

Thursday, February 9th, 1911.

BELLEFONTE AND VICINITY

THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS

—Rev. J. Allison Platt, of Pittsburg, greeted friends in town on Tuesday.
—G. W. Rumberger, of Unionville, was a visitor in Bellefonte on Monday.
—Martin's big Uncle Tom's Cabin at the opera house next Wednesday evening, February 15th.
—The borough lockup was well patronized on Saturday night, which gave the police some exercise.
—George Eckley departed on Tuesday for Reno with the view of looking up a business place in that town.
—Grand free street parade next Wednesday with Martin's Uncle Tom's Cabin. See little Eva and her golden chariot.
—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Williams journeyed to Altoona on Sunday, where they spent several days visiting friends.
—Mr. and Mrs. Allen S. Garman, of Tyrone spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Garman and Mrs. Rebekah Cruise in this place.
—Bert Painter, who had been absent from Bellefonte for some time, returned recently, and this week moved his family to Howard.
—Uncle Tom's Cabin, a play that never grows old, at the opera house next Wednesday evening, February 15. Prices 25 and 75 cents.
—Delige, the colored man, continues to be the sole inmate of the county jail, and has been for many weeks—a thing that is quite unusual.
—W. Harrison Walker, Esq., received his commission this week as a notary public with the signature of the now governor attached.
—David Barlet, Jr., is again at his desk in the office of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. freight station, after a week's tussle with grip and neuralgia.
—District Attorney W. G. Runkle has been off duty the past few days owing to some trouble with his eyes and he has been consulting a specialist in consequence.
—In answer to many inquiries as to whether the Governor had set a day for the execution of Delige, we would say that no day has been set as yet, but that it may be soon.
—Miss Arista Griffiths, of Philadelphia, arrived in Bellefonte on Saturday morning for a brief visit to her sister, Mrs. Robert Baney and her grandmother, Elizabeth Martin.
—Clark Gramley, of Rebersburg, was in town this week looking after the interests of the Reo auto in this section for which he has the agency. It is a machine with a good reputation.
—The members of the League of the Bellefonte Lutheran church will hold a Valentine social on Tuesday evening, February 14th, at the home of Robert Woodring on Howard street. All are invited to attend.
—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Franks, of Pottsville, were rejoiced on Sunday last by the advent of a little girl baby in their home at that place. Mrs. Franks was formerly Miss Helen Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamilton, of Bellefonte.
—On Monday George Eckley sold his tobacco and cigar store, located under the First National Bank building, to Lewis Wallace. This was a good paying stand, but it was a little too confining for George's health, hence he will try something else.
—Miss Eva Mosbarger, of Grassfield, Clearfield county, became a guest last week of her sister, Mrs. Fred Bryan, on Thomas street. Miss Mosbarger is a seamstress of considerable ability, and will extend her stay in Bellefonte for an indefinite period.
—Stepping from the porch at her home near Ridge street, on Monday morning, Mrs. Harry Boyer slipped on the icy walk and fell, spraining all the ligaments in her right arm. The injury is about as severe as a break and it will be some time before she will be able to use the arm.
—On Friday afternoon last the fire alarm was sounded for the South ward, and it developed that a dog was a fire in the double house on Logan street owned by McDermitts and occupied by Frank Beck and Nathan Itzkovitz. The fire department promptly responded, but fortunately their services were not needed.
—Samuel Gordon, of Pleasant View, is able to be about again after being confined to his house three weeks ago from injuries received about three weeks ago at Union Furnace. Mr. Gordon while employed there was the victim of a bad fall which laid him up for repairs, but he is glad to state he is almost entirely recovered.
—Charles Lucas and wife, of Potters Mills, were in Bellefonte on Wednesday on their way to Will county, Illinois where they will make their future home. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lucas' father, Mr. David Sweetwood, whose home is in Illinois but who for the past three months has been a guest at the Sweetwood home.
—Some large accessions have recently been made to the list of members of the Elks, in Bellefonte, most of them being business men of the town and surrounding community. Some big dinners are being arranged for celebrating the event in Bellefonte in the near future when a class of forty will be initiated into the mysteries of the order.
—William Resides, of east High street, was considerably bruised up last week by the result of a fall from a ladder while at work at the Bellefonte Central Railroad shops. Mr. Resides is a carpenter and was helping to erect the new buildings at that place when the accident occurred. We are glad to say no serious results will follow.
—Basket ball fans may look forward to a good game of that kind tomorrow, Friday evening, at 8:30, in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. Williamsport High School will come to Bellefonte and back up against the Academy team. You know of what material the Academy is made of, and that together with the fact that Williamsport has one of the fastest teams going, ought to draw a good crowd.
—Frank Smith departed on Tuesday noon for "Sunny Tennessee," where he expects to take up a good position with the White Construction company at Parkersville, about thirty miles from Chattanooga. Frank's friends in Bellefonte will regret his going so far from home, but will be glad to hear of his prospering in his new venture. A number of Bellefonte boys are down in that country, among whom are Charles Barnes, Nevin Wetzel and Bill McFarlane, so that "snitchity" will not get homesick in such good company.
