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Susquehanna University.

On Tuesday, Dec. 4th, the Directors of Missionary Institute met at Selinsgrove and changed the name of the institution to "Susquehanna University." The building erected in 1858 was called "The Selinsgrove Hall" and the new building just erected has been named "Gustavus Adolphus Hall" in honor of the King of Sweden, who did so much to promote the cause of protestantism. The new building has been erected at a cost of \$20,000. The title of Prof. F. P. Manhart was changed from Superintendent to President and the board directed him to devote his entire attention from now until commencement in the interest of the institution's financial welfare. Dr. J. R. Dinnin, the former Principal of the Classical department, was entrusted with the entire control of the college courses. Gustavus Adolphus Hall will be dedicated at next commencement. The change of name of this flourishing institution may excite some comment and, perchance, some unfavorable criticism. In order to avoid any unjust censure which may rashly be made upon this action of the board, we accept this opportunity to explain the reasons that actuated the board in making this decision.

Missionary Institute has had a history of 36 years, growing into it all of the privileges of a first class University. These privileges, the board now proposes to use. The Junior class course has been added this year and the Senior class studies will be added next year. This will make the complete college course leading up to the regular University degrees. Other additions will be made from time to time until the University curriculum is complete. When the matter is fully explained and understood there need be no fear of unfavorable criticism, but the circumstances may not be properly understood and for fear of this, we are not quite sure that a more modest sounding name might not be better. But the name is a small matter; the Board is determined to make a flourishing college out of it and no matter whether criticisms at present are adverse or not, the time will soon come when the University will show to the world that she deserves all the honor she now assumes.

Honor Worthily Bestowed.

The Teachers' Institute is past and gone. With it came the lessons and experiences that are now the record of past events. No one better understands the needs and requirements of a successful institute than the present County Superintendent. The instructors were of the very ablest and by their earnestness and force of character impressed themselves upon the teachers by means of useful lessons taught. The list is too long to go into details of each instructor's special service in behalf of our teachers.

The evening entertainments were of the highest character. Dr. Handy on Wednesday night taught many a useful lesson and awakened in the breast of many a young man a higher ideal of life and a quicker impulse for the hope of a prosperous future. Dr. Byron W. King on Thursday night with a most powerful voice and a great degree of elocutionary skill entertained and delighted the audience.

The selection of the instructors and the variety of the specialists together with the general satisfaction given on all sides reflect especial credit upon the efforts of Professor Bowersox. The movement to publish the proceedings of the institute is a thing that should have been done long ago and thus place Snyder county on an equality with her sister counties. On the whole, the institute was pronounced by the oldest teachers the most successful institute held for years.

New Ground for Divorce.

A new ground for divorce is that of a sensitive San Francisco husband, a copy of whose petition was shown to us by a Philadelphia lawyer the other day. The petitioner says: "Bleached or artificial colored hair is easily distinguished as such and does not appear natural, nor does it deceive any person, but is perfectly patent and noticeably conspicuous. It is regarded by the majority of right-thinking persons as an indication of a loose, dissolute, and wanton disposition, and is regarded so and commonly held to be a practice never affected by a modest, pure and respectable woman." Ladies of the soda-created golden locks, what think you of such sentiments as these? This husband claims that he is mortified and humiliated on account of the change in the color of his wife's hair, and he further says in his petition: "She is a brunette naturally. Her hair is of a chestnut brown color, which in its normal state is modest and becoming and harmonizes with the natural color of her skin and eyes. Since we married she has, against my wishes and protest, and with intent to vex, annoy, exasperate, and shame me, dyed her hair and changed its shade to a conspicuous and showy straw or canary color. As a consequence of this artificial coloring she has been obliged to paint her face to secure an artificial complexion in keeping with the artificial color of her hair. The combination has given her a giddy, fast, and sporty appearance." I should not suppose any women with any spirit at all would want to live an hour with a man who said that about her. To expose her to the world as a dyed blonde and to assert under oath that she paints! It is too, too much! What a monster of a man!

PAXTONVILLE.

Hattie Gill and brother Charles of Salem visited here over Sunday. Isaiah Bowersox and family made a trip to Union Co. last week. Harry Schaeffer who had been staying in Stephenson Co. Ill. for about two years is home to visit his parents and friends. Milton Amig called in our town on Friday. The reporter does not go to school, therefore his gas cannot escape through that pipe which "that cousin" mentioned in last week's paper. Probably if it could, it would take some of the rust off which was caused by being exposed to the dampness of the well. If it is a pipe, it must be there to drain the St. Lawrence river to the Gulf of Mexico. Preparations are being made for a Christmas entertainment at this place. Mrs. Erdley and daughter of New Berlin visited here recently.

SELINGSGROVE.

Our teachers are well pleased with the institute. We heard several say it was the most successful they ever attended. James Carey and wife of Sunbury spent Sunday with H. P. Jarrett and wife on River street. Miss Hattie Swartz of Troxville visited Miss Minnie Row, Friday. Landlord Wm. Arbogast took charge of the National Hotel on Monday. E. S. Willis of Freeburg was in town on Monday evening. Mrs. J. A. Lombard and daughter Ethel, are visiting Rev. McLain in Avoca, N. Y. John B. Fockler has been D. G. P. for the Odd Fellows of Snyder county for thirteen years. Hath. Hummel of Williamsport, is visiting his grandfather, postmaster L. R. Hummel. Harry McCarty, who had been in the South-west for several months, is home on a visit. Mr. Hess of Carlisle spent Monday and Tuesday here. H. W. Hummel of Northumberland was in town Monday evening. You know.

WEST BEAVER.

Wm. Peter has relieved our right honorable Alexander Knapp from carrying the mail. Our old citizen, Wm. Treaster, is on the sick list. The Sunday schools are making preparations for a grand treat to their Scholars on Christmas day. Henry

Houser went to Lewistown last week to have an operation performed on his eye. John O. Goss moved his saw mill to Mifflin county, near Logan, where he expects to have a winter's job. As far as heard from J. I. Erb, killed the largest hogs in W. B. for their age, 315, 320, 325, and 354 lbs. John O. Goss's father died on Sunday from the effects of two strokes of paralysis. West Beaver expects to be well represented this week at the county capital. The Lewistown Police got into a little business last week with our horse Jocky George. But after George explained matters he left for Snyder county rejoicing. Our teachers who attended institute last week, report having had a good time and found out a good many useful points in regard to teaching. All they have to do now is to put them into practice. Bon.

The weak points in the character of William of Germany are that he smokes cigarettes and plays lawn tennis.

Postmaster Sullivan at Spangler, Cambria county, refused to distribute copies of the late editions of the *Ebenburg Mountaineer*, *Cambria Freeman*, *Carrolltown News*, and *Hastings Tribune* because they contained an advertisement of a local lottery. He notified the Postmaster-General, who instructed him to forward all copies to the department at Washington, which he did.—*Everett Republican*.

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CHAS. P. SWENGLE.

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cheering prospect that the future may show much of the speculation to be exceedingly profitable and if the management gets into a position to "hang on," the sun of prosperity will some day shine on this great corporation. Meanwhile the wisest course is to give to those who are endeavoring to reduce the chaos of its affairs to something like order, the encouragement of confidence.

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