

**MS of LOCAL INTEREST**

...astiel "isn't in it" this week. ...m. Hassinger, of Sunbury, ...ome over Sunday. ... W. R. Penny, of Tyrone, Pa., ...e guest of the editor and fam- ...veral days last week. ... Reigle has been appointed ...ble of Middleburgh to fill ...eacy caused by the resigna- ... Sylvester Bowen. ... Burns, editor of the Wico- ...Times, accompanied by his ...d little daughter, spent Sun- ...h relatives in Middleburgh. ...re sorry to learn that a little ...ar-old son of John H. Mich- ...Shamokin Dam, recently fell ...oke his collar bone. ...key and Tobacco Habit cured ...y. Don't fail to correspond. ... J. L. COCHRANE, ... Greensburg, Pa. ...ence bill presented for spec- ...of assembly for Snyder coun- ...y been so amended as to read ...fees (instead of 4). See bill ...elsewhere. ... you lost a tooth, or perhaps ...where the loss shows, and ...prefer to have the ill looking space ...than wear a plate? Do you ...know that Dr. Voelker, of Selins- ...can insert substitutes to your ...without obliging you to ...plate, whether you have the ...it or not? Ask him about it. ...notice by the Bloomsburg ...that our friend F. P. Drinker ...elected to succeed himself ...of that city by a big ma- ...Congratulations, Frank. ...in the face of the person to ...you are speaking if you wish ...of real sentiments, for he ...and his words more easily ...a countenance. ...Persons having sale this ...deal make arrangements to ...their notes discounted at the ...national Bank, Middleburgh. ...ak will finish the notes free ...ands and the United States ...00 went up in fire and ...uring the month of January. ...ths of it is said to have ...to carelessness or ignor- ...are some people who are ...over others' misfortune, ...they never in the world ...edge it. There are some ...ho are depressed over oth- ...une, and they would not ...edge it for the world. ...ply have companions or be ...y isn't enough. Society ...panions should elevate and ...The people who have ...ws of life are the people to ...at. Narrow-minded people ...ndows in sunshine and are ...lesome as mouldy cellars. ...Kreeger was last week ...director in the First Nation- ...of Middleburgh to fill the ...caused by the death of P. ...ar, of Juniata county. Mr. ...is a conservative business ...his election will add new ...to the already strong ...ed, who was recently ad- ...superintendent of the S. ...son, has resigned and G. ...son, late superintendent of ...nokin Division, P. & E. ...been appointed in his ...Creighton is said to be ...railroad man and work- ...y from the bottom ...ladder. ...ing is near at hand is not ...ed by the arrival of the ...the drummers come in ...air share of the old aphor- ...have been numerous and ...big bundles and baggage, ...the life of our merchants ...endeavoring to sell them ...straw hats and summer ...the mercury was down

Dr. W. A. L. Reigle, a native of Union township, and who was the Democratic nominee in this county last fall for Assembly has been elected on the Common Council in the 12th ward of Philadelphia. We congratulate Mr. Reigle and hope his good mother will carry him still higher in the "City of Brotherly Love."

"MISTAKEN SOULS WHO DREAM OF BLISS."—The following marriage licenses have been granted since our last publication:  
Abel Reichenbach, Chapman.  
Carrie L. Herrold,  
Charles H. Fisher, Selinsgrove.  
Maude A. Jarrett,  
John F. Fahnestock, Oriental.  
Maggie M. Steffen, Pallas.

The re-opening of the U.B. church, Middleburgh, will take place on Sunday next at 2:30 P. M. Services will be conducted by W. H. Uhler, P. E., of Lebanon, Pa., Rev. J. Cowling, of Shamokin is also expected to be present. Addresses will be delivered in English and German. All are cordially invited to come.  
Rev. LESTER, Pastor.

