

# BELLEFONTE AND VICINITY

### THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS

—Miss Alice Wilson departed Tuesday for Harrisburg where she will visit friends and relatives.

—Odeen Mallin, son of W. L. Mallin, has accepted a position with the Pennsylvania Railroad at Altoona.

—Miss Mary Rabold, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Nagney, of East High street.

—Mrs. J. Kennedy Johnston and Mrs. Harrison left last Friday for a ten-days' sojourn at Atlantic City.

—Harvest Home services will be held in the Reformed church in this place on Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock.

—Miss Marie Roder, of Baltimore, Md., is a guest at the home of Thomas A. Shoemaker on North Allegheny street.

—Miss Lois Kirk returned home last Friday after a five weeks' visit with friends in Clearfield, DuBois and Kylerstown.

—Mrs. Crissie Tanner left Bellefonte last Friday for her first visit to Atlantic City. She will be gone about ten days.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ward Fleming and little son, of Phillipsburg, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson I. Fleming, of North Spring street.

—Mrs. Geo. Love and little daughter, Maude, of Altoona, were visitors at the home of the former's father, J. H. Cole, at Coleville, last week.

—Postmaster and Mrs. Philip D. Foster of State College, have returned home from a delightful trip to Niagara Falls, Buffalo and Canada.

—Gilbert Beaver, of Yorktown, Pa., son of General and Mrs. James A. Beaver, is a guest at the home of his parents, on Curtin street.

—Robert Morris, head of the firm of Morris & Sheffer, is visiting his wife at Kennebunk Port, Maine, who is spending the summer there with her mother.

—Lieut. James Taylor, who has been off duty the past two months during the summer vacation, left last week for West Point to report for duty as instructor in English at the Military Academy.

—Miss Sarah Bayard, who is an assistant at Atlantic City, is enjoying a two-weeks' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Rankin, of East Curtin street.

—Mrs. John D. Sourbeck has returned to Bellefonte from Jamaica, N. Y., where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Harry Bellinger. Previous to going to New York she spent some time in Atlantic City.

—Mrs. J. E. Ward, wife of Dr. Ward, and her daughter, Isabelle, spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday very delightfully with her aunt, Mrs. E. E. Shoemaker, widow of Elisha Shoemaker, at her home in Hollidaysburg.

—Miss Dorothy Struble and Mr. Walter Struble, of Millintown, returned home Saturday after a pleasant visit of two weeks with their friends, Misses Vivian and Marjorie, of east Howard street, Bellefonte.

—Mrs. Franklyn Hendricks and Mrs. William Tummont, of Pittsburgh, were pleasant callers at the Democrat office, Friday, while in Bellefonte en route to Spring Mills, where they will visit the former's father, the venerable John S. Hoy.

—If the oyster would have had anything to do with it, the names of all months would have been minus the letter "R." It is the first of the month announced the opening of the oyster season, and lovers of the succulent bivalve can now have them added to their bill of fare.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Etters, of Oregon City, Oregon, were guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thompson. They left Saturday, accompanied by the former's step-mother, Mrs. D. Etters, of Clearfield, where they will visit friends prior to leaving for their western home.

—Harry Seanson, of Conneville, who has been spending the past two weeks at the home of his father, the venerable Jas. Seanson, at Linden Hall was in Bellefonte Tuesday en route to his home. Mrs. Seanson will remain for a few weeks longer at the home of her father, Mr. Seanson, at Linden Hall.

—Mrs. Harry Jackson was painfully burned about the face one day this week while at work in the kitchen at her home. The accident was caused by a glass jar, in which tomatoes had been put up, exploding. A part of the contents struck Mrs. Jackson in the face, causing painful though not serious burns. Fortunately she escaped being cut by the fragments of glass.

—Rev. M. J. Stover, of Sunbury, a former well known pastor of the Zion and Snydertown churches of the Lutheran church, was a Bellefonte visitor on Wednesday while transacting business in this vicinity. Rev. Stover is a native of Aronsburg, and keeps informed of the happenings in that vicinity through the columns of The Centre Democrat. His visit to this place was shortened somewhat by his desire to be present at a Sunday school convention being held at Northumberland.

