

BELLEFONTE AND VICINITY

THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS

The hotels have all enjoyed a plethora of custom during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hibel, of Centre Hall, dined at the Haag, on Monday.

M. I. Gardner left on Saturday for New York to buy goods for the China Hall.

Mrs. Jennie R. Hastings was an arrival home from Harrisburg on Monday afternoon.

Hon. William C. Heinle departed Monday afternoon on a business trip to New York city.

Ad. Wolf, of Wolf's Store, Miles township, a prosperous farmer, is serving as a juror this week.

Dr. J. L. Seibert left for Newport, Pa., Tuesday morning, called there by the serious illness of his father.

Sim, of the gentlemen's Emporium, has something interesting to say in his advertisement this week.

Norman Getz moved his family this week to Corry, Pa., where he has been employed for the past three years.

Mrs. A. Wilson Norris, of Harrisburg, was an over Sunday guest of the Misses Blanchard of West Linn street.

Letter carrier E. E. Ardery attended the funeral of Mrs. Minnie B. Ginter at Martha Furnace on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Fenlon left on Sunday for Ebensburg to attend the funeral of Mr. Fenlon's aunt, Miss Margaret Myers.

Reports continue to come in from all parts of the county that the early fruit has been almost entirely destroyed by the cold snap.

Clement Dale, Esq., who is still tarrying in the golden west among the progressive Democrats of Kansas is expected to be home in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Menach and Mrs. W. Harrison Walker attended a social function held by the Shriners at Altoona last Friday evening.

Miss Imogene Hayes, of Union City, Pa., arrived in Bellefonte Monday for a visit to her aunt, Mrs. D. I. Willard and family, of North Thomas street.

W. M. Kreamer, of Fiedler, served as a juror this week. The Democrat is indebted to him and Ad. Wolf, of Miles township, for a call. Both are representative citizens of their locality.

Rev. Jay R. Woodcock with his wife and two children, who have been visiting Mrs. Woodcock's parents at Lemont, passed through Bellefonte Tuesday on their way to their home in Birmingham.

The Bellefonte curb market will open on Saturday morning, May 31st. It is expected there will be a large attendance of farmers with their various products. No doubt they will be well patronized.

All the stores in Bellefonte will be closed tomorrow in honor of Memorial Day. Prudent housewives should take notice of this and purchase their supplies today. The stores will keep open later this evening.

There is a favorable sentiment towards the curb stone market, which should bring the producer and consumer together and enhance the trading in all our stores, a desideratum which has long been wanted in Bellefonte.

Justice Musser, who was a gallant soldier, a member of the 45th Penna. Infantry, (Col. Thomas Welsh, Judge Beaver being Lt. Col.) has been indisposed for a week, but he sticks to his post and administers the law, as he finds it.

M. M. McLaughlin, a prominent attorney of the Mifflin County bar, was interested in a cause in Common Pleas, this week. He has recently taken another help-meet and in twenty years younger now, besides being a bright lawyer.

The young ladies and gentlemen of the Musical club enjoyed themselves on Tuesday evening at the home of one of the members on Bishop St. Although private affairs have been pressing, they promote a zest for music and develop the talent in our community.

Miss Kathryn Kepler, the eleven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Will Kepler, of Pine Grove Mills, was operated on Sunday morning at the Bellefonte hospital for appendicitis. She stood the operation very bravely and getting along nicely, with every prospect for a speedy recovery.

Rev. Wilkes, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Milesburg, who has been ill at the Bellefonte hospital for several months, is now rapidly improving with every prospect of a speedy recovery. This will be good news to his congregation, as well as other friends of Rev. Wilkes.

The Supreme Court of the U. S. affirmed the validity of the indeterminate term laws of Pennsylvania in 1909 and 1911. J. H. Hartry Spencer, A. L. Scholl and Frank L. Moyer, of Williamsport, must serve the time for which sentenced, in connection with the insurance association frauds.

The members of the Rebekah lodge will hold a strawberry social this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hazle, on east Logan street. Besides serving the luscious strawberry, the ladies will have other dainties, including ice cream and cake for sale. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The annual memorial services held by the Knights of the Golden Eagle, will take place on Friday evening of this week in the hall of Bellefonte Castle on Allegheny street. The members of the Ladies' Temple will join in the services, for which an impressive program has been prepared. The meeting will be free to the public.

