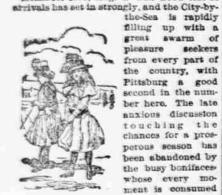


The continued cool weather has been a double satisfaction to the stay-at-home. He has been comfortable and he has saved the has been spending. Still there is a general vim of prosperity running through the reports from the various outing places and they make very interesting reading for both these at home and those away.

ATLANTIC CITY IS HAPPY.

The Weather Is Propitious and the Hotels Are Full of People. SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR. ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 1 .- The flood tide of



from every part of the country, with Pittsburg a good ber hero. The late anxious discussion touching the perous season has been abandoned by the busy bonifaces ment is consumed in looking after the

needs of their guests. Perhaps the early nmer months fell below general anticipaut there is no use crying over spilt milk, particularly as there is every indication that the future will amply atone for the past. Not for many years has the rainfall been so large at Atlantic City, and to this fact alone is due any shortcomings in the secord, and now that the weather has intimated its willingness to let up for a while here remains no obstacle in the path of the sland's prosperity. At present many of the larger hotels are

filled to overflowing, and, what is even bet-ter, are booked until the middle of September. This means that the season will be a long one. At the smaller hotels and cot-tages the colony of guests is proportionately assuring, so there is no immediate cause for

BETTER FISHING OF LATE. A factor that will have an important in-

finence in bringing about an increase in the umber of visitors is the marked improvement in fishing, which came during the ourrent week. Until then the sport had been backward. Cool weather and a ce of northers kept the fish in vators, from which they could not l. On this account there was but ag in these waters. It is true that iring captains of fishing yachts aveigh prospective patrons with security of tremendous schools of continuance of northers kept the fish in southern waters, from which they could not be tempted. On this account there was but little fishing in these waters. It is true that the despairing captains of fishing yachts sought to inveige prospective patrons with glowing accounts of tremendous schools of fining beauties only waiting to be hooked, but that is an old take of the local salts, and one against which gulieless visitors should be warned. Until this week the proverbial fisherman's luck has prevalled.

At present the sport could not be more exciting. The other day if yachts, loaded with enthusiastic anglers, were counted in one group, and the lines swished through the water at a lively rate as the gamy victims were dragged into the boats. That evening over five tons of hig drumfish were plied on the wharf at the laiet, representing the catch of the fishing fleet. If yoo have never reanglet an admit drumfish you don't know prominent arrivals at the Wiltshire.

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B. T. Watson, a prominent Pittsburg law yer, is resting from legal cares at the Bright law of Pittsburg, are at the Charlonte. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Fisher are enjoying the Chalfonte's Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Fisher are enjoying the Chalfonte's Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Fisher are enjoying the Chalfonte's Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Fisher are allowed the highly and the Chal pay a visit to his old haunts at Brig-each, just across the Inlet, and that we that the drumfish are biting. An and fish, and drum frequently tip the at the 160 mark, struggling and fightng at the end of an ordinary line precip-tates a battle not to be despised by the nest muscular of sportsmen. There is no

For those who prefer less isborious angling there is plenty of giversion in taking weakfish, which are also unusually plentiful at the resent time. To get them it is not necessary to go outside into rough water, and for this reason the species is popular with the visitors who are subject to attacks of seasickness. The shallow and placid waters of the Thoroughfare are well stocked with weakfish, and are much frequented by the milder enthusiasis. The small weakfish began to come into the Thoroughfare this week, and great numbers were caught.

One visitor succeeded in catching 54 weakfish on flood tide the other day. This is considered a highant in face of the wholesale depreciations of the net pirates, against whom the visitors are beginning to compatin. If these marsuders had their way there would not be a tish taken by hook in the Thoroughfare. Their wholesale pilfero go outside into rough water, and for this

her Thoroughfare. Their wholesale piller-ing is injurious to the fishing, and, aithough here is a State Fish Warden appointed to seep an eye open to prevent the stretching of nets, the practice is resorted to openly. Hardly a day goes by that is not marked Birdiy a day goes by that is not marked by the rescue from drowning of one or more incautious bathers who, overestimating their swimming prowess, venture out so far that they are unable to return without assessance. Thanks to the vigilance of the volunteer lifeguards there have as yet been no fatulities this season, but the bathers are daily growing more careless, and it is probable that the batch will before long be the scene of some sad accident caused by recklessness. It is proven by statistics that more people are rescued every year by any two of the Atlantic City life guards than by the whole Government life saving service along the coast in live years, and yet these preservers of human life are compelled to depend for support on voluntary contributions which are notoriously meagre and on the seanty warms received from proprietors of bath houses. Last week's donations to the contribution boxes of these guards footed up to exactly if cents.

tribution boxes of these guards footed up to exactly 34 cents. THE MIDGET MERMAID. Among the thousands of regular bathers borne off by a 3-year-old baby, the child of a rayed in a bathing suit the tiny tot presents an interesting spectacle, and on account of her infatuation for the water has been dubbed the "Midget Mermaid." A large crowd of speciators collects every morning to watch the haby bather go in the surf. When released on the beach by her nurse she makes a dash for the water into which she goes bravely ahead until knocked end-wise by a hig breaker, which sends her roll-ing nead over heels up on the strand. Nothing head over heels up on the strand. Nothing daunted she makes a second assault on the billows, and occasionally succeeds in going out to such a depth that she has to be "rescued" by Jack Williams, the Hogunrd, who patrois the spot. The "Midget Mermaid" has taken a great liking to Williams, and every day he swims with her far out to sea, holding the beit of her little blouse between his teeth. During the journey shasometimes grabs him by the hair, which means that he is to dive under the water with her. She comes up dripping like a drowned rat and as happy as a sand-paper. There is not one woman out of ten who is brave enough to put her head under the water while bathing; and the unider the grand" is retarded as somewhat

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agitation of the bathing suit question.

was sufficiently voluminous to accommodate within its ample folds six people of average size. It hung in long folds from his arms and feet, while several barrel hoops worn about his waist beneath the blouse served to infinte the ludicrous garment. The appearance of a costume like this on the beach at Asbury Park or almost any other watering place would have brought the entire police force down on the daring loker.

