

FRANCIS SPEER'S Breezy "That" Column

That it seems a pity that so many of the young ladies in Bellefonte run to waist.

That Bellefonte has in it physicians who are ready to slash any old thing except their bill.

That some men in Bellefonte would enjoy society more if the women didn't work them so hard.

That when you see a man in Bellefonte wearing a long face it may be because he is short.

That Bellefonte has a woman who is a high roller. She would be a second Mrs. Harry Thaw if she would get in to the same rut.

That Bert Robb, clerk in the Bellefonte Trust Company, says that a run on a tan bark track is more healthful than a run on a bank.

That the way a certain woman in Bellefonte gets pin money is by going through her husband's pockets in the dead of night, while he is asleep.

That there is hardly any use in advocating a trolley for Bellefonte when we have so many people in it who have trolleys in their heads.

That the sensible man in Bellefonte takes things as they come. If it rains he doesn't storm and try to prevent it, but gets out of the way and lets it pour.

That it was a mean trick when that drummer beat a certain Bellefonte young man at his own game. That ten dollars would have come in pretty handy.

That Billy Garman says that Cook could have easily demonstrated that he had been at the North Pole if he had thought enough to have brought with him a splinter.

That the head of the man who forgets to get his hair cut at the proper time looks like an old-fashioned hay loft. No, this isn't an advertisement for Frank Sasserman, the barber.

That it is said that the other day a dairyman that comes to Bellefonte was asked whether his milk was pure. "It ought to be" said the milkman. "I just put a new filter on my pump."

That there is a young lady on Bishop street, Bellefonte, who recently purchased a new umbrella and now she is afraid to take it out on a rainy day because she is afraid of getting it wet.

That the fellow in Bellefonte who has gotten his riches by unfair means and there are a number of them, will only get six feet on earth like the rest of us, and then they will have to face the fireworks.

That if every man in Bellefonte got what he deserved the County Commissioners would be compelled to enlarge the jail instead of the court house. Wouldn't "Billy" Hurley have a snap?

That it is easy to tell a married woman from a single girl when you see them in Workman's store in Bellefonte. The girls go for the silk and ribbons while the married woman strikes for the bargain counter.

That there is a young lady in Bellefonte who walks the streets with an admiring head of hair. Everybody seems to think it is real cute. Some day just ask her to take it off and tell you from what hair dresser she purchased it.

That Bellefonte has a young man who says the higher duty on hosiery is all right. If girl's stockings were any higher it would be impossible for the fair damsels to wear them. We are surprised that this young sport doesn't know that much.

That Bellefonte has in it a young man who swore like the dickens the other day after he had his bank book balanced and found out what it had recently cost him for wedding presents. He says he doesn't see where it is more blessed to give than to receive.

That the constant nagging of a discontented wife in Bellefonte has hardened her husband's soft heart so that he doesn't care whether school keeps or not. If this woman is in love with some other young dude in the town she had just better elope and that will settle it.

That it is said that a certain recent married couple in Bellefonte bought only one bed and two chairs when they went to house keeping, but that didn't save them—kin folks came just the same. One cousin brought a cot with him and sat on a soap box during meals.

That Bellefonte has in it a young woman who ought to be tarred and feathered and made leave the town. She has relatives here who are held in high esteem by our people, but the shameful actions of this ruffian of a woman is fast bringing their gray hairs to the grave.

That the man in Bellefonte who knows that a mistake has been made in his favor and does nothing to rectify it is a crook of the deepest dye. An honest man has to be mighty careful in dealing with a man who is without honor. No wonder some men are not to be trusted further than you can throw a bull by the tail.

That it is said that the other day "Bob" Hunter, one of Bellefonte's insurance agents, asked an applicant for a policy whether he ever had appendicitis. "Well," answered the skeptic, "I was operated on once for appendicitis, but I never felt sure whether it was a case of appendicitis or a case of professional curiosity."

That it is said that the residents of Bush's Addition are having considerable amusement watching a married man in Bellefonte meet a girl at night, under the old walnut tree, near the Blair property. They have been making this a practice for some time. When they meet they kiss and then take a walk to a more secluded spot. When this gentleman goes home he makes good with his wife by telling her he has been at lodge. It is said that some day his wife will be put next and then he will have to square accounts.

