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**TOWN NEWS.**

ed with interesting from Middle-  
ek Valley.  
Reliably chronicled for  
y and the grave.  
Closing-out Bargains  
Cash Store. 2t.  
Day exercises were held  
church on Sunday.  
Brothers erected and  
ge stable in four days.  
ot and wife of Shamo-  
re Swineford visitors  
ch of Swineford has  
ge porch in front of his  
s. J. W. Orwig spent  
at Harry Harter's, Har-  
week.  
rine Engelbert of Ly-  
est of the Misses Wil-  
ude Dunkleberger is  
s and relatives in Ring-  
nokin.  
f and family of Grant  
Virginia, spent Friday  
the guests of Rev. D.  
sioners met on Satur-  
ll receive bids next  
the construction of a  
et.  
acements of Bucknell  
wisburg and Susque-  
y, Selinsgrove, are  
week.  
ood reliable girl to  
neral house work in  
Wages \$2.50 per  
Box 604, Sunbury,  
2t.  
in great demand at  
thers warehouse. If  
bushel or two they  
as readily as a larger  
ing and son of Lew-  
s Alice Pawling of  
Sunday were the  
Geo. Alfred Schoch  
lin Commencement  
ended last week. A  
ommencement was  
ol is making rapid  
at the jail are hav-  
They have provid-  
with a lot of musical  
d give concerts for  
t.  
r Summer cooking.  
black pans. Throws  
heat is concentrat-  
Call on W. E. Stahl-  
burgh.  
and wife of Milton  
the Central Hotel.  
erly had charge of  
the railroad and  
here were glad to  
hull, Miss Marion  
eidman and Mrs.  
f Mifflinburg were  
S. Arbogast at the  
eford, from Tues-  
ast week.  
of Swineford has  
onery store back  
and will erect a  
front of it in order  
of his store room  
demand of trade.  
and daughter of  
on Saturday were  
ew Kratzer. Mr.  
o. D., 208th Regt.,  
Mr. Kratzer and  
o of his company  
be representative  
Historical pub-  
k. Messrs Kemp-  
in this county  
ical matters for  
ory of Centre,  
counties.

T. J. Specht and wife of Beaver-  
town visited the latter's parents in  
Swineford, Sunday.  
Miss Laura Schambach, who is  
working at Shadel, visited her pa-  
rents at this place over Sunday.  
Mrs. Caroline Miller of Lewistown  
Junction spent several days last  
week with Jacob Gilbert's family.  
Samuel Wittenmyer of Bucknell  
has returned home and will spend  
his vacation with his parents in this  
place.  
S. B. Spiller, wife and son Ray-  
mond, of Swineford, visited A. B.  
Shamory and family at Kantz, over  
Sunday.  
Carbon Seebold, Frank S. Reigle,  
Aaron and Wm. E. Stahlnecker  
drove to Centre county and return  
last week.  
P. M. Goettel of Sunbury has a can-  
vas tent erected on Market Street in  
front of the Post printing office and  
is taking pictures this week.  
At the State encampment of the  
Sons of Veterans in session at To-  
wanda last week, it was decided to  
hold the next encampment in Phil-  
lipsburg.  
W. Porter Thompson and wife of  
Mexico, Juniata county, are being  
entertained at the Central Hotel by  
their son, J. N. Thompson, Cashier  
of the bank.  
Tuesday of last week Alex. Stew-  
art an anti-Quay man was elected  
Chairman of the Republican Sando-  
Committee of Franklin county over  
Capt. Zeiders, a Quay man.  
The Missionary Service conducted  
by Rev. O. G. Romig, in the U. B.  
church, last Saturday evening, was  
a grand success. The sermon was  
both interesting and instructive.  
A. F. & A. R. Gilbert have return-  
ed from Franklin and Marshall Col-  
lege Lancaster and Wm. Shindel from  
Susquehanna University and will  
spend their Summer vacations at  
home.  
