

FRANCIS SPEER'S Breezy "That" Column

That trying to live up to his reputation has kept many a man poor in Bellefonte.

That the men in Bellefonte who do not believe in a personal hell are all usually single.

That a promising young man in Bellefonte may be right but a paying one is much better.

That the man in Bellefonte who goes to bed early shortens the hours in which he found fault with.

That many a poor fellow in Bellefonte runs into debt and is now trying hard to crawl out of it.

That you can pretty nearly tell what a Bellefonte girl thinks of her ankles when she crosses the street on a rainy day.

That they say there is a Bellefonte automobile seen very frequently, late at night, within a short distance of Milesburg. It comes from a direction that sort of gives the thing away.

That it is said that a young milliner in Bellefonte is busy, designing a special hat that can be worn when ladies go to the scenic, church or the theatre. Anything to escape taking 'em off.

That if the baby in the home of Jesse Derstine is the boss of the establishment and its mother is the superintendent, pray what position does Jesse hold? He must be the floor walker.

That the other day a little boy in Bellefonte asked his father what was meant by the rule of three. His answer was, "When your father, your mother and grandmother tried to run the house together."

That when a young man in Bellefonte whose father is pretty well healed, tells a lie, it is generally called enthusiasm. If a poor boy would make the same utterances, he would be called a liar. That's the difference.

That the man or the woman in Bellefonte who does not go to church for the reason that it is too hot, is taking the right course. They want to take it cool in this world, because they may get in a hotter climate in the next world.

That in the North ward of Bellefonte a gentleman and his wife were overheard quarrelling. The trouble was over a new hat which the wife had bought. She said it didn't become her and the husband agreed with her—thus the spat.

That a young society girl of Bellefonte spent a couple of days visiting a friend in the country. The first thing she wanted was to see the goat milked. When told there was no goat on the farm, she wanted to know where they got the buttermilk.

That if a certain married woman in Bellefonte can't resist the temptation of gossiping, let her face the mirror on her dresser and tell it to herself. It is said she is of an imaginative nature and anything she tells can be discounted seventy-five per cent.

That if the citizens of Bellefonte keep on kicking about the State road through the town, it will be completed about the time that John Blanchard's boy is elected to council from the North ward. The best plan is to stop kicking and let the good work proceed.

That here is a stanza of poetry which ought to be of interest to Archie Allison, Joe Runkle and Albert Schad, of Bellefonte.

A plumber died not long ago— His grave's in yonder spot— I wonder if he'll come back soon For something he forgot.

That the attitude of a certain woman in Bellefonte who frequently passes a certain hotel in town reminds some traveling men of the sights seen in the tenderloin districts in our large cities. Such brazen effrontery and disregard of public morals is on the par with some of the bowery outcasts.

That it is said the other day a mother in Bellefonte took her little son to Mallory's studio. Little Johnny was placed upon a camera and the mama said: "Keep still and sit down and have your picture taken; nothing will hurt you." "Boo-hoo; that's what you said when you took me to the office of Kilpatrick, the dentist."

That there is a certain house in Bellefonte which is being carefully watched by the authorities. If what is said is true, Sheriff Hurley may some day have the "whole dam family" as boarders. The parties may be blamed wrongly but time will tell. It is said that there are many men callers at this home and they throw suspicion on the surroundings.

That it is said a certain minister over in Pennsylvania was waxing eloquent in a funeral sermon the other day and in dilating on the wonderful beauties in Heaven threw up his hands and with wonderful emphasis said: "There will be no dying there; there will be no sickness there; there will be no doctors there." Probably he was thinking of the bill the doctor sent him.

That the married man in Bellefonte who travels under the mantle of darkness had a big time explaining the other night why he accidentally got in the wrong house. To have prevented such a dire disaster he should have taken the number of the house, and if it had been too dark he should have struck a match to make sure he was right and then he could have gone ahead. It will take some "bush" money to keep the thing from leaking out.

That some young men in Bellefonte have an idea that they can win the affections of a young lady by calling on her in the evening and remaining until a late hour in the night. No respectable girl will permit him to stay until an unreasonable hour, and when the young man waits until the fair damsel begins to throw her whole soul into a yawn, that she can't cover with her both hands, then he is losing his grip. The next time he calls it may be a freeze.

That the other day a certain man in Bellefonte made his brags that he was so honest that he never took a dollar that didn't belong to him. In eternity there may be a host of men appear before the judgment seat who will probably be branded as a liar and sent into a place where he will suffer the penalties that are attached to the man who always hides behind some technicality of the law to shield him from being punished in this life for the crimes prompted by his avarice and greed. God pity the man who will go into eternity trying to make himself believe that he has lived right and at the same time knows that his life has been crooked, and some of the money he leaves behind he belongs to someone whom he skinned and baffled.

OVER THE COUNTY.

