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ITEMS of LOCAL INTEREST

Bald heads are too many when they may be covered with a luxuriant growth of hair by using the best of all restorers, Hall's Hair Renewer.

FOR SALE.—A desirable house and lot in McClure, Snyder County, Pa. Terms easy. For price and particulars address J. J. STRUNK, Millers-own, Perry County, Pa. Jan. 1, 1892.

M. L. Kreeger has abandoned the erection of a new hotel in Middleburgh and has leased the Washington House to Carbon Seebold who will take possession of it on the 1st of April.

The Troxleville hunting party was out after bear on Saturday and wounded a fair-sized animal which ran out into the valley and was killed near the residence of Foster Smith, Adams township.

As will be seen by our sale register, A. M. Carpenter has changed the date of his sale from Thursday, Feb. 18, to Tuesday, Feb. 16; and J. Calvin Schoch from Thursday, Feb. 18, to Wednesday, Feb. 17.

On the 14th of Feb'y the Lutheran and Reformed church of Beavertown will be dedicated. Services are to be held in the afternoon and evening of Feb. 13th and in the forenoon and evening of February 14th.

All parties having public sale this spring can make arrangements to have their notes discounted or collected at the First National Bank of Middleburgh. The Bank will furnish bank notes without charge.

City physicians recommend four ounces of juniper berries to a gallon of rye whiskey as a sure anti-venereal against the grip. The berries may be had at any drug store and the whiskey is constantly kept on hand at J. H. Marks, Swineford, Pa.

Penny postage is likely to be one of the financial experiments of the year. Postmaster-General Matthews has declared in its favor and a bill to establish penny postage has already been introduced to Congress.

All who are troubled with Constipation will find a safe, sure, and speedy relief in Ayer's Pills. Unlike most other cathartics, these pills strengthen the stomach, liver, and bowels, and restore the organs to normal and regular action.

Don't experiment with your health. You may be sure of the quality of our medicine, even if you have to take much of your food on trust. Ask your druggist for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and no other. It is the standard blood-purifier, the most effective and economical.

We are informed that Moses Specht of Beavertown, has concluded to go into business, and that he has sold a stock of merchandise and leased a hotel, store-room, warehouse and saloon to the Winey Brothers, Middleburgh, who will take possession at once.

What a blessing that muscles of men and fingers of steel now perform much of the drudgery of the world, thus giving time for the cultivation of refinement and social pleasures. If there ever was a time when life was worth the living, this is surely that time.

A material increase in the price of hemlock tan bark and its effect on hides and leather are the promised conditions of the near future. Reports from the lumber districts of Pennsylvania and adjoining States indicate an early rise in bark prices on account of the limited supply available.

FRUIT TREES FOR SALE.—The undersigned has a large stock of trees and will dispose of at reasonable prices. To those who contemplate planting orchards I will make rates for 500 or 1000 orders. Terms Write for prices. I buy my trees and guarantee them true to name. A general line of nursery stock. Address J. K. OBERHOLTZER, Milltown, Juniata county, Pa.

J. A. Hassinger and wife, of near Harleton, are here visiting relatives

Miss Lillie Stetler is visiting friends in Centre county. Mercury touched zero on Wednesday morning.

Mr. Link Leuck, in company with Mr. Samuel Maurer visited Mr. Maurer's brother, Josiah, at Centreville, on Monday.

Samuel Wetzel of Jackson township has purchased Seth Mitchell's property in New Berlin and will move upon it April 1st.

Any person having a fat hog to sell will find a cash buyer by applying at the Post printing office. Weight from 200 to 250 pounds.

Standard A and granulated sugar at 5cts. per pound. Arbuckle's Coffee reduced to 23cts per pound.

To preserve a youthful appearance as long as possible, it is indispensable that the hair should retain its natural color and fullness. There is no preparation so effective as Ayer's Hair Vigor. It prevents baldness, and keeps the scalp clean, cool, and healthy.

