

FRANCIS SPEER'S

### Breezy "That" Column

That Mary and her little lamb, Have long since passed away; It's Mary, her sheath, and silk hosed calf.

That is making the hit to-day. That the people of Bellefonte laugh at a man's silly jokes as long as his money talks.

That high winds are like certain people in Bellefonte—they continually blow themselves.

That it is said that there is a certain milkman who comes to Bellefonte who is very fond of pies.

That there are some men in Bellefonte who would rather be wrong than right—if there is money in it.

That it is said there is a back gate on east Bishop street, where a good bit is said on both sides of it.

That some people in Bellefonte give away what they don't want, and then have cheek enough to call it charity.

That the mother in Bellefonte who doesn't know where her 16-year old daughter is at 10 o'clock at night, isn't doing her whole duty.

That holding a dollar within an inch of the nose of a certain man in Bellefonte will make him stone blind to everything that is good.

That when a certain young lady in Bellefonte attempts to make fools of young men, she should stop long enough to inquire from whence she came.

That a man has to go to the dentist to get his tooth pulled, but there are a dozen of places in Bellefonte where he can go and get his leg pulled.

That it would be a great deal better for some girls in Bellefonte if they would show less fear for a mouse and more for the young men they are entertaining.

That an inquisitive young man of the West ward, Bellefonte, asked his father the other night who would bury the last man on earth. Well, it won't be Frank Nagney.

That Eddie Keichline, of Bellefonte, had better not leave town too often, if he doesn't want to find himself in the soup one of these days, especially when the girl he loves is around. This thing of trusting a friend is not all it is cracked up to be.

That the persons in Bellefonte who know the least are the ones who desire to put on style, and say mean, dirty, contemptible things about their betters. If you investigate their family records you can always detect some weakness or red streak they try to hide.

That the other day a young lady in Bellefonte asked Orden Mallin what was the squeeze play. Orden replied that he hadn't time just now to explain as he had to play in the base ball band, but he would call around in the evening and give her a practical demonstration.

That if you have nothing to do you might interview Harry Baum, the gentlemanly clerk in "Sim the Clothier's" store as to what the Coo-Coo clock in Spigley's store says to him every time he goes there. We believe the clock is a falsifier, because Harry doesn't belong to that gang.

That the girls of Bellefonte are promeneading the streets in their new gowns, some of which are ridiculous for their size and shape. The next thing our fair damsels will be wearing tights on the streets which will just suit some of them who are anxious to get an opportunity to show their shape.

That when Herman Holts, one of Bellefonte's progressive merchants, desires to get out of hard labor in the store he says he must take that pretty little grand-daughter out for an airing. It's a little like the fellow who wouldn't go to the circus if his children didn't desire to see the elephant and hippopotamus. Herman is no fool.

That Bellefonte has in it a man who used to be a pretty good Methodist, but since he has gotten in politics he has put his religion in his wife's name, and seldom goes near the sacred sanctuary. Probably he thinks that when the end comes he will pull his accustomed wires and slip into Heaven without the consent of the Almighty. If he does try that game he will find himself up against a tougher proposition than ever he was in his life. How foolish.

That a certain young man in Bellefonte did borrow \$25.00 from a young lady, he had better return it before her big brother finds it out or he might be walking around on crutches the balance of his days.

That Bellefonte has a class of ministers of whom the people should feel proud, but that is saying more than could be said of some of these in the pew. Religion in Bellefonte is just about as active as a pool of stagnant water. If there is any good work to be done, the ministers have to do it. Their members are too busy laying up treasures on earth to give the hereafter a thought. If the church members would talk religion half as much as they do politics the churches would not hold half the converts. The morning after the final resurrection there will be an entirely different feeling along this line, but it will be, to many, like the fellow who locked his stable after the horse had been stolen.

That it is rumored that a number of ladies on Willowbank street, Bellefonte, are getting things in shape to tar and feather two married men who are said to be cutting up some strange "doodles" in that neighborhood. If they bring on a nasty scandal these gentlemen cannot blame anybody but themselves. Both these married men have most excellent wives, and their place is in their homes at a reasonable hour at night. It is also whispered around that the wife of one of these sports is onto the racket, and is quietly making an investigation of the strange things she has been hearing.