An Ohio firm has opened a factory at  
Strasburg, Lancaster county, for the  
manufacture of corn-cob pipes. Ten  
men have been employed, and with  
machinery they can turn out 5000  
pipes a day.  
The Woman's Missionary Society  
of Paxtonville will hold a lawn festi-  
val next Saturday evening June  
26th, at which time also they purpose  
chancing off their Missionary Quilt.  
They kindly invite all to attend.  
The U. B. Sunday School of this  
place will hold a lawn festival on Fri-  
day and Saturday evenings. Re-  
freshments, such as Ice Cream,  
Cakes, etc., will be served. All are  
cordially invited to attend and have  
a good time.  
A smooth, easy shave, genteel  
hair cut, or other tonsorial work, is  
always obtained at Soles' Barber  
Shop, in Wittenmyer's Building, op-  
posite Post office. Go to Soles and  
you will make no mistake, Shaving  
soap, face cream, hair oil and egg-  
shampoo for sale. A. E. SOLZ.  
We are in receipt of a communi-  
cation from E. W. Young at Ft. Smith,  
Ark., to send the Post to him at St.  
Cloud, Minn. Mr. Young is the  
special Pension Examiner of the U.  
S. Pension Office at St. Cloud. His  
many friends in this, his native coun-  
ty, will be glad to hear of the ap-  
pointment.  
In Juniata county last week Anson  
B. Will was nominated for Register  
and Recorder on the Republican  
ticket; Samuel Lap for Sheriff and  
Samuel Auran for Jury Commis-  
sioner. James M. Nelson was elec-  
ted delegate to State Convention  
and Harry C. McClelan, County  
Chairman.  
We are in receipt of a catalogue of  
the Penna. Chautauqua to open at  
Mt. Gretna July 1st and we notice  
that our class mate and room mate,  
Prof. W. L. Kauffman of Yonkeas,  
N. Y., has charge of the branches of  
Geology and Zoology. We publish  
a notice elsewhere giving full de-  
tails of this most excellent summer  
school.

Wilson Mitterling of Heister's Val-  
ley on Tuesday sent a stalk of wheat  
to this office that measures 6 feet.  
This beats the record.  
Joseph Hassniger, a prominent citi-  
zen of Spring Twp., died suddenly  
on Tuesday morning. Being missed  
from home, a search was made and he  
was found lying on the ground dead  
within fifty feet of his residence.  
He was 82 years of age. Full parti-  
culars next week.  
Short stories by Conan Doyle An-  
thony Hope, and Robert Barr will  
appear in the July number of Mc-  
Clure's Magazine. Add to these an  
instalment of the interesting Steven-  
son novel, "St. Ives," and in the  
matter of fiction it would be hard to  
frame a more attractive announce-  
ment.  
There will be a cake and ice cream  
festival 2 1/2 miles north-east of Middle-  
burgh, in Franklin township,  
near Edward Hummel's residence,  
on July 3d, 1897. All are invited to  
attend and partake of the feast.  
Proceeds for the benefit of the new  
church at that place.  
I desire to inform the public that  
I am prepared to furnish all the fol-  
lowing at the prices named: Round  
edge steel tires, 75cts. a set; buggy  
shafts with cross pieces, 50cts. a set;  
buggy rims, 50cts to 75cts per set.  
These goods are all of first class qual-  
ity.  
Geo. E. SPECHT,  
Middleburgh, Pa.  
The Millheim Journal of last week  
says: Mr. and Mrs. Elias Foreman,  
of Troxville, Pa., and Mr. Allen Al-  
len Foreman and family, of Hartle-  
ton, Pa., were visitors over Sunday  
at the residence of Mr. E. J. Swauger  
on Water street. Mr. John A.  
Shultz, of Hebersburg, spent Mon-  
day in town as the guest of his  
daughter, Mrs. E. J. Swanger.  