Mr. Perry Moran, of Fleming, has been a prominent attendant at court this week, having been subpoenaed as a witness in the case of J. W. Bruss vs. Swisher's Estate. Mr. Moran has, for the past eighteen months, been sorely afflicted with lumbago and sciatic rheumatism, for which there are numerous lotions but few permanent cures. We trust he will find the remedy while sojourning in this city.

The circulation of "The Centre Democrat" now is, and for years has been, greater than the combined circulations of the "Keystone Gazette" and the "Democratic Watchman" for the reason that "The Centre Democrat" has TWICE as many subscribers as the "Keystone Gazette," and THREE TIMES as many as the "DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN." Will some one please challenge this statement in a formal manner?

D. F. Poorman, of Runville, is a juror this week.

Mrs. James P. Coburn is enjoying a ten days' visit with friends in Philadelphia.

Mrs. John M. Shugert and son, George, left last Saturday for a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. J. Mac Curtin at Pittsburg.

Miss Helen Irvin, of Reynolds avenue, departed last week for several weeks' visit to friends in Port Matilda and Tyrone.

Miss Campbell, of Philadelphia, is spending some time in Bellefonte as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jordon, of Willowbank street.

Thomas R. Morgan, a first year student at the Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia, has returned home for the summer vacation.

Mrs. Roy F. Brandon is entertaining her mother, Mrs. James I. Daugherty, of Mahoningtown, Pa., who arrived in town last week.

Miss Helen Schaeffer is visiting friends in Philadelphia. Before returning home she will visit for a short time in Columbia and York.

Landolt T. S. Strawn, of the New Kensington Hotel, but formerly a resident of this place, will arrive in Bellefonte about June 1st for several days trout fishing.

Miss Lucy Shooter, of Williamsport, is in Bellefonte as the guest of Miss Sallie Fitzgerald, of South Springs street. She expects to be here until Sunday.

J. Thos. Mitchell, Esq., arrived home on Monday from an extended trip to Memphis, Tenn., and as far West as St. Paul. It was pleasure and business combined.

Rev. Garnes, a young theological student from Susquehanna University, preached two very interesting sermons in the Lutheran church last Sunday morning and evening.

The next big event in Centre county will be the State College Commencement which starts the latter part of next week. This year a large attendance than ever is anticipated.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cook have had as their guests during the past week, Hon. and Mrs. H. C. Shaw, of Hagerstown, Md., and Mr. and Mrs. James K. Boak and their son, of Hughesville.

Sebring's garage received a lot of new overland cars the past week direct from the factory, and a number of them were delivered to waiting customers. The Overland is a great car for the money, and is gaining great popularity in this section.

Mrs. Ellen Shadle, of Thomas street, and her sister, Mrs. Susan Peters, of Pine Grove Mills, departed last week for a two weeks' stay in Philadelphia. Mrs. Shadle has been in ill health for several months and it is hoped the trip may benefit her.

Hon. J. Will Kepler, of Pine Grove Mills, founded our office with a call on Monday. He was in town over Sunday on account of the illness of his daughter who was brought here suffering with appendicitis and underwent an operation in the Bellefonte hospital. Her condition is reported favorable.

Ex-Commissioner Geo. L. Goodhart was in town on Monday and, while here, paid his respects at the Centre Democrat office. Mr. Goodhart takes great interest in the work of the present administration and is more than satisfied that Woodrow Wilson is making good. He predicts good crops in Pennsylvania this year.

In order to accommodate the large amount of advertising offered through the past week, it was necessary to add four columns to this issue. We do this so as not to encroach on the regular amount of news space in the paper. You will find some choice selections, appropriate to Memorial Day, on the inside pages.

Reuben Kaupp, aged about 50 years, employed by the Potter-Hoy Wholesale House, was crushed under a box of cans which he was handling on Tuesday afternoon. He slipped whilst walking the plank and fell, and the box striking him a stunning blow, but not causing any serious injuries. Dr. Dale administered the required alleviation.

Young Bill's Wild West show was here on Saturday and drew a large crowd to the town. In the afternoon they had a full attendance, and the programme presented was pronounced excellent. The equipment was in good shape and some of the features were of a high order. They were fortunate in having good weather, although in the morning the skies were threatening.

Miss Helen Hawes, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Hawes, has been the recipient of a signal honor in her college life in the Western College for Women, Oxford, O. At the annual election she was chosen as the Junior President by practically a unanimous vote. The class numbers about sixty. To be Junior President makes her the leader of the class in all its functions, as well as the presiding officer at the meetings.