ANY BATHING SUIT WILL GO. Here, these little affairs are managed differently. Knowing the temper of the crowd the minions of the law did not interfere. When the beach habitues wearied of the Jester's grotesque antics they swooped down upon him, carried him out into the surf and ducked him until he was glad enough to ery quits. The bathing suits worn by the fair bathers at this resort are often startling, but earliers at this reservative restricting, the rarely immedest. Sleaveless suits are so common as to attract little or no notice. If a girl took into her head to abandon stockings, as some have done already, she could do it without being made uncomfortable by unfavorable comments.

unfavorable comments.

The social event of the season was a grand The social event of the season was a grand charity ball given last night at the United States Hotel in aid of the Children's Seasione Home and the Mercer Memorial Home for Invalid Women. Mrs. Francis Howard Williams headed the Committee on Arrangements, which was composed of many well known leaders of Philadelphia and Pittsburg society. well known leaders or running the pittsburg society. The old familiar cry, "Where are the young men?" attered by despairing matrons with marriageable daughters, is heard louder and more plaintively tana ever. Never before has the struction been more desperate than at the present time.

Prof. Carl Retter, of Pittsburg, who is a regular Atlantic City cottager, arrived the other day with his oldest daughter. Miss Lulie E. Retter, who has been visiting her grandmother in Pittsburg. Prof. Retter is an accomplished musician, being organist

an accomplished musician, being organist at both the Jewish Synagogue and the Calvary P. E. Church. He will remain here for the rest of the season.

Ed. Gibson and F. Long are among the recently arrived Pittsburg guests at the Mansion.

J. M. Scott and Mrs. William Sindram are among the recent Pittsburg guests to register at the San Marcos.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Buchanan, of Allegheny, are enjoying themselves at the Albiton. the-Sea is rapidly pleasure seekers

tion.
Louis Reizensten, of Allegheny, is taking life easy at the Waverly.
R. S. Riddle, Miss Mary A. Riddle, Miss Annie R. Riddle, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Aufhammer and Miss Sadie Aufhanmer are among
the Pittsburg sojourners at the Luray.
Mr. and alra W. J. Murray, of Pittsburg,
have comfortable quarters at the Albion.
J. D. Riley and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Frederick, of Pittsburg, are being entertained at
the Stickney.

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C. E. Shirley is among the Pittsburg newcomers at the Luray.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Weaver and daughter, of Pittsburg are domiciled at the Jackson House for an indefinite stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Neath and L. D. Bancroft of Pittsburg, are making a pleasant visit to the Albion.

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A piessant party of Pittsburg sojourners at the Lurny includes: Mr. and Mrs. James W. Grove, Miss Bessie B. Davidson, Miss Jeanette O. Grove, Miss Elizabeth N. Grove and Miss Mary Hickey.

J. Albert and Mrs. S. E. Krester and daughter, of Pittsburg, are making an agreeable stay at the Wiltshire.

J. E. Bridge and S. G. Mennor, of the Pittsburg offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad, are among the recent arrivals at the Jackson House.

Miss N. Kaylor, Miss J. Kaylor and Miss C. Kagle form an attractive trie of Pittsburg guests at the Kendeton.

H. G. O'Brien, a well-known Pittsburg iron manufacturer, is enjoying a merry sun-shine outing. He is registered at the West-John J. Dowling, of Pittsburg, is among

the newcomers at the Westminister.
C. H. Captman, of Pittsburg, arrived at the State Capitol during the week for a brief J. White and Isaac Jacobs and family, of J. White and Isaac Jacobs and family, of Pittsburg, are at the United States. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCevey, of Pittsburg, are resting at the Seaside House. Mr. and Mrs. Bobert L. Kester, of Pitts-burg, are at the St. Charles, for a prolonged stay.

pany of Pittsburg, are among the week's prominent arrivals at the Wiltshire.

E. Gregg, of Pittsburg, has joined the seashore colony at the Aiblon.

J. Derrington, of Pittsburg, is a popular guest at Kuehnle's Hotel.

Miss Lida Young, of Pittsburg, is an attractive sojourner at the Eldredge.

A. M. Myers and F. Weiler, of Pittsburg, have arrived at the Waverly for a brief stay. stay. Edward Ward, of Pittsburg, lately placed

his name on the Westminster's register.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Smyth, of Pittsburg, arrived at the Mansion Tuesday for a brief vacation outing.

Miss Carrie Hill and Miss Jennie Morris, of urg, are being well entertained at the

Maverly, are being well entertained at the Waverly, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heck, of Pittsburg, are registered at Kuehnle's Hotel with their family.

Mrs. E. B. Bliss, Miss Lillie Boyce and R. Brecht, of Pittsburg, are domiciled at Heckler's Hotel. Brecht, of Pittsburg, are domiciled at Heckler's Hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Bissell and children,
P. Kelle and George Schoen are among the
Pittsburgers at the Albion.
W. M. Morrison, of Pittsburg, is making
merry at the Wiltsbire.
Miss ida Young, Miss Sallie Lysle and Miss
Bonnie Young, of Allegheny, are social leaders at the Wentworth.
James McDane, of Pittsburg, is here for a
brief pleasure visit. He is located at the
Baltimore House.
J. H. Donovan, of Pittsburg, is a daily
beardwalk promenader. He is registered at

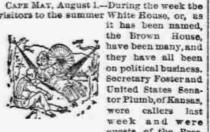
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George A. Wrigley, of Pittsburg, is among the late arrivals at the Wentworth.

