

Many teachers are attending the County Institute, in this place this week.

We have printed tickets for the different candidates. They can be had by calling at or addressing this office.

MEMORIAL HALL.—Thomas Hunter, of Philadelphia, has published a finely executed lithograph of "Memorial Hall," the permanent portion of the Centennial Buildings. It is printed in block and two tints, on the finest plate paper, 21 by 27 inches, and is the most beautiful picture of this building yet produced. Price, 50 cents each sent by mail, postage paid. The process of printing may be seen at Franklin Institute Fair. This picture should, and no doubt will have a large sale. Address Thomas Hunter, successor to David & Hunter, 715 Fifth street, Philadelphia.

On the 19th inst., while at Millin Co., was on his homestead, from this place where he had been on business and when about a mile west of there, his horse took fright at a Steam thrasher, and ran away throwing Mr. Decease out of the buggy. He received several severe cuts on the top and back of the head.

On the same day a horse ran away from Mr. Michael Schoch of this place. He was thrown from the wagon and was considerably bruised about the shoulders.

When to PAINT YOUR HORSE.—The "Technologist," a good authority, states that paint applied to the exterior of buildings, in autumn or winter, will endure twice as long when applied in early summer or hot weather. In the former it dries slowly and becomes hard, like a glazed surface, not easily affected afterwards by the weather, or worn off by the beating of storms. But in very hot weather the oil in the paint soaks into the wood at once, as in a sponge, leaving the surface dry and ready to crumble off. The difficulty, however, might in a measure be guarded against, though at an increased expense, by first going over the surface with raw oil. Furthermore by painting in cold weather, you escape the annoyance of small flies, which constantly collect during the warm season on fresh paint. There are a number of dwellings in our town that will be materially benefited by a coat of paint, and preparations for this season should now be made.

NEW DEPARTMENT.—To say "Oak Hall," means "corner of Sixth and Market street Philadelphia," as every child knows, and suggests the name of the agent, John W. Wainwright, a Brown. This is at Home, and winter in our columns for the fall and winter trade, A NEW DEPARTMENT: 1. Cash, the invariable terms. 2. Every garment will be labelled with a printed price tag, naming the goods, and specifying in open figures the invariable price. 3. A guarantee signed by the firm to accompany each garment. 4. The money to be returned in full, if the goods within ten days be found to be of inferior content at his purchase. Under these considerations, Messrs. Wainwright & Brown justly ask all lovers of honest and liberal dealing, who are willing to aid in lifting this important branch of trade upon their lofty and solid "Platform of four planks." If you purchase the fall and winter stock at Oak Hall, be sure to read, peruse the advertisement found in our present issue.

Our Candidate for Surveyor. AMON K. GIBBES, our candidate for County Surveyor, has successfully practiced surveying in Snyder, Union and Millin counties for over fifteen years. His services as an honest and accurate Surveyor are appreciated by the honest voters of Snyder county; his ability and experience as a surveyor for purposes that of P. M. Peats, the democratic candidate. Esq. Gibb has adjusted many a disputed line and therefore avoided many difficulties and litigations between land owners of the county; he is always resorted to in such difficulties; he is too well known in the county to say anything more; he is always ready, and his charges are moderate. He will be elected by an overwhelming majority on Tuesday the 3d of November next.—voters remember the day of election and attend it, and vote for AMON K. GIBBES.

A LAND HOLDER AND VOTER IN THE COUNTY.

THE CARELESS USE OF MATCHES.—The accidents—so they are called—which occur in this country from the careless use of matches are many. Mysterious fires, which break out under innumerable circumstances and which sometimes cause great destruction, are frequently attributed to spontaneous combustion. It is likely that in many cases such supposition is the correct one. But there is another possible cause of conflagration which seems mysterious. The friction matches have marked a period in the progress of civilization, the effects of which are wonderful.

Any one who can recollect the time when tinder-box, flint and steel were the only methods by which light could be obtained, if no neighboring fire or flame could be resorted to, will appreciate the advantages of the friction match. The generation which has grown up since that match was introduced can scarcely imagine the difference which existed as to the means of obtaining fire and light not more than thirty-five years ago.

Matches are so convenient that the danger which results from carelessness in their use, or in the manner in which they are kept, is scarcely thought of. Yet to that agency may be ascribed many fires, especially in regard to the common sort of matches, which sometimes seem ready to take fire spontaneously. Matches dropped on carpets or floors, or trodden upon, matches carried away by mice or rats, sometimes produce disastrous fires, the origin of which seems perplexing.