There is some talk of a troop of the State constabulary being stationed at Bellefonte in the near future, whose duty it will be to guard the streams and forests against illegal fishing and hunting and be a guard and protection to the public during the building of the new penitentiary in Jenner townships. A troop is comprised of twenty men and if stationed here permanent barracks will have to be built for their accommodation.

On Friday afternoon the Elks home in Bellefonte will be thrown open for the accommodation of the old soldiers who will be here for the usual Memorial Day exercises. They are invited to come in and make that their headquarters; and after the formal exercises the Elks will serve a lunch, as in former years, which always proves a delightful event. Every old soldier who will be here on that day is included in the invitation.

It has been announced to the members of the graduating class of the Bellefonte High school that Miss Mary Kline, daughter of Mrs. John Kline, had been awarded first honors of her class; the second honor place being won by Miss Martha Barnhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James K. Barnhart. At the same time it was announced that Miss Vera Ardery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ardery, of Reynolds Avenue, had been awarded the prize for the annual biographical contest, with Miss Kline and Miss Elizabeth Walker second and third, respectively.

Look out for the Auto Bus Line, June 5th. Wm. Emerick, x-23.

Mrs. Matilda A. Dale departed on Monday for Philadelphia where she will visit friends and relatives.

George Rusnock, of Snow Shoe, was brought to the Bellefonte hospital Monday suffering with rheumatism.

Mr. Jno. Rhinesmith a venerable citizen of the vicinity, returned home on Monday from a visit to his son, Daniel, at Clearfield.

Gottlieb Haag, who holds a respectable position in the P. R. R. shops at Renovo, was on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haag, over Sunday.

James Galbraith, of Boalsburg, a retired farmer and representative citizen of the county, paid the Democrat a pleasant call on Saturday, during a business visit to Bellefonte.

Mrs. John Traxler, of Charles City, Iowa, formerly Miss Sue Rice, is visiting her father, the venerable Henry Rice at Boalsburg, after a sojourn of fifteen months in the Middle West.

Don't forget the annual Academy reception and dance at 8 o'clock this evening in Arcade hall. All friends of the Academy are cordially invited to attend without special invitations as none have been issued.

Mrs. Mary C. Walker, of Salona, spent the forepart of the week in Bellefonte at the home of her son, W. Harrison Walker, of North Allegheny st. Although in her 80th year she is still enjoying good health and spirits.

Mrs. Lizzie Read of Clearfield, Mrs. Eva Apple, of Bellwood and Mrs. Alice Johnsonbaugh, of Martha, all sisters of mail carrier E. E. Ardery, were the guests of him and his family at their home on Reynolds Avenue on Sunday.

Bellefonte has promise of an industrial awakening, as a number of manufacturing establishments have been looking the town over in the past month, and some were favorably impressed with the advantages offered in this community.

Rev. John Hewitt and wife, Geo. T. Bush and Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Hunter, were in attendance this week at the Knight Templar convocate at York. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter will also visit in Philadelphia before returning home.

Mr. John Meek, of State College, has purchased the pool room and cigar parlor in the Bush Arcade formerly owned by Louis Daggert and will conduct the same in the future. Mr. Daggert will still continue his cigar store in the Bush House block.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffer, of Phillipsburg, are rejoicing over the birth of a baby girl which arrived at their home on Saturday last. The little Miss is a great grand-daughter of C. T. Gerberich, of this place, who is naturally quite proud of the new arrival.

Academy expects to serve a good game of base ball to all fans who go out to Hughes Field on Saturday afternoon. Their opponents will be Williamsport High School, a strong team, who are classed as one of the best school teams in the state. Game will begin at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. H. A. McClelland, who for the past year has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Samuel Sheffer, of East Curtin in Philadelphia, has returned here for her home in Denver, Colo. Her nephew Paul Sheffer accompanied her as far as Tyrone to see her safely started on her journey across the continent.

Owing to the indisposition of A. C. Derr, the associate editor of this paper, Hon. W. R. Brierly, of Rebersburg, has favored us with his services for a few weeks until Mr. Derr recovers. Mr. Brierly has had considerable newspaper experience and we are fortunate in securing his services at this time.

Hon. L. S. Walters, of Mt. Carmel, will arrive in Bellefonte on Friday morning to deliver the Memorial address in the afternoon. Owing to business engagements he will have to make his stay in Bellefonte brief, and for that reason will depart the same evening for his home. The programme for Memorial day will appear in another part of this issue.

After a week spent in Altoona during which time he had his steam pressing machine with the hope of "cleaning up" all work in his line, Blaine Port "broke camp" last week and returned to Bellefonte, satisfied that the city offers no better inducements than his hometown. Blaine will again occupy his former room in the Lyric basement, which is now being refreshed with paint.

