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Monkem, Peter Lehr, Claus Krebs

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**CENTER.**—Andreas Morner

**PERRY.**—Wm Arlogast, Jas Reichenbach

**CHAMPAIGN.**—John F. Stahl

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**MIDDLEBURG.**—Hy W. Weibel, Abram Berger, John Kinney

**JACKSON.**—Hy T. Cook

**CENTER.**—Peter Reish, Jesse Bilger, Jas Sanders

A new Post Office is established, called

Troxelville; Wm. B. Baum, post master.....

The Beavers voted unanimously against

division, and have recently held a Repeal

meeting at Adamsburg, Reuben Kellie in the chair..... An aged man, Ludwig Yester, of West Beaver, was almost instantly

killed on the 23d inst. He was working in a limestone quarry, when loose earth above him caved in, burying him several

feet under ground. He died in half an

hour after being taken out, leaving a wife

and ten children..... The Snyder County

Building Committee have contracted with

George Smith of Middleburg for building the Court House, for the sum of \$5,399;

and with Isaac Walter, of Franklin town-

ship, for building the Jail, for \$1,500.... The Building Committee call for the pay-

ment of the first instalment..... S. Newell

proposes to publish an independent En-

glish paper at the county seat to be called the *Middlebury Journal*..... The Selins-

grave *Democrat* of last Saturday, says—

"Two unfortunate accidents happened in

our Borough during last week. Old Mr.

Becker and old Mr. Dietrich each broke a

leg. The fracture occurred in each in the

upper part of the thigh bone. Mr. Becker

suspirs by a fall in his room, and Mr.

Dietrich his by a fall at his door. Both

of these gentlemen are over eighty years

of age..... "Amicus Libertatis," a Latin

Dutchman on Shadé mountain, has killed

a deer, and while enjoying his steaks ad-

vises the Democracy never to reward the

Know Nothings with an office, if they even

come back weekly to the fold."

CHESHER.—A road view was set aside,

because some of the viewers had partaken

freely of liquors and refreshments at the

house of the principal applicant for the

opening of the road.

LYCOMING.—The Gazette is informed

that the entire stock has been taken for

the erection of gas works in Williamsport,

and that the work will be commenced

early in the spring..... Henry Kephart,

hostler, in Williamsport, was kicked in

the abdomen by a horse, on Wednesday

week, and died the next day. He was

about 50 years old..... The English Lu-

theran Church edifice is to be dedicated

on the 20th inst.; services to commence at

2 o'clock P. M..... The County Com-

missioners have appointed J. S. Runyan,

Clerk of the board for the ensuing year.

CENTER.—A large and stirring meeting

of the County Teachers' Institute was held

at Bellefonte, 2d and 3d inst. Addresses

were delivered by gentlemen from several

other counties. Prof. D. G. Bush of Philad.

was employed to deliver lectures on popular

education, and made over 20 appointments

in different parts of the county..... William Oliver, of Aaronsburg, was com-

mitted to the County Jail last week on a

charge of poisoning his child..... The

friends of the Leck Haven Railway route

are earnestly invited to attend a "Business

Meeting" at Bellefonte, 15th inst..... We

have not seen the *Center Democrat* for a

month.

THE DISPOSAL OF THE DEAD.—Prentice,

of the *Louisville Journal*, gives the

geography of burial and burning :

"A South Carolina editor inquires whether burning or burying is the better. If we are to die in Kentucky, we should prefer to have our remains mingle with her glorious soil—but if we were so unfortunate as to draw our last breath in South Carolina we should prefer burning by all means."

Lewis Barnum has recently recovered

of the New York and Erie R. R. Co., the

value of an over coat, which was stolen

while left in his seat in a car at an eating

station, in compliance with a notice posted

by the company, that passengers to retain

their seats must leave something in them.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 27.—Senator Clay-

ton, in answer to a request that he would

allow his name to go before the American

Convention, says that he prefers his present

position, and respectfully declines being

considered as a candidate.

The Allentown Democrat says the barns

of the farmers in that section are absolutely

breaking down under the weight of grain, and yet they will not send their

supplies to market.

The Herald of Freedom says there are

no papers in Kansas, six of which are in

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