In this country we cannot expect to obtain the passage of laws of universal application upon such a subject. We must trust to the opportunity of the passage of State laws, and that opportunity is slow. In Europe, lately, some attention has been paid to this matter. In Denmark a law has been passed which prohibits the manufacture of matches which can be ignited in any other manner than by bringing them in contact with surfaces specially prepared to cause ignition. The idea is that the match shall be half a match, and not competent to ignite by friction with any other surface than that specially prepared for that purpose. If we could have such a law in this country we would find an advantage in it. But to

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—Fever seldom makes an attack without warning, and may often be thrown off by soaking the feet in warm water, wrapping up warm in bed, and taking two or three of Parsons' Purgative Pills.

God Save the Commonwealth.

SHERIFF'S PROCLAMATION.

DANIEL BOLENDER, High Sheriff of Snyder county, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the E. P. H. of the county of Snyder, that an election will be held in the said county of Snyder, on

Tuesday, November 3, 1874.

for the purpose of electing the several persons hereinafter named, viz:

One person for the office of Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

One person for the office of Auditor General of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

One person for the office of Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

One person to represent this District in the Congress of the United States.

One person for County Commissioner of Snyder county.

One person for County Surveyor of Snyder county.

One person for County Auditor of Snyder county.

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At the house of Christopher Wentz, in and for Chapman Township.

At the house of Wm. M. Miller, in and for Washington Township.

At the house of David Reister, in the District of Millinburg.

At the house of Jacob Miller, in and for West Snyder Township.

At the house of James J. Mitchell, in and for Millinburg Township.

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GOOD NEWS! GOOD NEWS!! HENRY ROUSER, [Beaver's Corner] MIDDLEBURG, PENN'A.

I have just returned from the Eastern Cities with A LARGE and WELL Selected Stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

consisting in part of

DRY GOODS.

Notions, Hats, Caps, Boots, and Shoes, Glass & Queensware, Groceries, Fish, Salt, Sugar, Coffee, Cigars, Tobacco, &c., &c.

A Large Stock and Cheaper than Ever of

Ready Made Clothing.

Highest Price paid for COUNTRY PRODUCTS. Remainder the Place. Please visit and examine my Stock. It is too tedious to show my goods.

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THE OLD CORNER

Rebuilt and Refurbished with the Finest and Cheapest Assortment

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NOTIONS, TRIMMINGS, QUEENSWARE.

Hardware, Groceries, Cedarware Hats & Caps

Shoes, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Shoe Findings.

WALL PAPER, GLASS, &c., &c.,

EVER REFERRED TO THIS COMMUNITY.

The subscriber having removed into the NEW STORE ROOM, on the Corner of Market and Pine streets, is now prepared to receive his old customers and all new ones that may favor him with their patronage, great inducements. He is determined that

THE OLD CORNER

SHALL STILL CONTINUE THE MOTTO FORMERLY ADOPTED, "THE CHEAP CORNER."

By a strict attention to business, and keeping all things the most complete stock and selling at the lowest prices, he hopes to merit a full share of patronage.

All kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for goods.

Sellinggrove, April 20, 1874. W. F. E. B. H. B. R. T.

NEW YORK FANCY STORE

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Now in successful operation for Two Years, has again in store a Large and well selected stock for

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He has just received and will constantly keep on hand a fresh line of

Notions, Table Linen, Ribbons, Fancy Goods, Counterpanes, Laces,

JEWELRY, HOOB WEIGTS, COBBLERS, KID GLOVES.

And all other Goods generally kept in a first class Notion Store.

One week more before closing, and we respectfully call on the friends of the store, and wish every article to be cleared, and as a witness that we have the largest stock of goods in the ever kept in Snyder county.

Sellinggrove, Oct. 17, 74.

NEW STOCK

AT A K GIFT'S NEW CASH BOOK AND STATIONERY STORE,

on the North side of Market Street a few doors west from the Court House.

THE subscriber would inform his friends and the citizens of Middleburg, that he has just received from Philadelphia and has now opened an extensive stock of

Miscellaneous Books, School Books, Blank Books, Wallets, Pocket Books, Bibles & Religious Books, ALBUMS AND PICTURES, All kinds of Paper, Ink and Fancy Goods.

At WHOLESALE and RETAIL. Call and see my stock there is no charge for showing goods.

A. K. GIFT, Middleburg, Pa. Sept. 21, 74.

GROVER & BAKER SEWING MACHINE

Persons in need of a good and durable Sewing Machine can be accommodated at reasonable prices by calling on SAMUEL FAUST, Agent, Sellinggrove. [Jan. 24, '68]

D. R. J. SHINDEL, SURVEYOR AND PHYSICIAN, Middleburg Pa. Offers his professional services to the citizens of Middleburg and vicinity. [March 21, '67]

JOHN K. HUGHES, Esq., JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, Penn Twp., Snyder Co. Pa.

H. H. GRIMM, Attorney & Councillor AT-LAW, Office N. E. Cor Market & Water St's, Freeburg, Penn'a. Consultation in both English and German

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