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HOUSEMAN HELD UNDER BAIL

CHARGED WITH IMPERSONATING FISH WARDEN.

TWO OTHERS WERE FINED \$20

Fish Warden Sizer Acts Under Direction of State Department, and Causes Arrest of Several Illegal Fishermen.

Whether planned or carried out in a spirit of fun or otherwise, Elmer Jackson, who resides near Houserville, will have to explain to a jury during the next term of court why he assumed the role of a fish warden, as he is accused of doing on the night of August 24th, by Warden Sizer, of Huntingdon. This is the result of a hearing held in the office of Justice Musser on Monday morning, the charge being made by Warden Sizer, on the strength of evidence gathered from several of Jackson's neighbors.

The facts which led to the arrest of Jackson on the charge preferred by the warden, developed in an entirely unlooked for manner. From the warden's statement at the hearing it was learned that sometime in August the Department of Fisheries at Harrisburg received a letter from Centre county setting forth that illegal fishing had been going on in the vicinity of Houserville for some time past, and that Elmer Jackson could furnish evidence to that effect if the matter was looked into at once. This led the Department to send Warden Sizer to Houserville, and in company with a constable of Bellefonte he interviewed a number of persons, among whom was Jackson, who claimed to have nothing to do with communicating with the Department. The warden, however, in scouting around was satisfied that there had been some illegal fishing done in the race at the mill dam, and finding a net in the possession of John Mechtley he brought the latter to Bellefonte on Tuesday of last week for a hearing. The testimony brought forth the fact that H. I. Allman and Peter Lenebarger had been fishing in the race on the night of August 24th, and that Mr. Mechtley, who was arrested at the time, but did no fishing. Elmer Jackson came along shortly after the two men had started to fish, and assuming the role of one who had authority, told the men he was taking down their names for illegal fishing.

There being no evidence against Mr. Mechtley, other than that he had a dip-net in his possession, left at his home by another party three or four years ago, and which Mr. Mechtley swore had not been in use since, the case against him was dropped and he was released. The case against the other two men was held for a few days later he came back to Houserville and arrested Elmer Jackson on the charge of having impersonated a fish warden on the night of August 24th. Monday morning witnessed the hearing before Justice Musser, and Messrs. Allman, Lenebarger, and Mechtley were subpoenaed as witnesses against Jackson.

Mr. Jackson testified in his own behalf that in going home from work on the night in question, he saw a young man in the water with a light. He stopped where the men were and gave them a drink of whiskey, but did not intimate or claim that he was a fish warden.

The witnesses for the prosecution, however, were all certain that Jackson exhibited himself as a warden, and claimed that he had afterwards intimated terms of settlement. Pierce Lenebarger, a minor son of Peter Lenebarger, was one of the trio who were doing the fishing, and testified that while he and his brother were in Herkimer's stable a few days later, Jackson came along and grabbed his brother by the shoulder, at the same time saying he would take them down. The young man did not know whether Jackson was in earnest or not, but rather thought he was.

Constable Horace Musser, of Bellefonte, on being sworn told of Mr. Herkimer's inability to be present, but the latter had made a statement to the effect that Jackson had come to him and wanted to deputize his team for the purpose of bringing prisoners to Bellefonte. Jackson claimed at the time to be a fish warden.

It was during the testimony of Mr. Allman that it became known of the race having been frequently drawn off for the purpose of fishing with tackle other than that allowed by law. Although the water is regarded as a trout stream, some of the citizens of that vicinity are Missourians regarding the trout in it. However, Warden Sizer made it plain that it has been stocked with trout and will be again at the proper season.

After weighing the evidence on both sides Justice Musser decided to hold Elmer Jackson for court in the sum of \$500 bail, which was promptly furnished and he was released. A fine of \$10 each and costs was placed upon Mr. Lenebarger and Mr. Allman for having fished in the mill race in a manner contrary to law.

A Fortune in Single Hog Shipment.