The Post offers no premiums to its subscribers but we pay over \$100 expressage per year to get the world's news up to within a day of publication—thus combining a city and country weekly in one—and, judging from the rapid increase of our subscription list THE POST fills the bill.

Last week the Middleburgh Post entered upon its twenty-ninth year. We congratulate Brother Harter on the phenomenal success that he has met with in its publication, and hope it may not only continue but increase a thousand fold. But with such a trump card in Snyder as "Boonastiel," success was assured from the time he assumed control.—Juniata Herald.

Mrs. Lydia Herrold, wife of ex-Sheriff Levi S. Herrold, of Snyder county, died at her home in Akron, O., January 14th of grip and kidney trouble. She was aged about 70 years, was born in Snyder county. Her maiden name was Motz—a sister of George Motz, of Middleburgh, now deceased. She was married to Mr. Herrold on August 2, 1842, and in 1865 they moved to Akron, O. The union was blessed with eight children, only two of whom, John S. and Martha (now Mrs. Christie), survive her.

A few weeks ago a nine-months old child of George Weaver, residing in the Seven Mountains, Centre county, died and was buried. A few days after a rumor gained circulation that the child had been foully dealt with by its father. The child was exhumed and a jury was impaneled to render a verdict as to the child's death. An examination revealed no bruise of any kind on the child's body, and the jury rendered a verdict accordingly, and that it had not come to its death from blows received from its parents.

During the war with the Southern States, a combination was affected which looked very badly for the North. After England and France had agreed to recognize the Southern Confederacy and raise the blockade, Count Mercier, the French Ambassador, approached Emperor Alexander and stated the fact and asked the co-operation of Russia. The reply of the Emperor was in effect: "Our Empire and the people of the United States have always been friends. The Government of the United States has always chosen the Imperial Crown of Russia as its arbitrator and friend. Their cause is my cause, and when England and France take this step you can say to their majesties that my forces are at the service of the United States. To-night the fleets of Russia will be ordered into the ports of New York and San Francisco." It was the friendship of the Emperor of Russia, therefore, that alone saved us from a worse conflict in the war of the rebellion.

Another Tramroad Accident.

WILLIAM JORDAN GROUND TO A PULP AT PARDEE.

On Friday evening of last week as a train load of logs were being taken down the tramroad to Pardee, the crew lost control of the train, owing to the slippery condition of the rails, and all the men jumped except Olley Specht, engineer, (son of Jacob Specht,) and fireman Will Jordan. The train had gained a tremendous speed when Jordan and Specht jumped off. Jordan, it is supposed, jumped on the wrong side and rebounded under the wheels of the trucks, where he was ground into a pulp. Specht escaped with a broken nose, sprained back and feet. The attending physician thinks Mr. Specht will recover. He was brought in on a mule and Jordan was taken in on another donkey. Mr. Specht had just jumped in time, for the next instant the train jumped the track and landed on the rocks some forty feet down the mountain, an entire wreck. Mr. Jordan lived at Pardee. He leaves a wife and several children. He was buried Monday.

Six more States will take part in the coming presidential election than ever before, and thirty more than elected the first president, says the Indianapolis News. Then there were fourteen States and sixty-five electoral votes; this year there will be forty-four States and 44 electoral votes. In 1888 the popular vote was, in round number, 11,400,000; in 1892 it is estimated that it will reach 13,000,000, the largest vote ever cast at any election which history records, and they will be scattered over a greater area of country.

A few weeks ago we published a "clipping" from an exchange saying that any person having an American silver half-dollar of 1838 could get \$12 for it. We have since been besieged from all quarters by persons who had in their possession the coveted coin, asking us where they could sell the piece. We have examined several coin circulars and find that there is very little or no premium on the coin. We are sorry if we have led any of our readers into anticipations of great riches and must thus ruthlessly blast their hopes.

