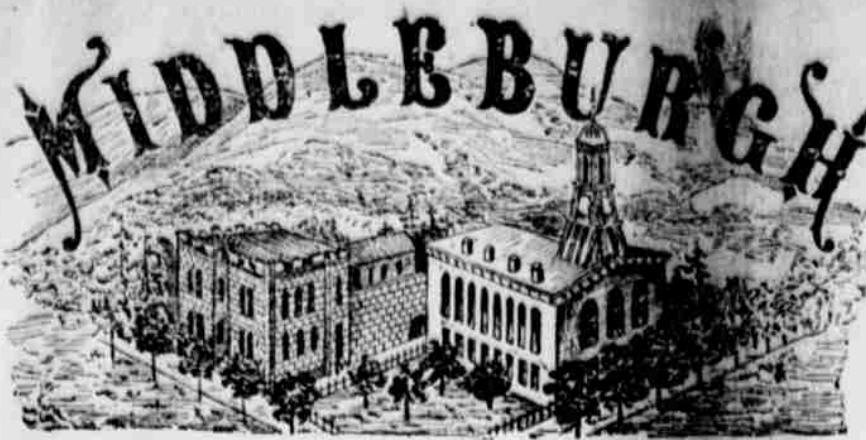


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ITEMS of LOCAL INTEREST

This ought to be an excellent fruit year. Pressed for money—the bullion at the mint. The May flowers will be late this season. The trout fishermen is now in his element. I. E. Ush was a Sunbury visitor on Monday. Editor Lombard was in town over Sunday. F. W. Specht, the Post's Devil, was in Sunbury on Saturday. Persons who steal time will be tried in eternity—and they can't pack the jury. The next Congress will contain thirty newspaper men. It is safer to have a fool your enemy than your friend. Keep dangerous fire arms out of the reach of the small boy. Charles Specht is attending Quarterly Conference at Milton. Ex is that part of a man's title that is generally forced on him. Sometimes a headline has more influence than a column article. It is the thoughtless word that brings the greatest sorrow. Next Tuesday May 14th is the anniversary of the Milton fire. Lay your sheep in this country. Frank Bolig of Selinsgrove. Middleburg visitor on Tuesday. God never sees anything big in the gift that is made to win the applause of men. W. H. Boyer, the Sunbury clothier has a new advertisement in this issue. Jacob Boob and wife of Millinburg were visiting relatives in town last week. C. W. Graybill and Miss Lottie Showers spent Sunday in Selinsgrove. E. W. Snyder, of Selinsgrove was in town on insurance business last week. Irz E. Walter and wife of Leiters Ford, Indiana, are on a two months' visit to relatives in this county. Aslan's high school graduating class is so large that two commencements will be held. A new supply of 18 cent Sailor Hats just received at L. Dunkelberger's Millinery store. The scholarship contest is open to everybody. Don't be afraid to launch your ship. The Harrisburg letter is crowded out this week on account of the article on the money question. C. C. Seebold is putting a new roof on the Washington House and making other improvements. The Central Penna. College team defeated the Junior Base Ball team on Saturday by a score of 26 to 16. R. Gunzberger has just returned from the city with a full line of stock. He is prepared to sell cheaper than ever. Winey Custer and Miss Margaret Spaid, the Post's Angel, were at Sunbury and Northumberland on Sunday. P. C. Hartman was suddenly stricken with intense sickness on Monday evening. He was able to be out on Tuesday. Ex-Sheriff Wolf of Port Trevorton was seen on our streets on Tuesday. He was elected to the office of Sheriff twenty five years ago. Chas. P. Ulrich, Esq. of Selinsgrove was in town on Saturday attending the Sheriff's sale. Attorney Ulrich enjoys a very extensive law practice and one that is growing more rapidly every day.