George Sharp, a Grundy township, Iowa, farmer, recently made a shipment of 560 hogs, which he received \$8.50 per hundred pounds, or a total of a little less than \$14,000 for the bunch. Mr. Sharp and twenty assistants drove the entire herd a whole night from his farm to the railroad station, where the hogs were loaded in cars and shipped to the Chicago stock yards. Who says there is no money in raising hogs?

Wilson Club Meeting.

Owing to the fact that the Granger Picnic drew a great many of the members to Grange Park this week, there was no business transacted at the meeting of the Woodrow Wilson Club on Wednesday night. It was decided to hold a meeting on Tuesday evening of next week in the Arbitration room at the court house at which a large attendance is desired. A number of prominent speakers will be present.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" at the opera house tonight.

C. L. GRAMLEY ENDORSED.

Bull Moose Party in Centre Co. Will Support Him For the Legislature.

C. L. Gramley, the Republican nominee for the legislature, received the endorsement the past week of the Washington party in Centre County, the latter being the name by which the followers of Bull Moose are to go before the people in this state at the November election.

The events which led up to this endorsement seem to show that the party was divided on the matter of a candidate for the legislature. Dr. M. J. Locke, the leader of the Bull Moose followers in the county, desiring to lift the responsibility off his shoulders, called a meeting of the Washington party which was held at the Brockert-Hoff House, one evening during the week preceding the fair. About fifteen or twenty enthusiastic Roosevelt men were in attendance. Dr. Locke acted as chairman, G. Willard Hall was made Secretary, and J. Linn McGinley, Treasurer. The chairman stated that the object of the meeting was to decide what was best to do in regard to organizing for the campaign, and more especially as to the selection of a candidate for the legislature.

To the surprise of some it was found that several were in favor of endorsing Robert M. Foster, the Democratic candidate, while others strongly advocated placing a new candidate in the field, but the majority seemed to be for Gramley. It was finally decided to authorize the chair to name a committee of three, in whose hands was given full power to select a candidate for the legislature. The chair named as the committee, R. S. Brouse, William Lyon and Horton S. Ray.

After some discussion it was decided to permanently organize a County Committee for the campaign. For one reason there was a lack of funds, and then again, it was not thought necessary.

The committee appointed to select legislative candidate held the matter under advisement until Thursday of last week when they unanimously decided to endorse Gramley. Previous to their decision the field was gone over carefully to find an independent candidate, but none seemed available, and those who might have been selected did not care to enter a campaign and spend their own money on what promised to be a lost cause. The followers of Foster also brought considerable pressure to bear on the committee to have them select their man, but without avail.

Mr. Gramley was notified by telephone of the action of the committee and came to Bellefonte Thursday afternoon. He seemed much pleased and immediately secured Washington party nomination papers and started out over the county to secure signatures.

In regard to the Congressional nomination, no action was taken, and it cannot be definitely stated whether the party will support him.

Although one of the party leaders, although a reported for this paper that no nomination would be made.

Gramley will now be a political hybrid. Originally he got the nomination as the candidate of the Penrose followers, defeating Wagoner of Philadelphia, the Progressive Republican candidate, who stands for the Roosevelt idea. The Bull Moosers claim to be inspired with the highest principles and ideals. Gramley is an original Penrose man. Consistently these ideals will not mix. Consistently Bull Moosers want endorse what they are opposed to. A consistent Roosevelt man today can't endorse what he is opposing.

Mrs. Yocum's Condition Encouraging.

Word received this week from J. J. Gramley, father of Mrs. Fred Yocum of Waddle, who has been in an inmate of the Lock Haven hospital for the past three weeks, is of sufficient encouragement to give rise to the belief that Mrs. Yocum's complete recovery is now but a matter of time. She is now able to sit up and at times walk a little, which shows a remarkable improvement, considering the extremely delicate operation she underwent. Mr. Gramley, whose home is in Freepert, Illinois, recently came to Centre county upon learning of the illness of his daughter, and is now paying her a visit at Lock Haven.

May Run Sunday Train to Sunbury.

