haven, and Hon. Henry Meyer, who lives in Rebersburg.

RECENT DEATHS.

MISS BERTHA ZERBE—aged 26 years, daughter of Edward Zerbe, passenger conductor on the Bald Eagle Valley railroad, died at her home in Lock Haven Sunday night, shortly before 12 o'clock, of tuberculosis. The funeral was held in Lock Haven on Wednesday morning. LEOPOLD LEVINE—a junk dealer, who had been working among the farmers of Harris township, died Wednesday, July 22nd, at his home in Lock Haven. He took sick in Boalsburg and passed away shortly after being taken home. Apoplexy was the cause. He leaves a wife and four children. C. R. RONEY—an aged gentleman, who resided at the home of Fietta Wilson, on Half Moon Hill, died on Monday morning about 7 o'clock from a complication of diseases. He was about 70 years of age and had been a charge on Spring township for a number of years. It is said he came here when the glass works were first started. He leaves no family or relatives in this vicinity. He was a soldier of the Civil War, thus he tried to do something for his country in those trying times of the nation's history. His funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon. ISAAC LONG—a prominent resident of Gregg township, died on the Kline farm, two and one-half miles west of Madisonburg, Thursday morning, 2nd inst., aged seventy-six years. Interment was made in the Union cemetery, Farmers Mills, Sunday morning; was the father of twelve children, nine of whom together with the mother surviving children are: John, of Hecla; Isaac Gap; Frank, of Woodward; George, Samuel, Harvey, and Miss Catherine at home; Lena, wife of Charles Weaver, Sadies, wife of William Rachau; and Maggie, wife of Mannon Gentzell, all of near Penn Cave. E. H. ROTHROCK—one of Tyrone's well known and highly respected merchants, passed away at his home, Wednesday night 15, after a lingering illness from diabetes. He had been a sufferer from this ailment for the past couple of years. Ernest Hart Rothrock was born in Bellefonte, September 27, 1869, making his age at death 38 years, 9 months and 18 days. On December 5, 1888, he was united in marriage to Anna Virginia Funk, at Milesburg, who survives, with following children: William Earl, Robert M. Florence, Mary and Helen, all at home. Until about five days ago Mr. Rothrock followed the occupation of painter and contractor. He then embarked in the grocery business. SUSAN E. SNYDER—wife of H. C. Snyder, died Friday at her home at Jersey Shore, of Bright's disease. She had been only a short time in a serious condition. About one year ago the family moved from Cross Fork and took charge of a restaurant near the N. Y. C. passenger station. She was aged 47 years. Mrs. Snyder is survived by her husband and adopted daughter, Gertie; a father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Pravel; two brothers, Joe and Irvin, and one sister, Mrs. John DeHaas, all of Blanchard. The remains were taken to Beech Creek over the N. Y. C. railroad Monday and burial was made at Eagleville. Through some mistake the body was put off at Mill Hill, and when the train reached Beech Creek a large number of relatives and friends were waiting to receive the body. The trainmen telegraphed the facts to the office at Jersey Shore when a special train was sent to Mill Hill to convey the remains to Beech Creek. JACOB GROSS—an aged and highly respected citizen of Spring township, died at his home at Axe Mann Sunday morning after a brief illness. Mr. Gross had been in good health for a year. Saturday evening he was about the house when he was suddenly taken ill and evidently had a paralytic stroke. He was taken into the house and was apparently much better by evening. Towards morning he was again in bed, and at 6:45 o'clock he passed away. The deceased was born in Germany, and was about 71 years of age. He came to this country when about thirteen years old. He at one time was a resident of Lewistown and came to Axe Mann about thirty-nine years ago, where he was employed as an axe maker when the Mann axe factory was in operation at that place. Mr. Gross was a member of the Bellefonte Catholic church and was very prompt in his attendance to the church service, usually walking to town to attend to his religious duties. He was an old soldier and served in the civil war, about three months, in Company A, 7th Regt., Pa. Vol. Infantry. Justice of the Peace Adam Hazel, of Axe Mann, had made out a paper for the purpose of having a special act of Congress passed giving him a pension of \$30 per month. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Catherine Apt, and the following children: Henry, whose address is unknown at present; John, of Findlay, Ohio; Will of Mill Hill; Frank, George and Mary, at home; and Mrs. Ira Proudfoot, of Altoona. He also has one sister living at St. Marys who is aged about 87 years. The friends met at the house in Axe Mann on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock and came to the Catholic church in Bellefonte, where solemn requiem mass was held at 10 o'clock by Rev. Father Marzke. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

