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ITEMS of LOCAL INTEREST

"Read Cash Chesnut's Burr."

The latest out—Deibert's new photos.

The glories of autumn are departing.

Secure your fine photos at Deibert's gallery.

The days are rapidly drawing to their shortest span, and the evenings being long, afford a good time for study.

The editor of the Post is in the Green Mountains this week with the Middleburghs, Fetterolls and Hasseger Company hunting deer.

Our old friend Joel Grohs of Centre township, raised a turnip which measured 26 inches in circumference. We mistake not Mr. Grohs will be titled to the belt.

John Francis and J. B. Enterline being taken charge of the shop in Franklin, offer their services to our people in the butchering line, either the shop or at private residences.

Teamster, if you want a good rawhide whip, I have something that will stand the cold weather.

H. OPPENHEIMER, Selingsgrove.

A new schedule went into effect on the S. & L. Railroad on Monday.

The only difference in time is in the morning train east which is 24 minutes earlier. See corrected time table.

There is no more fruitful source of disease than vitiated blood. It invades every organ and function of the body, and if not immediately corrected by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, sooner or later leads to fatal results. Be warned in time.

Any of our readers wanting a fine article of rye whiskey, especially for medicinal purposes, can be accommodated by addressing Marks Enders, Middleburgh, Pa. Prices range from \$2 to \$3.50 per gallon, according to age and quality.

There are a great number of young boys playing on the streets at night and learning ill manners. Parents should not allow their boys to be on the streets after nightfall, but see that they are at home studying their school lessons.

The statement in the Post last week that C. C. Seebold had sold his right and title in the general store to Seebold & Runkle to Peter Reigle is evidently premature. It was done conditionally but the parties had agreed in said conditions.

Alvin Gift has secured a clerkship at Bush, Bule & Diehle's extensive goods and fancy store at Willingport. Al is a fine young man, neat, sober, intelligent, and our people are pleased to learn that he has high with his employers.

The combination of ingredients used in Ayer's Pills renders them both curative as well as cathartic. For this reason they are the best medicine for people of costive habit, as they restore the natural action of the bowels, without debilitating.

Special in Thursday's Philadelphia Press records the death of Colonel John H. Stover, formerly Captain of Company B, 10th Pennsylvania Vol.; Major of 106th Vol., and finally colonel of 148th Vol. Mr. Stover is an old Centre county resident, being born and bred at Aaronburg.

PHOTOGRAPHIC.—

Prints 2 for \$1.00.

" 5 " \$1.50.

" 8 " \$2.00.

" 14 " \$3.00.

Size 12 " \$1.50.

" 6 " \$1.00.

Photos taken for less than \$1.00. Extra charge for every additional face above two on each negative. A deposit demanded on all negatives when ordered. Gallery 240 feet north of the Court House, display there.

DEIBERT, Photographer.

If you want to save money buy your fine clothing of me. I promise you no car fare but will give you a bargain that will pay you.

H. OPPENHEIMER, Selingsgrove.

WANTED.—Two good girls for a small family, one as cook, wages \$3 per week; the other as child's nurse, wages \$2 per week. Address Mrs. FRANK S. MARR, Lewisburg, Pa.

Nov. 7. 3w.

Gunzberger is determined to keep ahead in the Clothing business. He has on hand a large and fine selected stock of the newest and most fashionable styles of Ready Made Clothing, Hats, Caps, &c., which he is determined to sell at but 5 per cent on first cost. This will give our readers a chance to buy goods at reasonable prices.

When a town ceases to grow it commences to die, and if the people try to kill each other in their business and good names, the more rapidly will utter ruin come to all. Stand together for the advancement of every citizen. If a man shows ability to prosper, do not pull him back through jealousy or weigh him down with cold indifference.

Under the school laws of Pennsylvania the authority of a teacher in directing the conduct of a pupil in his or her charge begins when the child departs from its home for school and only ends when it returns again to that abode. Whoso doubts, let him examine the little white-covered book which contains the school laws of the State.

On Thursday afternoon last, Mr. William McPherson, of Weikert Station, Union county, went hunting for rabbits. He set his gun down on the ground, forgetting at the time that it was loaded and also cocked. In some way the trigger was touched and the gun went off, the shot entering Mr. McPherson's face below the right eye. He was found and taken home but died the following Friday night.—Centre Reporter.