Governor Hastings has granted respite of thirty days to John Disminger of Green county, who is sentenced to be hanged on May 7th. Lace Curtains 1 1/2 yds. wide and 3 1/2 yds. long for \$1.25—Curtains, 1 1/2 yds. wide and 3 yds. long for \$1.00 at L. Dunkelberger's. The U. B. Sabbath school will hold a festival in the basement of the church on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, May 29th and 30th. The Sheriff's sale of Personal Property belonging to J. B. Hall and J. Kohler Peck will take place near McKees Falls next Thursday May 16th 1895. Prof. E. L. Herman, who for the past year was Principal of the public schools of Conyngham, Luzerne county, returned to his home in Middleburgh on Saturday. James I. Garfield is a candidate for state senator from the Mentor district. His distinguished father started in political life as state senator from the same place. BRICK FOR SALE:—Brick of the best quality for building and paving can be secured at reasonable rates by applying to CARBON SEEBOLD, Washington House, Middleburg, Pa. We are pleased to learn that the friends of Dr. W. H. Ush of Driftwood, formerly of Selinsgrove, are sending petitions to the Governor to have the young doctor appointed Coroner. (See page 27, Saturday, for the 75th birthday of U. S. Grant and the memory of the great general was celebrated in a fitting manner in the states of the Union he did so much to save. The Roshon photograph gallery under the supervision of P. M. Goettel will be in Middleburgh near the Lutheran church for one week beginning May 20th. Give him a call. Jacob S. and Hiram S. Gaugler on Saturday took out letters of administration in the estate of George Gaugler, late of Union Township, deceased. The administrators' notice appears in this issue. The teachers' committee on permanent certificates met in Middleburgh on Saturday a week ago. The applicants have all passed successfully. They are Ida G. Stahl, Jerome Erdley, Simon Hummel and S. J. Reichley. Nine carrier pigeons were sent from Gordon, to G. C. Gutelius, the express agent at this place. They were released at noon on Tuesday. Each one had a band around one leg bearing numbers from one to nine. W. G. Von Neida was a Middleburgh visitor on Monday. We are indebted to Mr. Von Neida for special favors. He is an active insurance agent, represents good companies and takes great pride in dealing honorably with his patrons. A special reduction will be made on fine hosiery, Ladies' Vests, Ladies' mit, kid gloves in cream and assorted colors, on the special bargain days May 23, 24 and 25th at Libbie Dunkelberger's. China Silks on the above bargain days at 18 cents. Dr. Bogar, a young practicing physician of McKees Falls applied some time ago for a divorce from his young wife, Ida M. Bogar, a daughter of Rev. Smith of Union county. She in turn has sued him for desertion and non-support. This case will likely come up for trial this month. The firm of Seebold and Reigle are rapidly pushing to completion the erection of their bottling establishment at the East end of town. The mason work is about completed and the other work is well under way. The license must be posted in the place of business 15 days after the granting of the same.