New Thresher.

Howard Struble and L. H. Musser's new thresher, hay baler, and traction gasoline engine, has arrived and they are ready to show the people that they have something to surpass the steam engine, as they use no coal nor water and no danger of fire. The thresher has a self feeder, side delivery, canvas stacker, bagger and all the modern improvements that can be put on a machine, and the price will be only 1/2 cent per bushel more than with steam, and they furnish gasoline and all. For further particulars inquire of either of the above by phone. LIGHTNING RODS HONESTLY AND PROPERLY APPLIED WILL PROTECT YOUR BUILDINGS. Those furnished by HUN & LEATHERMAN, Pittsburg, Pa., are acknowledged the best. BUY OF YOUR LOCAL AUTHORIZED AGENTS. C. A. THOMAS & BROTHER, BELLEFONTE, PA. Sole Agents for Centre County.

MARTHA.

Rev. George W. Dowling held an all-day service in the Baptist church here. The morning service being the regular annual roll-call service of the church, at which time most of the members were present to respond to the call of their names. A number of appraisers accompanied by Clement Dale, sheriff Kline and others on Monday viewed the Samuel Gingers farm and placed the valuation at \$2500. Saturday morning the Martha base ball team met and defeated the Julian Stars by a score of 16 to 2. The Julian boys played nicely but the Martha boys were too much for them. Some interesting features of the game were the way in which the Martha boys handled the bat; some of them making five hits each, while Jessie, as usual, landed for Martha and did it in good style. It reminded me of Rube Waddie handing it over. Of course, it's out of place here to say that Billy Stanton, of Julian, went to sleep on first base and lost the ball just when they wanted to make a triple play. Wm. Gill expressed some surprise at the close of the game, Ida Turner said the Martha boys were so pretty. Eddie Bullock said the umpire cheated, some one said maybe the "stars" had gotten too much "Ambrosia," and various other excuses were made, but really boys, we think you were dead easy. The Baptist Sunday school, of Martha, will hold a picnic here on Saturday, August 15, to which are all are cordially invited. Curt Robinson says he was held up by a highwayman one night last week. Curt says he is positive the man belonged to the Julian base ball team because he struck at him three times and never touched him. Real Estate Transfers Frank McCoy et al to Wm. Shawley, Feb. 28, 1908, premises in Boggs Twp. \$100. J. W. Barnhart et al to Frances Barnhart, May 23, 1908, premises in Spring Twp. \$155. J. W. Packer et ux to Chas. E. Johnston, July 8, 1908, 120 acres in Curtin Twp. \$2000. Mathias S. Packer to Chas. E. Johnston, July 8, 1908, lot in Curtin Twp. \$1. W. A. DeLong et ux to J. H. Slatterbeck, May 8, 1908, premises in Eagleville. \$700. Wm. M. Russ to Addie Russ, Feb. 19, 1904, premises in Phillipsburg. \$360. Henry Meyer et ux to Lottie E. Iorsburt, July 6, 1908, 26 acres, in Miles Twp. \$1075. J. B. Irish et al to James P. Krupo, March 27, 1908, lot in Rush Twp. \$107.26. Samuel H. Rhoads et al to Esther M. Talvert, May 29, 1908, 42 a. 142 p. in Union Twp. \$1400. Tyrone Mining Mfg. Co. to