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EMS of LOCAL INTEREST

rgument Court for this county been adjourned from August to Thursday August 15th.

r. and Mrs. W. R. Penny of Mifburg were the guests of the edind family over Sunday.

s. Cameron Packer of Sunbury the guest of Mrs. Jere Crouse uesday.

orge Washington Schoch of the inburg *Telegraph* has been apted postmaster at Mifflinburg.

hn Bowersox of Shamokin is ing in Middleburgh. John is a looking young man and a good w.

hats the matter with our Selins-, Kratzerville and Shamokin Correspondents. Our readers d like to hear from them.

e Middleburgh Band has been ged to furnish music for the sburg Post on Grand Army t Sunbury, Oct. 9.

ere will be a festival on Saturvening, Aug. 10, for the benefit he Lutheran and Reformed ch of Centreville.

own bachelor remarked in our ng the other day that it took a an a long time to get into the es but when she did get there tayed.

e difference between the poor and the rich man is, that the man walks to get meat for his ach, and the rich man walks to stomach for his meat.

ubstantial reward is offered by ling sporting paper for a black weighed over eight pounds. bass must be caught before ing. All estimates taken in ater don't count.

pulpit, the press, and the petare the three most powerful ies in the world to-day. The spreads the gospel, the press ds the news, and the petticoat ds—considerable.

of the oldest and most reliof the large business houses oying agents wants a number n at once, on salary. See their rtisement elsewhere in this isheaded "A Chance to Make y."

ch injury is done by the use of ing, griping compounds taken rgatives. In Ayer's Pills, the t has a mild but effective ca-c, that can be confidently reended alike for the most delipatients as well as the most t.

re will be a general picnic in 's Grove one mile west of eburgh, on Saturday, Aug. to which all are welcome will be excursion rates on R. and all trains will stop at ove. The Middleburgh band ected present and will furnish usic.

re is lots of truth in this obion by the New York *Herald*: trouble is that a boy who ates from our public high s or colleges would feel it a ce to become a tip top car- or cabinet-maker, and so to sell pins by the penny's and tape by the yard, bow rape to his lady customers, lude himself with the idea is is one of the gentlemanly s."

"Cosmopolitan" magazine for t is out. Evidently, this mags taking a firm hold in the anks of the monthlies of this Among the many valuable rilling articles in this No. is ird and concluding part of amilton's true history of the of Philip Spencer and his mrades. On the merely algrounds of a suspicion of inmutiny on board the ship rs," the brutal captain hange innocent members of the d was allowed to go unpuny a U. S. court martial.

Eli Portzline is canvassing this county for the sale of the famous Minnesota Winter-proff seed wheat. It has immense heads with a large, well-shaped berry.

Mrs. J. G. Moyer of Adamsburg, Miss Grace Murphy of Lewistown, and Miss Minnie Adams of Shamokin, were visiting friends in town last week.

The days are now rapidly shorting. During the present month there will be a decrease of over an hour in the rising and setting of the sun.

R. Gunsberger offers extraordinary bargains in Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods, &c., for the next 30 days in order to make room for fall goods.

List of unclaimed letters in Middleburgh: A. H. Diver, George Dewbert, Joseph Cooper, T. C. Laverty & Son, Miss S. Burket, Miss Nora Martin. J. W. Swartz, Postmaster.

Great bargains in Mens', Youths' & Boys' Clothing, also in Straw Hats. To make room for fall stock I will during the next 30 days close out a large stock of summer goods of latest styles at a reduction of 25 per cent for cash. G. C. Gutelius.

For Sale.—The undersigned will sell at private sale her house and lot situate near Kramer, Pa., lately occupied by Dr. Seip. For particulars call on or address

Mrs. Mary Laudenslager,
July 10, 4t. Selinsgrove, Pa.

The "Bush-meeting" in Bower's Grove was well attended over Sunday and able sermons were delivered fore-noon, after-noon and evening before large and appreciative audiences. The meeting will continue during this week and over next Sunday.

No medicine in the world is in better repute or more widely known than Ayer's Sarsaparilla. As a safe and certain remedy for all manner of blood disorders, leading physicians and druggists everywhere recommend it in preference to any other.

Just out—"Robin's Farewell," Caprice for Piano, by Fisher. Brilliant, not difficult, and easy to commit to memory. A capital piece for young, progressive pianists. Mailed on receipt of 50 cts. in 2-c. stamps by any music dealer, or Ign. Fischer, the publisher, Toledo, O.