Wanted.—Every smoker to send us 7 two-ct. stamps to help pay postage packing etc., and we will mail box of our Non-Nicotine Midgets Cigars. Only one box to one address. Address, LANDIS & Co., Shippensburg, Pa. The accounts of the firm of Meiser & Yoder must be paid or given satisfaction for by the 20th of May or they will be handed to legal authority. The books are in the hands of C. A. Meiser. MEISER & YODEL. Salesmen Wanted.—To sell Non-Nicotine Midgets Cigars. Samples free. Salary or Commission. Good side line. Address, LANDIS & Co., Shippensburg, Pa. "MISTAKEN SOULS WHO DREAM OF BLISS."—The following marriage licenses have been granted since our (Henry R. Lepley, Monroe Twp., Clara M. Kahley, "Alice M. Hoff, KAUTZ, Frank F. Walter, Middleburgh, Katie H. Garman, Perry Twp. A. F. Shambach, Port Trevorton, Anna L. Snook, "Wm. Snyder, Middleburgh, Anna R. Stahlnecker, "Horace Alleman, Esq. was in town last week on legal business for Susquehanna University. The name of "The Board of Education of Missionary Institute" shall be changed to "The Board of Education of Susquehanna University." The Squire is a warm friend of Susquehanna University and has held trust during the life of the institution. A WOMAN WHO WILL WORK WANTED in every county to introduce the Celebrated "Hygeia" Waists for all ages. This Waist supercedes the corset, and has received the unanimous approval of the leading physicians of America. \$3.00 outfit free. Any energetic woman can make from \$15 to \$50 weekly. Send for circulars and terms. HYGEIA MFG CO., 4-11-3m. 378 Canal St., New York. Letters of Administration were granted during April as follows: Minera A. Walter in the estate of Calvin G. Walter, late of Middlecreek Township, deceased; Tillie C. Manbeck in the Estate of Emmet C. Manbeck late of West Beaver, deceased. Uriah Shuman in the Estate of Lovina S. Hall, late of Chapman Township, deceased. W. W. Warnets in the Estate of Phoebe A. Keeley late of West Perry Township deceased. Charles Bolender has placed over the grave of his lamented son, Geo. I. Bolender a most handsome monument. It consists of 2 bases, a pillar and cap making a height of about 8 feet. The pillar has four polished sides. On each of the four sides of the cap is inscribed an English letter "B", while on the second base is the word "Bolender" in raised letters. It is the workmanship of R. H. Lance. The design is both novel and unique. SUMMER MILLINERY OPENING.—Miss Libbie Dunkelberger will have her annual Spring opening on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 23, 24 and 25th. She will have from 75 to 100 trimmed hats on exhibition. A special effort will be made to have a full supply of hats to suit persons of all ages and the most refined tastes. A special invitation is extended to the ladies from all parts of the county to visit this grand Millinery display. Snyder—Stahlnecker.—At the home of the bride's parents in Middleburgh, Wm. Snyder, the assistant postmaster, was joined in the bonds of holy wedlock to Miss Annie R. Stahlnecker on Tuesday morning. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. E. McLain, the pastor of the Lutheran Church. The bride and groom are well known in this vicinity and their many friends join the Post in wishing them a pleasant voyage down life's stream. They left on the 8:50 train for a wedding trip.

Decoration Day Program.

At a regular meeting of Capt. G. W. Ryan, Post No. 384 Dept. of Penna. G. A. R. The following program was unanimously adopted. Details of Comrades assisted by the Sabbath schools will decorate the graves of our fallen Comrades in the Cemeteries at Fremont, Meiser, Paxtonville, Centreville and Hassinger's from 9 to 10 o'clock A. M. May 30 1895. Services will be held in the Middleburgh Cemetery at 2:30 P. M. Capt. Ryan Post assisted by The Washington Camp P. O. S. of A. No. 515. The Sabbath schools, Christian Endeavor, Ladies' Aid Societies, and the citizens of Middleburgh, Swineford and vicinity are all cordially invited to join in the services. Let us all show by our presence that we have not forgotten the services of those who offered and gave their lives for our re-union Country and for the preservation of the liberties we now enjoy. Music will be furnished by Stetler's Cornet Band. Address by Rev. D. E. McLain. RESOLVED that as May 30th has been made a legal Holiday by our Government and especially designated as Memorial Day, therefore it is earnestly desired that all places of business in Middleburgh be closed during the services from 2 to 4 o'clock P. M. By order of Post, W. H. COLEMAN, P. C. G. C. Gutelius, Adjt. How to Make Money. I understand how you can't make money with the plater that I had. There are so many things about the plating business that I did not understand. It was not until I saw the advertisement of Gray & Co. Plating Works, Columbus, Ohio, that I commenced to make money. The Royal Plater is sent by this house and all the trade secrets connected with the plating business, such as are necessary in the great gold and silver plating factories are given free. As soon as I got the Royal Plater I made money right along. Last week I cleared \$72.50, and everybody is delighted with my work. Anyone who has had trouble with their plating machines, as I have, should sent to the above firm and obtain their circulars, and they will be able to make lots of money as I have done. The Royal Plater is fitted out complete, everything ready for business; you do not have to spend a cent for materials. During these hard times this information is valuable. We publish this week a letter on the monetary question. This will be, and in fact is now, the great question of the day. The subject is worthy of our serious consideration. We are not responsible for the views expressed, but we kindly invite a free discussion of all shades of this problem. A LATE NEWSPAPER LAW.—It frequently happens that a publisher receives word from some distant postmaster remains uncalled for, party moved. It is a common occurrence for subscribers by quietly slipping away and not paying what is due on the paper. The new postal laws make it larceny to take a paper and then refuse to pay for it, and acting on this a newspaper proprietor brought suit against forty-three men who would not pay their subscriptions, and obtained judgment in each case for the amount of each claim. Of these twenty-eight made affidavit that they owned no more than the law allowed thus preventing attachment. Then, under the decision of the supreme court, they were arrested for petit larceny and bound over in the sum of \$300. All but six gave bond, who went to jail. A subscriber is in duty bound to pay his subscription the same as any other debt, and the law is right and just, as it should be. If he would contract a debt at a grocery he would expect to be made pay for it. The same is true of subscription. He contracted the debt and should be made to pay for it.

