

SEVEN COURSE COURSE.—The Courts of Snyder County are held on the fourth Monday of February, May, and September, and second day of December.

Our friends throughout the county will appreciate the news in their respective towns, villages and neighborhoods. Send us the plain facts, and we will dress them up in our columns. Our columns will always be open to those who wish to speak through them on general or local questions of public interest, but we will not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions they may express.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

SUNBURY & LEWISTOWN: I V. Time Table, in effect Nov. 15, 1896.

Table with columns for WESTWARD DIR., STATIONS, and EASTWARD. Lists stations like Lewistown J., Main Street, and Sunbury.

Leiwistown Accommodation.

(Connecting with trains N. Y. R.) Arrive at Leiwistown: 5:30 A. M., 10:02 A. M., 1:05 P. M., 6:02 P. M.

Leiwistown Junction: 7:15 a. m., 5:40 p. m., 10:40 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 7:15 a. m., 5:40 p. m., 10:40 a. m., 12:30 p. m.

'There's a child among ye taking notes,' said the 'post' man.

See new adv. of Erdie Sisters.

Willie Dill spent a few days in town this week.

Wanted, a housekeeper. Address ALBRIGHT SWINEFORD, Middleburgh.

Mrs. Rhoads of Harrisburg is visiting with her son, D. T. Rhoads, of this place.

The man of a kind and cheerful disposition will go through life envied by all mean men.

Entertainment in Seebold's Hall on Saturday evening. Don't forget it and what it is for.

Prof. Murphy's family arrived last week and is now occupying rooms over Win. Beaver's store rooms.

The horse sale was quite well attended on Tuesday, and the animals, with few exceptions, brought fair prices.

John Runkle of the firm of Seebold & Runkle and W. W. Wittenmayer are in the City this week buying goods.

We are informed that Fred Smith in connection with some other parties of this place will start a creamery near Middleburgh in the near future.

George Stahlnecker and Will Kreger of Calanazoo, Mich., turned up very unexpectedly on our streets last week and are now enjoying themselves with their many friends here.

The valuable farm belonging to the estate of Peter Bollig, deceased, containing 65 acres and situate near Selinsgrove, will be sold on Saturday, May 14. It is one of the most desirable tracts in the county.

LOST.—A golden opportunity when you don't buy your straw hats, neckwear, underwear, clothing, etc., of Sol. Oppenheimer, Selinsgrove, who has just received an immense stock of everything in the Clothing line.

We call attention to the Pump advertisement of John Zechman in another column. Parties in the West End will do well to give him a call when they need a new pump or old one repaired.

I desire to announce to the public that I am this week in the City selecting a stock of Millinery and Fancy goods, Summer Hats, Bonnets, etc. all of the latest styles. I ask you to call and examine it, and not miss a bargain. MRS. AURAND.

Squire Hummel received his commission as Justice of the Peace from Governor Beaver on Monday morning, and is now ready to accommodate the suffering public with all the law it wants—having provided himself with one copy of Perkin's Digest and two volumes of Peck's Bad Boy. All work neatly executed on short notice and at reasonable rates.

BAR-ASSOCIATION MEETING.—The members of the Snyder County Bar Association are requested to meet in Arbitration, in Court House, at Middleburgh, on Monday, May 11, next, at 10 o'clock, A. M. All gentlemen of the Bar who are not members of the Association are specially invited to be present. By order of J. H. ARNOLD, Secretary.

The Middleburgh Academy, under the instruction and management of Prof. Murphy is daily growing in membership and popularity. There are now nearly forty students enrolled, and the Professor seems as much delighted with his pupils as they are with him—which is saying a good deal. The fall term promises a grand success, as present circumstances indicate a tremendous attendance. But let them come. We can accommodate them all with healthy food, comfortable lodgings and sound instruction.

The English sparrows are making themselves unusually troublesome just now, owing to the backward spring. They seem to have sentinels posted on every tree and no sooner has the gardener a bed of lettuce or radishes sown than they pounce down with an avidity that is surprising and clean the bed before seeds have time to get damp in the ground. They seem to have enough sense to let the onions alone—at least during their courting season.

LIBRARY ENTERTAINMENT.—This Saturday evening, April 20, the Middleburgh Literary Society will give an entertainment in Seebold's Hall for the benefit of the Public School Library, which was organized about a year ago and is doing a great deal of good. The society has prepared two plays entitled "A Lucky Job," and "One, Two, Three, or Bounce," which will be produced by a full cast of characters. The scenes will be interspersed with recitations, dialogues, etc., and music furnished by Stetler's Cornet Band. The admission is only 10 and 15 cents, and it is hoped that the people will lend them their encouragement in this worthy cause.