A Center county exchange contains  
this item: "There is a family living  
in Sugar Tree township, Venango  
county, by the names of Juice. The  
eldest daughter is named Olive Juice  
and a son is called Lemon Juice.  
Recently a baby boy arrived, and he  
is to be christened Tobacco Juice."  
If they keep on in that line we  
shouldn't be surprised if "Bug"  
Juice would soon be a component  
part of that family.  
John V. Leshar, a son of Robert  
Leshar, of Blue Hill, will graduate  
at the Bucknell University, at Lew-  
isburg, next Wednesday morning,  
June 23rd. Mr. Leshar has been a  
close student, and a general favor-  
ite among his fellow students and  
faculty. We congratulate our young  
friend and wish him success in  
whatever calling he may pursue.  
—Northumberland Press.  
Last week Mr. Gibbons lost a gold  
watch east of Red Hill. He inserted  
a small notice in the Post and by Sat-  
urday we had located the watch. It  
had been found by Mrs. J. S. Miser  
of Globe Mills. Does it pay to ad-  
vertise? Certainly it pays and yet  
we have people in Middleburgh who  
say it does not pay and in order to  
keep down expenses do not adver-  
tise. They cut down expenses and  
reduce trade.  
Special Pension Examiner.  
E. W. Young, who has been in In-  
dian Territory for the past few  
years as a special pension agent has  
been transferred from that point to  
St. Cloud, Minnesota. He left Wash-  
ington, D. C., where he spent a few  
months with his family, on Saturday  
for a new field of labor, by way of  
Fort Smith, Arkansas, where he was  
to appear as the prosecuting witness  
against two men under indictment  
for perjury in connection with a  
fraudulent pension claim. Mr.  
Young is a son of David A. Young  
of Blue Hill, and a brother of Mrs.  
Isaac Malick of Northumberland.  
—Northumberland Press.

Chairman Focht's Report.  
The legislative committee appoint-  
ed two years ago to investigate the  
number of aliens quartered upon the  
State was filed Monday night of last  
week. The report says:  
"The evils complained of that led  
to the framing of the resolution  
authorizing this investigation have  
grown out of the too liberal immi-  
gration laws of the country, which  
in later years have invited in many  
cases no longer the thrifty European  
who at once became self sustaining  
and a good citizen, but many of the  
degraded and ignorant of the Sla-  
vonic countries who have not only  
been a menace to American work-  
ingmen, unbalancing the equilib-  
rium that previously existed be-  
tween employers and employes, but  
the burden put upon the taxpayer  
for the support of these unutilized  
foreigners has become unbearable  
and there is need of alarm and  
quick action lest the great charities  
that have been furnished through  
the Christian benevolence of the  
people of Pennsylvania be in large  
part diverted to the support of a  
purely alien class instead of reliev-  
ing the distress of American citizens  
and former taxpayers."  
As a result of the inquiry a bill  
providing for the return of paupers  
and indigent insane persons not  
having a legal settlement within  
Pennsylvania to any other State or  
country to which they may belong  
was introduced recently in the  
house by Mr. Focht. It passed that  
body in less than a week on a special  
order.  
Penna. Chautauqua.  
The Penn'a Chautauqua, located  
at Mt. Gretna, will open July 1 and  
closes the 30th. Among the lecturers  
are such notable names as Prof. S. C.  
Schmucker, who delivers a series  
of lectures on Natural History;  
Capt McVanie, who lectures  
on Mushrooms and will conduct a  
field class; Mrs. S. T. Rorer will  
conduct the Cooking School a special  
building being erected for the  
purpose. Rev. Dr. Weibner, of Chi-  
cago, will lecture on the Bible, and  
has classes in Hebrew and Theology.  