—The Edison talking pictures were well received by fair sized audiences at the opera house on Saturday afternoon and evening. As this was the first appearance of this entertainment in Bellefonte, it is safe to say that one-third of the people did not realize the merits of the wonderful invention of Edison, and confused it with a cheap form of talking pictures with which the local public was familiar. The Edison talking pictures are wonderfully true and lifelike, and should the managers play a return date we predict that Bellefonte will be more appreciative.

—The Sunday school rally held by the United Brethren church in this place last Sunday morning proved in every particular as interesting and successful as had been predicted. The seating capacity of the church and Sunday school room was taxed to the limit by the large congregation of four hundred and two persons who were present. The sacred music rendered by "Our Boys Band," of Milesburg, under the direction of F. L. Wetzler, was heartily appreciated. Dr. Hawes' inspiring address on modern Sunday school work was highly instructive of much good in this important line of church work. An offering of \$52 was lifted which will be applied to liquidating the debt in connection with the basement improvements.

### DELONG FAMILY REUNION.

One of the most enjoyable home-coming that we can describe, and one long to be remembered, took place last Saturday and Sunday at the hospitable home of Hugh S. DeLong, near Howard.

It was occasioned by the visit of Mr. DeLong's son, LeRoy and family, of Seattle, Washington, who had not been home for five years. The home of Mr. DeLong is in charge of a daughter, Mrs. Thos. McCloskey, who spared no pains in making ready for the happy occasion. It will be seven years next January since the family were all together, and the only regret at the late reunion was, that one of the daughters, Mrs. M. M. Maugher, and family, who have been homesteading for over four years, at Leon, Montana, could not be present.

The first of the family to arrive was LeRoy and wife and two children, who came on Friday after their five-day trip from Seattle, and departed on Wednesday morning for Columbus, Georgia, to visit at the home of Mrs. DeLong, before returning West. All joined in making merry, and many happy reminiscences were recalled, forgetting that several years may elapse before they shall meet again. Those present were, H. S. DeLong, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCloskey and son Charlie Roy, Mrs. Jacob Beightol and daughter Ruth, and Mrs. Snow Shoe; Dean R. DeLong, of Uniontown; C. V. DeLong, and son Hugh, of Homestead; LeRoy DeLong, wife and two children, Alice and Elsie, of Seattle; H. E. Rodman, and daughter, Ruth, of Birmingham, Ala.; N. I. Wilson, wife and daughter, Winifred, and sons, Hugh and Newton, Jr., of Warriors Mark; E. W. Kline and mother, of Howard; Mrs. Lydia Jones, and grand daughter, Theophilus, of Bush Creek, and Mr. and Mrs. John Abbott, of Blanchard.

### BIERLY FAMILY REUNION.

The first annual reunion of the Bierly family was held at Nippono park, Lock Haven, on Wednesday of last week, with about 150 descendants of the Bierly family in attendance. A formal organization of the association was effected by the election of the following named officers: B. M. Bierly, Jersey Shore, president; Thomas Bierly, Mill Hill, first vice president; Chas. Brumard, Salona, second vice president; Dudley Roubalough, Jersey Shore, third vice president; Edward Bierly, Keating, secretary; Frank E. Ritter, Lock Haven, assistant secretary; May Bierly, Jersey Shore, treasurer; James I. Paul, Williamsport, historian; Professor Henry Meyers, Rebersburg, assistant historian.

The officers of the association will constitute the executive committee. The program and amusement committee, composed of James I. Paul, Frank E. Ritter, Benjamin Miller, W. A. Rigless, E. E. Slopey and Professor Henry Meyers.

The day was most pleasantly spent at the park and a fine dinner was served. During the day addresses were made by B. M. Bierly, Edgar Ritter, James I. Paul, Frank E. Ritter, R. L. Bierly and B. F. Bierly.

### Thompson Family Reunion.

Everything has or had a beginning and an end except eternity. So had the reunion in our family a beginning. Those who had contemplated the assembling of the Olive Branch Union Bible School, at the old home, at last it became decisive and on last Saturday the 30th, the gathering took place. It was only those whose children have grown up under the parental roof and gone out from that home, that can fully realize the joy, that comes to those parents' hearts when a gathering of this kind takes place. On Saturday morning the parents came from their respective homes and by 10 o'clock every child with their husbands and wives and families were on the ground ready to help make the day a joyful one for all present. After greeting each other (the day being a delightful one) we all took up the various amusements that generally go to make those occasions a pleasure. They consisted of target-shooting, quills, ball game, phonograph, and instrumental music. At the noon hour all gathered around a large table (32 ft. long and 4 ft. wide) laden with the good things brought from the four points of the compass. After being seated at the table, and singing "Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow," and thanks being returned to the Giver of all good gifts, we partook of a bounteous repast. They had all come with laden hearts, and in order that there might not be taken up twelve baskets, we decided to again surround the table in the evening. After invoking God's blessing, we all partook of a hearty supper. It was unanimously decided to again hold a reunion next year. With the singing of "Don't Forget the old folks," "God be with you till we meet again," and good bye, we bade each other farewell and thus ended our first reunion. In all there were forty present.