ASTONISHING SUCCESS.—It is the duty of every person who has used Doche's German Syrup to let its wonderful qualities be known to their friends in curing Consumption, severe Coughs, Croup, Asthma, Pneumonia and in fact all throat and lung diseases. No person can use it without immediate relief. Three doses will relieve any case, and we consider it the duty of all druggists to recommend it to the poor, dying consumptives, at least to try one bottle, as \$0.60 dozen bottles were sold last year, and to one case where it failed was reported. Such a medicine as the German Syrup cannot be too widely known. Ask your druggist about it. Sample bottles to try, sold at 10 cents. Sold by all druggists and dealers, in the United States and Canada.

The Lewistown "Democrat" says in regard to the trial of Della Corbett, Jennie Quay and Annie Kuntzman for the murder of John Akley, that the Commonwealth, after taking an afternoon to ventilating the history of the scandalous affair of Dec. 25, 1886, while developing a wretchedly unwholesome scandal, failed to sustain their indictment for murder, abandoned the case, and the prisoners were discharged. The victim of this disgraceful escapade being dead, comment must be suspended. It was long ago made clear, as the "clouds rolled by," and disclosed the true inwardness of the debauch which closed the life of John Akley, however culpable and criminal the defendants, the charge of murder against them could not be sustained.

OBITUARY.—ISAAC BRAVER was born in Monroe township, Snyder county, in November, 1828 and spent his boyhood on his father's farm. When he reached his majority he attended the Middleburgh academy several sessions, after which he was Colporteur for the American Tract Society for several years. He then learned the trade of Dentistry with Dr. Valtersham at New Berlin, and followed it for several years. In 1856 he married Miss Mariah Hummel, when he embarked in the lumber business. He located at Troxleville and built one of the first houses in the town. This property he exchanged for a farm in West Beaver township, settled down to farming and was elected county Treasurer in 1862, when he moved to Middleburgh and took an active interest in the county seat contest and did much toward retaining it at Middleburgh. He next purchased the Kremer property and laid out the village of Franklin, erected a fine dwelling and store house and engaged in the merchandise business for several years. At this time his wife died and he was again married. The lady of his choice was Miss Kate Smith who survives him. During the last years he practiced his profession of Dentistry. He was a man who always manifested a healthy spirit of enterprise and was ever concerned to better the interest of his fellowmen, a consistent member of the Ev. Lutheran Church, a good citizen and a kind father.

His age was 58 years, 5 months and 15 days. His death occurred April 17, 1887, and the funeral, which was held in the Court House, April 20, was largely attended, and owing to the ill health of his pastor, Rev. Orwig, was conducted by Revs. Honeycut and Landis of Adamsburg. Rest in peace.

BEAVERTOWN.—After a limited space of silence, I will again take my pencil and endeavor to jot a few items in the interests of our town and its citizens. It is sometimes well to step aside from our sphere of action and the turmoil of this busy world of action, rivalry and contention and in patient silence observe what other people think and say. There are times when silence stands prominent to all other virtues and possesses graces which could not be substituted by anything else, and by the side of which the most polished and eloquent forms of speech sink into insignificance. It often requires the most strenuous efforts to remain silent. Some people entirely lack this excellent quality and, indeed, seem to be totally ignorant of the fact that there ever is any beauty in silence. Some people are agreeable only when they are silent. Zeno, the celebrated Athenian philosopher preferred silence to all other virtues. My delay in writing, however, was not occasioned by any sense of necessity in that direction; it was caused by inability because of other work; but I am not prepared to argue that the POST would possess brighter charms if I had remained silent. Boggling the reader's pardon for this digression and breach of trust, I will forthwith confine myself to writing on more interesting subjects.

Jacob R. Haines and J. Peter Aigler have new houses in course of erection, the former in the east and the latter in the west suburb of town.

Samuel Snook has sold his land west of town to John Hetrick for \$1,400.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bingham is erecting an addition to her residence.

George Dreese, Sr., lost a valuable cow by death on day last week.

Mrs. Eliza Brunner and her daughters, Mrs. Emma and Rosa have gone to Highland, Kansas, where they intend to spend their future.

Samuel Reierick is building a new stable on the rear of his lot.