We beg to call our readers' attention to the advertisement of P. Billhardt, found in another column of this issue. Any person desiring to purchase a standard piano for as low a price as possible, should communicate with him at once and get his terms. The instruments, which he offers for sale, are well known and highly spoken of in the musical world. This fact combined with the experience of Mr. Billhardt as a musician and the reputation which he enjoys in regard to honesty and fairness warrants satisfaction to his customers.

Last fall when Uncle Rob. Middleburgh hunted with the Swengelville party near the tunnels in Union county, they observed a big bear making his way up a mountain fully five hundred yards away. Mr. Middleburgh and John Spigelmyer at once opened fire on the animal with their Winchester. The bear quickened his pace and disappeared over the summit of the mountain. Mr. Middleburgh did not follow the animal as he did not think he was hit. This week we received intelligence that the animal ran within the lines of a Millin Co. party and was shot at short range by a Mr. Gerhart, of near Man's Axe Factory. A stranger appeared upon the scene about this time, and, running his hand through the thick fur, offered Mr. Gerhart \$25 for the hide. The offer was promptly accepted and the animal was skinned, whereupon they found that a 45 calibre Winchester ball (such as Mr. Middleburgh shoots) had entered the bear's breast, cut his jugular vein, passed through the body and lodged in the gaven. The animal dressed 340 pounds.

The Fence Law.

A few weeks ago we published Judge Rockefeller's decision on the Fence Law. Later we published a criticism on the same, which led to an investigation and caused him to reverse his decision in the following concise and decisive language: "The principal and only question necessary for the determination of this case—and which was fully discussed and decided at the time of the trial—related to the duty of the owner of improved land taking up cattle straying thereon, to give notice to the owner of such cattle, so that such owner may tender amends."

"That the case was correctly decided I think there can be no doubt, but another question was discussed by me in a former opinion, on this motion for a new trial, and that was, as to whether in Northumberland county fences are required at all, and if so, whether they are to be made according to the sixth section of the Act of May 10th, 1729. I then held that the said Act of 1729 had never been repealed. My attention had not at that time been called to the Act of 1887, which certainly does not repeal that act. "All laws requiring the owners of improved lands, in this and other counties of the State, to construct fences thereon, certainly seem to be repealed by the Acts of 1887 and 1889, and persons who suffer their horses and cattle to roam at large are liable for all damages occasioned by reason of their trespassing upon such lands." By the Court. WM. M. ROCKEFELLER, P. J.

I will offer special bargains in ladies' latest style coats, muffs, felt hats, men's woolen shirts and underwear. J. P. AUBAND.

John Runkle went to Centre county this week to attend the funeral of his old friend and patron, Henry Feidler, who was buried at Millheim on Wednesday.

A most singular incident came to light at New Philadelphia, Ohio, a few days since. Thirty years ago James R. Emerson, then a resident of Wyandotte county Ohio, was kicked on his left thigh by a horse. The wound was severe, but after a time healed up, leaving a lump. Periodically since then it has given him more or less trouble, and a few days ago it became so painful that Mr. Emerson called a physician. The place where the wound had been was much inflamed. Pouches were applied and in a day or two a piece of cloth one-quarter of an inch wide by one and a half inches in length made its appearance. It was evidently a part of the pantaloons worn by Mr. Emerson when he was kicked. It had been forced into the thigh by the blow, and had lain there thirty years.

The man who starts out in life with the intention of accumulating wealth for which he does not intend to give a just equivalent, is at heart the greatest dead beat in the world. We find this class of beats in different grades of society, from the Wall street broker, who carries on the skinning process under the name of speculation, down to the common street fakir who sells snide wares to the gullible public. Sandwiched in between these upper and nether layers, will be found all others who desire to make a living without labor. The snide insurance man, who induces you to invest your money in his company, which has no existence only in the brains of himself and a few more like him, but which can show up a large number of imaginary losses, paid with imaginary money, is another one. The little 'temple' of this, that or the other which proposes to take five dollars down and a dollar or so in monthly installments for seven years and then pay you a \$1,000 for the \$150 to \$200 you have paid them, is simply a scheme of dead beats to get money for nothing, and the projectors of such schemes to rob simple hearted men and women ought to be exposed and punished.