TAX NOTICE.—The undersigned tax-collector for Franklin township will sit at the Court House, Middleburgh, on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, Nov. 14, 15, and 16, from 1 P. M. to 6 P. M. to receive taxes. If paid then five per cent. will be deducted from school and school building taxes. All county and poor tax not paid by the 19th of December, five per cent. will be added. All taxes of 1888 not paid by January 1, 1890, will be collected according to law.

AUSTIN GIFT, Col.

A country editor who takes an unusual view of the approaching winter weather, bewails the hazardous condition of his wearing apparel in the following delicate manner: "Lives of great men oft remind us honest toil don't stand a chance, more we work we leave behind us bigger patches in our pants. Oh those pants once new and glossy, now are patched with many a hue all because subscribers linger, will not pay us what is due. Then let them be up and doing, send your mite tho' be it small, or when snow of winter strikes us we shall have no pants at all."

Editors who receive complimentary tickets to county fairs and other places are often looked upon as deadheads, but the managers of the Henry county, Ohio fair, who have had some experience in such matters, had the following printed upon the complimentary tickets they issued: "This ticket, probably, has been paid for ten times over by the paper to which it is issued. It will be honored in the hands of any man, woman or child, white, black, red or yellow, who favors the association by presenting it. It is good for entrance and grand stand, and the bearer, if driving, will be entitled to pass a team free. The association recognizes the fact that its splendid success is owing largely, if not wholly, to the notices so freely given by the press, and while we cannot render an equivalent in cash, we return our grateful thanks."

REPUBLICAN.

The Scientific American last week published an illustration of the immense rabbit hunt which took place at Wildflower, Fresno county, California, on March last. In relation to the hunt it says: The mound of slain at the end of the drive was five feet deep, twenty feet wide, and forty feet long, and contained twelve thousand dead rabbits, the largest and most successful drive ever made in California. These vermin have become so numerous and destructive to the farmers, that the wholesale extermination of them is imperative. It is estimated that five rabbits consume as much as one sheep. They are particularly fond of young grape vines, fruit trees, corn and other grain. This drive was made by stretching fine wire netting about three feet high and seven miles in length, V shaped, terminating at the smaller end in a circular corral into which the animals were driven and readily killed with stout sticks.

JAS. K. DAVIS, ESQ., ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.—

On Wednesday Col. James K. Davis was elected President of the First National Bank of Selingsgrove, vice Mr. George Schure resigned. This resignation was brought about by the infirmities of age. In the selection of Mr. Davis as President to succeed Mr. Schure the Directors have acted wisely. Mr. Davis has been one of the leading Directors of this institution for a quarter of a century and is perfectly conversant with all the affairs of the Bank. His executive ability is of a high order, and his knowledge of men and finance is well-known in this community. We congratulate, and more especially the stock-holders, upon his election as the executive head of this old institution. We wish President Davis many years of health and vigor of body and mind to fill the place of honor and responsibility to which he has just been chosen.—Tribune.

BEAVERTOWN.—Rev. Vetzler from Jefferson county preached a trial sermon on last Thursday evening in the General Council Lutheran church at this place, as well as in all the other churches of the charge vacated in July by the resignation of Rev. O. E. Pfeuffer.

H. B. Frymoyer, a student at the telegraph office at this place has accepted the position of assistant freight agent on the West Virginia Central R. R. at Elkins, W. V.

There are quite a number of mumps cases in town.

The children and some friends of Mrs. Jacob Freed, Sr., honored her with a birthday surprise on Saturday evening a week, she received some valuable presents. It was a complete surprise to the old lady. The occasion was the sixty-seventh anniversary of her birth.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kline from near Sturgis, Michigan, are here on a visit to friends and the home of their childhood days, after an absence of seventeen years.

The wheat fields in this part of the country look very promising.

W. M. Keller is building an addition to his summer kitchen.

Thomas J. Middleswarth moved into his new house at the west end of town last week.

Aaron Hassinger has again repaired the house, that had the foundation washed out by the big June flood, and moved it up a hill a short distance from where it formerly stood, and his son-in-law, C. I. Mattern again occupies the same.

M. Friedman, of the Jew store, was in the city last week and purchased his fall and winter goods.

John Hetrick moved into town last week and his son Jacob farms his land.

W. A. Snook from this place and Miss Berdie Harris from near Richfield joined heart and hand on last Thursday.

John F. Baker and Miss Viola Spaid from near town were married on last Sunday.

REPUBLICAN.

OBITUARY.

Capt. William Harding was born at Waltham, England, May 17, 1825.