H. C. Harms, May 13, 1908, lot in Halfmoon. \$12. D. K. Musser et al to Elizabeth Homan, April 6, 1908, 20 a. in Haines Twp. \$1. Edward G. Mingle adms. to Elizabeth Homan, Feb. 27, 1908, 7 a. 14 p. in Haines Twp. \$636.88. Cora A. Wagner et baron to John P. Kimport, April 27, 1908, tracts of land in Harris Twp. \$3350. Christina E. Rishel et bar to James B. Strohm, June 10, 1908, lot in Centre Hall. \$900. The Williamsport Sun has entered its thirty-ninth volume. The Sun shines as one of the best inland dailies in the state. PENNY A WORD ADV. Any subscriber can insert a want advertisement in this column one line free, if it does not exceed 15 words. Charges to others, one cent a word, first issue, no advertisement less than 15 cents; 2 issues 40 cents; 3 issues 50 cents. No advertisements will be answered from this office. FOR SALE—A fresh cow. L. P. Bower, Arzoburo, Pa. FOR SALE—Good farm horse. Apply to H. N. Hoy, Bellefonte. Com. phone. 120. FOR SALE—Second-hand 8-40 inch American threshing machine. W. T. Hoover, Port Matilda, Pa. 120. WANTED—Several good men to take out paper wood. Apply to J. D. Houser, Pleasant Gap, Pa. 26-4f. FOR SALE—Good canoe in fine condition. Apply to John Stover, at Pinkintie's store, Bellefonte. 26-4f. FOR SALE—Pair of colts, a grey and a bay—2 years old; they are fine ones. G. B. Gummo, Buffalo Run. WANTED—Housewife by a woman having a child 2 years old. Address Mrs. Tillie Ammerman, Bellefonte. FOR SALE—Colt, four months old July 15th; generally fine of good tough stock. Apply to J. E. Houze, Benora. 230. FOR SALE—Little Giant gas and gasoline engines from 1 1/2 to 20 horse power. Edward H. Dale, agent, Lemont, Pa. 27-4f. PUBLIC SALE—On Saturday, Aug. 1st, Geo. Koon, of Pleasant Gap, will sell household goods, harness and other articles. WANTED—Men to cut jack pine for paper wood by the cord; good timber, level ground; pay weekly. G. W. Holt, Unionville. 131. FOR SALE OR RENT—Farm of 80 acres near Hecla Park, in good state of cultivation—good orchard. J. C. Armstrong, Nittany, Pa. FOR SALE—Pure bred collie pups—the farmers friend stock dog, a postal will bring you my prices. Steward Orndorf, Woodward, Pa. 130. FOR SALE OR RENT—Known as the M. B. Duck property, located along pike between Spring Mills and Penn Hall. Apply at residence, M. B. Duck. 131. FOR SALE—A three-seated two-horse spring wagon with canopy top, all in excellent condition. Come and see it and get price from W. H. Zeigler, Rebersburg, Pa. PUBLIC SALE—At Gum Stump, in Boggs township, Saturday, Aug. 1st, at 1 p. m., Milligan Walker will sell live stock and farm implements. S. K. Emerick, Aust. WANTED—I will buy second hand furniture and pay good prices. Furniture repairing, picture and enlarging done promptly. Drop me a card. Emory C. Johnson, L. B. No. 3, Pine Grove Mills, Pa. 134. MARKET QUOTATIONS. BELLEFONTE—PRODUCE. The following prices are paid by Sechler & Co. for produce: Eggs, per dozen, 18. Lamb, per pound, 10. Turkey, per pound, 4. Butter, per pound, 15. Side, per pound, 10. Shoulder, per pound, 8. BELLEFONTE—GRAIN. The following prices are paid by C. V. Wagner, for grain: Wheat, New 80 Old 90. Oats, 60. Corn, 40. Barley, 60. Rye, 60. Corn shelled, 60.