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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For U. S. Senator,
Hon. M. S. Quay.
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Dr. A. M. Smith.
For Associate Judge,
Hon. Z. T. Gemberling.
For County Surveyor,
Geo. A. Botdorf, Esq.

Thursday, March 24, 1898.

COURT HOUSE CHIPS.

Deeds Entered for Record.
Cathrine M. Yearick to H. M. Derk lot in Kratzerville for \$37.
Banks W. Yoder to Matilda Kratzer 16 acres in Penn twp. for \$1.00.

Letters Granted.

Letters of administration in the estate of Jacob C. Walter, deceased, to Ira R. Walter.

Marriage Licenses.

(A. W. Hettrick, Beavertown, Carrie A. Dreese, McClure.
(J. D. Zeiders, West Perry twp. Sarah D. Hornberger, " "
(J. O. Hackenberg, Middlecreek Mary J. Gemberling, Penn twp.
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(L. E. Boob, Aaronburg, Katie Glass, Freeburg.
(G. A. E. Baker, Paxtonville, Hettie M. Gill, "

WEST BEAVER.

Still a few more snows wanted by our weather prophets.
Isaac Smith's sale, last week, was well represented by West Beaver.
T. F. Swineford and Fred. Gudrum attended Noah Romig's sale in Mifflin county last week, and say that horses and hogs went low, but cows and young cattle brought a big price.
Mrs. Aaron Meyer and L. A. Jenkins made a business trip to Lewistown on Saturday.
The Ridge school term closes next Friday. On Thursday evening the school interests giving an exhibition. Disorderly persons not wanted, all others are welcome.
Houser and Peter took account of stock of their Lowell store last week.
F. Weader intends moving his saw mill to Emanuel Knapp's place to saw the lumber for Knapp's new barn.
William Ush bought a lot of farm implements from T. F. Swineford at private sale last week.
A. A. Ush was a visitor at this end last week.
The fair sex contend that Al would make a good sheriff. So say I.
The grand offer our worthy paper the Post has published for the next 60 days, will be a grand affair to the many readers of that valuable paper. The cry should be we are coming Father Wagenseller, a hundred thousand strong to swell the list of that patriotic paper, the Middleburgh Post.
Tom Libby of Mifflin county spent Sunday with Levi B. Treaster.
Lance, the marble dealer from Mifflinburg, was seen at this end looking up the interest of his trade.
Stewart Botney moved into the house with Tina Wagner at McClure.
George Snyder, after spending a few days at McClure, started again for the west.
Moving and garden digging are the order of the day.

UNION TWP.

A. G. Glace moved on the farm vacated by I. J. Bordner. Our auctioneer I. W. Longacre had one of the largest sales of the season on Tuesday of last week at Mt. Pleasant Mills amounting to over \$1200.
Charles Schrey accompanied Charles Walter to New York last week. S. I. Stroub and wife were visiting friends at New Berlin over Sunday. A. F. Shambach and wife of Tyrone were visiting parents here over Sunday. Dr. R. S. Gaugler of Dayton Ohio was mingling among friends there last week. A. S. Sechrist is in Philadelphia and New York this week buying stock for his store at Verdilla. Rev. H. C. Hoch moved to Maryland last Tuesday with his family.

FREEBURG.

Spring time seems to be here, and the onions that were planted, had the "onion snow" on Monday forenoon. Grain and grass presents a lovely green appearance and the indications are that we will have a good crop.
Mr. Lewis Boob of Aaronburg and Miss Kate Glass were united in matrimony at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Glass. Several neighboring families witnessed the interesting ceremonies. Suitable refreshments were served. Rev. G. D. Druckenmiller performed the marriage ceremony. The groom had attended the Freeburg Musical College when he made the acquaintance of his bride. The happy couple will visit relatives in Lewistown and other places on their way to the home of the groom, at Aaronburg, Centre Co.
Our auditors held the settlement with superintendents, assessors and tax collectors of our township. They found everything on a sound financial basis, and that all our officers had discharged the duties to the satisfaction of taxpayers.
Our orchestra has a weekly practice. They meet at the residences of the members in regular rotation. It is composed of persons understanding music and their performances are very entertaining. Our band also practices regularly once a week, and they are always ready to answer any demand for their service.
Last Sunday after service Rev. Druckenmiller announced that donations would be received for the Lutheran Orphan Home at Germantown. Jos. Gearhart, P. L. Haines, W. H. Grimm and J. Howard Arbogast were appointed a committee to receive and forward the donations.

Wm. H. Beaver has a new clerk.

Preston Erdley moved into Alex Bowersox's house.

Jesse Shelly and family will move to Swineford next week.