—Miss Grace Cook, of Bellefonte, is the guest of friends in Tyrone.
—Hon. Ellis L. Orvis was in bed several days the past week suffering with tonsillitis.
—Fred McCulley came home from Somerset county on Saturday for a short visit with friends.
—Bellefonte has a large number of cooking schools in the kitchens of the mothers—but so few of the daughters attend.
—Henry Davis, son of J. McDavis, of this place, returned last Wednesday after spending a week with friends in Tyrone.
—Exchanges from all around note that "eggs have taken a drop. Well, the first thing that an egg does, is to take a "drop."
—John Larimer and family after the first of April will move into the house now occupied by J. H. Decker, on Bishop street.
—Company L, of this place, will undergo another inspection on Monday, April 17th, by officers of the regular United States Army.
—The unfinished part of the state road through Bellefonte is now in a most horrible condition. All this delay was hardly excusable.
—Mr. and Mrs. Blair Yarnell, of Snow Shoe, spent Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McClelland, on Lamb street.
—T. S. Strawn, the former Bellefonte broker, who moved with his family to Scottsdale last September, recently opened a broker's office in New Castle.
—Mrs. Calvin Spicher, of Wilkensburg, arrived in Bellefonte on Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Heckman on east Lamb street.
—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Donachy, of Williamsport, with their two children, Sara and Charles, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Donachy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Shuey.
—Mr. and Mrs. John Watson and little daughter, of this place, were Snow Shoe visitors for a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blair Yarnell.
—M. L. Emerick, M. D., of Hickory Corners, Pa., announces that he will be in Bellefonte on Monday, February 20th, and hold examinations at the Brockerhoff House.
—January had three snows, making five inches, and rain on eight days with a total precipitation of 2.53 inches. Total precipitation of rain and melted snow during January was 2.03 inches.
—Chas. T. Houser who lives three miles west of Bellefonte, will have sale of his farm stock on March 1st, will then leave a week later for Plains, Montana, where he will engage in other business.
—Harry Davis, who for some time past has efficiently filled the position of chemist with the American Lime & Stone Co., has resigned and gone to work for the Pennsylvania railroad company in Altoona.
—Announcement has been made of the coming marriage of Miss Miriam Gray, of this place, to William Grauer, of Altoona, by Mr. Jacob Sitnek, of the same city. The Grauers at one time were residents of Bellefonte.
—Mrs. S. C. Benford, of Tyrone, spent several days in Bellefonte last week at the bedside of her son, William, who was injured last Friday on a railroad near Unionville, and was removed to the Bellefonte hospital.
—Fifty times a day we have been asked who will be the next postmaster of Bellefonte. In all candor, the Centre Democrat does not know, nor is it in position to know. Real sorry that we can't break this prolonged suspense.
—Mrs. C. G. Spicher, of Wilkensburg, is spending a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Heckman, on Lamb street. Mr. Spicher, formerly of this section, holds an excellent position as a mail carrier at that place.
—Mrs. Clark, who for some years past had held the position of landlady at the Brockerhoff House, but who resigned her position several months ago and went to Philadelphia to live, returned to Bellefonte last week and has resumed her old position.
—Harry P. Armstrong, who for the past few months has been filling the position of salesman in Sim the Clothier's store, has again entered State College with the expectation of completing his college course with the class of 1911.
—Mrs. C. Frank Montgomery last week closed her home on Linn street and departed for Philadelphia, where she expects to spend two or three months with relatives and friends, during her absence Hazel, her son, will board at the Bush House.
—Jacob Marks, capitalist and gentleman of leisure, was on the rinky-dink several days the past week due to severe pains in the region of the bread basket. The profound sympathy of his numerous friends and the many remedies suggested did much to bring him into action again in short order.
—Ira Hess, of Altoona, and nephew, Mr. Gross, of Pittsburg, were visitors in Bellefonte last week at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Michael Hess, on Willowbank street. They are both old Centre countians, and like hosts of others who have gone forth to other fields of labor, enjoy an occasional visit home.
—When in doubt, visit the Scenic. You'll not find a better trouble dispenser in the world than a visit to the Scenic. To fully appreciate what a splendid place of amusement Manager Brown is giving the people of Bellefonte, you should visit the moving picture shows on your next trip to the larger cities. By comparison you will find that the Scenic is the superior of many and the equal of any, in the way of up-to-dateness, cleanliness and comfort.
—The Bellefonte Water Department is expending all kinds of trouble since the death of Superintendent Ryan. It seems that no accurate record is available for locating the various water checks throughout the borough. When it is necessary to turn off the water from a house or a street an entire "digging" along the street follows that is expensive and destructive. It is claimed that the borough at great expense had a chart made but that it has been lost or stolen and since Mr. Ryan's death no one can account for its whereabouts. This indicates a degree of negligence somewhere that is not pardonable.

