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LOCAL INTEREST

Now is the time for business men to plant their spring advertisements. Have you attended to that little matter addressed to you about ten days ago? Come along. Quite a number of horsemen of this place and vicinity attended the Freeburg horse sale on Thursday last. Misses Carrie and Bertha Wittenmyer attended a fashionable ball at Danville on Friday evening of last week. Snyder County will be fairly well represented at the Republican State Convention next week in Harrisburg. Geo. R. Hendricks, the hardware merchant of Selingsgrove, was a Middleburgh visitor on Wednesday of last week. Wm. Beaver on Monday morning left for Philadelphia to lay in a full supply of new goods to supply the wishes of his customers. H. H. Holmes has confessed to having committed 27 murders. If he gets to Heaven there is no necessity in the expense of keeping up Hell. M. F. Womer has moved from Franklin township to Fremont. He wants all the latest news over there and he dropped a dollar and a half before he left town. For Sale—Lady's Majestic Bicycle in a No. 1 condition. Sold at a sacrifice. Inquire of Dr. J. Y. Shick. Appeared on our streets riding a tricycle. This means of exercise will afford healthful pass time in his declining years. Royal Phosphoric Coffee, a pure healthful antibilious drink and nerve and stomachic tonic. Recommended by physicians. For sale at 3-12-2nd. RUNKLE & WALTER'S. Harry Bibighaus, the Hardware Salesman of Philadelphia, who was ill for four weeks at Millinburg, came to our city last week to resume his duties. BRICK FOR SALE.—Brick of the best quality for building and paving can be secured at reasonable rates by applying to Carbon Seebold, Middleburgh, Pa. Trailing arbutus is pushing itself forward and one of these days it will be warm enough for the boys and girls to begin to climb the hills in search of it. Mrs. H. H. Hassinger, of Sunbury, nee Myrtle Smith formerly of this place, has been very seriously ill during the past week. The latest reports say she is convalescing. In another column we publish the official notice of the election of a County Superintendent. It will take place in the Court House, Tuesday, May 5th. Read the notice. Clothier Gunzburger left on Monday evening for the Eastern cities to buy a fresh lot of new spring and summer goods. You will find a change of advertisement in this issue. Read his announcement. The Merchants' Protective Association of Snyder county will meet in Middleburgh to effect a permanent organization on the second Monday of May. The day set at the last meeting falls upon the day of the County Superintendency election, hence, the change. FARM FOR SALE.—The heirs of Henry Rearich will sell at the court house on Saturday, May 2nd, 1896, the 100 acre farm, situate 3 miles west of Middleburgh. For particulars call on or address, Wm. Romig, Agent for heirs, Middleburgh, Pa. An organ dedication took place at Hassinger's church on Sunday evening. It was presented by the Y. P. S. C. E. to the church in a neat speech by M. L. Hassinger. The responses on the part of the church were made by J. S. Kauffman and Rev. McLain.

