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Thursday, Nov. 11, 1897.

Henry George's California Life.

That long, hard and bitter struggle in California, often humiliating, often discouraging, but never crushing or dishonoring, was Henry George's university. It developed and knitted his character, trained his moral muscle and made him sufficient unto himself. For his mind the experience had an exceptional advantage, which he acknowledges in his first book. Unlike other students of social causes and effects, he was not required to ask his imagination to present him with primitive conditions and to pilot him through the mazes of higher development. In California he saw society grow from its simplest elements into the finished complexity of modern civilization. Though an actor in the drama he was also a spectator. He lived in a laboratory as well as in the library. Hence his firm grasp on the fundamental things which so often elude able minds that have not seen them with the actual eye, but must search for them under confusing layers of institution superimposition. Also his California schooling gave him that comprehension of the mind, the needs, the passions, the possibilities, the inner soul of the common man. Not the commonplace man, but the common man, the man at the base of the structure. George was out of work with the workless, hungry with the hungry and all the cares that press upon the common man whose daily problem is subsistence were George's own daily cares for years. The man of his political economy, therefore, is not that machine-made monster created to make and consume wealth and operated only by the iron law of wages—the economic man—but the human man, who loves and hates and has children, and is conscious of ambitions as he works. From "Henry George: A Character Sketch," by Arthur McEwen, in American Monthly Review of Reviews for November.

ALINE.

The protracted meeting at Grace church is in progress one week. The public sale of T. K. Hornberger on Friday was well attended and things brought fair prices. Corn husking is about over in this vicinity and the crop has been better than anticipated. The teachers' institute of Perry township met at Morning Glory school house on Thursday evening, and all that were present realized that the teachers see the necessity of teachers' meetings in order that they may exchange ideas and thus keep pace with the times.

CENTREVILLE.

Mrs. D. T. Rhoads of Middleburgh paid a visit to P. Hartman's family several days last week. Miss Laura Hertz mingled among Centerville friends over Sunday. Mrs. Lohr, son and daughter of Shepton are visiting with her daughter, Mrs. George Hartman. Theodore Bingham and Hoyt Walter left for near Danville where they are working at carpentering. T. E. Mohn and family of Muncy moved into Percival Hartman's house. The teachers and directors of Centre district held their first regular institute in the Grammar school room last Friday evening. All the teachers were present and took active part except one. The subjects of Primary Reading and School Government were fully discussed. A program of recitations and dialogues was arranged by the schools. The next institute will be held at Hartman's school house, Nov. 26. Come one and all and help to make the institute a success. Miss Ada Pick came home to spend the winter with her parents. The following is the report of the Centerville Primary school for the month of October: Number of scholars enrolled, 63; Average attendance, 55; Percent of attendance, 97. The following were present every day during the month: Mabel Bolig, Nora Stine, Mazie Stine, Estella Hartley, Carrie Smith, Hazel Mertz, Ellen Hartman, Blanche Stine, Mamie Musser, Sallie Loss, Elma Bingham, Jackson Fessler, Marshall Fessler, Ernest Kline, Henry Kline, Charles Miller, Charles Braucher, George Sampsel, Jay Napp, Floyd Musser, Warren Walter, Grant Berger, John Mohn, Clyde Napp, Frank Rohland, Marshall Hartman, Jay Hartman, Arlington Hartley, Clyde Loss, Jesse Bingham, Elmer Bingham, Floyd Kerr, Nelson Bingham, Harry Bingham, and George Kleckner.

Will Convene at Milton

The Northumberland-Snyder Union district Young Peoples' Societies of Christian Endeavor will hold their annual convention at Milton, November 17-18. The sessions will be held in Christ Lutheran church. This convention met here five years ago, the session being held in the Presbyterian church.

The Editor Defined.

An editor's definition of the word editor: "An editor is a man who carries a pair of scissors in his vest pocket, a lead pencil in his vest pocket and a memorandum in his coat pocket and his wealth in somebody else's pocket."

HUMMELS WHARF.

It is reported that the election held on the 2nd at Shamokin Dam was one of the quietest ever held at that place. No electioneering was done. Daisy Fulkroad, who has been spending a few months near Milton, has come to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. L. Dressler. Samuel Bulic is on the sick list. Misses Carrie and May Schoch made a trip to Millerstown last week. Galen Holtzshoe and wife of Shamokin spent a few days with P. M. Teats and family. Mrs. Jacob Schoch of Mimm is spending some time with her father-in-law, George Schoch and family. Rob. Fees of Shamokin Dam was severely hurt on election day while unloading timber. Miss Minnie Trutt entertained her friend, Miss Sadie Reichley, a few days last week. John Hartman and wife, who were spending several years in the west, are staying at Dorie Hummel's at present. On Sunday evening a number of our young folks attended Luther's Day at Shamokin Dam, and report that the exercises rendered by the little folks were excellent.

ADAMSBURG.

To-day (Monday) the funeral of Mrs. Daniel Moyer, of Millinburg, was held. J. A. Laub has gone to Berwick to spend some time. Miss Hattie Moyer, of Sunbury, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. E. Hackenburg, last week. Mrs. Claude Klose visited friends in Selingsgrove for some time. There are two cases of scarlet-fever in town at present. Aaron Helfrich has come home from Lewis-town to spend the winter. Luther Day will be observed in the Lutheran church, on Sunday evening, Nov. 21. Miss Florence Kempfer, who has been staying at York, has returned home. Edward Manbeck's house moved into Jacob Greenhoe's house. Mr. F. W. Dreese has gone to McClure, where she expects to remain some time with her mother.

No Use for Grapes.

It has been discovered that grapes used with Elecampane Root and the Herb Horehound in proper proportion made into a cordial is performing wonderful cures in stubborn cases of colds, sore throat and hoarseness.

Public speakers claim it far superior for the throat to any confection. It is coming in general use among the physicians. Ask for Aunt Rachel's Horehound Cordial. For sale by druggists.

BEAVERTOWN.

Wincy Bros. shipped several carloads of ties last week. P. J. Herbster is again able to be out after recovering from Typhoid fever. Thomas Specht moved to Middleburgh Tuesday. Thos. Kohler, who has been in the mercantile business at this place for several years, intends to move to Banner-ville to carry on business there. A. W. Engle lost one of his best horses from some form of paralysis.

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Sheriff's Sale of REAL ESTATE!

By virtue of certain writ of All Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Snyder county, Pa., and to me directed I will expose to public sale at the Court House in Middleburgh, Pa., on Saturday, Dec. 4, 1897, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate to wit: All that certain messuage or lot of ground situated in the Borough of Middleburgh, Pa., bounded on the North by Market street, East by lot of Irwin Garman, South by an alley and West by lot of J. W. Swartz, containing 3/4 acre, more or less, being lot No. 19 in the General Plan of the Borough of Middleburgh, on which are erected a two-story house, stable and other outbuildings. Seized, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of G. C. Gutelius. P. S. RITTER, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Middleburgh, Pa., Nov. 8, 1897.

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Sugar, Brown, 44c.
" Light Brown, 5c.
" Soft A., 10 lbs., 50c.
" Granulated, 9 lbs., 50c.
Soup beans, 3c., 9 lbs., 25c.
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