The four years drouth which has caused so much destitution and suffering among the people in the state of Durango and Coahuila, Mexico, has been broken by copious rains for the last two months. The Nazos river which flows through the Laguna cotton district, is overflowing its banks, and the work of irrigating the land is now in progress for the first time since the drouth began. Fine crops of corn, beans and cotton will be grown this season.

Representative Tool was in town Monday and the Post man approached him on the subject, stating that he was severely criticised for the action he had taken in the matter. He explained that he had been appealed to from every side to allow the people an opportunity to express their opinion in the matter, and he concluded that it was but just and right to do so and had thereupon advertised the proposed bill to give them a chance to voice their sentiments by petition.

When a President is inaugurated at Washington he is usually sworn in with a large, new Bible, which is afterward presented to some member of his family. But Mr. Cleveland in 1885 took the oath on his mother's bible. It was a small book, morocco bound and gilt-edged. So far as known he still has the book, and in the belief that it will be used at the coming ceremony, the clerk of the supreme court has not purchased a Bible to be used on that occasion.

A prominent horse journal recommends the following remedy for lice on colts: At this season of the year many of the colts become lousy, and for such as do the following is said to be found excellent: Take two pounds of quassia bark, steep it in water, and wash the colt thoroughly from the tip of his nose to the roots of his tail. If one application does not kill the lice, repeat. Not only will this kill all the lice, but it acts as a stimulant to the colt. There is said to be no danger from the colt taking cold from this treatment, even in very cold weather.

Centre county farms are not selling at encouraging figures by any means—in fact it is almost impossible to sell real estate. Farming being so unremunerative in the past decade, accounts for this. The agriculturist is a double sufferer in this, viz: he does not get a paying price for his wheat, and his acres have lost 60 per cent. in value if he wants to sell. The double blow is what knocks farming and gives our farmers the blues. His farm that he paid \$100 per acre for, he now gets \$40, at best \$50. Wheat that commonly brought him \$1 to \$1.15 only brings 70 to 85 on an average. There is no other pursuit that presents so discouraging an outlook as farming, it is by far the most depressed of all interests.—Centre Hall Reporter.

**Progressing Backward.**

Snyder county has for the last few years made advances in intellectual progress hardly equalled by any county in the State. This may not have been noticed so much by us at home as it is commented upon by persons residing in other counties, who are pleased to recognize the truth and are willing to give us credit for what we are doing. This is probably more noticeable to outsiders because they alleged we had farther to go to reach a general average than some of our neighboring counties. We are getting there all the same—unless our progress is checked by unforeseen difficulties. One of these difficulties we are now called upon to face. It is nothing less than adverse legislation in the way of restoring 17th century laws through the influence of politicians to fulfill pledges made during their canvass. I refer to the "horse high, bull strong and pig-tight" fences we are to have by special act of Assembly. The general law for the State, presented by Senator Meek of the Centre-Clearfield district has fallen, as it should, and now Snyder county is to be returned to the Medieval ages by stocking the high-ways with horses, cows, mules, pigs, etc.

The worst of it is, the people are misled by the title of the bill. We are all in favor of raising horses, mules, etc., on the farms, but we are not in favor of raising them on the high-ways. The question is not "Will we have fences?" That is understood. No farmer would think of leaving his land open. The question is, "Are our fences good enough?"

The highway to the annoyance of the farmers and the destruction of their property." The State has a law allowing every farmer one dollar for every four shade trees he plants on the highway fronting his farm. A number of these trees have been set out. Were they set out for the benefit of the cattle that shall now be turned loose on them—like the locusts in Egypt—to tear them down limb by limb, and leave the naked poles stand along the highway as evidence of the disastrous results brought about by the fulfillment of political pledges? Is there one man in a hundred who has "got up and get" enough about him to keep his shirt clean, that wants the corporation cows to line the high-ways and not only turn desolate the public domain but with their giraffe necks and fence-rail tongues tear everything to pieces that the progressive farmer sets near his fence for use or beauty?