The following Pittsburgers are registered at the Horne cottage at Atlantic City: Mr. John Hutcheon and wife, Mrs. Harry Zeigler, Miss Marcella Lynch, Miss Bell Lacock, Mrs. Maggie Parks, Miss Lettin J. Lacock, Mrs. Grace Lacock, Mr. James I. Hall and mother, Mr. James Parks, Miss Maggie Parks, Miss Rebecca Lacock, Mr. John Lacock.

HARRISON IN THE SURF.

His Bathing Rig Is Fitted With All the PEPECIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISPATOR.



it has been named, the Brown House, week and were guests of the President at his cottage. Early this week ex-

week and were guests of the President at his cottage. Early this week exSenator Warner Miller, of Nicaragua Canal fame arrived at the cottage and remained one evening closeted with the President. The result of his visit was the appointment of ex-State Senator J. Stoat Fasest, of New York, as Collector of Customs for the port of New York, as Collector of Customs for the port of New York, as Collector of Customs for the port of New York, as Collector of Customs for the port of New York, as Collector of Customs for the port of New York, in place of Collector Erhardt. Mr. Fassett was to have been at Cape May to-day. Secretary Tracy, of the Navy portfolio, arrived Monday and was with the President mearly a whole day. Tuesday General John W. Foster, examinister to Russia, to Spain, to Mexico, and just now attorney at Washington for the Chinese and other governments, who has been negotiating a treaty with Spain and San Domingo on the principles of reciprocity, came down here with Thomas W. Cridler, head of the Diplomatic Bureau of the State Department, to make the final arrangements with the President and arrange the details previous to the issuing of the proclamstion by the President declaring the treaty in effect. Nearly every train brings someone who wants to see the Fresident to a mimportant business, and others which have only business which concerns themselves.

THE PRESIDENT IN THE SURP.

The favorite pastime of the Presidental family bathes except Mrs. Harrison, who does not eare for bathing. They are in the water every noon. The whole President is beginning to be an excellent swimmer, but is not at all venture out, and does not go out beyond the manufacture of the control of the control of the president is beginning to be an excellent swimmer, but is not at all venture out, and does not go out beyond the manufacture. Mrs. A. J. Ricklesson, with the president is beginning to be an excellent swimmer, but is not at all venture out, and does not go out beyond the control of the president is beginning to be an e

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out beyond her depth, but so far this season has not experienced the danger of drowning which it will be remembered she had last

has not experienced the danger of drowning which it will be remembered she had last season, while floating on a raft in the waves, which carried her out, and then oleverly turned her off into the water without warning. She can swim and float. Lige Halford is fond of swimming, and is getting along well at the art. At first he did not take to it, and was here over a week before he could be induced to bathe. He was finally persuaded to go in by the persistency of the newspaper men, with whom he has become a decided favorite, and now thanks them for their coaxing. He is feeling the excellent results of sea bathing, and is gaining flesh and ploking up in health rapidly.

The prettiest lady in a bathing suit is Miss Alice B. Sanger, the President's stenographer. She wears a neat blue bathing suit with white trimmings, and is envited by many of the belies at the Cape. Miss Sanger can float nicely, and is an excellent swimmer. She does all the latest tricks in the water, and is a perfectly bewitching mermaid. The President's suit is all fixed up with patents, mostly presents from various firms, to advertise their goods, and they are used with comfort to the President. When he comes out of the water he has a little tube by which he blows all the water out of his suit, and before he gets to the bathhouse the dripping water is off of his clothes. He never bathes without his grandson, Benjamin, and pays much attention to him.

LIGE FRATERNIZED WITH REPORTERS. The other afternoon when Lige Halford was attending the Cape May ball game, he was sitting in the reporters' stand, and re-lated many instances of his own experience in reporting ball games in Indianapolis.

Cardinal Gibbons returned to Baltimor on Tuesday morning, after having passed

on Tuesday morning, after having passed two weeks very pleasantly here at the cottage of Mr. C. Thomas, of Philattelphia, on Ocean street. He has been enjoying himself and his health is much better than it was when he came. He has been suffering in threarly summer with la grippe, and came here to wear off the bad effect. He is now perfectly well, and went to Baltimore much happier than when he came.

This evening the leading cottagers and hotel guests tendered a testimonial concert and hop to Prof. Simon Hassler, the popular leader of the Congress Hall orchestra. The affair was the leading society event of the season.

W. A. Stanton and his accomplished wife, of Pittsburg, are enjoying Stockton life. Mr. Stanton is a son of the late Hon. M. Hall Stanton, of Philadelphia.

Among the Windsor's most prominent

PITTSBURGERS AT THE CAPE.

Among the Windsor's most prominent
Pittsburg guests, who arrived Wednesday,
were Mrs. B. S. Brobst and Mrs. H. Shelly.
D. W. Risher, of Pittsburg, came to Congress Hall this week for a long visit.
Mr. and Mrs. D. McGowan, of Steubenville,
O., are enjoying a most pleasant sojourn at
Cape May Point.
Among Allegheny residents at Cape May
Point are Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hazzard, who
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Another bevy of Alieghenians at the Point are Mrs. J. S. Mabon, Miss McCance, Mrs. Hugh McNeill and Miss Lizzie McNeill.
C. K. Ramsey, of Pittsburg, is enjoying Cape May seabreezes.
Miss Catharine Darsie, of Sewickley, is again enjoying a pleasant visit to friends here.
Charles F. Harbaugh and interesting family, of Sewickley, are occupying handsome apartments at a Cape May Point hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Braun, Mrs. R. A. Scott and Miss Annie Hammond, of Allegheny, have joined the colony from that city this week.
Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Darsie and family are stopping at Cape May Point for a few weeks.

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Among the arrivals Wednesday were E. P. Wright and wife, of Pittsburg.

Miss Grace Nebecker, of Washington, daughter of United States Treasurer Nebecker, is a Stockton guest. Miss Nebecker was said to be the prettiest American woman in Paris last winter.

A party of Pittsburgers at the Wyoming are B. S. Johns, wife and children, and Mr. and Mrs. William Flyndman.