It is rumored that owing to the great milk traffic over the Lewisburg & Tyrone R. R. in conjunction with passenger service, a Sunday train scheduled over that division will be inaugurated by the Pennsylvania railroad in the near future, leaving Sunbury in the morning and arriving in Bellefonte upon schedule time to connect with the trains leaving there over the Bald Eagle Valley division. Subject to this time no direct information has been received at the Bellefonte office of the P. R. R. as to when the above schedule will be started.

Woman Dies in Dentist's Chair.

Mrs. Charles McNally, 35 years old, died in a dentist's chair in Hubbard, near Sharps, on Monday while under an anesthetic to have fifteen teeth drawn. The woman made arrangements with Dr. Dale Jacobs to have the teeth removed. She was examined by a physician and chloroform was administered. After ten teeth had been removed she was revived, rested for a time, and was again chloroformed. When the other five teeth had been removed it was discovered the woman was dead.

Usual Services Will be Held.

Rev. D. H. Frum, the Methodist minister at Pleasant Gap, had planned to take a little trip this week, together with his wife, and remain away over the Sabbath. Sickness, in the family, however, has deterred them from going, and in consequence the services will hold the usual services on his charge, as follows: Lemont, 10.30 a. m.; Rock Forge, 3 p. m., and Pleasant Gap, 7.30 p. m.

New Forestry Head at State College.

Prof. J. A. Ferguson, head of the department of forestry in the University of Missouri, has been chosen head of the department of forestry in the Pennsylvania State College. The number of new students admitted to the college this year is said to be 869.

EVERYBODY'S VISITING GRANGE PARK

ALL ROADS LEADS TO CENTRE HALL.

MANY ARE OCCUPYING TENTS

Large Crowd Expected Today if Weather is Favorable—All Gambling Stopped by the District Attorney—Successful Reunion of Veteran Club.

The thirty-ninth annual encampment and exhibition of the Patrons of Husbandry of Pennsylvania is in progress this week at Grange Park, Centre Hall and is being largely attended in spite of the weather which is threatening at times.

The encampment opened on Saturday morning with a large number of tents on the grounds, everything in apple pie order with promise of a successful week before them.

On Sunday there was a large attendance, people being present from all parts of the county. In the afternoon at 2 P. M. the Harvest Home exercises were held in the auditorium. The anniversary address was delivered by Hon. N. B. Critchfield, Secretary of Agriculture of Pennsylvania. During the afternoon and evening a heavy storm marred the pleasure of those in attendance. The auditorium cleared off and by Tuesday the ground was in good condition for the meeting of the Centre County Veterans Club on that day.

Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 P. M. addresses were delivered in the auditorium by William T. Creasy, Master of the State Grange; Hon. Robert S. Conklin, Commissioner of Forestry; and a member of the Chestnut Tree Light Commission.

Today, Thursday, is the big day and an immense attendance is expected. There will be addresses by Hon. E. B. Russell, lecturer of the State Grange; Hon. A. L. Martin, Director of Industries; Hon. Jas. Foust, Dairy and Food Commissioner; and Hon. H. A. Surface, Economic Zoologist, followed at 3 P. M. by an orchard demonstration on the farm of S. W. Smith, 20 rods west of the camp grounds.

Every evening there is a moving picture exhibition in the auditorium which attracts large crowds and seems to give general satisfaction.

There are many exhibitions on the ground of an interesting character, including agricultural implements, poultry, fruit and other products. The encampment is up to its usual standard in these lines. The encampment will close on Friday.

Meeting of Veteran Club.

The annual meeting of the Centre County Veterans Club was held at Grange Park, Centre Hall on Tuesday of this week. The weather was threatening in the morning, but cleared up and it proved an ideal day for such a gathering and as a result, there was a large attendance of veterans and their friends.

The grangers, who are encamped on the ground, showed their hospitality in every way possible and it proved a pleasant one. In the morning there was a short meeting in the Auditorium at which Cyrus Brungart, of Centre Hall, delivered an address of welcome, on behalf of the grangers, which was responded to by Robert A. Cassidy, of Canton, Ohio, who spoke in his usual happy vein. Committees on place of next meeting, resolutions, etc., were appointed and then to meeting adjourned until after dinner.

