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FREEBURG.

Rev. Druckenmiller and wife met with a cordial reception on their arrival at Freeburg Wednesday evening. The furniture and adornment of the wall was all done and when they arrived in the parsonage they were met by many members of the congregation and other citizens of Freeburg whose contributions were given to purchase a range and other necessary articles for household purposes. Our union picnic held on the banks of Middlecreek in the grove of J. K. Hughes, near Kantz, was a mingling of all classes for an enjoyable purpose. Those who participated were conveyed to the ground on large straw wagons, spring wagons, carriages, buggies, &c. The provisions were first class and all enjoyed the eating and social spirit pervading all who were present. Our cornet band furnished some of their best music. Revs. Druckenmiller, Haas and Romig were in attendance. Thirty seven ladies of Sunbury dined at the Empire House last Thurs. They came here in three commodious coaches. Landlord Loog was equal to the emergency and he gave them first class accommodations. Mr. Sears and wife of Selinsgrove were visitors at the residence of H. K. Moyer one mile west of Freeburg. On their return near the residence of Daniel Grinnu the horse ran away throwing out the occupants injuring them severely. They were taken into the hospitable home of John Hummel and Dr. Smith was summoned to release their suffering. Mr. Hummel took them to their home at Selinsgrove. Mr. Sears is dangerously hurt. The wall in the cellar of Charles' new store house is nearly completed. Wm. L. Bassler has erected a new wagon shed and corn crib on his farm and is repainting all the buildings on the premises which adds to their usefulness and appearance. Prof. W. H. Shemery has moved to Patterson where he has been elected principal of the high school. He deserves credit and is receiving his reward for his manly efforts to acquire an education. Jacob Mease and wife of Jonestown, Lebanon county, were the guests of John K. Moyer. Misses Christina and Bertha Lebo of Valley View, Schuylkill county, are enjoying the hospitality of the home of F. E. Hilbish and other friends at Freeburg.

TRONELVILLE.

M. J. Courtney was at this place one day last week putting up placards for the Post. We hope his work will be a great success as the paper is a good one and should go into every family. G. M. Getz and wife visited Selinsgrove over Sunday. On Saturday evening the school directors met and elected William Howell of Paxtonville to teach the Fiss school. W. H. Herman is paying 15 cents a dozen for eggs. E. R. Swartz has a peach measuring 14 inches in circumference and four peaches weighing 24 lbs. Who can beat it?

BEAVERTOWN.

Mrs. P. Riegle of Painterville is visiting at Wm. M. Keller's. Edgar Caster of Middleburgh made a flying trip to this place last Sunday on his new bicycle. Three car loads of peaches have been shipped from this place during the season. L. E. Wetzel of Selinsgrove visited his parents, Jacob Wetzel, last week. The prospects for the potato crop looked very promising but will be reduced by many of them decaying. Jonathan Musser of Kreamer visited our place last Saturday.

WEST BEAVER.

Some of our farmers are waiting for rain so they can finish plowing for their fall sowing. A few farmers commenced cutting off corn, others are waiting for their's to grow so it will be long enough to cut off. The encampment is now past which we all know, and was a grand success with the old vets. and the sons, but a failure with the sharps and peanut vendors as the latter claims there was nothing in it. I suppose they mean their pockets. Some claim on Wednesday there was 20,000 people on the ground, minus 741—well let the crowd be what it was, all that were present found it to be a hot day. Oh, be joyful, presented a few from taking in the sights, otherwise everything passed off quietly and in good shape. W.

F. Herbster and family spent Sunday with some of their Lowell relatives. F. W. Treaster exhibited some of the finest peaches that have been seen in this end for years and the flavor could not be beaten. T. F. Swineford ran a herdic coach to the New Lancaster bush-meeting last Sunday a week. Noah Loth moved his household and kitchen furniture to Millin county last week. Ridge picnic next Saturday evening, Sept. 18th. W. J. Koch has been on the sick list for the past few days.

ONE OF TWO WAYS.

The bladder was created for one purpose, namely, a receptacle for the urine, and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways. The first way is from imperfect action of the kidneys. The second way is from careless local treatment of other diseases.

CHIEF CAUSE.

Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kidneys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. So the womb, like the bladder, was created for one purpose, and if not doctored too much is not liable to weakness or disease, except in rare cases. It is situated back of and very close to the bladder, therefore any pain, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back, bladder or urinary passage is often, by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort. The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided. To find out correctly, set your urine aside for twenty-four hours, a sediment or settling indicates kidney or bladder trouble. The mild and extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney and bladder remedy is soon realized. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail. Mention the Middleburgh, Post and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietor of this paper guarantees the genuineness of this offer.