AN OLD TOURIST.

How a Bellefonte Boy Has Become Famous.
The following clipped from the Cadiz, (Ohio) Democrat relates to an old Bellefonte boy, who will be remembered by many of the older residents of Bellefonte:
"We had a call on Wednesday of last week from our old friend, Charles R. Nolan. Mr. Nolan is a member of that tribe of citizens known as "holyst" printers, an element of humanity that is fast becoming extinct. There was a time, up till within a few years ago, when two or three struck the town each month; but Nolan is one of the last survivors, being the only one in the last two years to pass through here. The "tramp" is the one who has been overcome by the "wander bug," doesn't care to remain long in one place, even in times past when there was a very strong demand for compositors, few cared for anything more than a "help" from the editor and office boys to get him from one town to another, and the privilege of holding down a corner on the composing room floor for the night upon a mattress of old exchangers. Nolan looks just like he did the first time we saw him 17 years ago, has a fund of stories relating to his experiences, and loves to talk of the good old days before the advent of the type-setting machine when from 150 to 150 compositors swayed back and forth before their cases in the composing rooms of large city dailies. Then a compositor "parted up his dupes" and often found he had made from \$5 to \$12 in a night's work frequently assisted by a "typecker" who "took off" next; each one was known as "slug 7," or "slug 90," owing to the size of the office. All such terms are unknown to the younger generation. D. 1911 grant a rule to show cause why said private sale should not be made, said rule returnable the first Monday of March, 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Court House at Bellefonte, Pa., at which time and place all Heirs, Legates and other parties interested in the Estate of the said Daniel M. Wolfe may appear, if they see fit, and be heard in matters set forth in said petition, and in answer to the rule granted.
Peter M. Smezer, EARLE C. TUTEN, Clerk of the Orphan's Court, W. Harrison Walker, Attorney for Estate.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.
In the Orphan's Court of Centre County No. 8319.
In the matter of the Estate of Daniel M. Wolfe, late of Greeng Township, deceased.
To the Heirs, Legates and all other persons interested in said Estate:
Notice is hereby given that E. M. Wolfe, Administrator C. T. A., of the above Estate, presented his petition to the Orphan's Court of Centre County on the 7th day of February, A. D. 1911, requesting said Court to make a decree authorizing and empowering him, the said E. M. Wolfe, Administrator C. T. A., as aforesaid, to make private sale of the undivided one-fourth interest of said decedent, of, in and to certain real estate to Catherine A. Dreilich of Bedford, Lucy A. Litch of Hazleton, and D. E. Wolfe of Rew, all of the County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, at and for the price or sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000) Dollars, which said real estate is situated in the Counties of Venango, McKean and Clarion in the State of Pennsylvania, as follows, to-wit:
Situate in Venango County:
.92 acres and 85 perches in Cranberry Township;
.85 acres in Cranberry Township;
20 acres in Cranberry Township;
Situate in McKean County:
15.2 acres more or less in Foster Township;
5 acres in Foster Township;
17.2 acres more or less in Bradford Township;
10 acres more or less in Foster Township;
22 acres more or less in Foster Township;
32 acres more or less in Otto Township (old 6th);
6.5 acres more or less in Foster Township;
Situate in Clarion County:
.42 acres or less in Ashland Township; which said several tracts above referred to are fully described in the petition filed in the Orphan's Court of Centre County, reference being thereto, had more fully and at large appears; said sale to be made for the purpose of creating a fund for the payment and liquidation of the balance of the unpaid debts and costs of administration of said decedent, and for the payment and liquidation of the several legacies of the said decedent, as in and to the last will and testament of said decedent, as appears in said Will, reference thereto had fully appears.
Notice is hereby given to the Heirs, Legates and other parties interested in said Estate, that the Court did, on the said 7th day of February, A. D. 1911, grant a rule to show cause why said private sale should not be made, said rule returnable the first Monday of March, 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Court House at Bellefonte, Pa., at which time and place all Heirs, Legates and other parties interested in the Estate of the said Daniel M. Wolfe may appear, if they see fit, and be heard in matters set forth in said petition, and in answer to the rule granted.
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ESTABLISHED 1878. Came to the premises of the undersigned, about September 30th, 1910, a red bull about 1 1/2 years old, both ears notched and has a spot on right hip. The owner is notified to prove property, pay all costs or same will be disposed according to law provided in such cases. Wm. Mayes, Beech Creek.