of West Beaver was week. window shades at kinds rove. of Globe Mills was a visitor Tuesday. ade laundried waists at nsgrove. rman and wife of Hoffer in town on Saturday. amense line of wall papers at Weis', Selingsgrove. Read the Roll of Honor to see whether your name is there. On the last page will be found an interesting historical sketch. Spring capes in great variety at popular prices at Weis', Selingsgrove. The base ball team has been re-organized and soon will be practicing. Loaded with impurities, your blood needs cleansing with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Call to see the special bargains at Meiser's store, Globe Mills, Pa. Tin ware and boys' suits at cost. J. S. Meiser of Globe Mills is selling Dry Goods, calicoes, gingham, and all kinds of general merchandise at reduced rates. How about that little matter we called your attention to about ten days ago? If you have not responded are still waiting. B. Wolgemuth of Selingsgrove in town on Tuesday. He is a painter and a contractor whose advertisement will be found in this paper. Liquor License court will convene on Monday a week. A list of the applicants appears in this issue. Cut it out if you wish to preserve it as it will not appear again. Those subscribers residing outside of the county were notified of the time their subscriptions have expired. Outside of the county, we must require cash in advance. Let us hear from you. A smooth, easy shave, gentled hair cut, or other tonsorial work, is always obtained at Soles' Barber Shop, in Wittenmyer's Building, opposite Post office. Go to Soles and you will make no mistake. Shaving soap, face cream, hair oil and egg shampoo for sale. A. E. SOLES. Those subscribers residing in the county who are 4, 5, 6, or more years in arrears received bills during the first week in April. Some of them have remitted the amount due. Have you? When a subscription runs over 4 years, it is our business to know why it is not paid. Come along. A great many of the taxpayers of Middleburgh can not understand why the auditors' report of the borough does not show what the \$613.42 was paid for. It would be a matter of justice to give the items of expenditure. Why can't they have it? Charles Rothermel of Port Treverton, formerly of Middleburgh, left last Monday for Seattle, Washington. He and his brother, Samuel, have resided there for the last 14 years. Charles had been spending 3 months with his mother at the Ferry Hotel, Port Treverton. On May first the two brothers will go to Alaska with a party of gold miners. The panic has disappeared in the West and the gold fever is raging. The conference of this congressional district will be held at Lewistown on Thursday of this week to select delegates and alternates to the National convention and to name the presidential elector for the district. The delegate from this county is A. M. Aurand. He has selected as conferees Hon. C. W. Herman, Dr. A. M. Smith, S. J. Pawling and H. C. Sampsell. There are two delegates to be selected and if our own nominee can not make it, the selection of Jere B. Rex of Huntingdon and D. P. Higgins of Lewisburg would be acceptable to our people.

Deeds Entered for Record. The following deeds have been entered for record since Mar. 1st, 1896. Alfred Specht, Sheriff, Spring township, to James J. McMullon. J. J. McMullon and wife, Spring township to Trustees of M. E. church, Adamsburg. Consideration \$180. Olen C. Gortner and J. F. Strieby administrators, lot in Selingsgrove to Prof. J. I. Woodruff, \$145. John W. Teats, executor, land Perry township, to Peter G. Garman, \$330. Hon. J. A. Smith and wife, lot Middlecreek township, to Wm. H. Gordon, \$150. The Central Pa. conference of the Evan. As'n of North America, lot Middleburgh to Francis C. Bowersox, \$70. D. M. Baker and wife, lot in West Beaver township to Emanuel Wagner for \$1. Geo. Ewig and wife, lot in Jackson township to Percival Herman, \$1300. Sarah Breininger, house and lot, Adamsburg, to William P. Gross for \$500. John B. Weller and wife, lot in Washington township, to John J. Lose. Consideration, \$185. John H. Fisher and wife, lot in Port Treverton to Henry Reumfeld for \$1150. Jacob C. Hassinger, adm'r "Hassinger's Addition," Beavertown to J. C. Shrader \$9.00. Jacob C. Hassinger, adm'r, to F. E. Kern, Lot No. 5, \$42.00; Lot No. 6, \$86, Hassinger's Addition, Beavertown. T. W. Hoffman, J. W. Hoffman and wife, one-sixth interest in lot at Port Treverton to John D. Bogar, \$35. H. W. Ullsh and wife, 13 acres in West Beaver township to Joseph D. Ullsh for \$225. Same to same, 151 acres for \$330. Reuben Dreese, sheriff, lands Chapman township to John S. Rine, Rachael J. Bowen and Sylvester Bowen, lot in Middleburgh to Allen Moyer \$1350. Jacob C. Hassinger, adm'r, Lot No. 39, Beavertown to Benjamin Hoffman for \$89. Same, Lot No. 20, Beavertown to