Tennessee's Pluck Shown in Her Fire Centennial Show

One of the most inspiring lessons of the Centennial Exposition lies in the pluck displayed by the men and women who built it. While wheat was choking the bins of the elevators, corn burning as a substitute for soft coal, and the predatory pig regarded only as an embarrassment and a thing of misery; when railroads were defaulting on their deferred bonds, their preferred stocks provoked only ironical laughter, and the roads themselves were threatened with that total collapse which someone has aptly described as two streaks of rust and a mortgage; when that pest of a fly with the silver wings shadowed one half of the Republic, and the bug with the golden tail was about to devastate the other; when a rattling find of exploding tanks was kept up along the main line of commerce, followed by a series of lesser detonations whenever and wherever the connecting wires of their mutual interests or calamities carried the disastrous current; when tariffs and interventions and floods and labor riots were followed by smokeless chimneys, motionless flywheels, and silent looms, and all the horrors of idleness hung over the land like a cloud from out which could be heard mutterings of the coming storm, a cyclone that would sweep us into the nowhere of desolation; when all these several calamities overwhelmed us, then it was that these plucky inhabitants of a little State away down in the Southwest—these live, up-to-date descendants of Old Hickory and Davy Crockett—girded on their armor, burned their bridges behind them, and built this Exposition.—From "Some Notes on Tennessee's Centennial," by F. H. KINSON SMITH, in the September Scribner's.

The Service of the West to Education.

The susceptibility of Americans to new ideas is a notable element in the prosperity of the country. The people are willing to try anything that is new. This is especially true of the West, where the enterprising inhabitants are always seeking short-cuts to wealth and to knowledge. This adventurous spirit often leads to superficiality, but it has also been very fruitful of new methods of school education. The kindergarten idea was taken up and developed in the West. There manual training was first tried on a large scale with satisfactory results. And it was teachers in the west who first brought about the introduction of "literature" in the lower grades as the best means of interesting undeveloped minds. In fact, they demonstrated the truth that it is better for the child to feed upon ideas upon thought, upon real stories, and the lives of real people, and the stimulating sentiments of all the ages, than upon the inane sentences jejune and successful effort to be childish of the reading books.—From the "Editor's Study," by Charles Dudley Warner, in Harper's Magazine for September.

Dr. R. M. Alexander, President of the Perry County Veteran Association, is steadily laying plans for the 24th Annual Reunion of Veterans at the county seat on the 9th of October. Gov. Hastings has been invited and letters received from Hon. M. E. Olmsted, Harrisburg, Pa.; Hon. B. K. Focht, (son of the late lamented Rev. D. H. Focht,) of Lewisburg, Pa., and I. G. Black, Esq., of Philadelphia, assure him that these gentlemen will be present. Although the programme is not complete, Hon. Chas. H. Smiley will deliver the address of welcome and Mr. Black the response. A citizens' meeting will shortly be called.—Bloomfield Advocate.

MARRIED.

Sept. 7th, by Rev. Wm. Lamey, Thomas H. Brubaker of Union Twp. and Clara L. Portzhus of Chapman township.

At New Berlin, Sept. 4, by the Rev. S. Sidney Kohler, Charles Oberlin, of Millinburg, and Miss Cora Maurer of New Berlin.

The Cruel Knife!

The alarming increase in the number of deaths which occur as the result of a surgical operation is attracting general attention, and a strong sentiment against such methods of treatment is fast developing among the most intelligent classes. It seems that in almost every case for which the doctors' treatment is unsuccessful, the learned physicians decide at once that an operation must be performed, and the keen blade of the surgeon is recklessly resorted to. Doctors are human, and of course are liable to make mistakes, but their mistakes are too fatal to be indulged in promiscuously, and as so many lives are sacrificed in this manner, it is but natural for the public to believe that half the operations are unnecessary, besides being a fearful risk to human life, even if successful.

It is a positive fact, however, that all operations are not necessary, and that a majority of them are absolutely undertaken without the slightest chance of success. The doctors have never been able to cure a blood disease, and a surgical operation is their only method of treating deep-seated cases, such as cancer and scrofulous affections. Aside from the great danger, an operation never did and never will cure cancer, as the disease never fails to return. Cancer is in the blood, and common sense teaches anyone that no disease can be cut from the blood.



Here is a case where the pain inflicted on a six-year-old boy was especially cruel, and after undergoing the tortures produced by the surgeon's knife he rapidly grew worse. Mr. J. N. Murdoch, the father of the boy, residing at 279 Snodgrass street, Dallas, Texas, writes: "When my son, Will, was six years old, a small sore appeared on his lip, which did not yield to the usual treatment, but before long began to grow. It gave him a great deal of pain, and continued to spread. He was treated by several good doctors, who said he had cancer, and advised that an operation was necessary. "After much reluctance, we consented, and they cut down to the jaw bone, which they scraped. The operation was a severe one, but I thought it was the only hope for my boy. Before a great while the cancer returned, and began to grow rapidly. We gave him many remedies without relief, and finally upon the advice of a friend, decided to try S.S.S. (Swift's Specific), and with the second bottle he began to improve. After twenty bottles had been taken, the cancer disappeared entirely and he was cured. The cure was a permanent one, for he is now seventeen years old, and has never had a sign of the dreadful disease to return."

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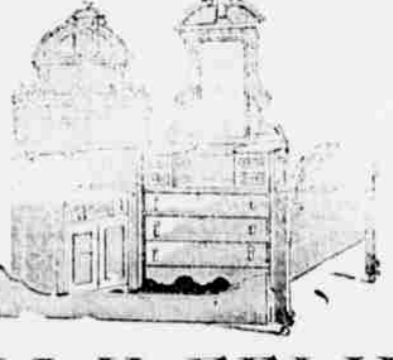
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