Frank C. Neale is a Congress Hall guest.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ricker are making a long stay at Congress Hall. They are registered from Pittsburg.

State Senator D. Meade Massle, of Chillicothe, O., with his accomplished wife, are guests of Congress Hall. They were among the callers at the Presidental cottage last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hackett and daugh.

Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Gladen and Mrs. D. W. Ricker, of Pittsburg, with their last summer friends, Colonel and Mrs. Owen Stewart, of Kentucky, and Miss Myrtle Kilkeny, of New Orleans, have joined the elegant circle at Congress Hall for a long stay.

Monday Mrs. George W. Black, Misses Elizabeth, Martha and Ellen Black, and Master John G. Black arived at Congress Hall for a four weeks' stay.

S. D. Horton, of Ohio, the writer on political economy, is a Congress Hall guest.

O. C. Burzgordy is a prominent Pittsburg guest at the Stockton.

At the Lafayette are O. C. Buyforf and wife and George Wardman, of Pittsburg.

The new addition to the Pittsburg.

The new addition to the Pittsburg colony at the Stockton Tuesday was made up of H. S. Moehring, Mrs. T. Goodell, Miss M. Goodell, Miss S. Goodell, Miss A. Amstend.

Miss Eatharine Ogborn, of Lancaster, O., is one of the most charming young ladies at the Maine villa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Staley and Miss Jennie Staley are stopping at the Cape. They will remain until September.

James D. Hallman is again registered at the Stockton.

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the Stockton.

M.ss Florence Matthews, niece of the Inte Hon. Stanley Mathews, Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court, is among the charming coterie of young ladies at the Cape.

F. Theodore Walton, proprietor of the Stockton Hotel, gave a dinner to the newspaper men and resident correspondents yesterday afternoon. The dinner was attended by about 30 of them, and all the leading journals in the East were represented.

THE GLOOM OF DEATH Cast Over the Happy Party of Pittsburgers

at Cresson Springs. PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] CEESSON, Aug. L-It is alternately rain and shine here, but still taken as a whole the past week has not been as disagreeable as

many suppose a mountain resort to be in the rain. No matter how cheerless out of doors the house is never anything less than comfortable.

The number of new arrivels is something remarkable, and there is not an empty

table in the whole dining room. The register contains names from every State of the Union as well as a number of foreign countries.

Among the arrivals this week the best dining room. The

known are: R. Spreckles, James E. Hani-

folks and theirfelders as well, for a very fine programme had been arranged. The most prominent pictures were to have been scenes from the story of "Sleeping Beauty" and from the life of Queen Elizabeth. "Little Lord Fauntieroy" was also to have graced the entertainment by his presence.

Mr. A. Israel, one of Pittsburg's most prominent lawvers, visited his family here over Sunday. His little daughter Marguerito is considered one of the brightest as well as the prettiest of children here. In fact she and little Helen Frick are about equal rivals in popularity among the Pittsburgers at least.

A Pittsburger's Experience in a Trip Up to MONTREAL, Aug. 1.—A thing to be com-mended to all in search of rest, health, please

DOWN THE ST. LAWRENCE.

ure and beautiful scenery is a trip down the St. Lawrence. Leaving Pittsburg in the morning by the picturesque Allegheny Valley Railrond, there WAS nothing to mar the beauty of the scen ery, the only drawback to the complete satisfaction of the trip being the greasy, fil-washed dishes on which our dinner was served at Oil City, and the grimy complexions

with which we arived at Niagara. The beautiful scenery of the Allegheny is too familiar to the travel-loving Pittsburger to need any comment; and the same may be said of Niagara, except that it is ever new with every change of sunlight or shadow, and always sublime. As we stand nearly on a level with the Whirlpool Rapids, watching the wild feam leaping into the air as if it would fly into space, then curving over to fall back to its source, we think of the little

Great, wide, beautiful, wonderful world,
With the wonderful water around you curied,
And the wonderful grass upon your breast,
World, you are beautifully dressed.

In our drive on the Canada side, next to
the magnificent view from Falls View Point,
the thing that most impressed us was the
enterprise of our fellow townsmen, whose
names were advertised on the fences, where
we read "Kappell's musicial (please note the
spelling) instruments, Pittsburg, Pa., U. S.
A.," and "B. L. H. Dabbs, Artistic Photographer," (same address), but the latter
sign was inverted, making us feel like resenting the disrespectful treatment of our
city. In the graveyard at Lundy's Lane of
historic fame we found the following inscription:

SALLY ANN. Wife of James S, Abbey.
Diet Jam, 2, 18-5. Aged 20 years.
Friend's stand weeping all around
And loth to let her go.
She shouts with her expiring breath,
And leaves them all below.

We find ourselves very loath to go when it comes to leaving the Cataract House, with its scrupulous cleanliness, delightful cuisine, polite waiters and attentive clerk, Mr. Murray Clark, who accompanied us to Lewiston because we were Pittsburgers, and showed us many other unexpected attentions. Apropos of the ubiquitous bride and

Apropos of the ubiquitous bride and groom of this section, the conductor of the Lewiston train told us of a man handing him a few days before his marriage certificate in mistake for a letter of introduction.

Across Lake Ontario by the Abola, we reached Toronto in time for luncheon at "The Queens," which impresses us as the most English place we have ever seen, in spite of the fact that Toronto is considered the least English of Canadian cities. The majority of the colored waiters look superannuated, and shuffle slowly around the dining room as if their feet were too heavy for their aged limbs. Some of them have been at the Queens for 30 years, which is certainly creditable to somebody, but a little youthful energy infused generally, would promote the happiness and comfort of the Yaukee tourist.