Jacob F. Herbster for \$43. Same, Lot No. 90, Beavertown to Daniel Shawver for \$4700. J. C. Schoch and wife, land Franklin township to A. H. Klose for \$303. Leah Eckleman; interest in two tracts Washington Twp., to George Mengle for \$273. Frederick and Augustus Arbogast, adm'rs, property in Washington Twp., to George Mengle for \$546.50. George Getty and wife, lot in Selingsgrove, to Thos. C. Houtz for \$2000. Philip Amig and wife, property in Franklin township to George Meiser for \$850. Azariah Kreeger and Jas. H. Bingaman, Executors, Specht's Hall and lot Beavertown to John Hetrick, Jacob A. Aigler and Charles L. Wetzel, Trustees, for \$396. John E. Ross and wife, property in Perry township, to J. I. Yergler for \$1200. Gustavus Arbogast and wife and Elizabeth Arbogast, property in Perry Township to Henry Boyer, for \$2400. J. A. and Sarah Shadel, lots in Fremont to Marand Rothrock for \$750 (Assignment of Deeds.) C. C. Seebold and wife, lot No. 52, Middleburgh to Harrison Moyer and Chas. A. Meiser, \$3200. Jesse Bilger and wife, property in Franklin, to James Shuman, \$1600. Ner B. Middleswarth and Philip Dreese, Executors, Beaver township, 83 acres \$3000; 32 acres, \$161. Augustus Springman, lot in Freeburg to Robert Pachnicke for \$1500. Sarah A. Geist and Henry Geist, house and lot Franklin township to Geo. H. Hans, \$275. Mary C. Hartman and Marcus M. Hartman, Monroe township, to Sarah A. Geist, \$550. Heirs of John Lenhart, property in Monroe township to Mary C. Hartman, \$1. J. Edgar Lenhart property in Monroe township to Elmer E. Grenier, \$675. Heirs of Jacob Hackenburg, property in Washington township to William Stroub for \$2000. M. P. Arnold, adm'r, property in Union township, to G. A. Eberly, \$1275. John F. Walborn, Attorney-in-fact, property in Penn township, to Lydia C. Hughes and Emma E. Walborn for \$1650. Calvin Stetler, Executor, lot in Middleburgh to Mary H. Snyder, \$1000. Wm. P. Fetter and wife, Lots No. 1 and 2, in Kratzerville to Jacob A. Loitzel for \$1000.

Who Were They? On Monday morning of last week, while shifter crew was lying at the west end of the canal bridge, with a train, one of the train hands saw three men approach the cinder bank and dig three holes into the same, after this was completed, they put something into the excavations and then covered them up and left. After they had disappeared the employees went to the bank and found where the holes had been dug. He removed from one of them a 32 caliber revolver, from the other some dynamite, caps, three drills, fuse and a slow match, and in the other he found a bottle in which he thought was liquor, and which he left. Who they were and why they hid the things there is a question that is not easily solved.—Selingsgrove Tribune. Unique Leap Year Party. The latest style of leap year party is rather unique. The men pay ten cents each to enter the hall where the party is held. Then they are weighed and a card containing the name of each man and weight is placed in a box. The girls, at a given time, take a grab at the contents of the box and pull out one card each. Each girl then takes the man whose name is on her card out to supper, fills him up with everything he wishes that is obtainable at the party and pays for it at the rate of one-quarter of a cent for each pound of the gentleman's weight. Letter From Kansas. HERINGTON, KANSAS, APR. 11, '96. Ed. Post:— Enclosed please find money order for \$1.50 on subscription for the Post. We are as happy as possible under these Democratic times and live in hopes they are soon over. We are sold for McKinley and Kansas is good for thirty-five thousand for him and we think the good old Keystone state should stand up for him. Weather here is very nice and warm with plenty rain. Our wheat crops never looked more promising. Spring crops and pasture is just getting nice; our fruit crop is all good so far. We had no winter at all. Four inches was the heaviest ice we had and it will be hard to keep cool this summer. J. W. DREESE. The Globe Mills letter came too late for this issue. Mrs. Harry Harter of Hartleton, nee Lillie Orwig of this place, we are pleased to state, is convalescing. Wheels within wheels! Bicycles seem to be the central thought with everybody. The conversation comes back to bicycles at dinner parties and in the Lenten paths pursued to many a pictured show. It is heard in the electric cars and in stores. Fragments of conversation from behind the counters float forward also, with mention of pedals and maker's names therein. And if all this joyous burden of bicycles talk is bearing upon the minds of all concerned now, when the roads are slushy and muddy and deep, what will it be when the world is awheel in the spring! The year of grace 1895 was a wonderful wheeling year, but 1896 is going to be the maddest, merriest year that ever was known on wheels.