Automobiles

We Are Agents For The FRANKLIN, PEERLESS, POPE HARTFORD, THOMAS, HUDSON, WAVERLY ELECTRIC and HIGH GRADE TRUCKS. A number of bargains in 2nd-hand cars that are practically new. GARAGE, REPAIR SHOP and SUPPLIES.

John Sebring Jr BELLEFONTE, The Great Inventory Sale

is now going on, and the people of Centre Co. are profiting by the big reduction in prices. Are you going to be among the lucky ones? If so come early before the best is picked out. Here are a few of the many bargains which fill our immense store. A No. 1 clothes wringer at \$1.75 Reg. price \$3.00 3 yr Guaranteed " " \$2.50 " " \$4.00 A Good Simond Hand saws at 50c " " \$1.00 A Set of Bits at \$1.75 " " \$2.50 China Nest Eggs at 3 for 5c " " 3-10c Hat and Coat hooks a box at 5c " " 15c in Black Diamond file " 7c " 15c 10" " " 11c " " 25c Good Antique Copper Door Bell 4c " 6c and hundreds of other article at the same reduction. Come in and see for yourself. Sale will last

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MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Eggs, Butter, Bellefonte-Grain, Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Clover seed.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce that the following are candidates for nomination for the respective offices named on the Democratic Ticket in Centre County, 1911 subject to the decision of the general primary election to be held on Saturday, June 23, 1911.
Sheriff: D. J. GINGERY, Huston Twp.
Commissioner: JOHN HIPPLE, of Fleming.
Commissioner: JOHN R. LEMON, Ferguson Twp. JOHN L. DUNLAP, Spring Twp. WILLIAM H. NOLL, of Spring Twp.
District Attorney: D. PAUL FORTNEY, Bellefonte, Pa. JOHN M. KEICHLINE, Bellefonte, Pa.
Prothonotary: DAVID R. FORMAN, Bellefonte, Pa. C. U. HOFFER, Phillipsburg, Pa.
Treasurer: JAMES SCHOFIELD, Bellefonte Pa. JOHN D. MILLER, Walker Twp. J. MITCHELL CUNNINGHAM, Bellefonte, Pa.
Overseer of Poor, Bellefonte Boro: WILLIAM D. RIDER, Bellefonte, Pa.
Recorder: EDWARD C. MCKINLEY, Boggs Twp.
Register: J. FRANK SMITH, Centre Hall, Pa.
REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES.
Commissioner: HARRY E. ZIMMERMAN, formerly Benner Twp. JACOB WOODRING, Worth Twp.
Harry Shreffler, the present tenant on the American Lime and Stone Co. farm, will occupy the Dr. Hayes farm after George Loder leaves to take the William Witmer place.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.

An Interesting Session Held in Bellefonte This Week.
Two very interesting meetings in the interests of Centre County Sunday school work were held on Monday morning and afternoon of this week, in the Presbyterian chapel. Mrs. Baldwin State Superintendent of Primary work, met the members of the executive committee of the County Sunday School Association, together with the pastors and Sunday School superintendents of the county present, and presented to them facts and plans for aggressive work needed in our county. She urged the co-operation of all along the lines of advanced-up-to-date Sunday school work, aiming to bring Centre county up to a front-line place at the next state convention. The afternoon meeting was a more general meeting at which Mrs. Baldwin presented her special line, concerning the beginners, primary and junior work in the Sunday school. Mrs. Baldwin is an expert in this line and gave many valuable suggestions and much good advice. She also set forth the advantages of the graded system now recommended by all Sunday school workers. Quite a number of the pastors, superintendents, and the teachers of primary and junior departments from over the county were present.