Through the courtesy and hospitality of one of Toronto's influential citizens, we were driven through the interesting parts of the city and suburbs, and finally to his ine, old-fashioned residence, surrounded by a high, brick wall, within which in the beautiful garden, the roses were blooming luxuriantly. Modern luxury in the house, combined with the antique, our queenly looking hostess dressed in white silk and nett, with corsage trimmed in gold passementerie, the vine-covered porch on which we sat drinking claret-lemonade, the antices of "Mao," the wonderfully trained cocker-spaniel, have all left a romantio picture in our memories, which will not soon be forgotten.

Asbury Park Visitors Having a Good-Time Both by Day and Night.

PRINCIAL TRINGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. ASSURY PARK, Aug. 1.—Brilliant ballroom scenes, gay lake carnivals, gorgeous pyro-technical displays and merry riding and fishing parties have made this the most memorable week of the present season. The whirl of galety began with arrival of thousands of young people a week ago. To-night the entire place is ablaze with light and through the open windows and doors of the numerous hotels are the flitting forms of the dancers. The plazzas are filled with men and women in evening attire covered with precious stones. The town's gay night has drawn thousands from the precincts of staid Ocean Grove, across the lake, while hundreds more line the shore, or occupy more elevated places where the festivity of the more Worldly Asbury Park sojourners can be watched and commented upon.

Dancing, flirting, singing, fill the nights. Fishing, only the day. Never did fishermen have better success than here this summer. Two long piers, devoted to fishing only, now reach out yards into the sea from both the Asbury Park and Ocean Grove beaches. Except the hours from midnight to 8 or 4 o'clock in the morning these piers are never deserted day or night. Some of the largest catches have been made here at night. The heaviest bass of the season, caught with hook and line, was taken Wednesday night by C. Harry Showaker, of Philadelphia. It weighed 12% pounds. This is one and one fourth pounds heavier than the catch that took the gold medal in 1890. It is rather doubtful if this heavy beauty will be soon surpassed for line and reel can hardly manage a creature of greater weight and equal activity. None but fishermen of varied experience can reasonably hope to hard a fish of even half that weight from the high piers. Fishing, only the day. Never did fishermer

high piers.

Mr. George Wood, prominent in Pittsburg business circles, is making a shortstay here.

Mrs. J. E. Diehl and Miss E. Diehl are at a fashionable hotel on Asbury avenue. They were attended at the ball last night by a number of friends well known in Western Perusylvania.

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At a quiet little resort, facing the sea in Ocean Grove, are Miss Emma M. Young, Miss Lizzie Redminsinder, Miss Mary Stien and Miss Kate Stien, all of Pittsburg. They are frequently seen at the young people's meeting, which is held daily in the Grove Temple at 9 in the morning. The Rev. Dr. and, Mrs. S. M. Vernon, of Lancaster, formerly of Allegheny, are at the same hotel. Dr. Vernon will preach in the Ocean Grove auditorium in a few days.

Within a stone's throw of the above named hotel are Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Nuttail, of Pittsburg. They are stopping in an ocean pathway cottage called "The Alpha," and are regular habitues of the beach and surf.

Miss Aunie J. Dempster, of Pittsburg, has joined her friends, the Misses Stien, at the Ocean avenue cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wigley and family, of Pittsburg, are on Bath avenue, in the grove, for the season.

Mrs. D. W. Llewellyn and Miss Mary J. David are well-known Pittsburg ladies on Central avenue in Ocean Grove.

Mr. James Rickey, Jr., and Mr. Nelson Rickey, the bright young cashier of an Allegheny bank, is on Grand avenue, in Asbury Park, with his sister. They are prominent spectators and participants in the social festivities here.

Mrs. M. M. Radeliffe, of Pittsburg, is at a North Asbury hotel for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bennett, of Pittsburg, have recently registered at a Cookman avenue hotel in Asbury Park.

The following prominent Pennsylvanians have recently arrived at a fashionable hotel here and are regularly seen at the hotel dance and entertainments: Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dreisback, Miss Tillie Dreisback and Mr. John Driesback, and of Wilkesbarre.

Mrs. Priscilla Lloyd and Miss Agnes Robin-

W L Dreisback, Miss Tillie Dreisback and Mr. John Driesback, all of Wilkesbarre.
Mrs. Priscilla Lloyd and Miss Agnes Robinson, of Pittsburg, are making their summer sojourn at one of first hotels in Asbury Park.
Mr. A. H. Heisey, of Pittsburg, is quietly resting at a hotel on Asbury avenue near the beach.
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Goshorn are Pittsburg people of note entertained on Main avenue in Asbury Park.
Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Gardner, of McKeesport, Pa., are stopping for a sojourn port, Pa., are stopping for a sojourn in Ocean Grove with a party of Pittaburg Mr. M. A. Verner has rejoined his family

at a leading hotel on the beach in Asbury Park.
At a beach hotel in Ocean Grove are Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Wright and family, and Mr. A. G. Wright, of Pittsburg. They are often passed in their turnouts on the way to the neighboring resorts of Spring Lake, Long Branch and Elberon.
Mr. Charles S. Davis and Mrs. J. R. Saunt, of Steelton, Pa., are on Cookman avenue in Asbury Park.
Mr. E. L. Ford, of Pittsburg, was observed at a fashionable german in Asbury Park last

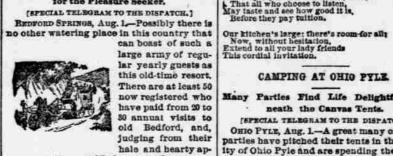
ashionable german in Asbury Park last ng. He is making a short stay at a leading hotel.

Mr. M. M. Radcliffe, a Pittsburg lady of means and social eminence, is a popular guest at a North Asbury hotel.

Mr. M. A. Johnson, of Pittsburg, is on Main avenue in Ocean Grove.

TRIED AND NOT FOUND WANTING. Sedford Springs Never Lose Their Charm

for the Pleasure Seeker.



pearance, they are likely to spend as many more here. Bedford is remarkable also for duration of these visits. It is a common occurrence, for instance, for a family to arrive in June and prolong its stay until late au-

currence, for instance, for a family to arrive in June and prolong its stay until late autumn. When the great natural beauties of the neighborhood and the splendid accommodations for the comfort of the guests are considered it is no wonder people are in no hurry to leave this favored spot.