Just to show what an impartial fellow the stork bird can be on any occasion, he left a fine baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hill on Friday last. Following this previous visit to the same building, when twins were added to the family of Mr. and Mrs. Christy Smith. Music surely hath charms if two members of the well known Smith orchestra can draw the old bird forth with so generous gifts.

The Bellefonte High School baseball team will play their last game of the season, called their Commencement game, Friday afternoon, at 3 o'clock on Hughes field. They will have for their opponents the strong State High School nine and a close and exciting game is expected. The High School ball team have made a good record this year and hope to wind up with a victory over State. Go, out and encourage them ye base ball fans.

Rube Grafmyer, of Milesburg, is now elated over the fact that Bellefonte fishermen have nothing on him. Wednesday last week he caught a trout above the Milesburg bridge, that measured 23 1/2 inches in length. It was so big that he had great difficulty in landing it. Merchant Frank Wetzel, opposite whose store the fish was caught, ran to Grafmyer's assistance with a sack and wading into the creek brought the monster trout to land. It was caught with a minnow.

Roadmaster C. P. Long, the enterprising merchant of Spring Mills, was in town this week attending court. Mr. Long is now giving most of his attention to the rebuilding of the old turnpike through Pennsylvania from Old Fort to the Union county line, under the supervision of the State Highway department. This spring they received a large consignment of improved machinery such as stone crushers, steam rollers, carts and other equipment. Mr. Long is cutting out all the breakers, making fill and reducing grades. Regular courses of crushed limestone are being used and the road is well crowned and properly ditched so that it will be equal to the more expensive roads built by the favored contractors. Mr. Long got his fill money yesterday in business breaking stone on the old turnpike under his father, and he naturally has some practical ideas about road-building. This means that by the end of summer Pennsylvania will have one of the best driveways in the state. He is a good man for the place.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Crider have returned home from a visit to Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rider were over Sunday visitors with friends in Lock Haven.

Clair B. Williams, of Jersey City, was a Bellefonte visitor the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Theodore Ramsey and three children, of Harrisburg, are visiting her mother at Pleasant Gap.

Frank Williams, formerly of this place but now of Altoona, is greeting Bellefonte friends this week.

The ladies of the Lutheran church will hold a sale in the W. C. T. U. rooms on Saturday afternoon.

Philip Beezer is now the proud possessor of a Studebaker automobile. Look out now for a rise in the price of meat.

Mrs. Mary M. Jacobs, of Philadelphia, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Crider, of West Linn street.

Mr. Samuel Morrison and son, Furst, of Tyrone, are visiting Mrs. Morrison's mother, Mrs. Sarah Confer, of this place.

E. R. Auman, a juror from Pennsylvania, called on the Democrat. Mr. A. follows the blacksmith trade about a mile west of Coburn.

Albert Thompson, returned home Tuesday from Williamsport, where he purchased a seven passenger Cadillac for use in his auto livery.

Miss Mary Blanchard will leave for Chicago today to attend the Shearer-Blanchard wedding which takes place the first week in June.

Talmadge Hafer, who was called home by the illness and death of his father, Dr. Hafer, left Monday to resume his studies at Perkiomen Seminary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ray Hoy, of Altoona, were over Sunday guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCoy, of North Thomas street.

A little baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hartman on Logan street Monday evening. Both mother and child are getting along very nicely.

Dr. R. G. Hayes was called to Pittsburgh Tuesday by the serious illness of a younger brother, J. Carol Hayes, of Lehigh Valley, who is quite ill with rheumatism.

A surprise party was held at the home of George Robb at Coleville Tuesday evening in honor of the 62nd birthday of Mrs. Robb. There were quite a number of friends and acquaintances present and all report an enjoyable time.

On Monday evening a man supposed to be Britton Monagan, from the vicinity of Bellefonte, was struck by a N. Y. C. freight train at Newberry and so badly hurt, he could not speak. He is now in the Williamsport hospital, unconscious.

Edmund Hayes, eldest son of Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Hayes, of this place, will be married on June 4th to Miss Alice McGrath, at the latter's home in San Francisco. Mr. Hayes is a traveling representative for R. G. Dunn & Co., with headquarters in Chicago.

S. A. McQuiston, the veteran carriage builder of Bellefonte, has been in the business for fifty-four years, and is still as alert as of yore, although he passed his 83rd milestone on Wednesday, with the congratulations of numerous friends. It is with pleasure that the Democrat editor joins in felicitations to this estimable citizen and widely known business man.