T. S. Buck will sell at Beavertown, on Friday evening, Aug. 16, a large lot of woolen goods suitable for men and boys' suits, all warranted, several second hand sewing machines and one new one, a horse, harness, one family cart, and other articles. For particulars see bills.

Settlement Notice.—The books of the undersigned must be sqnared up on or before September 1, 1889. All accounts unsettled by that time will be given in the hands of a collector. Please give this your immediate attention, and oblige

J. A. Moatz & Bro.,
Middleburgh, Pa.

The Second Annual Snyder county Choir Convention will be held in Bower's Grove, 1 mile west of Middleburgh, Pa., Saturday Aug. 24th 1889, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. Address of welcome by Prof. C. W. Herman. The president's inaugural and addresses by members of the executive committee will be made. It is expected that all the church choirs of the county will attend and render selections of their own choice. Middleburgh and other cornet bands of the county will be present to add to the musical interest. A Story and Clark grand organ will be furnished by C. C. Seebold. Bring lunch, or if desired, will be served by S. Bowen, superintendent of the grounds. A cordial invitation is extended to all citizens and lovers of music. All trains on the S. & L. R. R. will stop at the grounds. Excursion tickets.

Wm. Moyer, Pres.
H. I. Romig, Sec.

Good, rye whiskey at Marks & Enders at $1.85 per gallon.

Re-organized Bar Association.—Pursuant to notice, the Snyder County Bar Association met at the Court House, and elected the following officers for the ensuing year. President and Treasurer, Thomas J. Smith, Esq., Vice President, A. W. Potter, Esq., Secretary, Jay G. Weiser, Esq.

Matrimonial Market.—The following marriage licenses have been granted by the clerk of the Orphans Court of Snyder county during the last week:

John L. Wendt,	Aline,
Mary A. Herrold,	Hoffer.
Henry Hopp,	Oriental,
Alice Neitz,	Meiserville.
Adam H. Musser,	Franklin twp,
Mary E. Hare,	Jackson "

Roll of Honor.—The following persons have paid their subscription to the Post to the dates opposite their names. Should any mistakes occur in these credits or on your paper please notify us:

Rev. Shortis,	July 1, '91
J. H. Knepp,	June 15, '90
Alfred Heimbach,	May 1, '89
James Bowersox,	Oct. 1, '89
Cyrns Bowersox,	July 1, '89
L. A. Troup,	April 1, '90
M. H. Mourer,	May 1, '90
E. F. Goss,	July 1, '89
Allen Moyer,	Aug. 1, '90

The man in Middleburgh who owns a corner lot has very little hope of ornamenting it with shrubbery as long as that corporation nuisance known as the town cow is allowed to roam at large. They have necks like a giraffe and tongues as long as a fence rail, and will reach clean across a sixty foot lot and pick the Spanish needles out from under the bottom rail of the opposite fence. There is one advantage with them. They keep the grass manured in front of the residences which retains a bright green color the year round. Lets fence up the borough and sell it for a cattle ranch!

One great secret of success in business—the secret, in fact, of success on a large scale—is to conceive of it as a matter of principle, not as a series of transactions. There are great merchants as there are statesmen, and there are small merchants as there are small politicians and the difference between the great and small men is very much the same in both professions. The small politician works by the day, and sees only the one opportunity before him, the small merchant does the same thing—he is looking for the next dollar; the great statesman, on the other hand, is master of the situation because he understands the general principles which control events; this knowledge enables him to deal with large questions and shape the future. The great merchant does the same thing. His business is not a mere money-getting affair, not a mere matter of barter, but a science and an art; he studies the general laws of trade, watches the general condition of the country, investigates present needs, forsees future wants, and adapts his business to the broad conditions of his time and place. He puts as much brains into his work as does the statesman, and he ends by being, not a money-getter, but a large minded and capable man. An eminently successful business man of the statesmanlike quality said the other day that the more he understood of life the more clearly that he saw it was all done on business principles. By which he meant, not only that the universe stands for one dollar, but that the universe is governed by unvarying laws, that promptness, exactness, thoroughness and honesty are wrought in every fiber. On these business principles all life is conducted—if not by men, at least by that power which is behind man. It ought to be the ambition of every young man to treat his business from the point of view of a statesman, and not from that of a politician.