Never was such a galaxy of beautiful girls at Bedford since the memory of "the oldest inhabitant." The daughters of Governors Pattison and Jackson are charming averyone by their affable and gracious manners, and are among the most popular of the guests. The Hon. Thomas M. Marshall drove over with his family in a barouche and buggy. Miss Marshall, who is an expert equestrienne, came on horseback—a somewhat remarkable feat for a lady.

The Misses Barbour, of Washington, who recently completed their education in Paris, are as much admired for their perfect manners as for their delicate beauty.

Governor Pattison and family were photographed Wednesday, and will take with them a pretty memento of their visit.

Mr. D. M. Dull, of Harrisburg, is never tired of promoting the entertainment of his many friends.

Mr. W. H. Dougherty, of Washington, is a promising young actor who is recruiting his health before entering upon his season's engagements.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dalzell, who are always

gagements.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dalzell, who are always welcome guests at the Springs are enjoying themselves better than ever.
Mrs. W. K. Mendenhall is spending her twenty-first visit and adding every day to her already long list of friends.
Mrs. R. B. Boarman is making her thirty-third visit having first visited the Springs when a child.
Ex-Governor Briggs, of Delaware, came on Ex-Governor Briggs, of Delaware, came on Saturday with his friend, Mr. G. W. Brady,

to spend a few weeks.

Mr. C. F. Kenny has spent every summer here and has occupied the same room for 22 Hon. W. W. Barr, who was appointed dis-trict judge by Governor Pattison, received his commission on Tuesday morning in the his commission on Tuesday morning in the hotel office.

Mr. D. P. Reighard and Mrs. Reighard, who drove over the mountains with Miss Dalsy Lytle, registered here on Monday.

A German was given in the ballroom last Monday and was led by Mr. Olmstead. All the ladies wore pretty white dresses with sashes of different colors, and made a pretty group. There were ten figures, the two prizes being won by Miss Balley, of Pittsburg, and Mr. Ross, of Frederick, Md. Miss Haldeman, granddaughter of General Simon Cameron, danced with Mr. Olmstead who led the German.

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Among the Pittsburgers here are F. M. Magee, Esq., E. J. Dravo, Mr. Neeb, of the Fretheil's Freund, and two daughters, Mrs. J. M. Gusky, John W. Block, James M. Bailey, A. M. Byers and family, John W. Beatty, John Wilson, A. Lippman, Mrs. S. Rauh, B. S. Semidt, Miss Lathrop, Miss Sadie P. Ford, Miss Mary G. Ford, Miss Katie G. Ford, and the Misses Bertha and Daisy Schmidt.

Judge McClung and Messrs, George P. Hamilton and William Scott spent a few days here on their return trip, having been in the saddle for three weeks in an equestrian jaunt through the hills and vales of West Virginia.

CHAUTAUQUA'S SUMMER GIRL

The Seashore Flirt Can't Be Compared With Her.

CHAVTAUQUA, Aug. L-The college curricubly season is at hand. Hence people



day by scores to speakers on the programme for August. Hamlet and Horatio have dislong enough and now Romeo and Juliet want a chance, for Cupid generally work in hot weather. The lake is the best trysting place for lovers. One boat, two forms

that occasionally blend in the twilight, and the greateventful tale of the "wooing o' it" is told. And so it follows that every young man is on the tiptoe of expectation for what the present month has in store for him. He may become as wise as Solomon, as patient as Job, as meek as Moses, as poor as Lazarus, as fat as Falstaff, or as lean as Cassiue, from his experience with the summer girl, for she can eat more ice cream, drink more lemonade, devour more peanuts and make a fellow's heart palpitate faster than can her sisters by the seashore.

The summer girl at Chautauqua is the piece de resistance of the feminino filits, She can fall in love, drop her bean, and take up a new one sooner than most people can say "Jack Robison." But she's a "thing of beauty" for all that. If the young man wins his suit, he has certainly great reasons to be proud of his laurels; for only about one out of ten can make the beat time on "the railroad of love."

FOUR STYLES OF DRESS.

The elder portion of the Chautauqua ladies continue to discuss dress reform with a vengeance, while the younger portion look on and bide the decision. The ladies feel that the present style of dressing is simply barbarous, an I want some relief. But many of them are not quite willing to go to the extreme length of the reforms advocated, and wear the so-called "tights." They prefer some mprovement on the divided skirt, which they regard as a trifle too roomy, while the "tights" are not roomy enough. The girls down at the gymnasium are more than pleased with the souave outfit, which is all wool, and five yards wide to each limb. If this style of dress should come into popular favor with the ladies, broadcloth would be rather expensive. Imagine a man devoting five yards of cloth to each wing of his trous-

five yards of cloth to each wing of his trousers!

And so the four classes of dress advocates, the "no skirts," the "old skirts," the "divided skirts," and the "frouserettes" (or zouave), continue to flourish here in all the beauty of the cedars of Lebanon. Of course, the male portion of the assembly would like to see the great question settled at once and forever; for these secret meetings of the ladies are great things to excite a man's curiosity. Indeed, the ladies say that the men at Chautauqua are more curious than the women, and cite the incident that cocurred at one of their recent meetings, when it was necessary to eject several of the sterner sax who were literally thirsting for the latest intelligence on this most momentous question.

But how can you bit me the men? When these roformers would banish high collars, high heels, all kinds of garters and corsets, in fact, almost every article of women's apparel that has been "fabled in song and illumined in story," what is there left about which romance and chivalry can cluster? Imagine the women studying the pictures and statues of Venus de Milo and Venus di Medici with a view to compete with them in form and figure. Surely, such a state of affairs would be sudden and strange, even to a man who cas "go italone" with one button or one suspender.