The Legislature.

A DAMNABLE LUXURY SITS IN PARLIANCE AT THE STATE CAPITAL. The state Legislature is a luxury. The quicker we rid ourselves of this expensive side-dish the happier will be the people of Pennsylvania. Perhaps we should not say anything mean about this Legislature, because it has been a very liberal one,—liberal with the state funds. They propose to create new offices, raise salaries, retire Judges on full pay and spend their time legislating to pay political debts with the people's money. The most judicious appropriation that ever came from the State Treasury is that devoted to the support of the public schools. Now since the greed for money runs rampant and the revenues will not permit of such extravagance, they propose to cut down the appropriation to the public schools. The only benefit Snyder county receives is through her public schools. She can expect no aid for charitable or penal institutions and she asks nothing for harbor improvements. Through her representative she has protested against the creation of new offices; against the increase of salaries and against the judicial re-appointment which is designed only to create new offices. The idea of cutting this judicial district down to Snyder and Union Counties is simply preposterous. The three counties in this judicial district do not require so much work. Judge McClure has given his willingness to live in Snyder county added to his district. Why increase the number of districts? Like a drowning man, who grasps at a floating straw, we are almost compelled to say, "take everything if we can save the appropriation to the public schools." Mr. Herman has pursued a course free and independent of the bosses and carefully guarded the interests of his constituents. There are perhaps 40 or 50 other honest men in the Legislature. A day should be appointed and the faithful legislators requested to retire in order to avoid humiliation. The horny handed sons of toil provided with an ample supply of shot guns should be summoned from the uttermost parts of the state, arrayed in battle lines in the interior of the legislative halls and the political corruptionists compelled to retire. The liberty loving people of the state could well afford to raise a purse to maintain this guard to prevent the public robbery of the state funds. God speed the 9th of June, the day set for final adjournment. To the Sunday School Workers. As the time is approaching for the Annual Sunday School Convention, all Sunday school workers should use their best endeavors to have this the best convention ever held in the County. We should not be satisfied to remain on the same plan from year to year but should endeavor to advance along all lines of Sunday school work. The officers alone cannot make the association a success but by all uniting in a grand, earnest, prayerful effort, we can make it a success. This is no time to lie supinely on our backs waiting for some effort to be made by others, but it is our duty (and by our we mean all workers) to be up and doing. The executive committee (as has been noticed in the papers before,) have selected Selinsgrove as the next place of meeting, owing to the death of our Co-laborer, Bro. J. A. Smith. Selinsgrove will give you a royal welcome. Come, one and all and receive inspiration from the workers of this and other counties. The officers are endeavoring to get some prominent S. S. worker from a distance who will assist in making the meetings interesting as well as profitable. The executive committee no doubt will arrange a good program of topics and speakers, others can study the topics and many can say a word that will encourage and strengthen weak ones. Let us all be up and doing from now on until the last session. Yours in the work, M. L. Wagonseller, Pres.

A New March.

