

BELLEFONTE AND VICINITY

THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS

Mrs. Will Katz is around again after a serious attack of appendicitis. Don't miss the Buffalo Bill articles that appear in every issue of this paper. Scott Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benner Graham, left Sunday for Philadelphia where he expects to find employment. The weather the past week has made the average individual anxious to go fishing. The break was a little too early to prove lasting. Mrs. Dale, wife of Dr. David Dale, who had been visiting at her old home at Gettysburg, has returned to Bellefonte. She had a very delightful time. Mrs. Priscilla Bell, wife of the late Andy J. Bell, who was seriously ill about one week ago, is improving slowly, and her friends are hoping that she may be around again. Mrs. Charles E. Dorworth, and son Charles, departed Sunday morning for Harrisburg to remain a few days with Mr. Dorworth who is reporting the legislative proceedings for the Philadelphia Press. The store held by the ladies of the Lutheran church, Friday and Saturday last, cleared seventy dollars, notwithstanding the unpropitious weather. Only a few dollars' worth of goods remained unsold, Saturday evening. Announcement has been made of the engagement of Helen Elizabeth Brouse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Brouse, of Bellefonte, to Frederick William Toppet, of Brooklyn, N. Y., the wedding to take place in June. Mrs. John I. Olewine will probably leave Bellefonte in the second week of March to join her husband at Asheville, North Carolina, where she will remain several weeks. The very best of news comes from Mr. Olewine who has been improving in health right along. The boys who did the target-rifle shooting out on Curtin street have been reported to the authorities, and that likely will put a stop to the dangerous pastime. No doubt they did it from thoughtlessness more than anything else. The timely warning should prove sufficient. H. S. Smeltzer, of Messena, Iowa, who had been visiting friends in Bellefonte and Centre county for the last three months, has left for his home where he is a prosperous contractor. He was born and raised at State College, and in 1870 moved to the west where he has resided ever since. Mrs. Elliott, wife of the late Rev. George Elliott, who went west some time ago to make her future home with her son, has decided that there is no place like Bellefonte, and thus she has decided to return. Her friends, of course, will be glad to welcome her back. John M. Sourbeck will move from the Speer property to the house on Logan street now occupied by Maurice Yeager. Mr. Yeager will move to the Brown property on the corner of Allegheny and Logan streets, where they will keep boarders. Mr. and Mrs. Rusk Larimer are occupying one of Haupt's flats, on Thomas street. This is the week for Farmers' Institutes over the county. The first one opened at Aaronsburg on Monday. Yesterday and to-day they are in session at Pine Grove Mills; and Friday and Saturday at Stormstown. Col. John A. Woodward has arranged good programs for the week and every farmer who attends will be benefitted accordingly. Mrs. Mary Sebring, grandmother of Dr. John Sebring, of Bellefonte, recently celebrated her 91st birthday at her home at Jersey Shore. Among those present was her son, John P. Sebring, of Halfmoon township. Notwithstanding she is running the century mark close she is in comparatively good health, retaining most of her faculties. She enjoyed the day very much with her friends. She is Jersey Shore's oldest and most remarkable woman. Monday Walter Tallheim, of Julian, was in Bellefonte and paid back to the County Commissioners \$40 which was the last of the funeral expenses in burying Patrick Hennessy the unknown man who was killed at that place on January 23. After Mr. Tallheim had located the relatives they went to Julian where they refunded the money, paid for burying the deceased, and took the body with them. Besides restoring the remains to the friends Mr. Tallheim saved the county four \$10 bills. The Pennsylvania Concrete Brick & Mfg. Co., of Bellefonte, have been displaying some fine samples of brick, the past week which indicates the possibilities of the project to manufacture a fine building brick from the furnace slag. It certainly shows up well and has stood all the severe tests to insure its durability. The company are enlisting many of our business people in the new enterprise. There is much merit in the proposition and our people should give it the needed encouragement to start at once. After March 1st you can find George A. Beezer at the garage on Water street, now occupied by John Porter Lyon. His intentions are to run an up-to-date garage in connection with an auto livery. He has ordered a twelve-passenger Rapid automobile bus, similar to the one at State College owned by Bowes and Thompson. The machine was ordered for early delivery and when he gets it Mr. Beezer will be able to accommodate parties desiring to take a trip to any point of interest. He has not yet decided whether he will purchase a touring car, as that will all depend on whether there will be sufficient demand from the public to justify the outlay. One of the most progressive young men who has left Bellefonte and located elsewhere is Ira D. Garman, son of the late Daniel Garman. A few years ago he was located in Philadelphia where he has been doing profitable jewelry business. Besides he is president of the Pennsylvania Retail Jewelers' Association, a member of the Jewelers' Club of the St. Philip's Episcopal church. In addition to the above honor on election day he was elected school director on the Fusion ticket in the 4th ward. This, of course, indicates that he is quite popular in Philadelphia, especially in that part where he resides. His friends would like to hear of him being mayor one of these days.