"The poor man's cow must have pasture!" Bosh! We are all poor, and if high fences are piled on high taxes we farmers will profit by donating our land to charity, move to town and live on the profit of the blue milk from the corporation cow.

I do not protest against fences. We must have them to retain our own stock, but I do protest against building fences to protect our high-priced and low profit land against the devastations of every Tom, Dick and Harry's cow which stops at nothing short of a Great Chinese Wall.  
A LANSLUBBEL.

**Cholera in Pennsylvania.**

Swickley, Penn.: We had an epidemic of cholera, as our physicians called it, in this place lately and I made a great hit with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I sold four dozen bottles of it in one week and have since sold nearly a gross. This Remedy did the work and was a big advertisement for me. Several persons who had been troubled with diarrhoea for two or three weeks were cured by a few doses of this medicine.  
P. P. KNAPP, Ph. G.  
25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by G. M. Shindel, Middleburgh, and Dr. Sampsel, Penns Creek, druggists. March.

**The Fence Question.**

I am inclined to think that Representative Tool wants to protect his neighbors as he is in favor of a good substantial fence; for should a storm come and throw his barn-yard gate open and his cattle wonder out on unfenced territory he would be subject to damages and his neighbors to great annoyance. Now, as a farmer, I think such a bill would be a benefit to the rich and the poor, the high and the low, to the landowner, the tenant and to the poor laborer. Plenty of pasture on the banks of our fresh water streams. Shall that go to waste before the eyes of the day laborer who will be forbidden to pasture his cow which furnished the nutritious milk to feed his hungry babies? The rich own the land. Shall they also control the commons. Will they not next claim a mortgage on the air we breathe?

The Bible enjoins us to "have peace with all men," and there is no peace with the man who refuses to build a fence while his neighbors are provided with the necessary cattle barriers. No fence no freedom, no credit or honor; and let me assure the readers of the Post that I as a tenant have had bitter experience in this respect. No fences? Would you want to hire a whole township to help drive your stock from one farm to another if you are unfortunate enough to have to move? The bill cannot be framed so as to suit all. It don't suit me exactly as 41 feet is too high. Four feet would be enough, and that would prevent the re-building of our ordinary fences. I live not alone for myself but for neighbors and friends as well.  
FARMER.

**Rheumatism Quickly Cured.**

Three days is a very short time in which to cure a bad case of rheumatism; but it can be done, if the proper treatment is adopted, as will be seen by the following from James Lambert, of New Brunswick, Ill.: "I was badly afflicted with rheumatism in the hips and legs, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It cured me in three days. I am all right to-day; and would insist on every one who is affected with that terrible disease to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm and get well at once." 50 cent bottles for sale by G. M. Shindel, Middleburgh, and Dr. Sampsel, Penns Creek, druggists. March.

We are glad to learn that Miss Mabel Wittenmyer, who was taken sick with typhoid fever at Bucknell Seminary, Lewisburg, is convalescent and will be home in a few days.

That old established cough remedy, Down's Elixir, still more than holds its own in the public estimation, despite sharp and active competition. It is a "home remedy," and in this locality needs no words of praise from us, so well and favorably known is it. It is the standard remedy for coughs, colds and all throat troubles, with great numbers of our people, and their continued use and unsolicited recommendation of it speaks volumes in its favor.—Burlington, Vt. Free Press, January 26, 1882. For sale by W. H. Beaver, Middleburgh, and J. W. Sampsel, Centreville. March.

A driver of a vehicle who attempts to pass another on the same road does so at his own peril, for if any accident occurs to the man he is passing the rear driver is responsible, says an exchange. This does not mean that the man in advance is not obliged to yield a part of the road when notified, but that the burden of care rests on the rear driver, who is in a position to see and avoid danger while the other is not. If injury to the leading vehicle results from the attempt to pass, whether on a crowded thoroughfare or on a country road, the rear driver will be held responsible.