This is a pointer which if promptly heeded might save a barrel of trouble and much humiliation to both of these gay deceivers. Remember that the path of the transgressor is hard.

#### OVER THE COUNTY.

The Misses Tacy Kreamer and Katherine Heckman, of Johnstown, are spending a few weeks with friends in Centre Hall.

The Lyons reunion and basket picnic will be held this year on Saturday, September 4. Full arrangements will be announced later.

W. O. Rearick, of Milroy, sold out his grain and coal business to his competitor, and since the first of July has been devoting his time to purchasing grain in car loads.

The U. B. Christian Endeavor society of Centennial will hold a festival on the evening of July 31, at the home of H. B. Waite. Everybody is invited to come and have a good time.

Mrs. Chas. Geary and son Alger and daughter Louis, of Altoona, are spending their vacation at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Rossman's, parents of Tusseyville.

Many of our farmers have already threshed their wheat and marketed the same. The unusually high prices now paid for grain is a temptation for them to sell as quickly as possible.

W. H. Meyer and wife, of Centre Hall, returned from their western trip. They were accompanied by their grandson, Harold Musser. The west had many attractions for them, but after all Centre Hall is the old home.

Mary E. Foster, of State College and Mrs. Blanche Patterson Miller, of Harrisburg, a daughter of W. C. Patterson, of State College, have left for a tour of the Pacific coast. While in the west they will visit the big exposition at Los Angeles.

There will be a grove meeting in Moyer's grove near Colyer, beginning Saturday evening, 31, Sunday all day. Rev. Bradley, of Bellefonte, and Rev. Elliot with number of ministers from Lewisburg, will be present; all are invited to attend.

One of the veteran hunters of the Millheim hunting club reported to its members that judging from the tracks recently seen on Brush mountain, the deer were very plentiful. Several members of the club investigated and found a flock of sheep on the mountain. Did not know the difference between a sheep track and a deer track.

Maud Hugg, of Milesburg, has returned home after a three weeks' visit to her grandparents, E. Hugg and wife, of Philipsburg, where she enjoyed herself very much. She says Philipsburg is up-to-date in every respect and is well supplied with shade trees. Her grandparents gave the Farmers' Hotel a new coat of paint while she was there.

The fourth annual reunion of the Myers and Maurey families will take place on August 12, 1909, at Hecla Park. A cordial invitation is extended to all the friends and relatives of said families. A good time is expected. Arthur Reigel, president, Salona, Pa.; A. R. Zimmerman, secretary, Mingoville, Pa.; Shuman Simmerman, treasurer, Mingoville, Pa.

Harry B. Spangler, of Chicago, arrived in Centre Hall a few days ago, and joined his wife and children who are dividing the vacation season between Centre Hall and Potters Mills. Mr. Spangler is one of three sons of W. W. Spangler, who are located in Chicago, and is employed with the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad in its Chicago offices.

After a severe attack of scarlet fever, Miss Ruth Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Smith, of Potters Mills, is convalescing. She went to Johnstown the beginning of this month with an uncle, M. L. Smith, and it was at his home she took sick. Her mother went to her bedside and a letter from her to the family states that the young girl is able to be up and around.

The first annual reunion of the Reformed churches of the Aaronsburg charge will be held in Dr. G. S. Frank's grove, west of Millheim, on Thursday, August 5th. The Coburn, Aaronsburg and Penn Hall bands are invited to be present. Prominent speakers will make addresses in the forenoon. Refreshments will be served on the grounds. Everybody is invited to be present.

William B. Snyder is now at Blanchard spending the summer with his parents, William H. Snyder and wife. He graduated from State College in the class of '07 and the past two years has held a professorship in the University of North Dakota. This is his first visit home since going west, as last summer he spent his vacation in a trip along the Pacific coast from California to the Behring straits.

It is unfortunate enough to lose a single cow, but when they go in pairs as they did for John Runkle, tenant of the Dr. C. Stuart Runkle farm, east of Old Fort, it makes a farmer wish they could be replaced for less than \$50 each. Mr. Runkle's cows both died from bloating, while being herded by Mr. Runkle's son, Wallace, in a newly mown field. Farmer D. K. Keller also lost a valuable cow a few days ago.