Jacob A. Aigler has opened a subscription school. It is attended by 25 pupils.

One of Philip Herberster's horses died of colic recently.

The taxable moneyed capital of Beaver township aggregate in the neighborhood of \$61,000 as shown by annual assessment report. This is a decline of about \$35,000, about half of which is accounted for the assessor, the other half not. Nearly all the assessment blanks were returned.

Grant Heimbach is attending school at New Berlin, and Jacob Reierick and Palmer Carpenter at Selinsgrove.

Dr. Strohecker is building a new stable on the rear end of his lot.

Arbor Day was in a measure observed at this place. Four of the school directors each planted a tree in front of the public school building.

Rev. A. Foss is giving his residence a coat of paint.

If it be not too late, I will devote this space to offering John S. Kern and his bride, see Lizzie Gross, hearty congratulations and wish them a peaceful, sunny future.

Our merchants have all returned from the eastern cities with a new stock of goods.

Rev. Oscar Plumber, who about a month ago was elected to the pastorate of the Beavertown charge and has been preaching here since, has returned to the Theological Seminary at Philadelphia to complete his studies. He will graduate in June.

Rev. J. C. Mumma, of Liverpool, will move to this charge some time during the present week, and will preach in the Lutheran Church on Sunday evening.

Miss Ellen Kinney, who has been living at Milroy, for some time, was home on a visit recently, accompanied by a brand new husband. We hope Ellen has made a good choice. Her husband's name is Joseph Reed. Farmers have sown their oats.

A car load of matches was shipped from the factory last week.

David Boush has been on the sick list but is able to be about again.

Rev. I. M. Pines, of Lewisburg, the Presiding Elder of this district, preached in the Evangelical church on Monday evening. He advocates genuine doctrine.

The usual spring improvements are noticeable in our town.

ADAMSBURG.—Samuel S. Baehman of this place has captured this winter and sold to a party in New York 195 muskrats, 12 raccoons, 10 minks, 5 red and 5 grey foxes. Samuel would be a good hand to send to Alaska.

"Spurs Smith is in Philadelphia this week buying goods.

Ira M. Teats is teaching a large class in pennmanship.

Miss Dessie Heifrich is attending the Musical College at Freeburg.

The Spring term of school opened on Monday, 18th, inst. The number attending is still increasing. Mr. Johns, the principal is giving thorough instruction in all branches. He intends teaching a full term.

The Henry Clay Society held its first meeting in conjunction with the school, Monday evening the 25th, inst. The house was filled. The usual order of exercises was abridged to make room for special addresses and school work. County Supt. D. S. Boyer and Prof. C. W. Herman were present and entertained the society very agreeably. The former's encouragement to the school children and to the members of the society was much appreciated and will not be without its good results. The Principal addressed the society upon the Labor System illustrating his subject with an oratory. A programme was again arranged for the next meeting in which the school will take part. This is an opportunity for the patrons of the school. We hope they will come out. It is encouraging to boys and girls to feel that their efforts are appreciated. An applause after a deserving performance tends to stimulate them, arouse new energy and helps them to persevere. Some of the principal features of the next programme will be a fine glee, a primary class in literature and debate on the subject, "Should all soldiers be pensioned."

CENTREVILLE.—J. M. Hartman of the firm of Hartman & Mertz is off to the city laying in a new supply of Spring and Summer goods with which he hopes to please his many customers.

The road Supervisors should now take a stroll over the public highways belonging to their respective districts.

Prof. C. W. Herman of Kratzville, E. B. Bessler of Freeburg, Dr. D. R. Rothrock and wife of New Berlin, were among the visitors to our town last week. J. K. Snyder of Spring Mills spent Sunday with his family here.

R. B. Fessler who has been sojourning in the western States for over two years, returned home on Saturday.

Prof. C. E. Spangler accompanied the Middleburgh Cornet Band to Milton on Tuesday.

A. B. Sheary attended the O. F. Anniversary at Milton on Tuesday.

The young man who carried a flask in cold weather for fear of frost bites, will no doubt soon carry it for fear of a snake bite.

McCLURE.—The town of McClure, from present indications, is ahead of any town in the County in improvements.

H. W. Ullsh has returned from Phila., where he purchased a general stock of goods.

Our stove mill is running day and night.

Arbor day was well observed. Quite a number of persons were busily engaged in planting shade trees.

Baum and Holsbue have sold all the lots in the town of McClure. This made it necessary for them to employ a Surveyor to slice off another portion of land from their farm.

