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CURTIN.

Harvesting is in progress, quite a lot of hay has been made; the weather is fine for harvesting but bad for vegetation.

John Osman and wife, of Bellefonte, visited Mrs. Osman's parents, Mr. Dukeman's on the Fourth.

Mrs. H. R. Curtin has gone to Pittsburgh, to see her new grandson, Andrew G. Curtin.

We are sorry to learn of the death of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Brooks, at the Bellefonte Hospital on the sixth of this month.

They are having cyclonic disturbances in Perry, Kansas, so we hear. One came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Bretts and left a dear little 9 lb girl.

Mrs. Joseph Griffith spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Long of Howard.

Mrs. W. D. Rorer, of Harrisburg, formerly Miss Weidle, is a very pleasant guest at the home of Mrs. V. E. Curtin.

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LOGANTON.

Proper arrangements have been made for the Union Sunday school picnic. August 12th was selected as the day for the excursion which will be conducted over the White Deer and Loganton railroad to the Tea Springs, where it will be held.

At a meeting of the school board on Monday evening, the resignation of J. S. Fox as teacher of the Grammar school was considered and accepted, and Miss Hattie Turner was elected to fill the vacancy.

John Stuckey, one of the trio of operators in the tower at this place has been transferred to Vall and Fred Brooks, of Tyrone, has taken his place here, and now half of the girls in town have batted their hooks with chewing gum trying to catch him.

Miss Mamie Donaldson, a pretty, vivacious young lady of Cannonsburg, is a pleasant visitor at the home of Joseph Brugger.

UNIONVILLE.

The following personal friends of Miss Edith Hoover, who is seriously ill, visited her recently: James Robison, of Port Matilda; Misses Lizzy Shawver, Nettie and Lula Chronister and Mattie Steele, of Martha.

The greatest event of the season, that had been looked forward to with great anticipation, came on schedule time, and was one of the most delightful and enjoyable occasions that ever took place in our town.

The Kister home on Main street, west of hotel Logan, has been sold to J. K. Heckman, who will shortly occupy the same.

Rev. F. L. Cooper, of Burnham Mission, near Lewistown, gave an interesting and very instructive lecture on missionary work, in the United Evangelical church on Wednesday evening, attracting a large audience.

The citizens of Maple Grove held an ice cream and cake festival in the grove at Bull Run, on Saturday evening, and were very successful in selling the delicacies on hand, which netted a neat sum for the benefit of the Greenburr cornet band.

Late Saturday evening a warrant, charging assault and battery, was sworn out in town by James Rockey for the apprehension of two Greene township young men who had committed a most heinous assault on his son but they happened to evade the arm of the law until early Monday morning when they were brought before a justice and committed to the town lockup.

The local base ball nine were defeated by a score of 12 to 5; by the Rote team on Saturday at Rote, the home team claiming that the game was lost through the dirty deals given them by a Lock Haven umpire.

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LEMONT.

During the last two weeks dogs got into the flocks of sheep belonging to Green Heaton, Harry Houts and Samuel Little, and killed 18 or 19 sheep and wounded many more.

A great big boy came to the home of Chas. Bohn, to help make their home more homelike.

Mrs. Lydia Clark and family returned home Wednesday of last week after a very pleasant visit at the home of John Coble.

Dr. H. H. Hoy and family, of Berwick, are enjoying a visit among friends here.

Mrs. Chas. Houser, who has been ill for some time, is much improved. Wade Evey, of Philadelphia, returned home Saturday.

There will be preaching services in the Evangelical church on Saturday evening, by the corresponding secretary of the foreign missions, and everyone is invited to come.

AARONSBURG.

Harry Sowers and family, of State College, visited a few days in town Mrs. Sowers, better known as Hattie Smull, was one of the most esteemed young ladies of our town, and their visits are always enjoyed by all.

H. Hunkle and wife, of Monessen, were the guests of Clyde Boob's over Sunday.

Jennie Gramley visited her sister at Centre Hall over Sunday.

Mrs. James Swabb, of Tusseyville, was the guest of Mrs. Kizzie Swabb on Monday.

Sparr Wert, of Tusseyville, visited at the home of his parents, James Wert's, over Sunday.

Mrs. George McKay, of Philadelphia, is spending the summer months with her parents, W. H. Phillips.

Life is a burden only to the man who saddles himself with trouble.

YARNELL.

The festival held at this place on Saturday evening was largely attended.

Anna Shank returned home last Saturday from Johnstown, where she had been visiting friends, accompanied by her brother Harry, of Altoona.

