

THE POST.

Middleburg, Mar. 22, 1877.

Local News, &c.

All communications, business letters &c., for this office, to secure prompt attention should be addressed as follows: THE POST, Middleburg, Snyder County, Pa. Advertisements, communications &c. must be handed in by Monday noon, to secure insertion in next issue.

Work was commenced last week on the Sunbury & Lewistown Railroad Bridge at Selinsgrove. The Keystone Bridge Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., was awarded the contract.

The time for closing the present session of our public schools is nigh at hand. The boys and girls, however, will have but a brief respite, as the private schools begin soon after the public schools close.

ABOUT DOGS.

Bill No. 63 concerning the protection of sheep and the taxation of dogs in the several counties of the Commonwealth was taken up, on second reading yesterday, and for an hour furnished a subject of infinite amusement to the house. Amendment after amendment was offered more for the purpose of killing the bill than perfecting the measure. The bill goes to third reading and will probably fall.

Capitol Letter.

HARRISBURG, Mar. 16, 1877.—At our last writing we left the local option and usury bills in a state of doubt in regard to their final fate. Both have now been disposed of much as was foreshadowed in this correspondence. The former bill was acted upon yesterday and was so amended before a vote was reached as to leave the question to a vote of the entire state instead of by counties. The discussion was long but fruitless and ended in a big circus over the attempt of Brooks, of Cameron, to deliver a speech of 20 or 25 pages of manuscript. This disciple of Neal Dow had forgotten to page the sheets and the result was he got about as much mixed as though he had forgotten himself and "mixed his buttermilk." The final result was that it was beaten by a vote of 68 to 109 says the vote on both sides being divided about equally between republicans and democrats and thus being entirely cut off from political bias. The bill preventing usury had, forgotten to page the sheets and the result was he got about as much mixed as though he had forgotten himself and "mixed his buttermilk." The final result was that it was beaten by a vote of 68 to 109 says the vote on both sides being divided about equally between republicans and democrats and thus being entirely cut off from political bias. The bill preventing usury was also defeated to-day.

David Wertz, of Washington town-

ship, was chopping wood one day last week, and by mistake sliced off about one half of the fore finger on the left hand. Dr. Bibbings found it necessary to amputate the injured member at the second joint.

Snow.—On Friday snow fell at this place to the depth of about six inches, and on Saturday and Sunday, the weather was intensely cold, the mercury in the thermometer falling to ten degrees below zero. There is at this writing, Monday, tolerably good sleighing.

Auctioneer.—George H. Hacken-
burg, of Middlecreek, P. O., would an-
nounce to the people of Snyder coun-
try, that he will cry sales for real and
personal property, at short notice and
on the most reasonable terms. He
guarantees satisfaction. [Mar. 15.77].

We learn that Peter Hartman and John Mohr of Centerville, have been awarded the contract for carrying the mail from Selinsgrove to Lewistown, for the next four years commencing July 1st, 1877.

Dexter Walter, also, from Centerville has received the contract for carrying the mail at the New Berlin and Middlebury route, for four years, from July 1st, 1877.

When anybody dies, gets married, runs away, steals anything, builds a house, makes a big sale, or whips his man—or his wife—breaks his leg, or gets the stumping kicked out of him by a mule to do something that is in any way remarkable, and you have reason to believe that you know as much about the occurrence as anybody else, don't wait for some other person to report it or trust us to find it out by instinct, but come and tell us about it, or send the facts on a postal card. This is the way news is supplied, and it takes a goodly supply of that necessary article to make a good home paper. See if you cannot improve this year and let us know every item of news that transpires in your neighborhood.

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the House of Representatives by the Da-
uphin county representative.—To pro-
vide for the erection of a penitentiary at Marsheville, for the use of the counties of Dauphin, Lebanon, York, Cumberland,
Franklin, Adams, Fulton, Huntingdon,
Northumberland, Union, Snyder, Perry,
Junius, Centre, and Mifflin. It was ad-
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cells, and appropriate \$100,000 for the
purchase of the necessary grounds and
the erection of the necessary buildings,
and also provide for the appointment of
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Sewing Machines &c.—Charles C.
Seebold, of this place, the popular
agent for the White Shuttle Sewing
Machine, one of the best and cheapest
machines sold, is also agent for attach-
ments, such as ruffles, tuckers, hemmers,
needles, oil, for all leading
Sewing machines, and which can be
had at a small advance of cost.