Mrs. Wm. Martin of Wagner is visiting her mother.

We noticed J. D. Ullsh in our city on last Friday.

J. Howell & Son, are taking out a car-load of birch, sugar, and maple wood for a firm in Philadelphia. This contract compels these men to run their saws by steam power.

The grain fields do not look very promising around here.

Our farmers are about done sowing oats.

The roads have not been worse since the Deluge.

Wm. Wagner has moved his store to Crogrove Hall from Fishers Mills.

The appraisement of F. Youngman's property took place. In surveying the addition to McClure there was quite an overhauling of corners in lots, etc. More talk than anything else.

Mrs. R. Rothrock is on the sick list. Ego.

MIDDLESWARTH.—John Boyer, Jas. Herman and Arehe Wagner are going to school in Centreville.

Charles Herman and G. S. Bingham who are working in the Northumberland nail mills were visiting relatives here last fall.

C. W. G. Bingham and Miss Amelia Ray united in marriage last Thursday. We wish them happiness.

C. E. and W. H. Bingham have their steam saw mill in running order again.

It is reported that Ida C. Klingler will commence a Summer school soon.

The railroads will find they are meddling with dynamite if their policy once sets the idea afloat that they are trying to make the interstate commerce act odious by straining its provisions. Federal supervision of our great railroad systems has come to stay, and a wise policy is to make the best terms possible with the new partner. Railroad managers should make a note of this. It is the sentiment of the people.

C. L. Smith, Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Smith, late of Middleburgh Borough, will make sale of the personal property at the Central Hotel on Saturday, April 20.

ATTENTION.—POST 304, G. A. R. All members of Capt. G. W. Ryan Post No. 304, Dept. of Pa. G. A. R., are specially requested to be present at the meeting of Post on Friday evening, April 29th next, at which time important action will be taken with reference to certain pension matters, in which we are all interested. Comrades come out in full force, so that our strength may be felt and show that we are determined that our rights shall be maintained. By order of J. Y. SHINDLER, Adjutant.

The Erdie sisters one door west of School's store, Middleburgh have just received a magnificent line of Spring millinery and fancy goods, and they take this method of returning their thanks to the people for the liberal patronage received thus far, and feel confident that their stock and prices will merit continued patronage which they respectfully solicit.

We have several thousand old papers in the Post office, good to put under carpets, into cupboards, etc., which we will sell at five cents a dozen.

FOR SALE.—A first class 3 1/2 gallon ice cream freezer, has been used only one season and will be sold cheap. For particulars inquire or address THE POST, Middleburgh.

Clocks cleaned at my shop for 75c. Away from the shop 25 cents extra. Satisfaction always guaranteed. All work promptly done. Bring it in. H. H. LEITZEL.

Our Wall paper department is complete. We carry also out 200 different designs in stock. Prices undoubtably lower than anywhere else.

S. Weis, Selinsgrove, Pa.

A LADY'S PERFECT COMPANION.—"Painless Childbirth" a new book by Dr. John H. Dye, one of New York's most skillful physicians, shows that pain is not necessary in Childbirth but results from causes easily understood and overcome. It clearly proves that any woman may become a mother without suffering any pain whatever. It also tells how to overcome and prevent morning sickness, swollen limbs, and all other evils attending pregnancy. It is reliable and highly endorsed by physicians everywhere as the wife's true private companion. Cut this out; it will save you great pain, and possibly your life. Send two cent stamp for descriptive circulars, testimonials and confidential letter sent in sealed envelope. Address Frank Thomas & Co., Publishers, Baltimore, Maryland, Jan. 27, '87, 3m.

Notice! We call the attention of parties intending to buy carpets this Spring to our large line we have in stock. We carry a line of rag, hemp, cotton and woolen carpets, all wool 2 and 3 ply and Brussels. The prices will be found the very lowest.

S. Weis, Selinsgrove, Pa.

MARRIED.

April 21, 1887, by Rev. J. P. Shindel, Charles W. T. Bingham and Miss Amelia Ray, both of Snyder county.

Middleburgh Market

Table listing market prices for Butter, Eggs, Pitted cherries, Unpitted, Blackberries, Raspberries, Onions, Lamb, Turkey, Sides, and Ham.

Grain Market.

Table listing grain prices for No. 1 Pennsylvania, No. 2 Extra, No. 3 Whitebird, Eye, Corn, Oats, and Potatoes.

BOARDING HOUSE.