Help For Russia.

The Pennsylvania State Millers' Association has taken prompt action in the Russian famine matter and has requested the farmers and millers of the Keystone State to contribute wheat and rye for the relief of the famine-stricken Empire. Cyrus Hoffa, of Lewisburg, is President of the Association, and he has set the ball rolling in Union county by offering to turn all the grain offered by Union county farmers into flour, at the Buffalo Mills in Lewisburg, free of charge. On Tuesday of last week five farmers had already responded with 37 bushels of wheat, and many more will follow. This is a most praiseworthy action, and we hope Snyder county will not be behind in the movement. THE POST will do everything in its power to assist in the matter, and after it is started we promise to publish the name of every contributor with the amount he gives.

Let us do something for Russia. She was our friend when it meant something. Who will start? Who is the miller that will grind the wheat?

Bank Officers Elected.

The following is a list of the directors of the First National Bank of Middleburgh, elected Jan. 19, for the ensuing year: Hon. G. Alfred Schoch, merchant, Middleburgh. W. W. Wiittenmyer, merchant, Middleburgh.

T. J. Smith, lawyer, Middleburgh. S. H. Yoder, miller, Globe Mills. W. C. Pomroy, Cashier Port Royal Bank.

Jos. Rothrock, President Juniata Valley Bank, Millintown. P. M. Kepner, Director of Juniata Valley Bank and Peoples' Bank, New Port.

G. Alfred Schoch was re-elected President and J. N. Thompson, Jr., Cashier. The showing of the bank for the last year has been very satisfactory. It's net earnings for 1891 has been over 10 per cent., and after paying a 6 per cent. dividend it has increased it's surplus \$2,000.

Fair Play.

T. H. HARTER: I am glad to see that we have one editor in Snyder county who is willing to recognize right wherever he finds it and criticize wrong regardless of party. If I am not imposing on you, please state that I fully endorse your views regarding the appointment of the Ladies' Auxiliary Committee for the World's Fair, and further, that the appointment of twelve Republican ladies and only one Democratic lady is an insult to the minority party. Is the World's Fair a Republican concern? You say at the head of your paper: "THE POST is emphatically a newspaper, for and by the people. Its columns are always open for the discussion of topics of interest to its patrons." In view of these assertions have you the courage to publish this objection from A DEMOCRAT?

Poverty and riches are comparative. A poor widow was so destitute that she could keep her little ones comfortable at night when the cold weather came only by warming boards for them to lie on. One of them, when the board had made her comfortable, said: "Mamma, what will poor children do who have no warm boards to lie on?" Warm boards were her wealth.

The following officers of W. C. 587 of Centreville, Pa., were installed Wednesday evening for the semi-annual term: Pres., E. B. Hartman; vice pres., L. A. Mertz; M. of F. & C., A. B. Sheary; Con., H. E. Brunner; Rec. Sec., Dr. J. W. Samsel; Ass't rec. sec., L. A. Stine; Fin. sec., Henry Snook; Treas., Allen Boyer; Insp., P. E. Hartman; guard Henry Long; Trustee, W. H. Hartman.

Sale Register.

Persons getting their Sale Bills printed at this office will have their notices carried to the date of the sale free of charge.

Tuesday, March 1, Allen Hackenberg will sell a stock of cattle, horses and farming implements, on Bowers' farm, one mile south of Middleburgh.

Tuesday, March 15, Amanda Stalmeier will sell five horses, ten head of cattle and a large line of farming implements on the Evans farm, one mile west of Middleburgh.

Monday, February 29, David Wetzel will sell seven horses, ten head of cattle and an extensive line of farming implements, 2 miles south of New Berlin.

Saturday, January 31, J. Bolander, Sheriff, will sell fifty acres of land in Adams township, the property of John and Mary Kestler.

Saturday, January 21, the heirs of John Wetzel, deceased, will sell 14 acres and 125 perches of land, situate in Bear township, about one mile east of Beavertown.