Rev. Dr. Richards, of Muhlenberg  
college, will deliver a series of his in-  
imitable post-prandial lectures. The  
Art Department will be in charge of  
Miss Mussy, of Washington, and the  
Kindergarten Department will be  
conducted by Miss Lippincott, of  
the same city. Prof. Averaguet, of  
Bucknell, will teach French, Spanish  
and Italian, while Prof. Kirschbaum  
will have charge of the German.  
Prof. Ettinger, the dean of the fac-  
ulty, will be the Greek and Latin in-  
structor, and the Musical Depart-  
ment will be in charge of Prof.  
Wolle.  
Among the popular entertain-  
ments will be the Rock Concert Co.,  
the Beethoven String Quartette,  
the Tyrolean Troubadours, Alexan-  
der Black's Picture Play "Miss Jer-  
ry," two illustrated lectures by Per-  
cy Reese, Spedon, the Wonderful  
Chalk Artist, Lieut. Peary on Arctic  
Explorations, Prof. Crozier in Piano  
Recitals, and Grand Concerts and  
Lectures.  
The Penn'a Chautauqua is doing a  
good work in educational lines. Mt.  
Gretna, with its lake and delightful  
climate, is a desirable place to spend  
the summer vacation. Excursion  
tickets over all roads.  
Catalogues, with full program and  
list of attractions, can be had by ad-  
dressing Rev. I. Calvin Fisher, Sec-  
retary, Lebanon, Pa.  
Juniata County Marriages.  
On the 9th inst., by Rev. R. M.  
Campbell, Foster McClure, of Tur-  
bitt township, to Mamie Bashore of  
Walker township.  
On the 11th inst., by Rev. Isaac  
Book, Harry F. Arnold to Martha B.  
Mills, both of Tuscarora township,  
this county.  
On the 12th inst., by Thomas  
Creighton, J. P., George W. Bailor,  
of Port Royal, to Mattie Dowling, of  
Reed's Gap, this county.

DESPERADOES IN THIS COUNTY.  
They Attacked Francis M. Specht and  
Threatened to Kill Him. He Es-  
caped Through the Woods.  
Two men, one from Northumber-  
land county and one from Selins-  
grove, this county, met F. M. Specht  
about six miles from this place and  
two miles from New Berlin, Fri-  
day afternoon and attacked him.  
The Selinsgrove man rode up first  
and demanded of Specht to wait un-  
til his partner came. All were on  
horse back. Specht dismounted and  
jumped over the fence and ran  
across the field and later on took re-  
fuge in the woods. Specht learned  
from neighbors that the two desper-  
adoes were galloping back and forth  
and asking every body whether they  
had seen the son-of-a—, meaning  
Specht. The desperadoes not find-  
ing Specht went back to Jesse Bil-  
ger's and got a gun and some loaded  
shells. They started off threatening  
the life of Specht. He escaped, how-  
ever, and reached town unharmed  
about dusk and related the story of  
his narrow escape. It has since been  
learned that while the two desper-  
adoes were in the neighborhood they  
had "blood" in their eyes. No ar-  
rest has yet been made hence the  
names of the principal actors are  
omitted.  
The Editorial Party.  
On Tuesday morning Miss Effie  
Aurand and Mrs. A. M. Aurand of  
Adamsburg, Wm. P. Shelley, L. G.  
Stetler, Miss Libbie Dunkleberger,  
the Editor of the Post and his wife  
of this place started with the Edi-  
torial Excursion. The main place of  
visit is Bradford, Pa. The program  
is as follows: Leave Sunbury on  
special train Tuesday at 9:40, arrive  
at Bradford in time for supper.  
From 8 to 10 an informal reception  
in the Lyceum. Mayor Fagnon for-  
mally welcomes the party. Wednes-  
day morning a trip to see oil well  
shot; Wednesday afternoon, busi-  
ness meeting; Evening, Reception  
at Senator Emery's residence and  
Vitaseope Exhibition at Exchange  
Lyceum. Thursday trip over Nar-  
row Gauge Railroad to Rock City.  