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Beezer returned Friday from Philadelphia. Miss Anna Sechler has returned home from a two-weeks' visit to her sister, Mrs. William A. Kirby, of Trappe, Md. The Centre Democrat sale register will be found on page 3 of this issue. You will note also that it keeps growing. The Howell Keith Stock company at the opera house next week. Popular prices will prevail, 10, 20 and 30 cents. Miss Anna Lyon has left for Philadelphia where she will spend the balance of the winter with Miss Rebecca Lyon in that city. Mrs. Bond, wife of Dr. Bond, and daughter, of Baltimore, Md., have been guests at the home of Miss Emily Natt, on Curtin street. James R. Hughes, Wilson Gephart and Charles Backbill, of Bellefonte, were among those who took in the Lock Haven minstrel's other evening. Miss Bertha Hunter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steele Hunter, left recently for Pittsburg to visit her brother and other friends. Miss Bertha is a fine young lady and it looks as though she had some attraction in the Smoky City. Mrs. A. J. Barchfield, wife of Hon. A. J. Barchfield, of Pittsburg, and her daughter, stopped off in Bellefonte Monday, enroute to Washington, to attend the Academy minstrel. Mrs. Barchfield's son Gilbert Meyers was one of the end men. Miss Mary Brown was married recently in New York City to a Cuban whose name we were unable to learn. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Lena Brown, formerly of Bellefonte, who played the large pipe organ in the Catholic church. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Sterling, of Pittsburg; Mrs. McCandless, of Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Hull, of Hollidaysburg, Mr. and Mrs. C. Keefe, of Williamsport, were among the number of patrons from a distance who witnessed the Academy minstrel on Tuesday evening. Dr. J. Allison Platt went to Pittsburg Monday afternoon to attend the funeral of Mrs. Breneman, wife of Rev. Breneman, who were friends of Dr. and Mrs. Platts. Many of the Bellefonte people will remember Rev. Breneman, as having preached in the Bellefonte Presbyterian church within the past year. In a game of basket ball in the Y. M. C. A. gym Friday night, Y. M. C. A. five completely outclassed the Lock Haven All Collegians. Although the Lock Haven men were taller and heavier than the local men, the home boys managed by their dodging, quick passing and good shooting, to run the score 52-12. For the next three months G. Warley Schoch, local editor of the Mifflinburg Telegraph, will make his home in Bellefonte with Mrs. Tanner, on Bishop street. He is employed on the Lewisburg and Tyrone branch of the Pennsylvania railroad as mail weigher. That is he is assisting in weighing the mail which is done annually by the government. He is a gentlemanly young man and will make many friends here. Dr. Thos. C. VanTries expects to deliver his lecture in the Presbyterian church of Altoona on Friday evening, February 26th. He will go on from Altoona to Berwyn, Pa., to visit his son, Rev. Wm. P. VanTries. They expect to attend the inauguration of President Taft, next week. Dr. VanTries intends going South from Washington, and hopes to visit Jacksonville, St. Augustine and Palm Beach in Florida, and would like to go on to Havana, Cuba. The musical organizations of Susquehanna University, under the training of E. Edwin Sheldon, musical director and head of the music conservatory at that institution, located at Selingsgrove, Pa., will give a concert under the auspices of the Lutheran church of this place, on Tuesday evening, March 30th. The concert will be of a high order, the organization being composed of glee and string instruments clubs, soloists and a reader. The concert will be held in the Court House. Watch for further locals and announcements. Wm. Garman, of this place, has devised a new treatment for ingrowing toenails that is meeting with much favor in this community and he has decided to place it on the market. It is a preparation that is easily applied and brings relief in a remarkably short time. This affliction is one of the most annoying and painful, and anyone who suffers with it would not hesitate to secure the remedy, as it will be sold for 25 cents, and it is his intention to have it on sale in the leading drug stores, or can be secured from him direct. So confident is he of its merit that the price will be refunded in any case where relief is not secured from its application. Warren Wood and wife, of Spring Mills, were in Bellefonte Saturday. Both have so increased in avoirdupois that when they get into an ordinary sized buggy it is difficult to get a piece of tissue paper under the seat. In fact "Woddy" looks like one of the fellows in Philadelphia who distributes the long green among his political friends. He's a good fellow and is getting along tip-top in the hotel business at Spring Mills. Thomas Faxon, his father-in-law, proprietor of the hotel at Rebersburg, was also circulating among friends here on Saturday. Several years ago he thought his time had come, but since going over the mountains his health has improved to the extent that he looks like one of those big pumpkins you have seen at the Centre county fair, only larger. He likes Rebersburg and is making 'er all right. This is a good time for the street committee to cart off the mud on our streets, which is nothing more than limestone dust, so that next summer they could as usual haul more on. Making streets with limestone dust is about the most expensive thing we know of, and our street committee persists in the same old practice from year to year, hauling dust and carting mud away. Crushed limestone, of good size, and plenty of it, with no mud in it, alone will make a good, substantial road, and as we have the proper material so close and low in price, no more money should be wasted in constructing limestone dust roads that are of no value. Limestone, being muddy in winter and spring, and frightfully dusty in summer and fall. Give us solid rock roads that will last, as they are the cheapest in the end. This advice is for the street committee, with no charge attached to it, as we would like to have better roads and less taxes.

