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Thursday, Nov. 4, 1897.

Magistrate Loses His Case.

Chambersburg, Oct. 29—Recently Magistrate John A. Seiders of this place brought suit against the county commissioners to recover fees in a summary case where the defendant had gone to jail for costs. The commissioners, upon advice of the County Solicitor, refused to pay the bill, and the appeal to court was taken out as a case stated. Judge Stewart to-day filed his opinion, deciding in favor of the commissioners.

The case stated by Magistrate Seiders is one that affects all the Magistrates and constables in the State. According to the interpretation of the law here made in all cases of summary conviction, for drunkenness, disorderly conduct, penalties under game laws, trespass and similar offenses, where the parties are found guilty and sent to jail for non-payment of fines and costs, the county is not liable for the costs and the Magistrate and constables get nothing for their work. The fees and expenses in such cases have been paid for years and are yet paid in most counties of the State.

Election Notes

Beigel beat Swallow 150,000 in the State and Brown comes in behind.

Swallow carried Sunbury with 363 majority, Northumberland with 90 majority and Milton 125 majority.

The Republicans carried Union county with 450 majority. The Democrats polled only 200 votes and Swallow had about 600 votes.

COURT HOUSE CHIPS.

Deeds Entered for Record.

Chas. L. Gemberling and wife to Geo. M. Witmer, 25 perches in Penn township, for five dollars.

Daniel S. Miller and wife to C. Krouse, 3 acres and 46 perches in Penn township, for \$328.75.

Daniel Stauffer and wife to L. C. Smith, 118 perches in Selinsgrove, for \$110.

Jonathan Gelnett to Mary A. Portzline, 76 acres in Chapman township, for \$1000.

Henry I. Peters and wife to J. B. Shellenberger, 1/2 acre in W. Beaver township, for \$1000.

Geo. M. Witmer and wife to J. L. Snyder, 54 perches in Penn township, for \$375.

Elizabeth Shellenberger to Banks S. Winey, 2 tracts in West Perry township, containing 83 acres, for \$1600.

Will Probated.

The last will and testament of Catherine Landis, late of W. Perry township. Amelia Cluck is the executor.

Marriage Licenses.

"HEARTS FLUTTERING WITH DELICIOUS."—The following marriage licenses have been granted since our last publication:

- (E. E. Neitz, Port Trevorton, Annie C. Seebist, Meiserville.
(R. S. Spangler, Pennsreock, Anna V. Crossgrove, Union Co.
(F. Kratzer, Mt. Pleasant Mills, Hettie D. Howell, " "

Putting It Delicately.

"I hope you appreciate the fact, sir, that in marrying my daughter you marry a large-hearted, generous girl." "I do, sir (with emotion), and I hope she inherits those qualities from her father."—Harlem Life.

Wanted a Sure Thing.

The Lawyer—You ought to feel secure; you have the law at your back. The Prisoner—I'd feel a heap more safe if I knew I had the judge on my side.—Yonkers Statesman.

DR. SWENDEL'S FARM.

A Former Middleburgh Citizen a Progressive Farmer in the West.

We are in receipt of the Aberdeen News of South Dakota under date of August 26th which says:

One of the most successfully conducted farms in this region this year is that of Dr. D. F. Swengel, situated about seven miles north and a little west of Aberdeen. Through the varying years of the past, when the prospect was often gloomy and disappointing, the doctor kept at work improving his place and adding to his betterments, until he now has a farm property of which he may justly feel proud. He has not always been fortunate in his tenants and has lost some advantages in that respect which others have had. However, his place this year will net him for his share over \$1,000. There are 245 acres of wheat, some of it very fine indeed, upon the farm, while oats, barley, millet, etc., increase the acreage to cereals to over three hundred acres. He has eighteen acres in corn, and has by all odds the best piece of that product in the neighborhood and there is probably no better in the county. His potatoes and vegetables will give big yields and will show a handsome profit. Dr. Swengel's father was one of the best farmers in Pennsylvania in his day, and the general principals of land cultivation are well understood by the doctor and he is now turning them to good advantage.

Dr. Swengel's farm has an excellent equipment of buildings and machinery and apparatus. Everything is well cared for and slip shod methods are not tolerated. When machinery is not in use it is housed. The same care and forethought, which pay big in the long run, are exercised in all directions. He has twenty-three head of horses upon the place, many of which he raised, more than as many cattle, and hogs, fowls of all kinds, etc. His plans for next year promise to be even more successful than they have been this.

Dr. Swengel formerly resided on the farm west of town now occupied by Uriah Klose.