The members of the U. Ev. church, of Spring Mills, will hold a festival on the church lawn, July 30. All are invited.

The members of the Lemont Cornet band will hold a big festival in that village on Saturday evening, July 23 and ask the support of the public.

A festival will be held by the ladies of the Lutheran church, at State College, on the west campus, this Thursday afternoon, at 5:30. Frozen custard, orange sherbet, ice cream, cakes and candies will be on sale.

O. C. Peters, formerly of Bellefonte, but now located in Lancaster, has the past few days been a business visitor in Bellefonte and Centre county in his capacity of general agent for the International Harvester company.

The ladies of State College Reformed congregation have decided to hold a festival on the campus, west of the Mining building, on Saturday evening, July 23. The proceeds are to be used for a worthy cause.

William Close, the Oak Hall postmaster, is the champion grower of alfalfa. He has already three cut crops from the field and expects to make it four. This is indeed, an excellent record for Centre county.

Watson Strube, of near Rock, while helping E. F. Hunsinger haul in hay on Tuesday of last week, was thrown from the wagon to the floor and badly bruised, and has not been able to do any work since. Hope he will recover soon.

The Rev. Mr. Stover preached a trial sermon at Pine Grove Mills the other Sunday, and left a very favorable impression. He is a candidate for the Rev. A. A. Black's place at Boalsburg, Houserville, Pine Hall and Pine Grove Mills.

The town council of Lock Haven having purchased the oil, some half dozen of the streets of that city have been oiled and the results having been satisfactory for laying the dust, the council will order more oil for other streets.

Texas has increased so rapidly in population since the last census, in 1900, as to make a gain of five members in its congressional delegation. Texas is large enough in territory to make four States of the area of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Lizzie Graham, after an enjoyable visit during the past five months at the home of her sister, Mrs. Philip Wertz, and with other relatives and friends at and near Houserville, has returned to her home in Zimmerman, Minn.

A few days ago a son of John Meyers, of Pleasant Gap, received a severe cut and escaped by a narrow margin serious injury or instant death by being thrown from a hay rake while at work. While the injury is serious he is now getting along nicely.

Misses Gerlie and Harriet Burt, of West Philadelphia, are guests at the home of Dr. W. H. Schuyler, in Centre Hall. The former is a graduate and teacher in a school of design, and the latter is a graduate of an industrial school at Camden, New Jersey, is also a guest at the same place.

The latest news from Deputy Sheriff James B. Strohm, who is being treated at Phillipsburg, New Jersey, is that he is improving, and his friends are very hopeful that he will recover his former good health. Mr. Strohm and his daughter, Miss Marjorie, are also in New Jersey, at the home of Mrs. A. E. Person, the elder daughter of the Strohm.

Mrs. Myra Kerr, of Omaha, Neb., is in Centre Hall among friends and will remain until fall. She came to Chicago some weeks ago, and after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Williams, wife of Rev. Elmer Williams, came east, the latter accompanied by her children. Mrs. Williams stopped at Fleming, the old home of her husband, and is now in Centre Hall, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Bradford and others.

Frank F. Palmer, of Potter Mills, had an accident a short while ago that proved very painful, and obliged him to use crutches for some time. He was assisting Robert M. Smith, of Centre Hill, in skidding logs in the Seven Mountains, when one of the skids broke, striking Mr. Palmer on the calf of the leg. Several ligaments were torn, and such an injury is always difficult to repair.

The Baptist church of Phillipsburg has the honor of entertaining the meeting of the Centre Association of Baptist churches this year, says the Ledger. The meeting takes place in October, and Baptist churches from Lewistown on the east and Johnstown on the west, Everett on the south and Eagleville on the north, twenty-seven churches in all, will be represented in all the branches of the work.

A gash several inches long was cut into the thigh of Ruth Ruble, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ruble, of Centre Hall, in a fall from one limb to another while picking cherries. The girl, who is about fourteen years old, was standing on a dead limb, and when it broke under her weight, she tumbled and fell. She fell astride a limb, from which she climbed to the ground. It required several stitches to sew up the wound, which at once began to heal, and no serious consequences are anticipated.

Miss Edith Klinger, a daughter of John Klinger, tenant on the Newton Hess farm near Shingletown, was bitten by a dog several weeks ago, on her chin and arm. It is reported that the dog belonged to Dr. Hayes and was with a man who is working for the doctor, and who is an acquaintance of the Klinger family. The dog followed him and the girl was careless, she climbed to the ground. It required several stitches to sew up the wound, which at once began to heal, and no serious consequences are anticipated.

Compare the combined purchasing power of three thousand merchants with that of a single merchant. This illustrates the advantage enjoyed by a druggist operating a National Cigar Stand over the ordinary method of buying and selling cigars. Three thousand of the biggest druggists in the United States have banded together in an aggressive cigar campaign. The organization is represented in Bellefonte by Green's Pharmacy Co. Compare the smoking quality of Official Seal, sold on Saturday and Sunday at 5c. straight, with brands offered by other dealers at corresponding price. The experiment will pay you well.