At 2 P. M. the meeting reconvened in the auditorium and was presided over by Capt. W. H. Fry, in the absence of the President, General Beaver, who was kept away by illness. The meeting was opened by an earnest prayer by Rev. E. H. Yocum, pastor of the Methodist church, of Bellefonte. The different committees then made their reports which were acted upon. All the old officers were re-elected as follows:

President—Gen. James A. Beaver.
Vice President—Capt. William H. Fry.
2nd Vice President—W. A. Jahlner.
Treasurer—Capt. Geo. M. Boal.
Secretary—W. H. Musser.

A resolution was then offered on the death of all comrades who have passed away during the past year. It was as follows:

Resolved—By the Veteran Club of Centre County at its regular annual meeting—That in the death of Colonel Austin Curtin, Captain of Co. "D" of the 45th Regiment P. V. Thomas Taylor of Company "A" of the 45th P. V. Charles Eckert of the 9th P. V. Captain Samuel H. Williams of Company "I" of the 56th P. V., and Col. John W. Stuart, Lieut. of Company "G" 148th P. V., the club during the year, has lost five members who in their youth, and in the hour of need, gave quick response to their country's call and served her with great devotion, offering their service and their lives for the perpetuity of the government, and the institutions under which we live. We miss their association and comradeship, their counsel, advice, and kindly greeting at our annual meeting, and shall ever hold their example and their faithful service in kind remembrance.

Then the following resolution was offered and adopted:

Resolved—That the veteran Club of Centre County in annual session met and very greatly miss the presence of, and regret the fact their regular President the Honorable James A. Beaver is not, by reason of ill health able to meet with them. They extend to him their kindly greetings and sincerely express the hope that an ever kind Providence will restore him to health, and give unto him many years of life and usefulness.

It was decided to hold the meeting of the club next year in the same place as this year, Grange Park, Centre Hall.

Comrade Robert A. Cassidy then took the platform and delivered quite an able and eloquent address, relating many incidents that occurred during his personal observation during his service in the army.

James A. Gleason, of DuBois, was

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A YOUTHFUL OFFENDER.

Bellefonte Lad Caught in the Act of Robbing Gross's Store.

On Sunday night Samuel Halderman, the 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Halderman, of Bellefonte, was arrested by Policeman Dukeman in the act of robbing Gross's store on South Spring street. The young man was taken to jail to answer to the charge of larceny entered against him by the officer.

About a week previous to the occurrence the same store had been entered by someone by means of breaking a pane of glass in the front door. The police were of the opinion that an amateur had done the job, and had reasons to believe that the thief would make a second attempt in the near future. They therefore kept the store under a strict surveillance at night, and were rewarded by catching the thief on Sunday night, as above stated.

Officer Dukeman in passing the building about 12 o'clock noticed that the electric light that is kept burning regularly at night, was not burning. He also found that another pane of glass had been broken in the front door, and flashing his "bulls-eye" on the interior of the store room, discovered someone attempting to hide. Dukeman crawled through the opening where the pane had been, and soon had the offender in his clutches. The latter was pretty well frightened at the sight of a revolver carried by the officer and made no attempt to get away. He was later lodged in jail. The plunder selected by the lad was such as would appeal most to a boy of his age, consisting chiefly of candy, cakes, tobacco and chewing gum. He had made no attempt to break open the cash register. Young Halderman had torn the wires loose at the front of the store in order to extinguish the light, and then tried to open the lock by means of a piece of iron, which became broken off. Failing to force the lock he smashed a pane of glass in the door and thus gained an entrance.

The affair is a very unfortunate occurrence for the parents, who have been residents of Bellefonte for many years. The father is an honest, hard-working man, whose last desire in the world would be to have his children steal. The young man will probably be tried in juvenile court.

Fire in Boggs Township.

On last Thursday morning a fire occurred on Harry Ellis's farm in Boggs township which caused the loss of twenty-four loads of rye and four loads of wheat. Fire was caused by a spark from the threshing engine, which started about a year ago in the barn on the farm burned down and has never been re-built. So the rye and wheat were hauled in from the field and placed on the foundation of the old barn. It was their intention to trash it and haul it right to the mill. The spark started about seven bushes of rye and the engine set fire to the stack and the whole thing was soon ablaze, entailing a total loss.