State Pension Bill.

A soldier's pension bill was presented to the House by Representative Frank L. Derahem, Democrat, of Union county. In 1907, a similar bill presented by Senator J. Henry Cochran, Democrat, of Lycoming county, was vetoed by Governor Shifert for lack of funds. In 1909 a bill presented by Representative Reybun, Republican, of Philadelphia, was passed by the House and locked up in the Senate committee. Under the Derahem bill all Civil war veterans who served from 1861 to 1865, or from 1898 to 1902, and who are now aged 65 or over, are entitled to a pension. The emergency men would benefit by this bill. A soldier to get the pension must have been a resident of this State for one year before making application and must be at least 12 months before each payment. The auditor general is to pass on all applications.

From the Buckeye State.

A. M. Vore, a native of Haines township, President and a director of the Crawford Co. Infirmary, writes from Bucyrus:
"The Centre Democrat is always welcome, as there are still a good many names in the paper that are familiar to me. Looking over the public sales, I notice three in the neighborhood where I was born. The Jacob Kerstetter estate, the Henry Foster farm, at that time. The Andrew Harter farm just across the hill, and the M. S. Feldler farm, I think were the Henry Yeagley farms, our our nearest neighbor when we lived there. Why not make the Centre Democrat a semi-weekly?

Reductions in Prices.

Hon. W. S. Harris, manager of the Lock Haven Electric Light & Power company has announced a reduction in the price of gas as well as electric lights. The price of gas has been reduced from \$2 and \$1.50 and \$1.25, according to the amount used, and the Lock Haven Electric Light and Power company has changed the price in electric light to those of its patrons who use from 200 to 300 kilowatts to \$1.00 per kilowatt, and for those who use a larger quantity, to six cents per kilowatt. This happened at Lock Haven not in Bellefonte.
Motto of the Crow Indian.
"If you want to get your horses from the enemy on you must be brave, you must strike the enemy first, you must fight or die; and when you get possession of your own you must fly, you must keep going. If you want to keep ahead of the pursuing party, you must go fast, you can, and then two days farther."
Go as far as you can, and then go two days farther. It is that kind of persistency that wins in many of the battles of life. Do the best you can, and then do a little better. It is the workmanship that is a little better than the best average that is the best.
For some time past Mrs. John Raymond has been suffering from an unusually troublesome corn on one of her toes, which finally became so painful that on last Saturday it was found necessary to have it removed by a physician. This has afforded her some relief, but if the trouble continues it may be necessary to have the toe amputated.
All the leading public sales in Centre county are advertised in the Centre Democrat.

ABOUT TREES.

An Interesting Lecture That Was Highly Instructive.
Those who attended the lecture on Trees on Monday night had a great treat. It was by Mr. John T. Withers of Jersey City, N. J. who is quite a famous tree and landscape architect. The lecturer, who was accompanied by a number of men from the city, would have liked to have attended. The citizens of the community can congratulate themselves on having been able to obtain his services for a lecture of such a low charge, as he was here as the guest of Mr. Geo. T. Bush over Sunday, they having been together on the Trip Around the World, and gave this valuable lecture, which was a most interesting and instructive one, without any charge whatsoever, and for which he deserves the thanks of the community. For about an hour he talked on the famous trees he had treated, one being the famous Liberty Tree of Annapolis, Maryland, into which he put 56 tons of reinforced concrete and it will now undoubtedly live for centuries more. He also showed many other famous trees of the world and then went into detail as to the method of treating and trimming and doctoring trees that will be of immense value to all who heard him. By means of some lantern slides loaned by Mr. Mallory, of streets in town, he showed how the trees had been butchered and spoiled and then told what should have been done. After the treat, all of which was illustrated by lantern slides he showed some slides and described a portion of the trip around the world of many of the interesting trees, and some of the most interesting ones, of about three hundred another hour.
He spoke of the little spot of ground between the Court House and the Jail and what a beautiful little park could be made there that would both add to the beauty of the present new Court House and make a picture spot in the town. This should be done, if not entirely by the Commissioners at least by the co-operation of the Commissioners and the townspeople.
It would be very good for some of the citizens who own trees, as well as the Commissioners with the county trees, to get together and have a competent man like this one bring his men here and fix the trees up properly and show the people what can be done in a practical way to do the matter right, and it is hoped some of the citizens will get together quickly and make a start at once.