

THE POST.

Middleburg, June 21, 1877.

Local News, &c.

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

Jacob P. Dagar has for some time been sick at home at Fort Traverton. Dropsy of the worst form of his ailments, and he lies beyond the hope of recovery.

NORMAL INSTITUTE.—The next session of the Normal Institute will begin on the 9th of July.

WM. NOKLING, A. M., Principal.

The wheat in West Beaver township is unusually poor this year, and it is said, hardly makes bread enough for the cracker's own use; and old Beaver cracker will have very little more than will need for home consumption. Generally, the wheat is not very good anywhere in the county and it is more especially poor in the western part of the county. Much of it is not worth taking.

THE NEW JAIL.—The work on the new jail is progressing rapidly. About one hundred and twenty-five men are now employed, and working regularly. Twenty horses are employed to do the hauling of stones and other material. The yard wall on the west side up about eight or ten feet above ground; it is about three feet in thickness and will be twenty feet in length when finished. The mason work on the main building is first class and makes a handsome appearance. If the work continues to progress as rapidly as at present, the structure will be completed before fall.—Snyder American, 15th, inst.

A Noble's Adventure.—During a recent storm Mrs. Mattie Owens, wife of M. Owens, of Grant township, felt a sharp, pricking sensation in her hand, which annoyed her to such a degree that she made an examination of the place when she was surprised to find a needle protruding from the skin. She drew it out and found it broken off.

White and black goods in great variety at S. Weiss's Selingsgrove. Prices lower than the lowest.

Fishing Expedition. John F. Handwerker, Calvin Prothorator, J. J. Halstrom, T. K. Photographer, Alfred Merchan and Geo. O. Vatschou, so fishing and catch an alligator, at the mouth of Penns Creek.

The committee of arrangements Messrs. John F. B. and J. H. contract with Geo. O. V. for two horses able to draw two tons each and a wagon strong enough to carry four tons (of full) besides a commissary department. The arrangements completed, and when honest short notice is given, the committee will be glad to have one of the most famous boats they ever saw, notwithstanding they had respectively visited the Zoological Gardens at Philadelphia, and had taken from eye to nine inches in length. An old resident fisherman tells these verities that there had been an alligator in the same vicinity mauling his foot and they allowed it not the alligator but the story and now market it with their hats off to be true. Our market is glutted and the poor of Middleburg have had instead of serpents. Go again.

Great bargains in Alpaca, Cashmere and Mouslin at S. Weiss's Selingsgrove.

DIRTY ROBBERY IN LOWER AUGUSTA. About two weeks ago the spring and granary of Mr. S. E. Tucker lower Augusta township, was entered by burglars who carried away a large amount of meat, butter, and other articles. Since that time Mr. Tucker and his son, who are 22 years, have not left the barn, with their clothes on, waiting for the return of the thieves. On Sunday morning, about 2 o'clock, they heard screams at the house, and thinking that there was much good, having been unintentionally left several times since sleeping the barn, they went to the house about arms. On arriving at the door of the cellar kitchen it was discovered open, as was also the door at head of the stairs leading to the bedroom overhead, and a light was visible in the room. Mr. T. entered his son to stay at the door and the one who there were robbing in the house. He then proceeded upstairs, and when reaching the bedroom was struck on the head by a hatchet in the hands of a man and guard. His head received an injury. The hatchet was wrenched from the desperado's hand, who then started down stairs. About this time he was standing and demanded assistance. The lad thinking help had been admitted the man, and he went upstairs, and arrived at the head of the main stairs in time to meet men coming down, and all three entered the house through a door. Mr. T. was then across a hall, and it was soon that they were making good time in their bare feet, the prints being plainly visible on the soft ground. At one point in the second story he stopped and he to his pursuer that if he did not knock they would shoot him. He then ran down stairs, and got on to get on their boots. No shooting was done, however. Mrs. Tucker says they entered the room where she and her daughter were sleeping (the door being closed) and she screamed open by Mr. T. who had her that would not harm her if she gave them keys to that chest, pointing to one of the rooms. She refused to do so, and they took the chest out of the hall, where it was broken open. They succeeded in emptying about half its contents upon the floor when a commotion commenced down stairs. A small amount of money in the chest did not succeed in getting the man, and that he lies in the bed. The burglars entered the cellar through a window in the cellar, from which they took a pane of glass, enabling them to remove the chest.

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County Convention.

The Return Judges of the several election districts met in convention, at Middleburg, Monday, June 19th, 1877, electing Henry Meyer, of Penn township, temporary chairman, and I. I. Manbeck and Geo. A. Hendricks, secretaries. The proceedings of the convention.

Table with columns: DISTRICTS, ASSOCIATE, COUNTY, BALANCE. Lists names and amounts for various districts.