UNIONVILLE. Five thousand dollars reward is offered for information that will lead to the whereabouts of Mr. Abednigo Williams and wife, who left their home here a week ago ostensibly to visit friends in Huntingdon county. They are expected here in the near future. The 11th of February was a cold, chilly day, with the mercury hovering around the chill point of zero, and yet Wilbur Tibbens, who lives with his father, two miles west of Bellefonte, on the Buffalo Run road, said he was in one of the heaviest showers of his life. It was a birthday postal card shower from 146 of his friends and well-wishers. Alice Henshy is visiting friends in Bellefonte. Thomas Lambert is talking of putting down an artesian well to supply the town with water. Mind you, I said he is "talking about it." No Jersey Devil in our town—not much! He only visits wicked towns like Howard and Milesburg and other towns where his subjects, King Booze, sit on their fiery thrones. The prosperity car stopped at the station a few days ago and dropped three more of our citizens on an indefinite "lay off." As the Dutchman said, "Didn't I vos told you so." There are now enough idle men in our town to run a cheese factory. J. C. Smith has concluded to climb on the air ship in order to keep up with the procession and to this end will put down a modern concrete pavement in front of his mansion house in the spring. Good boy, Cal; you'll be the next. The much-talked of entertainment by our young amateurs, came to time on Friday evening and gave such entire satisfaction that it was repeated on Saturday evening. The house was crowded to its utmost capacity both evenings. The play was entitled "Sunbonnets" and all of the aspirants to stage honors acquitted themselves with great credit. Two hours of solid entertainment and much of it was exceedingly funny. You know a little nonsense now and then, is relished by the best of men. The male quartet, and the songs and choruses were an exceptionally pleasing feature of the entertainment. The general verdict was that it was a complete success. They realized \$31 which will be sent to the M. E. hospital at Philadelphia. WHEN I WAS A BOY. To make good my promise I will proceed to tell what I remember of a political meeting held in the village of Gatsburg, during the Polk and Clay campaign in the fall of 1844. We lived in a little story-and-a-half log house—the house in which I was born—now, you needn't snicker and laugh; there were other great men born in little log houses besides Abraham Lincoln. The house is still standing on the lot now occupied by Col. John A. Lemon, and is in a good state of preservation. The first thing that I recall was the cheering, shouting and singing of campaign songs, by the citizens gathering along the roads leading from the direction of the four points of the compass, leading to the village. The second evening I recall, was a 6-horse team with a wagon having an old fashioned English bed, which was literally packed with citizens from Baileyville and vicinity; each horse was decorated with flags and on each horse sat a man, each one carrying a campaign banner, and the whole crowd singing and cheering. This was a democratic gathering and was held in the old red school house, which has long since been replaced by a more modern building. I remember holding my father's hand as we crowded into the house before it got full. I recall seeing on the desk in front of the speaker, the skin of a raccoon, stuffed and sitting on his hind month, holding an ear of corn in his mouth. I think the speakers were from Bellefonte but who they were I cannot say. A couple of one of the songs was as follows: "Oh, poor Harry Clay, Oh, poor Harry Clay, The white house was not made for you So home you'd better stay." Another ran thus: "Old Cooney Clay had two faces, Quite unlike in different places; South free trade, north high tariff, Ha! ha! ha! get out y's coons." This is all I remember of the songs. Henry Clay, one of the greatest statesmen and orators this country ever produced, was accused with making free trade speeches in the south, while in the north he advocated high tariff. Whether this was the fact I do not know, but