The other day a valuable horse belonging to Calvin Holt, was killed at Julian. The team frightened and ran directly in front of a freight train. The young horse was valued at \$250. The other escaping with slight injury. Within the past two weeks, Orlando Williams of near Julian, also lost a valuable horse. While coming down a steep hill the horse stumbled, the lock on the heavily loaded wagon broke and the animal was fatally injured. James Nason has also lost three horses by death the past few months.

Clarence E. Husv, son of August Husv, former of Millheim, was a victim of the mine explosion at Wetherum, the latter part of June. After being taken from the mine in an unconscious condition he was taken to the Spangler hospital where he regained consciousness, but at no time was there much hope for his recovery. He died at the hospital on Friday, 2nd instant, and was buried at Belasano. He leaves to survive him a widow and two children, Merrill and Emma; also a father, two brothers and three sisters, all residents of Cambria county.

On Wednesday of last week James J. Gramely, of Madisonburg, took to market at Millheim 80 bushels of wheat by measure that gave 5 bushels and 45 pounds over weight. He also from 1 1/2 acres harvested 32 bushels of wheat.

Some time during Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning, of last week, the barn on Stans McFarland's farm, near Grazierville, was burned to the ground. The contents and barn were valued at \$500. Mr. McFarland carried no insurance.

The Philipsburg Journal says that Mrs. H. R. Ruger and little son, of Bellefonte, arrived in town Thursday evening. Mr. Ruger who recently purchased the Star theatre, has rented the George Bortol property, which the family will occupy in a few days.

William Baird who purchased the old Boal farm, near the Old Fort, has repaired and fixed it up so that to-day it is one of the finest farms in Pennsylvania. Mr. Baird takes pride in having everything nice and convenient around him. He raises good crops which naturally raises his bank account.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Reformed church at Howard, met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Batschelet near Beech Creek, last Thursday for a quilting. The party was chaperoned by Mr. Jacob Robb and Mr. Charles Yearick. These worthy gentlemen fulfilled their office to the entire satisfaction of the ladies. After the quilt was finished and about 6 lbs. of carpet rags were sewed, the party went over the farm for a good time, some were seen on cherry trees, the others gave some valuable aid loading hay. After partaking of a bounteous supper the merry party reluctantly parted with the hope of returning again for a similar occasion.

**Real Estate Transfers.**  
W. E. Hurley, sheriff, to C. C. Shuey, May 22, 1909, tract of land in Benner twp.; \$550.

Citizens' B. & L. Association, Osceola Mills, to S. B. Siline, July 9, 1909, tract of land in Rush twp.

Rosetta Ambrose et al, to Steve Kolb, May 24, 1909, tract of land in Rush twp.; \$650.

Clarissa Kunes et al, to William Gummo, July 12, 1909, tract of land in Liberty twp.; \$5,000.

Wm. G. Runkle to J. Fred Herman, Aug. 12, 1908, house and lot in Spring twp.; \$1,200.

Belle J. Hoover to Alfred Walters, April 4, 1909, tract of land in Millheim; \$1,050.

A. Walter et ux, to Abraham Kessler, July 14, 1909, lot in Millheim Boro, \$1,200.

John L. Holmes et al, to David Tressler, March 20, 1909, lot in Ferguson twp.; \$250.

C. A. McLaughlin to Mrs. Beattie S. Smith, July 15, 1909, tract of land in Boggs twp.; \$75.

Frank Weber, exc., to Kate Nelson, June 13, 1909, tract of land in Philipsburg; \$1,000.

Sarah Miller et al, to Wm. G. Runkle, Aug. 12, 1909, house and lot in Spring twp.; \$1,200.

C. T. Fryberger et ux, to Thos. L. Waible, March 1, 1909, tract of land in Rush twp.; \$600.

W. F. Bradford et al, to Chas. Frazier, July 7, 1909, tract of land in Potter twp.; \$300.

David R. Tressler et ux, to George H. Resides, August 14, 1908, lot in State College; \$450.

John I. Robison et ux, to Park R. Homan, July 2, 1909, lot in State College; \$500.

J. Lynn Woomeer et ux, to Harry N. Musser, July 12, 1909, tract of land in Ferguson twp.; \$2,000.

C. Clay Rogers et al, to Wm. Showers, July 1, 1909, tract of land in Walker twp.; \$6,000.

Joseph C. Goodall et al, to Wilson G. Frantz, Sept. 22, 1904, tract of land in Taylor twp.; \$200.