A dance was given at the Logan Hotel House Tuesday evening from eight to eleven o'clock in honor of Miss Woodward, one of the teachers at the High school, who leaves for her home in Carlisle next week. It was under the auspices of the board of trustees.

Mrs. Tanners, who after the dance gave a luncheon and reception at the boarding house. Other social events of the week was a musical Wednesday evening given by Miss Mary Bradley for her pupils at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blair on Spring street, and a birthday surprise party given in honor of the 22nd birthday of John Conley at his mother's home on East Logan street Tuesday evening.

ROLAND MCKINSEY is making improvements around his home by building a new porch and new fence. W. P. Parsons, one of our best chauts left on Saturday for a two days' visit with his sister, Mrs. James Woods, of Osceola.

Mrs. J. E. Anderson, who has been called home on account of her brother's sickness, left on Tuesday for her home in Milton.

Next Sunday evening at 7:30 there will be preaching in the U. B. church by the pastor, Rev. Johnston.

Blair's Williams, wife and little daughter, Ida, of Bellefonte, spent Wednesday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Nora Bodie.

I. F. Davis returned home this week after a two weeks' visit with his son, James, of Altoona.

Miss Edla Alexander, of Bellefonte, was called home on account of the serious illness of her niece, Cadellia, who is very sick at this writing.

J. H. Turner, wife and son Thomas autoed on Sunday to Clearfield, where they spent the day with relatives, returning in the evening.

The U. B. church will hold a festival tomorrow night and Saturday night, May 30 and 31st. Ice cream, cake, candies and fruit will be served. Other duties to go for roofing the church and other repairs that are badly needed. Let there be a good turn out as this is a worthy cause. W. E. Fink, treasurer.

We are very sorry to note the serious accident that happened Roger Williams on Saturday in having his leg broken. We are unable at this time to give the particulars.

Darius Meese and family, of Barnesboro, spent a couple days at the home of David Meese.

John Hallaway and wife, of Trarford, Pa., are visiting the latter's father, Mr. David Meese.

E. S. Bullock is beautifying his home with a fresh coat of paint.

Don't forget the festival at the U. B. church tomorrow night and Saturday night.

Sylvester Williams is rejoicing over the arrival of a fine girl baby.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.  
Wm. B. Gates - - - - - Gatesburg  
Dora G. Harpster - - - - - Stormstown  
Arlie Johnstonbaugh - - - - - Linden Hall  
Luth Eichel - - - - - Centre Hall  
Harry Rice - - - - - Bellefonte  
May Geist - - - - - Unionville

"The Clearfield Progress, successor to the Herald" is the way Clearfield's new paper styles itself. It announces itself as the organ of the progressive party in that county and even the publishing company is the "Progressive."

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES.

The Baccalaureate sermon will be preached in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening, by Dr. George Hawes.

Junior Declamatory Contest, Monday evening, June 2nd, at 8:15 o'clock. Contestants: Catherine Allison, Ruth Altenderfer, Rebecca Fleming, Margaret Gable, Nancy Hunter, Ruth Lambert, Eleanor Parker, Ruth Rupp, Sara Rishel and Sarah Wetzel.

Alumni reception to the graduating class in the Armory at 8:30, Tuesday evening.

Graduating exercises of the class of 1913 in the New Building, at 2:30 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon.

Commencement address on Wednesday evening at 8:15 o'clock, by W. I. Swope, Esq., of Clearfield, Pa.

A general exhibit of sewing, drawing, painting, construction work, commercial papers and science note books will be made on the first floor of the new building, on Tuesday and Wednesday, and a special exhibit of manual training products will be made in the basement of the New Building at the same time. It is the belief of those in charge that these exhibits

of the sort of special attention on the part of the public as the teachers have taken great pains to show what can be done when working under limited financial resources. A most cordial invitation is extended, therefore, to attend any or all of these exercises.

Exercises of Book Binding.

The annual closing exercises of the brick building, which will be held in the New High school on Tuesday morning, the 3rd of June, 1913, at 10 o'clock, a. m. The program is as follows: Opening exercises—schools.

Welcome—Rose Woods, a Song Pennsylvania—Schools. Little Miss June—class. May Queen—exercise. Spring Song—class. The Telephone—class.

Bill's Dream—Betty Lockington. The Brownie—class. The School Festival—exercise. Recitation—Clarence Smeltzer. Goodbye to School—song.