An Auto Collision.

An automobile collision that resulted rather disastrously occurred Tuesday about noon when Henry Lowery's machine collided with Ben Peter's machine just at the Adam's Express office corner. Mr. Lowery was coming from the alley leading to his own liver stable and Mr. Peter's was coming down High street, and neither saw the other until too late to avoid a collision. Mr. Lowery's automobile had a rear wheel smashed while the other one had a broken axle and broken front end as a result of the contact.

Fortunately no one was injured although Mr. Peter was compelled to take other means of locomotion to reach his home at Dix Run.

Mammoth Public Sale Next Tuesday.

Perhaps the largest public sale of desirable live stock and farm machinery held in Centre county this season will take place on the Crowner farm, three miles east of Pine Grove Mills on Tuesday of next week, September 24th. We wish to call particular attention to the date of sale, as in last week's issue an error in the type made it read the 14th. Next Tuesday, Sept. 24th, is the time, and it will be worth your while to read over the complete list to be found in the sale register on page 4. The sale will begin at 10 o'clock in the morning.

Putting Roads in Good Shape.

The paves of road between Sandy Ridge and Bald Eagle, that was recently taken over by the state highway department and has for some time been undergoing improvements, is now nearing completion and is reported to be an excellent piece of work. It is under the management of C. F. Sweeney, representing the state, and supervisor W. H. Garland, of Sandy Ridge, who know a good piece of road when they see it.

then introduced and made a brief but interesting address.

Col. H. S. Taylor was the last speaker of the afternoon, after which a most successful and enjoyable meeting was brought to a close by the benediction by Rev. Yocum.

The usual bunch of gamblers and fakers who had gathered at Grange Park this year, got a severe jolt on Tuesday, when District Attorney Fortney, in company with Sheriff Lee, went over the grounds and cleaned out all questionable joints. This act of the officials was the result of the requests of farmers to have the semi-robbering games put out of business. Mr. Fortney decided that it was due all respectable citizens who visit Grange Park, to have proper protection from the numerous sharks who inhabit such gatherings, hence his prompt action in the matter. Of course a general howl of protest followed from those who were being deprived of the privilege of fleecing the patrons of the picnic, but it availed them not, and every game that savored of trickery or chance, had to close up shop. Strange to say, some of the management of the picnic did not accord with Mr. Fortney in doing what he did, but the public in general were well pleased.

WHOLESALE SHOOTING AT CLEARFIELD

JOHN KEELER, WHILE DRUNK KILLS FOUR MEN.

IS FORMER BELLEFONTE MAN

Proprietor of Brewery Shot Dead, and Three Others Seriously Wounded—Keeler Surrenders to Sheriff on Tuesday.

One of the most brutal crimes that has since Central Pennsylvania for many years was enacted at Clearfield on Saturday night, and as a result Joseph W. Roessner, owner of the Clearfield brewery, is dead and three employees are lying in the hospital with bullet wounds, seriously injured. The murderer, John Keeler, is a fugitive from justice, with the probability that he will never be taken alive. Realizing the enormity of the crime, committed while in a drunken frenzy, he will no doubt end his own life rather than submit to capture.

Keeler, who is about 40 years old, is well known in Bellefonte, and for a number of years resided here with his family. He is married to a Bellefonte lady, formerly Miss Annie Bowes, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowes, and while living in the town, was employed at the old McCalmont lime kilns as a lime burner. He did service with Company B, was a member of the Logan Fire company, and enjoyed the respect due a peaceable citizen. He is a man of the appearance, about 5 feet, 11 inches tall, and weighing about 175 pounds.

About twelve years ago he moved from Bellefonte to Clearfield, and for some time past had been employed as driver for an ice wagon by the brewing company. Keeler had been drinking pretty hard of late, and in consequence neglecting his duties, for which he was discharged last week. On Friday afternoon he went to the office and started a fight and was put out at the brewery in an ugly mood.