Winter Excursion Tickets on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

On November 1 the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will place on sale at its principal ticket offices excursion tickets to all prominent winter resorts in New Jersey, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, and Cuba. The tickets will be sold at the usual low rates, with the usual liberal return limits.

The magnificent facilities of the Pennsylvania Railroad, with its many connections, make this the favorite line of winter travel. An illustrated book, descriptive of winter resorts, and giving routes of travel and rates for tickets, will be furnished free on application to ticket agents.

Braucht--Allison.

"The Spring Mills correspondent to the Millheim Journal last week says:

"On the 17th instant Dr. H. S. Braucht of Milesburg and Miss Madge Allison, of our village, were married at Centre Hall, the bride being an accomplished daughter of A. Allison, Esq., one of our highly esteemed citizens. After a brief visit to Philadelphia the couple returned here on Saturday last, and were the guests of C. P. Long. In the evening quite a reception was held, confined to the immediate family and relations; Mr. and Mrs. Long enacted the role of host and hostess in their usual inviting and agreeable manner. The Spring Mills band tendered the couple a very pretty and lively serenade. Mr. Long's residence was surrounded by a large assemblage. The future home of the Dr. and his bride will be Milesburg, Pa.

FREEBURG.

Charles Doebler, coach painter, from New Berlin, has moved to our place and does the painting in Cal. Straub's coach-shop. He finished painting a huckster wagon for Mr. Fisher, near Kantz, which will be regularly run to Sunbury and the coal regions. It is a beautiful piece of workmanship and a credit to the shop where it was made. Messrs. Rishel and Voneida from Sunbury are also working in the shop. . . . John Heck, merchant of Paxinos, moved here last week. Mr. Heck attended the Freeburg Academy when a young man, married a daughter of our townsman, J. W. Menges, and now moved here that his children may have the advantage of being educated at our Academy. We are glad to welcome them to our town. . . . James P. Artley leased a spot of ground from Dr. Tool in Market street, near P. S. Riegel's blacksmith shop and he is now erecting a wagon-maker shop. Mr. Grubb is doing the carpenter work. . . . Bryan Teats, and his mother, of Hummel's Wharf, were visitors in our town Saturday and Sunday. . . . Miss Emma Meyer returned home Thursday from a five weeks' visit to Allentown, Easton, Jonestown and other places of interest. She reports having an enjoyable time. . . . Geo. Smith and wife and George C. Menges, of near Bristol, Ind., returned to their western home, having enjoyed the hospitality of their friends for several weeks. Mr. Menges and wife (nee Susan Teats) moved from here forty years ago, reared a large and intelligent family. Mrs. Menges died five years ago. Both Mr. Smith and Menges own fine farms where they reside. . . . Jerry Charles' new store house will soon be ready to be occupied; when completed we will give a description of the entire establishment. . . . Mrs. Malinda Speck (nee Charles) of Elizabethville, and Wm. Charles and daughter of Williamsport, are visiting their father, Wm. F. Charles, who has passed his ninety-first year. . . . Mr. Wearstling, wife and son, have returned to their home in Ohio, having spent several weeks very pleasantly with David Arbogast, father of Mrs. W. . . . We have recently been informed that Mrs. Dr. Schoch (nee Annie Dill) of New Uho, Minn., is at the home of her mother in Paterson, N. J., and will soon be visiting her friends in this locality, where she will receive a cordial welcome.

Endorsement of Speer's Wine by the Faculty of N. Y. The Committee of Physicians requested to examine into the merits of the wines of Alfred Speer, report these wines strictly pure, acceptable in flavor, palatable and rich body. Doctor Cyrus Eason of New York Board of Health says there is no better wine in the world.

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Soup beans, 3c., 9 lbs., 25c. Baking soda, per lb., 4c. 2400 matches, 8c. Corn starch, 5c., 3 lbs. 13c. Rice, 5c. Best Bakers' Chocolate, 18c.

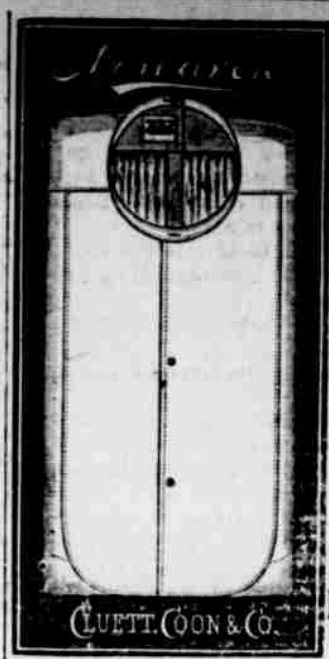
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