Eighth Grade School Exercises.

The closing exercises of the eighth grade will be held in the New High school building, promptly at 9:45 a. m., on Wednesday, June 19th. Following is the program: March. Good Morning Song. 23rd Psalm. Prayer. Welcome Song. The Brownies.

March. Fan Drill. The Boys in Blue. Hymn of Discontent. Grand High School Ruler Drill Song. Singing O'er the Hills. Ghost Drill. Flowers of the Meadow. Scarf Drill. Dialogue, "When the Cat's Away." Good-bye Song. Presentation of Diplomas.

Memorial Day Program.

The following is the program for tomorrow's Memorial Day services as arranged by Commander S. B. Miller, Adjutant Emanuel Noll of Gregg Post, No. 95 G. A. R.

The parade will form in the Square in front of the Court House at 1:40 p. m. and will move promptly at 2 p. m., led by Company L, 12th Regiment, N. G. P.

In the meantime the school children will meet at the new High school building in charge of Thomas Donahy and teachers and will join the line of parade at the corner of Howard and Allegheny streets.

The procession will then proceed to the cemetery where the following program will be carried out: Prayers, address by Commander of Post. Ode. Prayer by the chaplain. Decoration of graves in honor of all deceased soldiers and sailors. Distribution of flowers to the graves. Bugle call. Assembly. Ode. Firing of salute by Co. L. Taps.

The column will then move to the Court House square and adjourn to the House where the annual Memorial address will be delivered by Hon. L. S. Walters, of Mt. Carmel.

Vocal selections will be rendered both at the cemetery and Court House by a quartette composed of A. Lukenbach, C. C. Shuey, J. P. Smith and L. A. Schaeffer.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies the old soldiers will be the guests of the Bellefonte lodge of Elks at a reception and lunch in the Elks home on High street. Thus all the plans for tomorrow are completed and all that is now desired is fair weather in order that the people may turn out and honor the memory of the nation's defenders who have entered into eternal rest.

Narrowly Escapes Drowning.

On Sunday afternoon about half past three o'clock, Paul Miller, the little three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Miller, of South Water street, narrowly escaped drowning in the big spring. The Miller's live opposite the water works and Paul was playing along the spring, when suddenly getting too close to the edge, he lost his balance and tumbled in. At the point where he fell in, near the flood gates, the water is about ten feet in depth, and Paul, though he paddled bravely soon sank below the surface. At this hour on a Sunday afternoon, there are always a number of people in the vicinity of the Spring, and they were naturally horrified. Their cries brought William Rine, an employee of the water works, to the scene, who seeing the boy's plight, without hesitation plunged into the water and grabbed Paul just as he was going down for the second time, and brought him safely to terra firma. After rolling the boy on the grass for awhile he soon came around all right and is now as well as ever.

This is the second time that Will Rine has proved the right man in the right place. One hot day last summer Miss Heaton of School House Crossing, while leaning over, taking a drink from the Spring, suddenly fainted and fell in. Will promptly went to her rescue and now feels that he is entitled to Carnegie medal.

J. N. Shearer to Wed Miss Blanchard.

Announcement has just been made of the approaching marriage of J. Norman Shearer, formerly of this place, but now of Harrisburg, and Miss Christine Blanchard, of Chicago, daughter of the late Edmund Blanchard, of Bellefonte, which will take place on June 4th at Chicago.

There will be no wedding attendants for the ceremony which will be a quiet one at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and will be followed by a supper for the immediate relatives. After a honeymoon to be spent in the North, Mr. Shearer and his bride will go to Harrisburg.

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by F. P. Blair, F. H. Clemson and R. E. Blair to the Governor of Pennsylvania on the 31st day of June, 1913, at eleven o'clock A. M., under the provisions of an act of Assembly, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved the 29th day of April, 1874 and the supplements and amendments thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation, to be called "CENTRE COUNTY CLAY COMPANY," the character and object of which is the mining of clay and other minerals, master incidentally developed, preparing the same for market and holding lands, and for these purposes also to have power and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges by said act of Assembly and the supplements and amendments thereto conferred.

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rishburg and after July 15, they will be "at home" at 1909 North Front street. Both are favorably known in Bellefonte where the announcement of their coming wedding was received with pleasure.

Penny a Word Adv.

Any subscriber can insert a want advertisement in this column one issue free. If it does not exceed 50 words; charges to others, 50 cent a word, first issue, no advertisement less than 25 cents; two issues 40 cents; three issues 60 cents. No advertisements will be answered from this office.

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