OVER THE COUNTY.

John Close, of Oak Hall, purchased the J. M. Wieland property, in Boalsburg, for \$1650.

Richard and William Lantz have returned to their home in Spring Mills, after a three weeks' visit with their grandparents in Tyrone.

W. L. Hosterman, of Coburn, attended a horse sale at Freeburg recently and purchased a team of gray draft horses and a single family horse.

Mrs. G. W. Hosterman, of Centre Hall, who had been seriously ill, is much improved. Her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Shaw, was called home on account of her sickness.

John K. Hosterman, of Wolf's Store, is suffering from a rupture and is confined to bed. He is past eighty-two years of age, and is the father of Dr. G. W. Hosterman, of Centre Hall.

While the stork was busy in other sections, it has not forgotten Centre Hall, and the other day paid a visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Emerick and left a boy with them.

Mrs. Esther Bottorf, who has been undergoing treatment in the Lock Haven hospital, has recovered to that extent that she discharged was and has returned to her home at State College.

W. C. Meyer and son Marian, of State College, and George E. and Miss Beulah Fortney, of Boalsburg, composed a party who made an automobile trip to Altoona. They enjoyed the trip very much.

It is thirty-six years since the first Grangers' picnic was held in Centre county. It was a one day affair then, and was held in Leech's woods, near Linden Hall, known at that time as the campmeeting grounds.

Mrs. Rebecca Cummings, of Centre Hall, and sister, Mrs. Sarah Strohecker, of Rebersburg, have returned from a visit to the former's daughter, Mrs. B. F. McClees, in Chicago. The ladies also visited Mr. and Mrs. John Stump, at Edwood, Ill.

The house of Mrs. Mary Reardon, near Blanchard, was totally destroyed by fire the other night, with all its contents. Mrs. Reardon was playing the organ when the lamp exploded, causing the fire. The house and contents were practically insured.

Gordon Harper recently bought the J. A. B. Miller farm at White Hall, better known as the Keichle farm. Mr. Harper expects to till the broad acres after next April. At present he is tenant farmer on the Reed farm just east of Pine Grove Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Shirk, of Springfield, Missouri, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Brisbin, at Centre Hall. Mr. Shirk is the son of the late Reuben Shirk, and is a railroad man, being a passenger conductor on the Frisco system. They will be in the east for a couple of weeks.

These state of the late Daniel Grove, of Zion, has been amicably divided among the heirs. Frank C. Grove purchased the farm at Zion for \$5,700; John W., secured one of the farms in Benner township for \$6,300, and Michael the other Benner township farm for \$3,800. Each of the sons also secured ten acres of timber land additional.

Miss Helen F. Williams, of Beech Creek, has been elected to teach the Intermediate grade of Centre Hall, borough schools. Miss Williams is a graduate of the Central State Normal, at Lock Haven, and has had four years experience as a teacher. She and a brother had arranged to go to Cuba, but later after the schools in her home county had been let their plans were changed.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Barger are visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Stump, of near Centre Hall. Mr. Barger for several years was station agent at Martha Furnace, on the Bald Eagle railroad, but several weeks ago resigned his position. Since then he made a trip through Northern Illinois. He expects to remain there for several weeks, and then accept one of several positions he has in view.

We were pleased to have a call from Abs. M. Vore, of Bucyrus, Ohio, formerly of Penn and Haines townships. His father, Jesse Vore, left here fifty years ago, settled near Bucyrus, and engaged in farming, and died some years ago. His son, above named, also was a farmer and retired making his home in Bucyrus. This visit makes it sixteen years since Abs. visited his native valley. He informs us that all the Vores yet living are well and prosperous. He will spend two weeks visiting here.

J. L. Hartscock, farmer near Stormstown, was a caller. He says while waters are low up there, there is no famine yet. During last year's drouth the water were much lower. Mr. Hartscock further informed us that a dwelling which he built some time ago, was erected upon the ground without a cellar, and last year, fearing that drouths might set in any season, he concluded to dig for water under the house where the cellar should be and was fortunate in striking water at a depth of about two feet, which proved to be a spring that up to the present time keeps up a strong flow.