Mar. 15, 77.

Goven Advice.—Now is the time of year
for Pneumonia, Lung Fever, &c. Every
family should have a bottle of Boscan's
GERMAN SYRUP. Don't allow for one moment
that cough to take hold of your child,
your family or yourself. Consumption,
Pneumonia, Croup, Hemorrhages, and other fatal diseases may be
had in. Although it is true German
Syrup is curing thousands of these dread-
ful diseases, yet it is much better to have it
at hand when three doses will cure you.
One bottle will last your whole family a
winter and keep you safe from danger.
If you are consumptive, do not rest until
you have tried this remedy. Sample Bottles
10 cents. Regular size 75 cts. Sold
by your Druggist, John Morris.

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NOTICE.—NOTICE is hereby given that my
wife, Harriet Courtney, has left me
and board with out any consideration what-
ever. I therefore warn all persons not to trust
her on my account as I will pay no debts out
traced by her on her account.

MAGLON COURTNEY.
March 5th, 1877.

ROCHESTER SEEDS.
Reid's Floral Tribune, a book of 90
varieties of Flowers, Vegetables,
Bulbs, &c. Price 10 cts. This work
with 6 pts.

REID'S FRESH FLOWER SEEDS,
including Pansy and Verbena, for 25
cts.

14 Choice varieties and The Tribune, 50
seeds. Vegetable seed substituted if pre-
ferred. W. H. REID.

Mention this paper. Rochester, N. Y.

A MINISTER'S NOTICE

A Letters of administration and testa-
ment to the estate of the late Mr. E. L.
Kunkel deceased in 1876, in the sum of
\$1,000.

REID'S Bitter Wine of Iron.
Gives tone to the stomach, improves the
appetite and aids digestion; and on the bowels
has a decided purgative effect, removing
all obstructions to the bowels, and the
creations and offensive breath. It cures the
liver and heart, and is a great remedy
for all kinds of diseases. It is a
sure remedy for Whooping-Cough,
Croup, and Lung Disease. It has no equal.

HAAS' EXPECTORANT
The best Remedy for Whooping-Cough,
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Has been used in many families for
several years, and is the best Remedy for
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For a Troublesome Cough it has no equal.
It is purely vegetable, safe and Pleasant.

HAAS' EXPECTORANT
Proves more effective than any other Medicine
of its class, that I use. L. COLE MINGE, D.

HAAS' EXPECTORANT
Is sold by all Dealers in Middlebury at 25 cents
a. o. t. TRY IT. TRY IT.

\$12 a day at home. Agents wanted. Outfit and
Tools free. TRY IT. TRY IT.

SELINSGROVE MARBLE WORKS.

The undersigned having purchased the
Selinsgrove Marble Works, he is now fully pro-
prietor of the same.

Monuments & Headstones.

This summer at prices much lower than heretofore, and lower than has ever been done in the country.

Having just received a large lot of Designs
of all the latest styles of Monuments and
Headstones, I am able to give satisfaction in art
and taste, and to furnish them in the
earliest manner. All persons having designs
to be made, will please call on me.

There is no need of any of the above articles
being sent to me, as I will receive them
here, and have them made to order.

For a small fee, I will send a copy of Home and
Furniture, and a copy of the Standard
Marble Works before purchasing elsewhere.

Give me your name and address, and
I will send you a copy of Home and Furniture
and a copy of the Standard Marble Works before
purchasing elsewhere.

Mr. J. H. Long, of Adamsburg, is
asked for the undersigned where all op-
portunities will receive prompt attention.

T. L. KENNEDY.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Letters
of testamentary on the estate of Peter Brag-
gill late of West Perry Township, Snyder
Co., Pa., have been granted to the under-
signed to administer the same. All persons
having claims against said estate will please
make payment while those having claims against said
estate will present them to the undersigned, and all persons indebted
to the undersigned, will present to the
undersigned for payment.

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