He was a son of Henry and Elnora Harding. He had no brothers but an only sister. When a young man he emigrated to this country and his subsequent career as a citizen and soldier prove conclusively that he was strongly attached to the land of his adoption. December 26, 1851 he united in marriage with Esther Grath of Maiden Creek, Berks Co., who survives him together with his son Henry of Fremont, Elnora, intermarried with Henry R. Reichenbach of Meiserville, and Alise M. intermarried with Adam S. Heiser, who reside at Magadore, Ohio. After his marriage he lived in Berks Co., until 1855, when he moved to Perry township, Snyder Co., and in 1855 he moved to Fremont where he lived to the time of his death. Hon. J. B. Packer when in Congress secured for him a position in the Public Library at Washington, D. C., which he held four years. During that time he had access to the Botanical Garden located at Washington, where he cultivated his taste in Botany, and became quite proficient in this study. The rare and beautiful plants that adorned his yard at his home in Fremont were very attractive. He could readily give all the difficult scientific names of these plants, and would become enthusiastic in speaking of his botanical collections when visited by his numerous friends. Every year he would send a choice bouquet to his intimate friend and lamented Maj. Dill of Freeport. He was noted for his patriotism, and participated in the Mexican war, but only reached Fort Brown, Texas, when the war ended. For three years he served faithfully in the war of the Rebellion and was a member of Gen. Crawford's staff, and participated in many hard fought battles. He served as Justice of the Peace of Perry twp., for a period of twenty years, and resigned this office a short time before his death. He was well versed in the law pertaining to a Justice's Court, and had an extensive business for a country Justice. He was considered a safe counsellor, and served as executor, administrator, assignee and guardian in a number of estates. As a legal advisor he had the full confidence of the people in his locality. He was influential as a local politician and his assistance was sought by those of his party who were aspirants to office. He also held the office of storekeeper and gauger three and one-half years. He was also noted for his sociability and strong attachment to his friends, and he was a ready conversationalist. He taught the public school at Fremont in 1857 & '58, and two terms at different places in Perry twp. He was a successful teacher and had a taste for drawing, which he taught in school. He was also a good mathematician and a strict disciplinarian. In the Spring of 1888 he started for his native country England, and visited the scenes of his childhood. He found his aged mother still alive, and on his return he took great pleasure in showing her picture and other pictures of scenes in his native country. He came back broken down in health and his disease gradually growing worse, but was carefully and tenderly nursed by his devoted wife, and received the kind attention of his son Henry and daughter Elnora during his illness. He died Tuesday, Nov. 5, 1889, at 1 a. m., aged 64 years, 5 months and 20 days. Monday, Nov. 11, his remains were taken to Allentown, Pa., where they were interred the following day. The G. A. R. of which he was a member, participated in the funeral exercises.

one can beat this let him come forward and be heard from.

Mr Emanuel Hartman and wife of Union county, visited relatives here recently.

Miss Hattie Swartz Sundayed among friends in Millinburg.

Prof. A. B. Sheary and lady, a young married couple, were treated to some choice music by a calithumpian band a few evenings ago, and we believe their journey down life's sea of time will be somewhat more prosperous and happy for having been so gleefully serenaded.

Mr. R. Slotman of Pleasant Gap, was amongst his friends here.

Constable Napp was to Winfield on Monday.

The Post has over one hundred subscribers in this township. Eighty-two subscribers get their paper at this office, and still they come.

Carb. Seebold of Middleburgh, that energetic White Sewing Machine agent was in town on Monday. The White still is king.

A little rain for a change.

LOWELL.—Wm. Krick slaughtered the largest porker yet heard from for this season. It dressed 500 lbs.

H. M. Ush visits Lowell every Saturday. Farmers and others having any sick stock can have them attended by leaving orders at his residence.

Fifty cents for a chicken is a fair price for the boys to pay when out hunting for wild turkeys: Don't you think so Hen.

T. F. Swineford is about to erect a chop mill for the accommodation of farmers and others in the vicinity of his home.

There has been quite a dispute about the water course with some of our farmers. It is reported that the Sheriff will settle the dispute this week.

Any one having a dog that will bite, bark, or stay at home can have a record by reporting the same to jolly Jim, the ink slinger for the Adamsburg Herald.

Ush & Herbster report staying hauling a paying job, as they expect to average about \$475 per month.

Game is getting scarce in these parts since W. H. Knepp has got a new breech-loader. A few sparrows can be seen on the streets yet.

Mrs. Josiah Baumgardner left for her western home last week.

Smith & Erb have tied up thresher for this season and report having a pocket full of money for their summer's work.