**Friends of the Post.**

- 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:
- Alfred Specht, Feb. 1, '94
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  - M. L. Schoch, Jan. 1, '94
  - B. F. Herman, Jan. 1, '94
  - R. W. Hare, July 15, '93
  - P. L. Ocker, April 1, '92
  - Rev. J. D. Shortess, July 1, '93
  - Jacob Moyer, Feb. 1, '93
  - James H. Zeigler, Feb. 1, '93
  - C. H. Dunkelberger, April 1, '93
  - Martin Hartman, Feb. 1, '93
  - Geo. Kauffman, Dec. 1, '93
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  - J. B. Shellenberger, May 1, '93
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  - J. S. Rhamstine, March 1, '93
  - A. B. Markley, March 1, '94
  - Mrs. Sallie A. Young, Feb. 1, '94
  - A. H. Ush, Dec. 1, '93
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  - J. Kohler Peck, May 1, '94
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  - Ellis Hartman, Feb. 20, '93
  - Geo. I. Kline, Feb. 1, '93
  - J. W. Dreese, March 1, '94
  - J. H. Moyer, April 1, '92
  - W. M. Mease, Feb. 15, '94
  - Howard A. Walter, Feb. 15, '93
  - Ada N. Oldt, Feb. 1, '94
  - D. W. Krebbs, Feb. 15, '94
  - Peter Garman, Feb. 1, '93
  - J. A. Schnee, March 1, '92
  - Harry Miller, June 1, '93
  - C. S. Graybill, Nov. 1, '90
  - H. S. Mitterling, March 1, '93
  - Wm. H. BERG, ...
  - James O. Herbster, July 1, '93
  - Amos Musser, Nov. 15, '91
  - Bonneville Smith, Aug. 1, '92
  - George Dreese, April 1, '93
  - Iryin Walter, Feb. 15, '94
  - Frank A. Walter, March 1, '94
  - P. S. Bickhart, Jan. 1, '93
  - J. S. Kauffman, May 1, '93
  - J. H. Troup, April 1, '93
  - H. R. Fetterolf, March 1, '93
  - E. S. Stroub, March 1, '93
  - W. H. Lambert, May 1, '93
  - Geo. Tharp, March 1, '93
  - George Klingler, Dec. 1, '92
  - P. P. Brouse, Sept. 1, '93
  - Philip Herbster, Jan. 1, '93
  - Levi Herrold, March 1, '93
  - A. W. Troxell, March 1, '93
  - T. F. S. Bailey, June 15, '93
  - James Wagner, March 1, '93
  - Samuel F. Maurer, Oct. 1, '92
  - I. N. Fisher, Jan. 1, '94
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  - Levi Herrold, March 1, '93
  - W. A. Napp, Dec. 1, '93
  - Jacob Dreese, March 1, '93
  - Wm. J. Wendt, March 1, '93
  - J. S. Graybill, Jan. 1, '94
  - J. Bateman, Jan. 1, '93
  - Wm. Martin, Oct. 15, '93
  - Allen N. Row, March 1, '93
  - S. H. Leitner, Sept. 1, '93
  - W. H. Rumer, Feb. 1, '94
  - A. W. Gill, Jan. 1, '93
  - Isaac Beaver, Feb. 1, '94
  - John S. Smith, March 1, '94
  - Howard Baker, May 1, '91
  - Charles Maurer, Oct. 15, '92
  - Michael Frantz, March 1, '93
  - Daniel Bieber, Jan. 1, '94
  - Harrison Moyer, April 1, '93
  - J. C. Schrader, June 1, '92
  - W. J. Witmer, Feb. 1, '93
  - Eber Bollinger, March 1, '92
  - Wm. A. Row, Jan. 1, '94
  - M. I. Miller, Dec. 1, '93
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  - G. S. Troutman, Feb. 15, '94
  - John Hadley, May 1, '93
  - Chas. T. Specht, April 1, '92
  - Jonas Sassaman, March 1, '93
  - Moses Benfer, Feb. 15, '93
  - John G. Snyder, April 1, '93
  - Mrs. Esther Harditz, Jan. 1, '94
  - John J. Hummel, Nov. 1, '92
  - Calvin Blouch, Feb. 1, '93
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  - W. T. Deitrich, June 15, '93
  - R. C. Fiss, July 1, '93
  - Benj. Stetler, Jan. 1, '94
  - P. J. Ocker, March 1, '93
  - Fred Stimley, June 1, '93
  - Valentine Walter, Dec. 1, '93
  - Daniel Good, Jan. 1, '94
  - J. F. Good, April 1, '94