Fred Kessling, with his sisters, Josephine and Margaret, spent the Fourth at Snow Shoe.

Mrs. Claud Yarnell, with her two interesting daughters, Dorothy and Inez, were guests at the Yarnell home, recently.

A number of our villagers attended the festival at Fairview, on the evening of the 3rd.

Maud Miller is spending the summer with her grandparents, Lewis Miller's, of Pleasant valley.

Arnold Heaton, of Milesburg, spent several days last week with his grandparents, Joyce Confer's.

Marcella Boyer returned home Saturday after a very pleasant visit with her former teacher, Miss Aris Simler, of Phillipsburg.

While engaged in carpenter work at D. P. Wensel's last week, Jacob Yarnell had the misfortune to seriously injure the thumb on his left hand.

Mrs. Beatrix Westwood, of Hawk Run, is spending some time at the Boyer home.

Nell Kelley, of Fairview, with Grace Heinsteat, of Altoona, were recent visitors in our village.

The Kessling brothers returned to their work at Avenmore, on Monday.

H. S. Hagen and sister, Elsie, of Beech Creek, were Sunday visitors at J. A. Confer's.

Florence Leathers, of Mt. Eagle, has been elected to teach the Grammar school for the coming winter, and Beasie Johnson, of Holts Hollow, the Primary. We wish them success and a pleasant winter.

Elmeda Pownell, of this place, will go, Sept. 7, to Fountain, near this place to "teach the young idea how to shoot."

A number of our young people attended the party given at the Kelley home at Fairview, Wednesday evening, in honor of Misses Grace and Mary Heinsteat, of Altoona. All report an enjoyable time.

Golda Watson has returned to the Shawley home to remain indefinitely.

Samuel Shank, one of the oldest men in Centre county, died at the home of D. P. Wensel, his son-in-law, at Pleasant valley, Sunday evening, July 11, after suffering several months with gangrene. Had Mr. Shank lived until February, he would have been 99 years old. He was a member of the Messiah church. The funeral took place on Tuesday. Interment in Advent cemetery.

It's the fellow who minds his p's and q's that sleeps on flowery beds of e's.

ROMOLA.

The Fourth of July was properly celebrated in this vicinity and the patriotic spirit of the young American was fully gratified, and the noise of the fire crackers through the day, and the shooting stars of the bursting sky rockets high in the air during the evening, showed that everybody was of good cheer and the Fourth of July comes but once a year.

Good cheer was brought to the Daley homestead on July 4th by the home coming of the children and grandchildren of John A. and Mary J. Daley. There was present on this festive occasion: R. C. Daley and his sons, Hugh and John A. Jr., and daughter, Miss Loney; Mr. Wm. Beverly and wife, Mary B., with their children, Miss Ruth, Lloyd, Charles, Bernet and Nellie; Frank A. Daley and wife and little daughter, Marian; H. I. Yearick and wife and children, Dorothy and Lester, of Ridgway, Pa.; Charles and Maude are still single and at home. Everybody who has visited at the Daley home knows that the sun shines continually. General jollification was present on this day.

Two of our prominent and highly esteemed young men have taken Horace Greeley's advice and have gone west to grow with the country. Ernest M. Brickley, prominently known in educational circles, left last Tuesday for Tucuman, New Mexico, where he has a lucrative position awaiting his arrival. Many of the young ladies here are weeping because of losing their "Boves." Hereafter they will address him William Boves, Kansas or elsewhere, he expects to write them immediately after his arrival. Success boys, may your fondest hopes be realized.

The Christian church of Romola will hold a festival Saturday evening, July 24. Everybody is cordially invited.

HECLA PARK.

Quite a few of our people attended the festival at Zion Saturday evening. William Sproul is recovering from a sprained wrist.

Abner Hoesman, who has been a student in telegraphy here, has gone to Linden Hall to complete his course. Chas. Guiser, who is employed at Altoona, spent several days last week under the parental roof.

Elmer Vangorder, of Gorton Heights, visited his parents here. Country club, is completed, and has so far proven a success.

Arthur Fulton, a student of Muncy Normal, who has been spending his vacation here with his father, left Monday for that place to finish his course.

Sheron Jolly returned to Altoona, Saturday, where he is employed. The United Evangelical church and L. U. S. S. of this place, will hold a festival Saturday, July 31st; come one, come all.

COBURN.

Everybody is invited to come to the band festival on Saturday evening. W. H. Wittmyer and wife, of Bellefonte, visited friends here last week. David Corman fell from a cherry tree one day last week, broke a bone

in his arm, and one side of his body is paralyzed. It is believed a paralytic stroke caused the fall.