The very latest musical composition to enlist popular approval is "The Broad Street Conservatory March," composed by a young Philadelphia, Roland H. Smith, a pupil of the popular institution to which his work is dedicated. It is highly inspiring, suggestive as it is of the popular marches written by Sousa. It has been played by all the leading theatre orchestras and concert bands in the Quaker City, and in seaside and mountain resorts. The piano part of this excellent march has just been issued, and through a special arrangement with the author we are enabled to present a copy free to every reader of this paper who will send name and address, enclosing 6 cents in stamps to cover mailing and postage, to The South Broad Street Conservatory of Music, 1341 South Broad Street, Philadelphia. The retail price of the March is 40 cents and this is an offer that should be appreciated by our musical friends.

A Beautiful Memorial.

In the Freeburg Cemetery stands one of the most imposing monuments in this section of the State. It is erected to the memory of the Bassler family, M. L. Miller, of Selinsgrove is the builder. The monument weighs 25,000 lbs. or 1 1/2 Tons. The cap measures 5 ft. 10 in. long 3 ft. w. and 1 ft. 8 in. th. The first section is 5 ft. 2 in. l. 2 ft. 4 in. w. and 1 ft. 8 in. th. The second section is 5 ft. 2 in. l. 2 ft. 4 in. w. and 1 ft. 8 in. th. The third section is 5 ft. 2 in. l. 2 ft. 4 in. w. and 1 ft. 8 in. th. The fourth section is 5 ft. 2 in. l. 2 ft. 4 in. w. and 1 ft. 8 in. th. The fifth section is 5 ft. 2 in. l. 2 ft. 4 in. w. and 1 ft. 8 in. th. The sixth section is 5 ft. 2 in. l. 2 ft. 4 in. w. and 1 ft. 8 in. th. The seventh section is 5 ft. 2 in. l. 2 ft. 4 in. w. and 1 ft. 8 in. th. The eighth section is 5 ft. 2 in. l. 2 ft. 4 in. w. and 1 ft. 8 in. th. The ninth section is 5 ft. 2 in. l. 2 ft. 4 in. w. and 1 ft. 8 in. th. The tenth section is 5 ft. 2 in. l. 2 ft. 4 in. w. and 1 ft. 8 in. th. The bottom base is 7 ft. l. 4 ft. 2 in. wide and 1 ft. th. This memorial is a neat device and reflects great credit upon the architect.

SELINSGROVE.

The members of the Reformed Sunday school will observe Children's Day on Sunday June 9th. Jerry Moyer of Sweet Hope is the happiest man in Penn Township, all because the Assessor can't get the arrival of a boy at his home. Prof. Wm. Noeltling of Bloomsburg spent Sunday with his family. Miss Jennie Ulrich and Lizzie Osman spent Sunday at Sunbury. Rev. Bergaman supplied the pulpit of the Reformed church on Sabbath morning. Miss Zellar, an accomplished young lady of Lock Haven, is the distinguished guest of Miss Eva Schoch. Claude Klose, the station agent at McClure, accompanied by his wife visited Val. Bolig's last week. Irvin Guyer of Sunbury was in town on Saturday. Prof. Bowersox and Billhardt of Middleburgh took in the sights on Monday. G. W. Keller the canal foreman spent Sunday with his family in the East End. Mrs. B. F. Gregory is visiting her son, Forest, in Williamsport. Rev. Scharrets is spending a few days with J. W. Gaugler's family. B. F. Arnold of Freeburg drove to town last Saturday. A number of our young folks attended the opening of the Freeburg Musical College on Monday evening. Mrs. P. A. Boyer, Mrs. S. E. Oehenford and Mrs. Harry Boyer are visiting in Harrisburg. Reduced Rates via Pennsylvania Railroad, accounts Meeting of German Baptists "Dunearns" at Decatur, Ill. For the accommodation of persons who desire to attend the meeting of the German Baptists (Dunkards), to be held at Decatur, Ill., May 28 to June 8, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell from May 24 to June 1, inclusive, excursion tickets from all points on their system west of and including Baltimore, Lancaster and Reading, and south of and including Sunbury, to Decatur and return, at a single fare for the round trip. Tickets will be good to return to starting point not later than July 9.