### A Message From Missioner Crittenden.

We publish below the copy of a letter recently received by Supt. James Rote for this Bible school in Coleville; To the Members of the Olive Branch Union Bible School, My very dear friends:—

After spending a happy residence of forty-two years in Bellefonte, an unexpected special providence directed us to this beautiful city of Bethlehem, Pa., where we are now comfortably, quietly and pleasantly settled in our new dwelling-place surrounded by green velvety lawns, flower beds, shade trees and pathways in all directions.

We hear our Heavenly Father's voice saying to us in Gen. 2:3, "Sojourn in this land, and I will be with thee, and will bless thee." And our prayer is:—

"Take us under thy protection, Grant us to obey thy voice, Simply follow thy direction, To thy will resign our choice.

From our cozy little home where we spend the remaining days of our life, we realize that it is only a three-minute walk to the Moravian church where we regularly worship, the services according to scripture, consisting chiefly in praising the Lord. Thus in your Olive Branch Bible School, they praise part of its exercises are always attractive and enjoyable, inasmuch that Miss Russel Cole's Bonnie Wee Bairs and Miss Helen Billet's Safeguard class of little boys; some of them I am told, cry when anything happens to keep them from the school. In connection with your Olive Branch hymn, "The Happy Time is Coming," perhaps you can add the following stanzas:—

"The holy union God affords By the salvation we set forth In Jesus only name, Cause all disharmony and strife In Christian lands to cease, And give to all the flocks of Christ Love, union, truth and peace."

The good Lord sparing my life and giving me strength, I hope to see you all once more some happy day in your Olive Branch Chapel. Believe me as ever cordially yours in the name that is above every name, and may God's gracious blessing abide with you all abundantly more and more.

R. CRITTENDEN, Bethlehem, Pa. August 26, 1913.

### UNIONVILLE.

Rev. James A. Pratt and wife, after spending a couple weeks very pleasantly at the former's old home, returned on Sunday to their present home in Norristown.

Miss Mary E. Griest has gone to New Castle for a few weeks' outing.

Mrs. Dora Stonebreaker at the Harry Ridge, visited her aged mother, Mrs. Finch, over Sunday.

Miss Martha Barnhart, the pretty, charming daughter of banker James K. Barnhart, of Bellefonte, was a one-day guest of Miss Margaret Bruzger.

Mrs. Holderman, of Jersey Shore, is passing the time pleasantly at the home of her son Ashbery.

Mrs. Lula Clapper, of Altoona, with her charming daughters and curly-headed son is visiting her mother, Mrs. Frances Ammerman.

Miss Mamie Snoke and her brother, Raymond Snoke, went to Clearfield on Tuesday to attend the funeral of their father, which was held there on Thursday. Mr. Snoke died at the hospital resulting from the effects of an operation.

Mr. Eason and Mrs. Lutz, a duo of representative citizens of Lock Haven, were recent visitors at the home of the former's brother, W. H. Eason, Esq.

The Ladies Aid society "scraped" in \$25.00 out of their festival on Saturday.

Miss Malissa Bing, the pretty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Bing, of Pittsburgh, while on a visit to her grandmother at this place, lost a gold locket with a cross engraved on one side and a bird on the reverse side. She thinks she lost it on the Main road. If the finder will leave it with her grandmother, Mrs. Bing, they will confer a lasting favor to the dear little Miss Malissa.

Thelma Diehl, of Julian, has moved into E. J. Williams house vacated by him on Monday.

Fisher's cider making plant will be in operation on Tuesday and Saturday of each week during the season commencing next Tuesday, September 9th.

Miss Margaret McDonnell, one of our most charming and accomplished young ladies who graduated with honors from the Bellefonte High school last spring will enter the Rose Business College at Johnstown, where she will take a thorough course in stenography, typewriting and book-keeping. Success be yours, Margaret.