When he noticed that there was a party at the tap-room where Henry Rowles, a fireman, was working. Keeler was evidently looking for trouble, and tried to start a fight with Rowles by bumping against him and exclaiming: "Get out of the way; I want a beer." Rowles, however, took no notice of his ill-natured conduct, and went to the boiler room to blow the whistle for 5 o'clock. Keeler continued his way into the office where he met Frank Carson, a teamster, who was talking with Rush Ogden, the book-keeper. Keeler at once opened a quarrel with Carson, and the loud talk that ensued attracted Mr. Roessner, who was in his private office. The latter came into the main office and ordered Keeler to get out, to which he replied: "There's nobody here big enough to put me out." Mr. Roessner told him that he would be no trouble but that he would get somebody to put him out, and stepped over to a telephone to call the police. Keeler immediately jumped behind a wire screen, and drawing a revolver, he took deliberate aim and shot Roessner, the bullet entering his body just below the heart. Keeler then went to the gun on Ogden, shooting him in the mouth, the ball passing back into the neck, cutting through the pallet. Carson was his next victim, receiving a ball in the left arm and left side.

In the meantime Joseph Kerschner, brewmaster, was on his way to the office and encountered W. L. Swales, another employee of the brewery, just about the time the tragedy was taking place. Swales told Kerschner that he had better not go in the office as there was shooting going on there and it might not be safe. The brewmaster hurried on, however, as soon as he reached the office he was shot by Keeler, the ball passing through his hand and entering his side. When Keeler came out again he met Rowles. He raised a revolver that he had in his right hand and leveled it at Rowles, but did not fire. When he lowered it the second time he said to Rowles: "Get out of here," and then started towards the New York Central R. R. tracks nearby. When he reached the tracks he met his own little son; said good-by to him and told him to tell his mother that she would never see him again. After delivering the message he continued on, going over the bridge crossing the river, and took to the woods on the north side of town.

By the time the borough police could learn of the shooting Keeler had a long start, and was seen going over the hills to the north. Chase was given, but it was futile. The sheriff's office became headquarters for a campaign for the capture of the fugitive murderer, and a detail of state police were asked for. Four of the state men arrived Sunday morning. A requisition was made also for a bloodhound, and one arrived at Clearfield on the Pennsylvania train about 10.30. And in about twenty minutes had been put on the trail. It worked out from the brewery premises, over the railroad tracks and bridge, around a house and then out over the hills northward. The animal followed the trail for a distance of a mile when it lost it and could not pick it up. Up to this writing the fugitive is still at large.

The men shot by Keeler were all taken to the Clearfield hospital, where Roessner, who was shot through the body just below the heart, died at 8 o'clock. In the evening about three hours after being shot, Carson is in the most serious condition of the three, the bullet having lodged in his lung cavity. Roessner leaves a wife and eight children.

Murderer Gives Himself Up.

John Keeler surrendered to the sheriff of Clearfield county on Tuesday morning about 10 o'clock, and was at once lodged in jail. The credit for Keeler's capture is due his brother-in-law, Harry Bowes.

Shortly after 2 o'clock Tuesday morning while near his home Bowes heard a noise in the yard in the rear of the house occupied by Mrs. Michael Condon, Keeler's daughter. Suspecting that Keeler was not far away, Bowes walked into the Condon yard. In the

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AWAITING TRIAL FOR LARCENY.

Whether the fact that last Friday fell upon the hoodoo 13th, had anything to do with it or not, nevertheless Grant Jones and his wife, of Waddle, are now in the county jail, with plenty of time on their hands to figure it out. They were sent there in default of \$500 bail each, on a charge of theft, preferred by Jacob Cass, the dutch butcher, who resides in the neighborhood of the Jones, in Patton township.

Everybody knows Jacob Cass and of his liberality with his friends. He has resided near Waddle for the past twenty-seven years, and has never been known to turn down a friend in need. He lives alone and in consequence is away from home a greater portion of the time. Frequently he has claimed that someone was robbing his commissary department of the liquid portion, consisting of beer and whiskey. He also alleges that money has been stolen from him; in one instance four \$5 bills were taken. The thiefing of last week became unbearable, and last week Cass caused the arrest of Jones and his wife. The hearing was held before Squire Brown in Bellefonte, and at its conclusion Mr. and Mrs. Jones were held in \$500 bail each for their appearance at court. Being unable to secure the bail they were taken to jail to await trial.