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: Chas. P. Bailey Apr 1 '96 Asaph Bowersox Jan 1 '96 Reuben Snook Jan 1 '96 David G. Witmer Mar 1 '96 Howard A. Walter Feb 15 '96 A. D. Miller Oct 17 '96 J. M. Maurer Jan 1 '96 Benjamin Zerbe May 1 '96 H. Calvin Ullsh Apr 1 '96 Rob. E. Walter Jan 10 '96 W. M. Mease Feb 15 '97 Mrs. D. w. Knouse Jan 1 '97 J. S. Rhamstine Mar 1 '96 Geo. R. Gemberling June 1 '96 F. P. Decker May 1 '96 A. A. Ullsh Dec 1 '96 Millard Kern Feb 1 '97 Rev. Shambach Mar 1 '97 Mrs. M. S. Campbell Oct 1 '96 Levi Grubb Apr 1 '96 Wm. Benfer Oct 1 '96 Wm. Romig Apr 1 '96 J. F. Felty Nov 1 '96 Mrs. B. E. Arnold Oct 1 '96 Jno. M. Nangle Apr 1 '96 Morris Erdly, Jr. Mar 1 '97 Wm. Eisenhour Feb 1 '96 Aaron Howell Feb 1 '96 B. F. Crouse Oct 1 '96 J. F. Good May 1 '96 Edward Biekhart Apr 1 '96 Allen Snook Apr 1 '96 Y. H. Krebs May 1 '96 B. F. Hoffman Nov 1 '96 James Bowersox Apr 1 '96 Jacob Brugger Oct 1 '96 Jonathan Steffen Oct 1 '96 Wm. Sholly May 1 '96 E. D. Swinford Jan 15 '97 E. C. Aurand May 1 '96 H. M. Hassinger Apr 1 '97 Chas. A. Hackenburg Oct 1 '96 Jacob Nerhood May 1 '96 Chas. Ferdig Mar 1 '96 S. S. Reitz Aug 1 '96 S. M. Smyser May 1 '96 O. W. Meek Dec 1 '96 M. L. Walter May 1 '96 J. W. Row Apr 1 '96 W. M. Gift Jan 1 '97 S. Bowersox Dec 1 '96 W. A. Hummel Nov 1 '96 J. H. Hartman Mar 1 '97 A. E. Walter Nov 15 '94 J. C. Paeker Apr 1 '97 W. G. VonNeida Apr 1 '96 H. H. Klingler Mar 1 '96 Daniel Beaver Jan 1 '97 Gov. Daniel Hastings Dec 1 '96 I. C. Hackenburg June 1 '96 J. & A. Moeschlin Feb 15 '97 Peter Herman May 1 '96 J. C. Boush Apr 15 '97 Alfred Chubb Oct 17 '96 D. F. Uplinger July 1 '96 Hon. Wm. H. Hackenburg Oct 1 '96 W. H. Gill Oct 1 '96 W. W. Smith Mar 15 '96 Wm. H. Musser June 1 '96 Chas. Botts Mar 1 '97 H. O. Rodgers Aug 1 '96 M. F. Womer Apr 13 '97 Robert Walter Mar 1 '96 Michael E. Mengel June 1 '96 P. S. Bingaman Nov 1 '96 J. W. Dreese Mar 1 '97 Jacob Kramer June 1 '96 Carbon Seebold Apr 1 '96 R. G. Dunn & Co. Apr 22 '97 Ner Middleswarth, Sept. 1, '97 C. E. Loyl, Nov. 1, '95

NOTICE. The annual meeting of the Snyder County S. S. Association will be held at Adamsburg, Pa., beginning on Monday evening and closing on Wednesday noon, May 11, 12, and 13. An interesting and instructive program has been prepared. I will call upon all Superintendents in a few weeks for the report of their schools. Please have them ready. Also see that each school will contribute to the State and County work. I am Yours in the work, H. I. Romig, Sec'y. Republican Committee Meeting. The Republican Standing Committee of Snyder county will meet at Middleburgh, Friday April 17th at 11 a. m. for organization. All members are expected to be present. By order of CHAS. M. ARBOGAST.