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McCLURE.—Miss Annie Shirey and Miss Weis of Logan, Millin county were visiting friends in Snyder county last week.

J. J. Steely of Soradoville made our town a short visit on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hamilton were visiting friends in Shamokin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller of Huntingdon county are visiting friends in McClure and vicinity.

Mrs. John Felker of McClure was the recipient of a handsome new dress presented by her son Isaac from Bellevue, Ohio.

Our merchant, H. W. Ush, loaded two car loads of wheat to-day, Monday.

Miss Lottie Wagner who has been with friends in Union county, is home again.

The Evangelical Church is nearly completed, and will be re-opened in the near future.

Ex-Sheriff Middleswarth has a hog that is three feet high and is expected to weigh about 500 pounds. He will break the record in the West end.

The spring that is to supply the water for town is complete, our people will soon be able to get their water at the door instead of carrying it two or three squares. We hope all our citizens will patronize the company.

It took four of young men to kill a horse, but Lew claims to have been the boldest, he says, he felt his pulse till he was dead.

LUCIUS LUCANUS.

CENTREVILLE.—Squire Bowersox, the well known Centre township farmer, brought an ear of corn to town which measures 13 1/2 inches. As this is the time for telling about the wondrous ears of corn produced by the farmers in our township, so if any

Death of the Oldest Citizen in Snyder County.

At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Michael Moyer, at Moyer's Mill, two miles east of Troxville, on Thursday, November 7, Mrs. Susanna Hains, relict of Frederick Hains, aged 97 years, 9 months and 9 days.

Mrs. Hains was the oldest inhabitant of Snyder county at the time of her death and was remarkably active for her extreme age. At the age of 95 years she was able to make her own dresses without the use of spectacles, and enjoyed unusual good health until within three weeks before her death when life's machinery ceased to perform its functions—and she died of old age. She was married two times, and was the mother of nine children—eight of whom survive her. She has an immense line of descendants and at the time of her death was a great—great grand-mother. Her remains were conveyed to Adamsburg by Undertaker Zeelman on Saturday afternoon to the house of her son, Rash Haines, from where the funeral took place on Sunday.

DEATH OF AN AGED CITIZEN.—John Snyder of Middleburgh who was nearing his four-score years, retired in good health on Thursday evening at about 9 o'clock. A little later he complained of pain in his left arm. It grew worse and he told his aged companion, Mrs. Snyder, that he thought it was drawing to his breast, and she called Ephraim Fryman, their son-in-law, who came and raised up his head. Mr. Snyder told him to lay him down again as he thought he would faint, and in a short time he was dead. Death is supposed to have resulted from heart failure. Mr. Snyder was a highly respected citizen, a kind father and affectionate husband. He leaves to survive a wife and four children, all living in and around Middleburgh, viz: George, Charles, Franklin, and Susan, intermarried with Ephraim Fryman. He was aged 79 years, 1 month, and 4 days. The funeral took place on Tuesday at 10 o'clock, and the remains were interred at Hassinger's church.

"Behold the western evening light!" "Falls in deepening gloom. So, calmly, Christians sink away, Descending to the tomb."

GLOBE MILLS.—Our hunters are death on rabbits and pheasants.

D. F. Row is having a large and well attended school.

John Yoder is having a booming school on the hill.

A District Institute has been organized in our township. D. F. Row is elected President and Chas. A. Meiser, Secretary. The next meeting will be held at Sawyer's school house, and the following subjects discussed: Primary Arithmetic, by Ira Tents; Primary Physiology, by L. M. Miller; Primary Reading, by Chas. A. Meiser. The Institute will convene at Meiser's school house on Wednesday evening, Nov. 20.

Captain John Fries purchased a Chop mill and Corn breaker; he also placed a pole in his hay rake. The Captain raked all his hay and clover seed with two horses, and now intends to rake his corn stubbles and manufacture corn chop from them.

Nettie and Grant Yoder paid a visit to some Dam folks on Sunday.

PATRICK.

MARRIED.

Oct. 31, by Rev. Mumma at Adamsburg, Amos Snook to Mrs. Rachael Smith.

Nov. 10, in Middleburgh, by Rev. S. P. Orwig, John F. Baker, to Miss Viola Spaid, both of Beavertown, Pa.

Oct. 31, at Adamsburg by Rev. J. C. Mumma, J. H. Stuck to Miss Maggie Reitz.

DIED.

In Limestone township, Union Co. on Oct. 31st, Charles Stees, aged 76 years, 11 months and 22 days.