The Committee on resolutions, J. H. Arnold, Geo. W. Hastings, John A. Hartzel, Joseph W. Wines and J. Robert Keeler, respectfully report:

WHEREAS, the stability of the Republican party good government, country, state and national, depend upon the integrity and ability of our representatives, therefore, we, the undersigned, do hereby resolve, that we will support the party in power, and that we will support the party in power, and that we will support the party in power.

Resolved, That in the nomination of George B. Bender for County Surveyor, the Republican party present one of their best citizens, and that we will support him.

Resolved, That we heartily endorse the whole administration of Gov. John F. Hartman.

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A full line of regular made hose at S. Weiss's Selingsgrove.

Auctioneer.—George H. Hackenberg, of Middleburg, P. O., would announce to the people of Snyder county, 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.]

A clean and agreeable substitute for Sulphur Ointments, and other greasy unguents, as a remedy for various skin diseases, is Glenn's Sulphur Soap which cures far more rapidly and completely and does not soil the linen. Depot, Crittenton's, No. 7th, Av. N. Y. Hill's Hair & Whisker Dye, Black or Brown, 50 cts.

JOHN D. RAUDENBAUGH, Tailor, respectfully informs the people of Middleburg and vicinity that he is prepared to do all kinds of work in his line neatly, cheaply, according to the latest style and warranted to fit. Cutting done at short notice. Business place, corner opposite the U. B. Church, Main Street, Sept. 28, 76.

DON'T FORGET THE TEETH. By special request I will visit Middleburg, on MONDAY and TUESDAY, JULY, 16th and 17th.

I will come prepared to do any work pertaining to Dentistry. Filling and treating Natural Teeth A Specialty.

Those desiring my services will please call Early and make engagements.

Thankful for past favors a continuance of the same solicited. Respectfully, B. F. VANBUSKIRK, Selingsgrove, Pa. June 21, 1877.

A CARD.—As previously announced we present a GOLD SILVER AMERICAN LEVER WATCH, on the 28th of April, to our customers, and the same was drawn by DAVID SEILER, Landlord at Fremont, Snyder county. Our enterprise having met with success we will dispose of ANOTHER WATCH, the same way, to be drawn without postponement, on the 30th of June, 1877. Any person buying \$10 worth of goods, at our lowest prices, will receive one ticket, on a \$10 purchase two tickets, larger amounts in proportion.

WELLS & OPPENHEIMER.

ASK YOURSELF THESE QUESTIONS.—Are you a despondent sufferer from sick headache, habitual constiveness, palpitation of the heart? Have you dizziness of the head? Is your nervous system depressed? Do you suffer from indigestion? Do you have a cough? Do you have a coming up of the food after eating? &c. All of these and much more are direct results of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and Indigestion. Gannex's Compound Food is a positive cure for all these troubles were given away in the U. S. through Druggists to the people as a trial. Two doses will satisfy any person of its wonderful quality in curing all forms of Indigestion. Sample bottles 10 cts. Regular size 75 cts. Sold everywhere by all first-class Druggists in the U. S.

E. F. Kunkel's Bitter Wine of Iron. This truly valuable tonic has been so thoroughly tested by all classes of the community that it is now deemed indispensable as a Tonic medicine. It cures all ailments of the blood and gives tone to the stomach, renovates the system and produces life. It is a positive cure for all ailments of the blood and gives tone to the stomach, renovates the system and produces life.

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The Champion received Five First Premiums, and was the only one of its kind to receive more than one.

Why Call, See, Hear and Examine the "Sweet Home" and you will no longer doubt.

These Organs have stood the test for years and always gave entire satisfaction, whilst others proved defective in many instances.

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WALNUT LUMBER TAKEN IN PAYMENT FOR ORGANS. Also, Organs made to order in any style of Case. Call or send for Prices, Terms, &c. of different styles. None are genuine except they bear the name "Sweet Home" in full. Address: SWEET HOME ORGAN CO., Beaver Springs, Snyder county, Pa. Dec. 14, 76.

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Also SHOOTING done at short notice, on reasonable term and satisfactory manner.

I am fully prepared to furnish all kinds of Hardware, Tinware, Stoves, &c. at the very lowest prices.

Established 1865. American and Foreign Patents.

Old Bounty Land Warrants. The last Report of the Commissioner of the General Land Office shows 2,982,000 acres of Bounty Land Warrants, of which 1,100,000 are unclaimed.

Peunions. All officers, soldiers, and sailors wounded, disabled, or injured in the late war, however slightly, are entitled to a pension.

Administrators Notice.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Peter Schreiner, deceased, late of Adams Twp., Snyder County, Pa., do hereby give notice to all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to present them to the undersigned for settlement.

Assignee Notice. All persons interested in here notified that William Hains of Chapman township, Snyder county, made an assignment of all his rights, real and personal to the undersigned for the benefit of his creditors.

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Franklin Township Finances.

Supervisors Account. April 1, 1877. To amount of his Duplicate of Tax \$497 91

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