LEARNING TO COOK.

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Mrs. Emma Ewing continues to preach the gospel of "good grub." Her classes grow bigger and bigger, and the interest in cooking continues unabated. The muse of Chantauqua has taken up the strain, and the fol-Mr. M. A. Verner has rejoined his family at the Sheldon in Ocean Grove.

Mrs. Annie Gray, of Pittsburg, is located nyson somewhat, and altho' there's jingle in

the meter, and the rhyme might be on pleter, yet it couldn't be sweeter: "Tis love." they say, "that makes this globe Go round without confusion." But Mrs. Ewing says she's reached A different conclusion.

Poor miscrable sinuers, and will not help the world go round, Without—delicious dinners.

And surely those of us who're blest With husbands, and can lead them, Know that the key to our success, Is in the way we feed them.

So take the hint, and, though you're sweet And wise and pretty looking— Come up to Calvary Raptist Church, And learn the art of cooking. "Twill cost you only half a V.

And even Mrs. Grundy
Thinks "cocking schools" are quite "the thing.
So piease try ours next Monday.

CAMPING AT OHIO PYLE Many Parties Find Life Delightful Be-

neath the Canvas Tents. [SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] Onio Pyle, Aug. 1.-A great many campin parties have pitched their tents in the viole ity of Ohio Pyle and are spending their time fishing, rambling over the mountains and bathing in the Yough. This summer having been so cool, has rather discouraged the
Fernelifi ladies from bathing in the river,
but a few courageous ones often venture in.
A party of Allegheny people are camping
out here now. Another party from Onnelisville and Dawson are having a joily
good time at Sait Spring Bottom, just a few
miles from here. They have named the encampinent Camp Ridd, on account at the
state of them. Fishing is their chief amusement.
Sunday they had about 50 guests, who -pent
the day with them. A camping party from Dawson
is expected about next week or week after.
A new dancing platform has been eracted.
W. W. Smith and wife, of Pitteburg, are
defined as the Ferneliff Hosel and intend
wir. Leo G. Well and wife, of Pitteburg, are
free failed as the Ferneliff and are stopping as the
Ferneliff. The young couple were married
last week and are spending their honeymoon
here. They intend genoming for several
weeks.

Mr. Charles F. Hood and wife, of the East
End, Pitteburg, who have been spending the
structure of the proposition o been so cool, has rather discouraged the Ferneliff ladies from bathing in the river,

quite an enjoyable time nop was given by the guests of the Ferncliff hotel Wednesday night.

Congressman elect Andy Stewart is home again from an extended eastern trip.

A fishing party from Dawson and other points, about 15 in all, spent several days here last week. Among the number were:

J.S. Newmyer and wife, Miss Cora Newmyer, Mr. W. F. Dean and wife, from Dawson, and Mr. C. H. Torrens and wife, from Pittsburg. Miss Stella Shively and Miss Mollie Mo-Garey, of Pittsburg, are popular solourners at Ferncliff. They arrived Wednesday.

Mrs. C. Alcott and Miss N. Alcott, from Ursina, Pa., were registered at the Ferncliff on Wednesday.

The excursion here Sunday was unusually large. Three or four carloads of people spens the day in the woods. A few noticed were: F. Barnum, C. Tucker, J. S. Richardson, O. H. Weinhaus, Henry McKnight, William T. McClellan and George Dinsmore, Pittsburg; George Lies and William West, Allegheny; Moessrs. Byan, Truxell and Kingsley, Mo-Keesport.

THE GRAY MINERAL SPRINGS.

Western Pennsylvania Peonle With Messrs. Eider and Witherop. (SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.) CAMBRIDGEBORO, PA., Aug. L-Among the guests at the Hotel Riverside who are enjoyng the Gray Mineral Springs are the follow

Pittsburg—Miss Bird Babst, F. A. Wight-man, Mr. and Mrs. E. Queen, childand nurse, J. T. McKinnie, Mrs. M. S. Msy. Corry-H. C. Myar, Henry Glass. Meadville-Miss E. J. Gill, J. D. Gill, Sol

Mendville-Miss E. J. Gill, J. D. Gill, Sol Schoenfield, Miss Richmond, Miss Welland, John Henry Dick, John Dick, W. C. Fisk, Miss Ella Fisk, Mrs. F. F. Fisk, Mrs. C. F. Fisk, Miss Ada Lenhart, Miss Etta Lenhart, George W. Porter, Charles Wilson, F. M. Fiske, C. M. Staley, Etta Lennart, George W. Forter, Charles Wilson, F. M. Fiske, C. M. Staley, P. H. Bender, C. A. Johnson, Charles Bender, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Cullum, A. B. Blystone, Titusville—Mr. and Mrs. M. Bronson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McKlinney, Miss McKinney, Harry Robinson, C. R. Henderson, E. S. Powers, Mrs. Charles Burton, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Benton, Misses Benton, Louis McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Brown and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Scheide and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Scheide and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Scheide and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rodgers, Miss May Rodgers, J. K. Nelson, Charles McKafferton, Mr. and Mrs. D. Phillips and chidren, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cochran, F. O. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Schonblow, Miss Clara Schonblow, Harry Schonblow, Miss Clara Schonblow, Harry Schonblow, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Straight, Youngstown—W. D. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Porter and child Ernest Sallow, B. M. Campfield, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brown, Miss Besie Brown, Miss Genevieve Brown, Miss Belie Ford, Miss J. Ucoper, Mrs. C. Neison, W. G. Smith, H. E. Thorn, L. Strous, Caroline and Hugh Bonnell.