- John Cochran, Feb. 1, '94
- John Ritter, Jan. 15, '94
- E. B. Steinger, May 1, '93
- H. V. Trumplet, March 1, '94
- S. B. Winey, March 1, '93
- Frank Kern, March 1, '93
- Daniel Bower, Jan. 1, '92
- Wm. Good, Feb. 1, '93
- C. K. Bickel, Feb. 15, '94
- John D. Herbster, June 1, '93
- Robert Middlewarth, March 1, '94
- Jonathan Troup, March 1, '93
- G. W. Hoke, July 1, '93
- M. R. Hoot, Feb. 1, '93
- Samuel B. Kline, March 1, '94
- Levi Aurand, April 1, '93
- H. D. Schure, May 1, '93
- Anna Dauberman, Feb. 1, '93

**Girls and Their Mothers.**

This little bit of womanly counsel is to be given to the army of young girls who are sweet and lovable, yet who are just a trifle inclined to think they know more than their mother and do not heed her advice or give her their unbounded confidence. They love her dearly, but she wasn't born at the end of the Nineteenth century and her ideas in consequence are apt to be regarded by them as somewhat old fogy. With the assumption of superior knowledge and a freedom of speech that to foreigners seems absolutely shocking, they openly correct her pronunciation or her grammar. They are more prone in their sixteen or eighteen year worldly wise wisdom to regard her advice, because perhaps, it is not framed in winter parlors as elegant as they are in winter parlors. It is not to be said that a girl's mother at all times as to what she did to the voice of the oracle. She to her your fullest and freedom of confidence. She is the one who loves you most, and is, therefore, best able to advise you. In her counsel there is no tinge of selfishness; it is for your good and your happiness that she warns you of such a thing or cautions them against such a person. Your companions may appear delightful, but mothers' eyes are keen to detect flaws in those with whom their daughters associate, and if that tender intuition scents danger you may be sure there is occasion for it. When you cease to tell your mother everything you may rest assured you have started on the wrong track. If you can no longer give her your fullest confidence the concealment means that you have done or going to do, and the sooner you free your mind of its weight and just tell mother all about it the sooner you will find rest and peace in the knowledge that you can look into her tender eyes and freely give back trust for trust with no lurking secrets hidden from her loving gaze. The Chestnut Ridge correspondence was crowded out this week. FOR SALE.—A six-year-old Jack and 2 White Horses, 7 and 8 years old. For particulars call on or address I. C. SMITH, Beaver Springs. Samuel Gunberger, of Baden Baden, Germany, father of our townsman, Abraham Gunberger, died on February 8. He had been ailing for three years but was not dangerous when pneumonia set in and death resulted in three days. Tuesday of this week was a most unpleasant day, and yet court was fairly well attended. The Mifflin County National Bank vs. J. D. Miller case is the principal one on trial this week and is attracting considerable attention. Messrs. Reed and Woods, of Lewistown, and Smith and Gilbert, of Middleburgh, are counsel for the prosecution, and Messrs. Bucher and Baker, of Lewisburg, and Bower, of Middleburgh, are counsel for the defense. It is a case of alleged forgery and Passimore Williamson and Dr. Persifer Frazer, of Philadelphia, and E. H. Rauch, of Mauch Chunk, are here to testify as experts in chirography.