Beavertown.—On Saturday occurred one of the most serious runaways and accidents known in this community for years. The facts as the writer has learned them are as follows: William Freed, clerk in Ammon Bowersox's store, drove to the depot with a truck wagon load of empty coal oil barrels. With him on the wagon were Bowersox's two boys, two of Edward Freed's sons and a son of Reuben Greenhoe. Stopping at the proper place for unloading, the driver placed the lines into the hands of Meade Bowersox, who was sitting on top of a barrel in the front part of the wagon, and went into the office for consultation. In his absence the horses became shy and started. Meade tried to restrain them, but in doing so drew himself and the barrel on which he was sitting off the wagon, he falling against one horse and the barrel against the other. The horses now started in full earnest. Meade was entangled in the lines and was dragged some distance. The wagon also passed over him. He was picked up with his leg broken and woefully cut and bruised. Johnnie Bowersox fell off before the horses had fairly started. He was taken up unconscious but not much hurt. Irvin Freed jumped off without injury. The horses, with the other two boys, continued along the railroad to West street and through it north to Walnut. At the crossing of Market street Nelson Freed was thrown out landing on his face. He was taken up helpless. His injuries consisted of a deep hole in the back of his head, a badly bruised leg, and a bruised face. Willie Greenhoe, now alone, then jumped off on to a grassy place, turning a summersault and getting up unhurt. Continuing to the east extremity of Walnut street, the horses turned up toward Market, where they were met and stopped. At Mrs. Stricker's they uprooted two shade trees and snapped the hitching post. The barrels were scattered along the route. One remained on the wagon. The team was not injured. The services of Dr. A. M. Smith and Dr. Baker were secured for the injured boys.

John E. Snyder is in Nebraska for pleasure and the good of his health.

Edward Freed and William Beaver have placed pavements in front of their residences.

Mrs. William Reber and her daughter, of Danville, visited here last week.

Solomon Getz of Duncannon, is back on a visit. He has been very seriously sick at the residence of his sister in Selinsgrove for a week past.

The late rains have given some of our farmers a great deal of trouble with their oats.

Citizen.

Troxelville.—The incessant rain of last week blasted many a farmer's fond hopes, and caused nearly all of the oats to be left out over Sunday.

Rumor has it, that Paul Ettinger is shooting all the gray squirrels that he can draw a bead on. This has been his practice ever since he can handle a gun, and a lesson in Blackstone might be beneficial.

Jonathan Good, of Shamokin Dam, formerly from this place, is lying dangerously ill at his mother's residence, south of town.

Say Tom, you and I never had a harvest spree that lasted as long as some of your correspondents seem to. Oh, no, we never drink so much.

The Troxelville Cornet Band will hold a Lawn Festival on Saturday, Aug. 10th, day and evening. Every energy is being put forth to make this the leading festival of the 19th century. It takes money to keep up a band, and as this one ranks with the foremost in the state, I hope they will be liberally patronized. In connection with the festival a special program will be carried out, in which "Trapper Jim," and his trained monkeys will be leading attractions. Come, one and all, and bring your purse along and spill it here. California Joe.

Shamokin Dam.—As Shamokin Dam items failed to appear for some time in your valuable paper I will give you some of the happenings.

The Reading R. R. bridge at this place is about completed, and the bridge gang is at work taking out the iron of the old spans, much of which can be used again.

The canal is about ready to open again and the music of the boat-horn for "lock ready" will be heard in a few days.

The school house at this place has been condemned and the "school-dads" are tearing the old structure down. They intend to erect a handsome structure with two school and one recitation room in a one-story building. I hope they will build something worthy of the purpose.

The West Branch Lumber Company have been gathering up the stray lumber without paying the Algerenes for their trouble, but when they commenced on the logs they were stopped until they pay the salvage which is 50 cents a log.

The Methodists held a lawn festival on Saturday evening and netted some $20.

J. J. Trexler after spending a month pleasantly at Allentown and vicinity has returned and is circulating among the girls quite freely.

The Dam Band attended a picnic at Hollen Run on Saturday.

Prof. O. H. Bakler is teaching a select school and has quite a number of good-looking young men and ladies attending. Most of them are preparing to teach. The professor has always had good succes in training teachers.

The colored gentry will hold camp-meeting in Clement's Park, commencing Aug. 10.

A good many of our people contemplate visiting the Williams Grove picnic. Ladies, when you go don't forget to take your hubbies along.

Our anglers are catching a good many bass.

Billie Brown, alias Hime, is measuring calico and molasses for E. R. Hottenstein. He is so slow that he grows an inch every time he performs an errand. He will soon be an old man.