A good joke on Harry! Listen. Old Mrs. Rumor, who always tells a good deal more than she knows, reported that handsome Harry Kerchner was to be married to one of our very best and prettiest girls on a certain Tuesday not long ago. The prospective bride had gone to Altoona on a visit to her brother and on the Tuesday reported to be his wedding day Harry donned his best "bib and tucker" and went to Altoona, returning a few days after but without his would-be bride, and positively denied that he was married. Now for the joke! Harry Diehl, a practical joker sent out a score or more postal cards to as many different furniture dealers, hardware stores, etc., requesting them to send him catalogues of their business stating that he had just been married and wanted to furnish his home with such household paraphernalia as follows: the furniture, in person and in catalogues and polite letters from scores of business men came to the office in the name of Harry Kerchner. One dealer more enterprising than the others came in person and inquired relative to Harry's financial standing. Harry says he has enough reading matter to keep him busy for a year. It was a good joke, well played, and one appreciated it more than Harry.

On last Monday, Sept. 1st, one of our young ladies arrived at another mile post in her journey through life. To make what milestone, anyway she is just 32. The women's club of which she is a member, conceived the idea to give her a great surprise. At least a score of our good ladies entered into the plot. The place fixed for the celebration of the birthday was at the home of F. A. Holderman. The name of the surprise was a "stocking shower." The conspirators had all assembled at their "rendezvous" and the hostess suspended above the door in such a way that when the victim entered a basket full of foot wear would be dumped over her head. Accordingly shortly after 8 o'clock, one of the young ladies, a niece of the victim, acting as chief conspirator, lured the said victim to go with her to the foresaid place on pretext to get some lace. When they arrived at the said home, the guide lingered a little so as to give the victim a chance to enter first. Innocently the poor girl entered and, of course the trap was sprung and she was deluged in a cloud burst of hosiery. She simply screamed when the crowd of conspirators rushed out and whooped her up for all there was in her. Then to the wee hours of the night was spent in social chat, eating ice cream and cake, telling yarns and chin music generally. The harvest was 28 pair of hose. The fun they had was 100 per cent. above par.

### Expanding Beer Bottle Causes Injury.

On Saturday evening about half past seven, George Green, a colored man, employed at the Brockhoff House, met with quite a serious mishap, as the result of an exploding beer bottle, and it is feared he may lose the sight of his right eye, although the doctors have hopes of saving it.

George's work among other things, is assisting the bar tenders, and at the time of the accident he was engaged in putting bottles of beer into a tub, partly filled with ice. Suddenly one of the bottles exploded and the broken glass struck the boy in the right eye. He was at once taken to the Bellefonte hospital where his injuries were attended by Dr. Seibert. Fortunately the glass did not enter the eye directly and for this reason it is hoped the eye may not be affected. He is eighteen years of age and a son of William Green, porter at the Brockhoff House.

### Don't Place Loose Coins in Mail Boxes

As a result of postmaster's letter at rural delivery office, and of rural carriers is again directed to the fact that rural carriers are not required to collect loose coins from rural mail boxes.

Patrons should inclose coins in an envelope, wrap them securely in paper or deposit them in coin-holding receptacle so they can be easily and quickly taken from boxes and carriers will be required to lift such coins and, when accompanied by mail for disbursement, attach the requisite stamps.

Carriers who lift coins not so inclosed, wrapped or deposited will do so purely as a matter of accommodation and not by any direction or requirement of the Department.

While the fair has many attractions it is nothing cleaner or more entertaining than is found at the scenic, splendid programs every evening.

## Penny a Word Adv.

Any subscriber can insert a want advertisement in this column one issue free, if it does not exceed 25 words; charges for others, one 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.

HOUSES—For sale and rent. J. M. Keichling, Bellefonte, Pa. 4-50

FOR SALE—A sorrel horse, four years old. Roy Hoy, Zion. 231

FOR SALE—One horse delivery wagon, cheap. Inquire of Gillen grocery. 231

WANTED—Boy to drive wagon and work in store. Call at Gillen's grocery. 231

WANTED—A second handed snare drum. Address Geo. E. Wise, Rebersburg, Bell. phone. 231

WANTED—Wood choppers, at 55c per cord, and pit post makers. C. W. Korman, Curtin, Pa. 231

FOR SALE—Three cows and four head of young cattle. Inquire O. L. Fetzer, Yarnell, Pa. 231