G. W. Houser, of near Bellefonte, took his little son, Raymond, to the university hospital at Philadelphia, for an operation about a month ago, and it has proven entirely successful for deformed feet. They expect him home in about two weeks, and complete recovery is assured.

C. A. Williams, the merchant, of Blanchard, does not claim to be a farmer, but does a little on the side and thinks he had a banner yield of mixed clover and timothy hay which is hard to beat. Off of five acres he hauled fourteen big two-horse loads. He admits he fertilized with Quinipeck phosphate.

Rev. Daniel Gress and family, of Centre Hall, have planned to take their vacation at this time, and they went to Westmoreland county on Thursday. Rev. Gress and family will go from there to the Chautauqua, at Chautauqua Lake, New York, and will be gone until about the middle of August.

Ellery Masden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Masden, of Liberty township, was kicked by one of the team horses of the farm Thursday evening. He was taking the harness off of a black horse when the animal, always gentle heretofore, suddenly kicked at him and struck him on the leg above the ankle. No bones were broken, but the injury is exceedingly painful.

Woman Pays a Debt. Mrs. Carrie L. Searles, 76-years old, has canceled a \$5 debt she incurred at a store in Mansfield, Ohio, 46 years ago. Here is the story, as she told it in the letter she sent with the money: "Forty-six years ago I bought \$5 worth of goods in Mansfield. I was a poor widow with one child. Fortune has always given me plenty of friends, but a poor purse. After a few years I could have sent the \$5 with sacrifice, but I was ashamed to send it without interest."

Then my son died, leaving me with three little orphans to rear and educate. Now this is accomplished and I am 76 years old, with only a small income. I despair of ever being able to pay both principal and interest. But I do not wish to die indebted."

Don't Worry About the Editor. An Exchange says that the people shouldn't worry about the editor. He has a charter from the State to act as a door mat for the community. He'll dress Gingham, 25 pieces, 7c, 8c, and 10c. Hill Bleached Muslin, 8 1/2c. Best Table Linen yet shown, 20c, 25c and 30c. India Linens, Striped Lawns, 6c, 8c, 10c and 12c. Children's Dresses, Chambray, 25c, 48c and 60c. Ladies' White H. S. Shirts, 35c, 48c, 65c and 80c. Ladies' Gowns, 48c, 60c, and \$1.00. Ladies' Drawers and Corset Covers. Ladies' White and Ecru Waists, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Big bargains in Ladies' and children's Hosiery. Men's Sox, 3 pairs for 25c. Biggest bargains we have had this season. Ribbons, the best in the market, wide, 10c, 15c and 18c. Shoes—must look and you will be convinced as every customer tells us. They are not only cheap but good. Look at our Grocery Department. Bright, yellow sugar, 5c; soft A, 5 1/2c; granulated, 5 3/4c.

Heats Toll of Deaths. With summer less than a month old, heat coming in three waves, up to last Friday night 15, had claimed one hundred and fourteen by death in this city, says the North American sixty of whom were babies. Even the occasional breaks in the heat, caused by storms or cool breezes, could not always check the toll death, many becoming so exhausted that they were stricken beyond help before relief came.

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KEPT ON PRAYING.

The Washington Times says that: After a rather lengthy prayer by the chaplain of the house of representatives a veteran member said: "The chaplain's prayer reminded me of the most amusing incident I ever saw during my entire service in the house of representatives. The incident occurred many years ago, so I have forgotten the names of the actors."

One day the journal clerk rushed into the house while the chaplain was praying. He looked through the drawers of his desk in a hasty manner and then, hustled to the side of the chaplain.

"Keep on praying," he urged earnestly. "We can't find the journal."

"Mr. Chaplain was so startled that he faltered in his prayer, but after a moment he seemed to grasp the situation. He bowed his head still lower and continued to pray. The usual time devoted to prayer in the house is about a minute. Members began to shift uneasily on their feet, to look at their watches, and, instead of bowing their heads in reverence, they looked at the speaker pleadingly. The speaker evidently had been informed of the difficulty, and realizing that the business of the house could not proceed without the journal, he was willing the members should get plenty of prayer. After ten minutes' solid praying the preacher showed signs of getting nervous. He knew the members were getting restive, and he looked down to one of the clerks.

"Don't stop," pleaded the clerk. "We haven't found it yet."

"The preacher did not stop until he had been praying fifteen minutes, at the end of which time the journal clerk rushed into the house bearing the precious book under his arm.

"Amen," said the chaplain, with a sigh of relief, and the speaker promptly ordered the clerk to read the journal of the preceding day's business."

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