Ben. Butler, Watt's driver, has a a horse and buggy of his own. He says he can knock Sleary out on the first round.

Worl Aurand's children are both well The dog may live through the dog days and the parrot (if it don't learn to swear) may live to be a saint.

Some of the married women had better not stay out so late at night or they may be exposed.

Tom cum runner un bring en lot Stæ-keitzel un Hellgrameit mit und der no fonga mere en mess Dick kep und Bass. Zeno.

Middleswarth.—Levi Musser and Thomas Martin were in Milton last week attending the funeral of Geo. Martin.

Mrs Kate Gill is on the sick list.

It was reported through the valley that C. F. & W. H. Bingaman (threshers) would charge 2½ cents for oats and 4 cents for wheat. It is a mistake. They told me that they would thresh as before for 2 and 3 cents, and $4.00 for small jobs.

A. H Herman and James Ettinger took a load of huckleberries to Northumberland—867 quarts, or over 27 bushels.

Owing to the rainy weather, there is lots of oats in the fields, about half spoiled already, and last Sunday a man in our neighborhood was mowing oats and a few weeks before he mowed his rye on Sunday. Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy.

The Campmeeting at Swengel will comence the 13 of this month.

Bob.

Centreville.—Farmers are having a good deal of trouble to get their oats away on account of the continuous rainy weather.

J. M. Miller is prepared to supply farmers with the best fertilizers in the market at very low prices.

Jos. Kuhns moved his family to Pennsvalley narrows, where he is employed on Mohn & Son's portable saw-mill.

We are having rain in abundance, and the prospects for an immense crop of corn are very flattering.

Mrs. S. W. Hartman of Selinsgrove, visited acquaintances and relatives here.

Merchant C. M. Showers and Constable Napp, attended the horse sale at Selinsgrove, Thursday.

The masons will commence work on the Penns Creek bridge this week, and the work is to be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible, and by September 15, the creek is to be spanned by a substantial iron bridge.

Centreville was represented at the Bush meeting near Middleburgh on Sunday.

Mrs. Louisa Walter of Mifflinburg was the guest of Valentine Walter's family over Sunday.

P. C. Hartman has opened a barber shop in town, furnished in the latest style. With scissors sharp and razors keen, he extends a cordial invitation to all to drop in and be "slicked up" at reasonable rates.

Miss Amanda Walter of Milmont, handsome and good natured as usual, was home over Sunday amongst her many friends and——.

Miss Minnie Clemence and Miss Nora Ginter of New Columbia, were the guests of Miss Elva Hartman.

Sawyer Jas. C. Swineford, who is employed on a steam saw-mill in Centre county, was home with his family over Sunday.

Dr. J. E. Mohn has moved his family to Jersey Shore where he intends to open a drug store.

Lowell.—J. J. Mattern's shoe store was visited by a known scoundrel some time ago and the contents of his money box was relieved. Jacob says he knows the party and the next time the readers of the Post will know him too for he will have the name in the paper.

T. F. Swineford will run a hack to bush-meeting on next Sunday. All who wish to go by that train can be accommodated by leaving orders at W. G. Wagner's store. He will run an extra for ladies.

The farmers are taking the advantage of every hour's sun shine in storeing away oats, some report theirs spoiled by wet weather.

Be a little more careful on the next visit and put your horse at the other end of the barn, so if he happens to kick the boards off he will not spoil any cabbage and Hen will be in a better humor.

There was a prize fight on Jacob Dreese's battle ground last week and it is reported that the heavy weight came out second best. It was a battle of the Amazons.

Solomon Wagner's daughter was buried last week after a long spell of sickness. The funeral was well attended by relatives and friends.

McClure fishermen turned out after the big rain we had last week and encamped at Fisher's dam. Their luck was good as one man had one Sunny and one Mud chub, and the other had just half that amount. The other four or five had—oh, well.

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You can tell pretty well how a girl feels towards you by the way she takes hold of your arm. If she doesn't care you know it by the indifference of her muscles. If she has a great confidence in you the pressure tells it; and friendship is as distinct from love in that mode of expression as in words or looks. A woman can tell the arm of a fellow she likes very much with perfect comfort, even if she is six feet high and he is four. But even if the two are just matched she can make him feel disdain, contempt, discomfort, dislike anything she likes, by the way she does not hold on to him. I am told there is a great deal of difference, too, between the way a girl fits her wast to one man's arm compared with another, but I hardly believe it.