FOR SALE—Good horse & lot in Valley View. Cash or payments. Call on James Eckley, Valley View. 231

WANTED—Registered Guernsey cow and two gray cows or heifers. W. H. Crebs, Madisonburg. 231

FOR SALE—Timothy seed. Inquire of S. H. Jacob F. Hoy, Bellefonte, Pa. Commercial phone. 231

FOR RENT—Desirable dwelling house on High street, recently occupied by Chas. R. Kurtz. Apply at this office. 231

WANTED—Vise hands, floor hands and machine hands, not-sit-in. Ready work, good pay. Address Post office box 184 Erie, Pa. 231

FOR SALE—Pull blooded Rhode Island Red chickens from State College. Eggs 50 cts, a setting. George W. Zerby, Tusseyville 1234

WANTED—Girl to work in restaurant kitchen; wages \$5. Call or address A. C. Lonzer, State College. 231

FOR SALE—Good house and lot, located on old Boalsburg pike, 3 miles south of Bellefonte. Inquire of William Colpeizer, Bellefonte, Pa. 231

FOR SALE—Or exchange for a colt, a large bay horse; also a lot of fine Chester white pigs. S. H. Hoy, Bellefonte, Pa. Commercial phone. 231

FOR SALE—Registered Jersey bull, also a grade Jersey bull, bred by "Golden Prince" of Laurel Run. Inquire of W. H. Crebs, Madisonburg. 231

FARMS—Large and small, limestone soil, in Blair, Centre and Huntingdon counties. Send for catalogue. G. C. Walter, P. O. Box 252, Tyrone, Pa. 231

FOR SALE—Cheap! Four horsepower Inter national gasoline engine on stand, ready for water cooled. Garbrier Bros, opposite Big Spring, Bellefonte. Both phones. 231

FOR SALE—A good farm of 200 acres, in Warriors Mark Township, Huntingdon County. A good bargain to country buyers. Address Bert Beck, Exr. Warriors Mark, Pa. 231

INSURANCE—Insure your town and farm property in the Lykens Valley Mutual Fire Insurance Company. Established in 1854. Rates for fire to fifty per cent lower than board companies. Losses promptly settled. Earle C. Tuten, Agent, Bellefonte, Pa. 231

STOCKS—Eggs and yearling stock—single comb brown and white Leghorn, White Wyandottes, Barred Rocks, Pekin Ducks, and Pearl Guinea. H. K. Mattern, Locust Hill, York, Pa. 231

FOR SALE—A good milk cow, 4 of these cows have been fresh within the last 4 months. 1 to be fresh soon and the balance to freshen during Dec. Give a well bred Holstein bull calf, owned by R. J. Hartle, Bellefonte, Pa. R. F. D. 3 231

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT—At the head of Marsh Creek, 126 acres, 30 acres clear, balance in timber. Good water, fruit of all kinds. Address Harry Kessling, Snow Shoe, Pa. x-36

FARM—For sale or exchange; situated about 5 miles west of Bellefonte containing 100 acres, about being cleared, balance in timber; good house, bank barn and other outbuildings; fruit and well on farm. Will sell cash on terms, or exchange for property. Call on owner monthly rent. Address A. I. Garbrick, Bellefonte, Route 1. 231

## EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Dr. Philip S. Fisher, late of Zion, Centre county, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary in the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make payment and those having claims against said estate are requested to present the same duly authenticated for settlement without delay to—

LIDDEH FISHER, Executrix. State College, Pa. 230

## VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.

Wm. Bell offers at private sale, a fine house, barn, saw mill and 25 acres clear land, situated between Tyroneville and Rebersburg along the main road. Also 200 acres of mountain land, well timbered, a good water power saw mill, planer, chop mill and all wood working machinery. The clear land contains a good variety of general crops. This property should be made a valuable summer resort. Will sell so easy terms. Call on or address Wm. Bell, Tyroneville Clinton Co. Pa. 230

## ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Amanda Decker, late of Penn Township, deceased.

Letters of administration in the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Centre County, Pennsylvania, all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby requested to make payment and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same duly authenticated without delay to—

EDWARD F. DECKER, Administrator. Spring Mills, Pa. AMMON O. DECKER, 230 Bellefonte, Pa. Aaronburg.

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Eggs	25c
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Wheat, White	80c
Rye	70c
Corn	75c
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Barley	60c

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