it was a winning card, for the James K. Polk party. What the coon was emblematic of, or why Clay was nicknamed Cooney, I never learned. There are lots of men living who are older than I am, who can perhaps enlighten your readers on this point. I was born in 1837—the year in which our great men like James A. Beaver, Grover Cleveland, George W. Doney, Chief Justice Riley Pratt, and others, were born. Consequently I was between 7 and 8 years of age but I never can forget the incidents above related. DOMINGO. THE BAZAAR CRIDER'S EXCHANGE. We are again to the front with fifteen suits newest styles. They must go this month, as we will not carry them over. Suits were \$16.75 new \$6.95, were \$12.00 now \$8.45, were \$18.00 now \$11.95. Skirts \$11.25, \$14.49, \$15.95 and \$3.79. Ladies' Misses and boys' underwear were 49c now 29c, were 25c now 19c. Men's now 37c were 49c, 59c were 75c. Children's dresses were 49c this week 59c. Ladies white skirts 45c, 55c, 89c, and 68. Corset Covers 15c, 25c and 35. Cambric gowns 39c, 49c, 69c, and 89c. Thompson's glove, fitting the most stylish and durable, if a pair but will gladly give you a new pair free. See if any other manufacturer will do this. Our wool blankets must go this month 11x4 wool \$2.50, 12x4 \$3.50. Haps or comfortable 98c were \$1.50, 1.49, were \$2.00. Another lot of those fine Ladies shoes Dongola and Tan in button and laced \$2.00 worth \$2.75, \$1.19 worth \$1.50. Misses 79c, 98c and \$1.29. Men's heavy shoes \$1.29 and \$1.50. Rubbers only 37c. Hose supporters, 4 straps, only 10c, new combs, neck ruff, belts, lace ham-bury, new waist only 89c and 98c. J. S. G. LLIAM, Prop. Crider's Exchange BELLEFONTE

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS NOTICE. Transfer of Tavern License. RAMESDALE HOUSE 2nd Ward, Phillipsburg. Notice is hereby given that the joint petitions of A. R. Barnes, (the owner of the above named property) and Frank McClure, was this day filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, one for transfer of the Tavern License granted Erwin M. Davis to expire on the first day of April, A. D. 1909, and the other for transfer of Tavern License to run from April 1st, A. D. 1909, to April 1st, 1910, from Erwin M. Davis to Frank McClure. A. B. KIMFORTH, Clerk. FEBRUARY 19, 1909. DIVORCE NOTICE. In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, No. 67 December Term 1907. To Robert Watson, respondent and defendant above named. Take notice and you are hereby notified that your wife, Lona Watson, by her next friend, Arista Lucas, has instituted an action against you for a divorce, and that she has been appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County as Master to take testimony in said case and will attend to the same at her appointment on Monday, March 22nd, 1909, at his office, No. 19 West High St., in Bellefonte Borough, Pa., at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time and place you are hereby requested to be present. W. HARRISON WALKER, Master. PENNY A WORD ADV. Any subscriber can insert a want advertisement in this column one issue free, if it does not exceed 25 words. Charges to others, one cent a word, first issue, no advertisement less than 25 cents; 2 issues 40 cents; 3 issues 50 cents. No advertisements will be answered from this office. WANTED—A good farm hand; state wages wanted per month. Address J. P. Carner, Hubersburg, Pa. FOR SALE—Second-hand refrigerator, size 6x12 inches. Inquire at Beezer's Meat Market, Bellefonte. FOR SALE—Ochello range, good as new; six good oak dining room chairs, J. Kyle McFarlane, Bellefonte. FOR RENT—Home of Anna Lee, dec'd., 2 miles south of Williamsport. Apply to Wm. Trester, Adm., Williamsport, Pa. FOR SALE—1 cook and 4 hens duck wing band. Price \$10. Inquire at Beezer's Meat Market, Bellefonte, Pa. FOR SALE—Floor show cases, cash registers, safe, sashers, gas machines and other store fixtures. E. P. Irvin, Bellefonte, Pa. WANTED—I pay highest cash prices for chickens; drop me a card and I will call at your house. C. C. Huey, Bellefonte, route 1. FOR SALE—3 thoroughbred Duroc sows, weighing from 60 to 70 lbs each. Inquire of M. C. Rossman, R. F. D. No. 