Big Comet Coming. "If you live until next spring you are going to witness one of the most magnificent sights the heavens have ever disclosed before your eyes," says a well known member of the astronomical force at the United States Naval Observatory. This comet comes only once in a lifetime, and many persons are born, live and die without ever catching a glimpse of its marvelous dash of fire across the skies. It was last seen in 1855, and few persons now alive can say they ever witnessed it.

The astronomical world is now on the watch, and huge refracting and reflecting telescopes are trained upon the heavens from many points on the earth in a common effort to locate the comet, which is approaching the earth at a terrific speed. There is a friendly rivalry to see which will be the first to pick up the comet with their mirrors. The comet in its full refulgence is not due until some time in 1910.

TWO MARRIED PEOPLE ELOPE.

Spruce Creek Residents are up in Arms Over the Affair.

Residents of Spruce Creek valley are very much worked up over the disappearance of two well known people—a married man and a married woman—because of the belief that the two went away together.

The man in the case is Stewart Harpster, who for several years past has been rural mail carrier from Spruce Creek to Pennsylvania Furnace, with his residence at the latter place. The woman is Mrs. Frank Thomas, of Baileyville. Mrs. Thomas left her home, husband and four children on Tuesday of last week on the pretense of going to Tyrone. Harpster left on Wednesday without giving any objective point. On Friday Mrs. Harpster received a letter from her husband in which he stated that he did not expect to return home, and inquiry developed the fact that before leaving he had sold what personal property he could dispose of without suspicion, as well as his mail route to Earl Poust. The postmark on the letter received by Mrs. Harpster was "Pbg. & N. Y. Railway Postoffice," which means anywhere on the main line between Pittsburgh and New York.

The belief of the people who knew them is that Harpster and Mrs. Thomas met by pre-arrangement in Tyrone and left for the west. Harpster, who left a wife and seven children, is believed to have become infatuated with the woman on his various trips to her home delivering mail and to have induced her to run away with him. So far neither the deserted husband on one side, the deserted wife on the other nor the authorities have made any effort to locate the missing man and woman or apprehend them if found together.

MATRIMONY. Question. What is marriage? Answer. Marriage is an institution for the blind. Q. Why do some people never marry? A. Because they do not believe in divorce. Q. When a man thinks seriously of marriage, what happens? A. He remains single. Q. Should a man marry for money? A. No. But he should not let her be an old maid simply because she is rich. Q. When a girl refers to "a sad courtship," what does she mean? A. She means the man got away. Q. Is an engagement as good as marriage? A. It is better. Q. In selecting a husband, why does a girl prefer a fat man? A. Because a fat man finds it hard to stoop to anything low. Q. When asking papa, how should a young man act? A. He should face papa manfully and never give him a chance at his back. Q. When the minister says, "Do you take this woman for better or worse," what does he mean? A. The bridegroom's people construe it one way, and the bride's family interpret it in another way. It is very sad. Q. When a man says he can manage his wife, what does he mean? A. He means he can make her do anything she wants to. Q. When a child is smart and good, to whose family is it due? A. To its mother's. Q. When a child is bad and stupid, to whose family is it due? A. We refuse to answer. Q. Is it possible for a married man to be a fool without knowing it? A. Not if his wife is alive.

State Sunday School Workers to Meet. Unless all signs fail the coming state convention of the State Sabbath School association to be held in Harrisburg, October 13, 14 and 15, will far exceed in numbers, interest and enthusiasm all former meetings of the association. The program prepared for the state convention is a strong one and contains the names of Governor Edwin S. Stuart, Bishop James Henry Darlington, Hon. John Wanamaker, H. J. Heinz, W. C. Pearce, Chicago; Rev. David James Burrell, D. D., New York; Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner, Chicago; Dr. Joseph Clark (Timothy Standby), Columbus; Mrs. Zilla Foster Stevens, Alton, Ill.; E. C. Foster, Detroit; Mrs. Mand Junkin Baldwin, Indianapolis; Dave Porter, New York; Prof. E. O. Excell, Chicago; Rev. Floyd Tompkins, Philadelphia, and others.

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William T. Lingle to John D. Wagner, July 9, 1909, tract of land in Gregg township. \$50.

Mary R. Ishler, et al to Frances Laura Houtz, July 29, 1909, tract of land in State College. \$300.

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