MARRIAGES.

Snyder-Besty.

Mr. Floyd E. Snyder and Miss Bertha A. Besty, both of Spring Mills, were united in marriage on Saturday, August 31, at the parsonage of the United Evangelical church, by the pastor, Rev. John M. Price.

Smith-Springer.

Mr. Sylvester F. Smith and Miss Josephine M. Springer of Lock Haven, were married by the Rev. John M. Smith, pastor of the United Evangelical church of Spring Mills, on Saturday, September 14th.

Bodie-Borest.

Benner F. Bodie and Miss Elizabeth Borest were married on Wednesday evening of last week at the Reformed parsonage in Boalsburg. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. C. Stover, pastor of the Reformed church at that place.

Beaver-Evey.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hite, of Lemont, was the scene of a quiet but pretty wedding on Saturday evening, when their granddaughter, Miss Ruth L. Evey became the wife of Frank E. Beaver, of State College. The ceremony was performed at 8:20 in the presence of a few friends, by the Rev. G. E. Smith, of the Houserville charge United Brethren church. The bride is the pretty daughter of Merchant and Mrs. A. H. Evey, of Lemont, and is an accomplished seamstress. The groom is an industrious young man fully capable of establishing a home. Both have hosts of friends with whom this paper wishes to extend congratulations.

Beech Creek Hotel Changes Hands.

The brick hotel property in Beech Creek was sold to Orville J. Stover, of Blanchard, on Friday last, through an option secured by Charles W. Cook, August 22. The consideration was \$4,600. The property consists of the brick house, to which is a large frame addition in the rear, many outbuildings, barns, wagon and buggy sheds, ice house, etc., and considerable ground. Mr. DeHaas, the former proprietor, also retires from the livery business and will in the near future sell his horses and conveyances and all livery equipment. Mr. Stover will take possession not later than November 1st. This is the only hotel property in the borough and is regarded as a very valuable piece of real estate, admirably adapted for the purpose of a hotel and livery. It was sold to Mr. DeHaas in 1905 by Peter C. Gould, and has been conducted as a temperance hotel for more than a quarter of a century and has always been the town's hostelry.

Race Horse Breaks Leg.

The racing horse known as "Long John," owned by G. B. M. Weaver, of Williamsport, broke its leg in a race at the Punksutawney fair last week. The animal had already won the first and second heats before the accident occurred. This same horse was a favorite at the recent Centre county races, and won many of them. Wednesday as well as coming in first in the free-for-all.

Two Other Tragedies at Clearfield.

On Saturday afternoon at Clearfield and near the brewery where the shooting of Mr. Roessner, the proprietor, occurred, and at the same time, Trainman Evans of a New York Central train was killed and Tony Fernando, a shoe repairer, in removing a live wire from his house, was electrocuted.

—Miss Ethel Dale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clement Dale departed on Monday for Baltimore, Md., to resume her studies as a Junior at Goucher College for Women.

darkness he could discern the outline of a man's form. "Is that you, Jack?" he called. There was no answer. Stepping to the side of the man Bowes recognized him as the fugitive in search of whom officers had been scouring the country. Keeler made no attempt at resistance. Bowes counseled him to surrender himself to the sheriff and after a little persuasion he consented to do so. Leaving Keeler at his house, Bowes went to the home of the sheriff, about three squares away, and informed him of the murderer's whereabouts and of his willingness to surrender, and advised the sheriff to go after him. Sheriff Woodside was averse to undertaking the job, but suggested that Bowes act as deputy. This plan was agreed upon and at 3 o'clock Bowes and Keeler marched up to the jail door and Keeler was formally given into the sheriff's custody. He announced that he had been within four miles of Clearfield ever since the shooting and had watched the men who were trying to follow his trail. He had had nothing to eat since Sunday morning and was almost exhausted from hunger and exposure.

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