On Saturday evening the school board of Penn township elected the following teachers for the next term: Coburn, Grammar, W. E. Keen; Elk Creek, Kate Stover; Pike, Earnest Schreckengast; Gentzel, W. E. Braucht; Liberty, I. A. Meyer; Mountain, Grace Throssle.

On Sunday evening, at 6 o'clock, Rev. Cooper, of Lewistown, will preach in the United Evangelical church. All are invited to hear the young minister expound the Word.

Mrs. Harriet Dinges is confined to her home suffering from paralysis. Mrs. W. L. Hosterman and two sons, Lester and Stuart, spent a few days of this week at the home of L. L. Weaver at Pine Creek.

On Sunday a bouncing boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Corman.

CAUTION NOTICE. All persons doing business with one, W. G. Bullock, trading as the Unionville Lumber Co., will please take notice that I have no connection with said company nor with said Bullock, and will not be responsible for any debts he may contract. H. T. COMELY, Fleming.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE. Estate of Carrie E. Hering, late of Gregg twp., deceased. Letters of administration in the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to JENNIE M. SPOOK, Adm., Spring Mills.

EXECUTORS NOTICE. Catharine Harper late of Potter township, deceased. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Catharine Harper, late of Potter township, deceased, have been issued to the undersigned. All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the estate will please present them duly authenticated to the undersigned. WM. GROH RUNKLE, Executor, Bellefonte.

EXECUTORS NOTICE. William Knoffsinger late of Spring township, deceased. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Wm. Knoffsinger, late of Spring township, deceased, have been issued to the undersigned. All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the estate will please present them duly authenticated to the undersigned. HENRY H. KNOFFSINGER, WM. GROH RUNKLE, Executors, Bellefonte.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE. Estate of C. Bruce Garman, late of the Borough of Bellefonte, deceased. The undersigned, an Auditor appointed by the Orphan's court of Centre County to pass upon and dispose of the exceptions filed to the first and final account of Charles R. Kurtz, Executor of the last will and testament of the above named decedent, and to make disposition of the funds in the hands of the Executor to and among those legally entitled to receive the same, will meet the parties interested and attend to the duties on Tuesday, August 3rd, 1909, at ten o'clock A. M. at the offices of Blanchard & Blanchard, Temple Court, Bellefonte, Pa., when and where all persons interested are required to present their claims before the said Auditor or be forever debarred from coming in for a share of the said funds. JOHN BLANCHARD, Auditor.

Alteration Sale!

Prices will be Cut, Slashed and Pruned on all SUMMER MERCHANDISE. This sale commences Saturday, July 17, and positively ends Saturday, July 31.

Owing to extensive alterations to our store we will be compelled to reduce our stock, and in order to accomplish this we will offer the following reductions:

- 75 Suits for Men, - One-half Price
75 Suits for Men, - - One-third Off
50 Suits for Young Men, - One-half Price
150 Children's Suits, - One-third Off
200 regular \$1 Shirts at - 75c a piece
100 regular \$1.50 Shirts, \$1.00 a piece
50 regular \$2.00 Shirts, - \$1.25 a piece
All Straw Hats, - One-half Price
Men's Soft Hats and Derbies-
\$3.00 kind for - - - \$2.00
\$2.50 kind for - - - \$1.50
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50c Neckwear for - - - 40c
25c Neckwear for - - - 20c
\$1.00 Underwear for - - - 75c a suit
50c Underwear for - - - 40c a suit
Men's Working Shirts, 50c kind, - 40c
Lot of 50c Fancy Hose, 15c or 2 for 25c
Men's Trousers, - One-third Off

No goods charged during sale.

MONTGOMERY & COMPANY, BELLEFONTE.

Received Government Appointment. Randolph H. Thompson, son of ex-County Treasurer and Mrs. J. R. Thompson, of Salona, has received an appointment in the United States Forestry department and goes to Denver, Col. Mr. Thompson graduated in forestry at the Pennsylvania State college in June, and said to be a very valuable man.

Bellefonte Wins. Yesterday the Bellefonte Base Ball team were to Jersey Shore and defeated their local team by a score of 9 to 5.

Examining Specifications. The plans and specifications for the new addition of the court house can now be seen in the arbitration room. A large number of contractors have been figuring on the job, and there is hardly any question but that work will be commenced on it by August 2. The bids will be open on July 26 at 2 o'clock which will give the successful contractor ample time to get ready to commence digging the foundation on the following Monday. The contract specifies that the building must be completed in four months. That sounds like business, and means that the work will be rushed along rapidly.