J. Coburn Rodgers et ux, to Jane E. Coburn, Feb. 27, 1909, tract of land in Haines twp.; \$1,000.

Nancy J. Tallhelm et al, to Walter G. Tallhelm, July 19, 1909, lot in Julian, Pa.; \$200.

Tyrone Mining & Mfg. Co. to Herman C. Harnes, July 2, 1909, tract of land in Halfmoon twp.; \$68.

W. C. Lingle et ux, to A. G. Morris, July 19, 1909, lot in Bellefonte Boro, \$10,000.

Walter C. Stephens, admr. to Frank Aron, Sept. 22, 1908, lot in Philipsburg; \$324.58.

William E. Hurley, sheriff, to William Tressler, exc., May 5, 1909, lots in Bellefonte Boro; \$60.

Elmer W. Evey et ux, to L. Frank Mayes, July 14, 1909, lot in College twp.; \$1,325.

William L. Foster et al, to Mary A. Foster, July, 1909, lot in State College; \$533.

O. H. Bathgate to Wonna W. Evey, March 8, 1909, tract of land in State College; \$500.

T. B. Buddinger et ux, to Barbara Zivak, July 22, 1909, tract of land in Snow Shoe twp.; \$375.

Mary Rapp to Luigi Carpenito, July 1, 1909, house and lot in Bellefonte; \$3,000.

William L. Foster et al, to Margaret B. McDonald, July 17, 1909, lot in State College; \$400.

#### Democratic State Convention.

As required by the rules governing the Democratic party of the State, and in compliance with the action of the Democratic State Executive Committee at its meeting in Harrisburg the Democratic State Convention will meet in the Majestic Theatre at Harrisburg, Wednesday, Aug. 4th, 1909, at 11 o'clock a. m.

The business to be transacted will be the nomination of one candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court; one candidate for State Treasurer; one candidate for Auditor General, and to act upon such other matters pertaining to the interests and success of the party in Pennsylvania as may be brought before it.

#### Sues Landlord

Landlord John Fredericks, proprietor of the Antes Gap hotel at Jersey Shore, is being sued for damages by Mrs. Henry Bower. The woman's husband received drink at the hotel after the place had been warned to sell him no more, and while in an intoxicated condition he tried to drive a wagon with the result that his head caught between the standard and wheel and met a horrible death.

#### Apples and Peaches Ruined.

Not more than a fourth of a crop of peaches and one-third of a crop of apples will be gathered this year in Pennsylvania, according to information received at the state department of agriculture.

"This will be due mostly to the codling moth," said Professor Surface. "The inspectors of the department say that nearly ninety-five per cent of the apples of the state have been stung or are wormy. The drought is responsible for some of the shortage to the apple crop."

The fellow who can't make a noise in any other way can shoot off his mouth.

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#### Snow Storms in July.

A brisk snow storm passed over Morristown Mines Tuesday evening about 9 o'clock, which was observed by all the people who happened to be out of doors at that hour. It was a dandy snow squall and everybody knows in these parts it was cold enough for icicles.

To nurse a grievance requires no preliminary course in a training school or hospital.

Next to knowing what to do in an emergency the best thing is to know what not to do.

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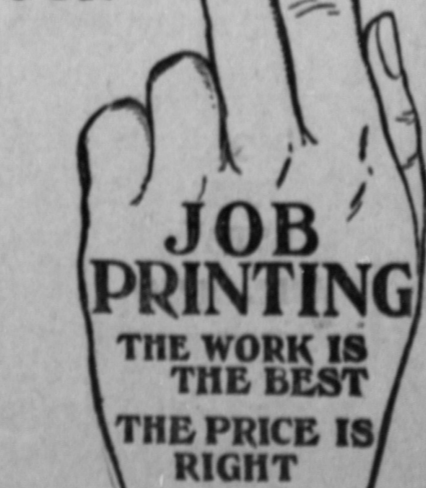
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- 50 Suits for Young Men, One-half Price
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- 50 regular \$2.00 Shirts, - \$1.25 a piece
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- \$2.50 kind for - - - \$1.50
- \$2.00 kind for - - - \$1.00
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