1, State College, Pa. FOR SALE—One 250 egg (Cyphers Incubator) Co. Incubator 1906 model in good shape. Price \$15. D. A. Ertel, Spring Mills, R. F. D. 5. FOR SALE—Ten thousand dollars worth of The Hayes Fire Brick Co. stock. Inquire at a bargain. Inquire P. O. Box 727 Lock Haven, Pa. FOR SALE—One Maltus lumber trimmer, one double edger, four saws, all in good condition. White Deer Lumber Company, Sunbury, Pa. WANTED—Man cook, must be sober, honest, to work for the Spruce Run Park Association. Pay good wages. Inquire R. B. Daugherty, Pine Glenn, Pa. FOR SALE—Bay horse 17 years old, weight 1400, good leader. Black mare 5 years old, weight about 1100, good worker, good reason for selling. W. F. Hoy, Berksburg, Pa. SUCCESS—Anyone thinking of buying a mature spruce this spring should contact John Eby, of Zlotoff, agent for the "Yemen's" Success," the best of its kind on the market. 23. FOR RENT—Five acre good land, house, barn and outbuildings, for the payment of the taxes any bearing, mending, washing, etc. Refer to M. L. Rishel, Agent, Spring Mills, R. F. 1. FOR BEE KEEPERS—I have now a full line of bee keepers' supplies of the A. I. Root Co., which I am selling at their catalog prices, 2 per cent. off Feb. orders. Post office address W. S. Williams, Karba. TOO MANY REPLIES. The result of a little advertisement in this column brought the following: Pine Glenn, Pa., Feb. 23, 1909. Dear Editor— Please remove the advertisement from your paper, which I asked you to publish a week ago. I have more applications than I know what to do with. If there is any charges please let me know, and oblige. R. B. DAUGHERTY. FARM FOR SALE—4 1/2 miles south of Howard Station, containing 4 1/2 acres, under good cultivation—12 acres in good grass, 9 acres in wheat, a good 16 acre orchard, 1000 feet of a good farm dwelling, big and good back barn; water at house and barn. Apply on the premises to S. L. Reber. 447. FOR SALE—Eggs from thorough bred Rhode Island red fowls. C. F. Thompson's Champaign egg producers. For A. Ten rollers, from special mating, headed by 90 point cock bird. The best birds hatched from 250 eggs imported from Boston. Pen 3. Fourteen rollers (finely colored) headed by a fifteen dollar cockerel. Eggs from either pen \$1.25 per 13, \$6.00 per 100. C. N. Meserve 214 E. Bishop St., Bellefonte. NOTICE—The Hubersburg school will again be opened this year for an eight weeks' spring term, beginning April 13th. All pupils will be admitted. College preparatory work and preparation for teaching will receive special attention. Terms very reasonable. All who desire further information please write to Prof. J. C. Bright, A. B., principal of Walker township high school, Hubersburg, Pa. 130. FOR SALE—Engine and boiler, located in the Bunting mill at Pleasant Gap. Engine is 20-horsepower boiler is 30-horsepower. Also the following mill machinery: 1 French burr, 1 mountain stone burr, 1 centrifugal mill, 1 small machine with cleaner, 3 four bolting machines, corn cob breaker, belting, shafting, pulleys, etc. For information apply to John C. Mullinger, Pleasant Gap. 210. FOR SALE—I have for sale, six good farms with acres running from 20 to 200—10 locations at Hunters Park, State College, Rock View, between Milesburg and Curtin, and near Williamsport. The prices asked for the majority of these farms are such that they will interest prospective buyers. My system is to sell at the owners' figure. There is no specializing in the selling price. To those who are buying a farm here is an opportunity, but don't wait. Make inquiry at once. Robert F. Hunter, Sellers Exchange, Bellefonte. MARKET QUOTATIONS. BELLEFONTE—PRODUCE. Eggs, per dozen..... 20. Lard, per pound..... 18. Tallow, per pound..... 18. Butter, per pound..... 25. BELLEFONTE—GRAIN. The following prices are paid by C. Y. Wagner, for grain: Oats..... 1.10. Corn..... 1.10. Hay..... 1.10. Barn sheaves..... 1.10. C. A. HOOVER, AUCTIONEER, Morristide Mines, Pa. R. F. D. 24. Am prepared to cry all sales; farm property a specialty. Central R. R. of Pa. Train Schedule Leave Bellefonte— For Mill Hill, 7:05 a. m., 1:30 and 6:35 p. m. Leave Mill Hill— For Bellefonte, 7:11 a. m., 1:41 and 6:41 p. m.