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Leo Schloandecker, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Law,
sey, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lowy, Mrs. M.
Koch, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Douglass and son,
Mrs. Ingham and daughters, F. R. Williams,
John P. Swart, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Murphy,
H. P. Thornton, C. F. Hummell.
Franklin-Mr. and Mrs. John K. Crawford,
G. S. White, W. J. Welch, Rev. E. F. Crane,
J. R. Mitchell, Mrs. Phil Engles, B. G. Merrill, Bertha Lamberton.
Sharon-J. Phillips, Mrs. W. Henderson
and son, Miss Phillips, Oil City-Mrs. W. Chambers, George
Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Blackwell, Miss
Jean Eagan, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Boyle and
son, Miss Helen Boyle.
New Castle-J. S. Masson, Mr. and Mrs.
Max Coel, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bailey, Mrs.
David Tidball.

AT BERKELEY SPRINGS.

Many-Pittsburg People Enjoying the Pleasant Mountain Resort.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.) BERRELEY SPRINGS, W. VA., Aug. 1.-No. doubt all who have ever made their home at this sweet old-fashioned place, are ever rendy to units in the opinion that of the many summer resorts there can be no doubt that this is one of the most agreeable. The rides and drives are numerous and pictures-que. The swimming pool is well known as being the very best to be found among the being the very best to be found among the numerous mountain resorts, and the woods ring with the merry peals of laughter from the beautiful girls who sport in its electric waters. There is a very large pool also for the men, as well as private baths of either hot or cold water.

The cottages surrounding the hotel are numerous, and very generally filled. All praise the music this year, and the ball room floor is kept in perfect order. Preparations are being mage for Mrs. Jarley's waxworks soon, and later on a play will be given—all by well-known sunateurs from Baltimore and Pittsburg.

One of the favorite amusements of the young people is the famous walk up the mountain to the tower, where the outlook is superb. The livery is excellent, and Tally-hoparties are frequent.

Notes From the Resorts.

Thomas J. Murphy, of Pittsburg, is a guest at the Lenesee, Buffalo.

N. Z. Weber is about to return after a pleasant sojourn at Avon-by-the Sea and Ocean Grove.

That drags its slow length along, convales-cence after prostrating disease creeps on. Hasten it with the genial breeder of health and strength, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Every function is regulated and rendered active by the great enabling medicine. Di-ression billows accretion the active of the gestion, billous secretion, the action of the bowels and kidneys, purity and richness of the blood, immunity from malarial attacks —all are insured by it.

Excursion to Atlantic City.

The B. & O. R.R. will run its fourth specie

excursion to Atlantic City on Thursday, Angust 13. Bate, \$10 the round trip; tick-ets good for ten days, and good to stop at Washington City returning. Trains leave at 8:15 A. M. and 9:20 P. M., with parlor cars on day train and sleeping cars on night

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FRED SHARON SUED FOR SLANDER.

frs. Mitchell Wants \$100,000 Because He Called Her a Blackmailer.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.-Mrs. Sarah Mitchell has brought suit against Frederick W. Sharon for \$100,000 for slander. The alleged slander consists in certain words used in a published interview with Mr. Sharon, in which he was quoted as saying that he considered Mrs. Mitchell a "black mailer pure and simple" for having tried to obtain money from the Sharon estate for the suppression of letters left by the late Charles L. Livingstone which relate to the

when Livingstone, who was formerly manager of the Palace Hotel and of the Alia California (newspaper), died, he left to Mrs. Mitchell a box which was said to contain letters from Frank R. Newlands and that Mrs. Mitchell demanded money from Sharon for the suppression of the letters which were said to contain damaging references to the Sharon estate. Mr. Sharon, when interviewed, used the words already quoted. Mrs. Mitchell says she has never made an offer of the letters to anyone, and that she will show the letters to no one until the right time comes. She says there is much in the letters of public interest.

A Very Remarkable Offer for Monday. We will offer to-morrow (Monday) about 800 men's cassimere and cheviot suits for \$5 60. You can take your choice of either sacks or stylish cutaway frocks, and you will have about 15 different patterns to choose from. We make this liberal offer because our tables have to be cleared for fall goods. Remember, \$5.60 is the price tomorrow for a first-class suit of meu's clothes.

P. C. C. C., Pittsburg Combination Clothes.

ing Company, corner Grant and Diamond P. S.-We will also offer 1,000 pairs of men's stylish worsted pants for \$1 49. Sam-

ples of these bargains are displayed in our Grant street show windows.

On August 1, 2 and 3 the Pittsburg and Lake Erie R. R. Co. will sell tickets to Detroit and return at \$6 00, all rail, and \$5 25 via Cleveland and boat. Trains leave Pitts-Yia Cleveland and boat. Trains leave Pitts-burg at 4:30 A. M., 8:00 A. M., 1:50 P. M., 4:20 P. M. and 9:45 P. M., arriving in Cleve-land at 9:55 A. M., 12:30 noon, 6:50 P. M., 9:10 P. M. and 5:15 A. M. The D. & C. S. N. Co.'s steamers leave Cieveland Saturday at 10 P. M., Sunday 2 P. M. and 10 P. M., Monday at 10 A. M., 12 noon, 2 P. M. and 10 P. M. On Monday a special train will leave Pittsburg at 7:55 A. M., stop at Beaver Falls, arriving at Cleveland at 11:30 A. M., to connect with the noon boat. Thesu

On Thursday, August 13, via the B. & O R. R. Rate, \$10 the round trip; tickets good for ten days. Trains leave at 8:15 A. M. and 9:20 P. M.

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Pastor First Baptist Church, Chicago,

"An almost fatal attack of la grippe last winter left me with massi catarrh and such susceptibility to bronchiai irritation that the alightest exposure would develop it, and a very little effort in public speaking would result in a distressing houseness, so that I had serious fears of purmanent disability. "Besides, I suffered from dyspeptic troubles, notably what is popularly known as 'hearthurn,' from which I found it difficult to obtain relief, I was induced by a friend to ter King's Eoyal Germetuer, and it gives me great pleasure to say that its effect has been as magical as 'koch's Lymph' is reported to be, which is also a 'germ destroyer,' though taken in a different way.

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"P. S. HENSON.

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