Evening Banquet by Board of Trade  
of Bradford. Friday, trip to Niagara  
Falls. Full particulars next week.

HER LOVE RATED AT \$1,000.  
That Sum Claimed for Alienation of a  
Wife's Affections.  
Thomas H. Hubley, a resident of  
Harrisburg, Wednesday brought an  
action in the court of Dauphin coun-  
ty against O. H. Houghwout on  
grounds that are unusual. To the  
bill of complaint in the suit is a re-  
quirement that the defendant be put  
under bail to defend the action  
which is for \$1,000 damages.  
In the statement of the suit which  
was filed Hubley complains that he  
was married on September 30, 1894,  
to Alice Yordy and that their married  
life was pleasant and all was happy  
until the alleged intervention of one  
O. H. Houghwout, a citizen of North-  
umberland county. This man, the  
statement recites, "knowing the re-  
lations of Hubley and Alice, his wife"  
did "wrongfully, wickedly and un-  
justly contrive to deprive him of the  
comfort, fellowship and society of  
his wife" and on August 15, 1896, is  
alleged to have enticed her from the  
roof of her liege lord and master  
and to have since maintained her at  
2037 Fulton place, Harrisburg. For  
the affections of the wife thus alien-  
ated Hubley asks \$1000 damages.  
Sunbury Item.  
Bousum—Lumbard.  
Last Thursday evening at the re-  
sidence of the bride's parents in Se-  
lingsgrove Maude V., daughter of  
Jos. A. Lumbard and wife, was  
married to Frank Bousum, a former  
resident of that place. The cere-  
mony was performed by Rev. D. E.  
McLain of this place, a brother-in-  
law of the bride. The young couple  
enjoy the pleasures of a large circle  
of acquaintances who wish them a  
pleasant voyage down life's busy  
stream.  
The Prince of Wales at Short Range.  
George W. Smelley will contribute  
an article on "The personal side of  
the Prince of Wales" to the July  
Ladies Home Journal. It is said  
that Mr. Smelley gives a uniquely  
interesting, close view of the Prince,  
touching in detail upon his great  
personal popularity in England, and  
the reasons therefore, his love of  
sports, his pastimes, his social duties  
and diversions, and showing him as  
an affectionate son, a devoted hus-  
band, a loving father and brother.  
What Talmage Says.  
Rev. T. De Witt Talmage sagely  
observes that "a newspaper whose  
columns overflow with advertise-  
ments of business men has more  
influence in attracting to and build-  
ing up a city or town than any other  
agency that can be employed. Peo-  
ple go where there is business. Cap-  
ital and labor will locate where there  
is an enterprising community. No  
power on earth is so strong to build  
up a town as a newspaper well pat-  
ronized and its power should be ap-  
preciated."—Newspaperdom N. Y.  
Death of Jacob Musselman.  
Mr. Jacob Musselman, one of our  
old citizens, but who for the past  
year had been a resident of Altoona,  
where he was staying with his sons,  
died at that place on the 11th inst.  
His remains were brought to this  
place on Monday, and were interred  
in the Ev. Lutheran cemetery  
from the morning train. His rela-  
tives and a large number of acquain-  
tances assembled at the station,  
and accompanied the remains to  
their resting place. Rev. J. H. Barb  
officiating. A sermon was preached  
in the Ev. Lutheran church after  
the interment. Mr. Musselman was  
in the 69th year of his age. During  
the war of the rebellion he was a  
member of Co. H 147th P. V. I. Quite  
a number of old soldiers were in  
attendance at the burial.—Selins-  
grove Tribune.  
A Buggy Made for a Punch.  
The Williamstown Times of last  
week gave an account of a marriage  
between Jeremiah Buggy and Mary  
Punch. It is seldom that a buggy  
and a punch become mated. Of  
course our friend Burns is not re-  
sponsible for this incongruous trans-  
formation that makes a buggy out  
of a punch.