THE undersigned having made a single preparation for the accommodation of the public would respectfully announce that he will furnish boarding and lodging at the rate of twenty-five cents a day or twenty-five cents a week. Stabling and feed for horses furnished cheap. Those not having tried his table are respectfully invited to do so, and they will not go away dissatisfied. Rooms a few doors west of the Court House, Middleburgh, Pa. GABRIEL REAVEL, Proprietor.

Balognas. A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

The undersigned desires to announce to the public that he has embarked in the BALOGNA BUSINESS in earnest, and will hold himself in readiness to supply all demands of dealers in this section of the country, and therefore solicits their patronage. All he asks is a trial of the article, the great demand for which has induced him to make their manufacture a specialty. All orders by mail promptly filled. Address SYLVESTER BOWEN, Middleburgh, Pa. Feb 27, 1874.

WELL DRILLING!

Pure Water on Every Lot with out Little Cost.

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The undersigned desires to call the attention of the people of Snyder county to his improved method of well-drilling, which has given such universal satisfaction everywhere. He has the advantage over all other methods—is speedy, makes little dirt, never delayed by the machinery getting out of order and is in every particular satisfactory. Recommendations can be had from parties for whom I have done work either in Middleburgh, Beavertown or Bannerville.

J. M. KLINE, Beavertown, Pa. March 1, 1873m pd.

Out of our immense stock we offer the following

FURNITURE AND CARPET BARGAINS!

Two Solid Walnut Marble-top Suits, Bevel Glass extra well made in work and finish, but a little off in style.

Five Cottage Painted Suits at a bargain.

Three Solid Ash Suits all good goods except in finish.

Five Lounges at a sacrifice.

One plush Parlor suit 7 pieces.

Two hair-cloth " " " "

One " " " "

second hand.

Four marbled Parlor tables.

Five hundred yards, all wool, C. C. and Cotton Ingrain and Rag Carpets—last Spring styles and remnants.

and all the above are perfect, except in style and finish. Me wish to clean them out—all are marked Bargains and prices in plain figures.

All our regular stock of FURNITURE & CARPETS at a reduced price for the NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

Call early and secure the bargains. Goods packed and freight paid to any point on P. R. R.

W. H. FELIX, The popular Furniture and Carpet Man, Lewistown.

Undertaking a specialty.

CENTRAL DRY GOODS STORE.

SELINGSGROVE, PA.



"Fishing, iz a rod, with a hook and line at one end and a fool at the other." —Josh Billings.

Experience has taught that Josh was more than half right, but when you fish for Bargains in Wall Paper & Carpets at the Central Dry Goods Store in Selinsgrove its bound to pay for your'e sure to catch 'em. S. WEIS, Prop'r.

Spring Opening!

We are just now opening a magnificent stock of SPRING & SUMMER GOODS to which we desire to call your especial attention as it comprises the Latest & Best of Everything and needs but to be seen to be appreciated. We ask only a living profit on our goods and feel confident of the good will of our customers by their continued patronage. Highest price paid for Produce.

SCHOCH BROTHERS, SELINGSGROVE.

When You Insure Why Not Get the Best?

H. HARVEY SCHOCH,

General Insurance Agent, Selinsgrove, Pa. Represents the following Great Stock Companies:

Table listing insurance companies and their assets: METNA, Hartford, Conn. (\$5,658,840); HOME, New York (7,802,712); FIRE ASSOCIATION, Phila. (4,446,626).

These Companies rank among the BEST, are OLD in experience, and with their immense capital and conservative management insure safety and security.

No Assessments. No Premium Notes.

ARE YOU INSURED?

If not, write to the above Agency and you will receive prompt attention.

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Invite opposition!

Defy competition!

The undersigned will after January 1st, 1887, SELL GOODS ONLY FOR CASH, PRODUCE OR APPROVED NOTE. Prices on all goods have been reduced from 10 to 15 per cent.

New stock of SPRING STYLES.

Suits for old men. Nobby suits for young men. Suits for Boys, Youths Men and Children. Suits from \$1.75 to \$15.

Hats, Caps, Gloves, Underwear, HANDKERCHIEFS, TIES, &c. &c. Also

CONFECTIONS AND TOYS!!

sold at greatly reduced prices.

COYSTERS.

extra select, large, always on hand when in season.

FLOUR; FEED & C.

Thanking the many who have patronized me I cordially invite an inspection of my stock.

G. C. GUTELIUS, Middleburgh.

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