Friday, January 22, Caroline Dillman will sell 14 acres of land situate in Adams township, 1 1/2 miles northeast of Middleburgh.

Wednesday, March 16, Sidney G. Ocker will sell 3 horses, 7 head of cattle, and a large stock of farming implements on the premises, 2 miles south of Centreville.

Wednesday, February 17, J. Calvin Schoch will sell 6 horses, 7 head of cattle and a large lot of farming utensils, on his farm 3 miles west of Middleburgh.

Saturday, March 19, David Ocker will sell a large stock of farming implements and live stock on the premises, in Centre township, 2 miles south of Centreville.

Tuesday, February 16, A. M. Carpenter will sell 5 horses, 7 head of cattle and a large stock of farming implements, one mile east of Beavertown.

Thursday, February 11, Adam Rutz will sell 3 horses, 9 head of cattle and a full line of farming implements on the premises, in Jackson township, 1 1/2 miles south of New Berlin.

Saturday, March 5, J. S. Kern will sell 3 horses, 6 cows and a large stock of farming implements, one-half mile north of Beavertown.

Thursday, March 3, Geo. Krebs will sell 1 horse, 2 yearling colts, 3 cows, 5 head of young cattle, and a varied assortment of farm stock, 2 miles north of Crossgrove Hill.

Thursday, February 18, P. M. Freed will sell 2 mares, 1 cow, 1 Holstein heifer, 3 shoats, a lot of chickens, etc.; also household goods and farm stock, 2 miles east of Fremont.

Tuesday, March 22, John W. Krouse will sell 6 horses, 8 head of cattle, and a large lot of farm implements, on farm of Girard—about 5 miles west of Centreville, on road from Centreville to Troxleville.

Friday, March 12, Lewis Minium will sell 4 cows, 1 Jersey bull, 2 steers, and an extensive assortment of farm stock, one-half mile east of Fremont.

Thursday, March 2, W. C. Lase will sell 4 horses, 7 cattle, and farming utensils of various kinds, 6 miles west of Middleburgh, on the road leading from Middleburgh to Troxleville.

Thursday, March 19, Elmer E. Schambach will sell horses, cattle and implements in Centre township, 3 miles north of Middleburgh.

Saturday, February 27, J. B. Ewing & Brother will sell 5 horses, 9 head of cattle and a large stock of farming implements, 1 1/2 miles north of Adamsburg.

Tuesday, March 8, H. S. Hochhart will sell 6 horses, 6 head of cattle and a general farm stock, one-half mile east of Shamokin Mill, Perry township.

Thursday, March 3, W. J. Hackenberg will sell 3 horses, 2 cows, and farming utensils of various kinds, 2 miles north of Adamsburg.

Saturday, March 5, Hiram J. Batley will sell horses, cattle and farming implements, 2 miles east of Centreville, on the new Berlin road.

Birthday Party.

An enjoyable birthday party was given at the residence of Willet Arbogast, at Shamokin Dam, on Thursday evening, January 14th, in honor of the 13th birthday of his son Charles. Thirty-eight were present and a most enjoyable evening was passed. After spending an hour in singing and playing, refreshments were served. After refreshments the young folks spent the remainder of the evening in various games. The presents were numerous and elegant, and Charles tenders his many thanks to the donors. At 12 o'clock the guests of the evening took leave of their young host, wishing him many happy returns of the day.

MONROE TWP.

Changeable weather. Mr. A. M. Moyer, of Winfield, visited this place on Tuesday. E. Aured has just returned from a trip to the mountains. Moses Walter, of Northumberland county, was visiting here last week. Some of our citizens attended the horse sale in Freeburg last Thursday. It is reported that work on the Southern Central Railroad will soon begin. Wm. Snyder is seriously ill at this writing. Some of our old veterans are talking already about going to the National Encampment, to be held in Washington next fall. Jackson Michalls intends going to Lykens next month to enter the hotel business. Jack is a first r f fellow and no doubt will make a landlord.