Miss Mazie Beaver, last week, visited relatives at Mifflinburg.

Senator Hummel was in town on Monday afternoon between trains.

Miss Bertha Yeager is visiting Dr. C. H. Brislin and wife in Brooklyn.

W. I. Garman, our enterprising shoe dealer, is making improvements to his property.

Mrs. Carbon Seebold is housed up with a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Whooping cough is quite prevalent about the town. A number of cases are reported.

Barber Simonton and Charles Barber, of Mifflinburg were Swineford visitors last week.

Mrs. Wm. F. Feese, of the West End, is still on the sick list. She has been ill for 2 months.

Mrs. Schneer of Lewisburg is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Spangler at this place.

Miss Kate Wagenseller, the Selinsgrove milliner, will trim your hats neatly for you. Give her a call.

Barber A. E. Soles moved his household goods to his newly purchased residence on West Market street.

Miss Ella Stetler, who had been spending several months in Shamokin, Williamsport and elsewhere, has returned home.

We are indebted to Attorney Jacob Gilbert for a copy of the Post of July 25, 1878, one of the papers needed to complete our file.

Miss Elizabeth Dunkelberger has gone to Philadelphia and New York this week to purchase a stock of new and stylish hats, etc.

Miss Daisy Graybill, of Richfield, who had been visiting at Jacob Gilbert's, has returned home. She had been sick while here with inflammatory rheumatism.

Miss Kate Wagenseller, the Selinsgrove milliner, has an excellent assortment of trimmings on hand. Ribbons, laces and violets are as low as 5 cents a bunch. Business place at her mother's residence, North Market Street.

The planing mill was running the early part of this week.

In addition to our usual quota of reading matter on the inside pages, our readers will also find, "A town of two people", "A Miner's Alaskan Experience", "Where American Magazines Go", and the "Chicago Bible Institute." Don't miss the inside pages.

DIED.

At Pallas, March 16, 1898 Mrs. Adam Sholly, aged 52 years 5 mo. and 20 days, interment at Grubb's church, Rev. H. H. Spalm officiated.

PAXTONVILLE.

Howard Shambach bought a horse at Smith's sale near Adamsburg, last week.

John Ernest had sale of his cattle and farming implements last week. He will move into his house here in town this spring.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Howell a son.

Uriah Howell's are moving to Beavertown this spring.

Edward Harne left for Shamokin last week where he is working.

F. C. Bowersox and family visited his mother over Sunday.

Miss Annie Swengle is visiting friends at Selinsgrove and Kantz.

Thomas Middlewarth and family visited his wife's father, Richard Harner, on Sunday.

Ripples of near New Berlin visited Joseph Bruner's on Sunday.

Thomas Shamory, who is sawing for Chas. Spangler in Franklin Co. was called home last week on account of his wife's illness.

Mrs. Hester Emery and children of Mifflin county are visiting relatives here at present.

CENTERVILLE.

B. F. Sechrist made a trip to Middleburg on Saturday evening.

Newton Hartman of Northumberland was a visitor among relatives a few days last week.

I. O. Bowersox, I. B. Kuh's and Geo. M. Hartman are each erecting a new mansion.

R. D. Owen, professor of music, must be a wonderful teacher the way he gets the young and old to join the singing class.

Rev. Price of Longanton is the new pastor of the united Ev. church, everybody is well pleased with him and willing to make his stay a pleasant one.

Prof. Smith from Colepepper is teaching a singing class at the opera house next week.

I am sorry to state the death of Mrs. Shirk who was called to her solemn sleep on Wednesday last at the early age of 27. She leaves a husband and 2 children to mourn her loss. She died of that dreadful disease consumption.

Oh, why should we as her friends be proud? Like a swift fleeting meteor, a fast flying cloud, a flash of the lightning, a break of the wave, she passed from life to her rest in the grave.

KREAMER.

Mrs. Alice Miller of Paxinos was visiting her relatives in town over Sunday. Several of our citizens attended the horse sale at Freeburg on Saturday. A. A. Heintzelman of Lewistown moved to this place last week. Glad to see Ammon back again. Jacob Lauver gave his house a new coat of paint. Henry Grover and family and Mr. Riehl of Lewistown were visiting friends here over Sunday. A. D. Kramer and Grant Yoder were in Sunbury last Friday attending a horse-sale. Yoder purchased a fine gray horse.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's parents, on the 17th of March, by Rev. A. B. Collins, Mr. G. Warley Schoch and Miss Emma B. Cook, both of Lewisburg.

At his office in Lewistown, Feb. 16, 1898, by Robt. W. Patton, J. P., Isaac W. Bigley of Shy Beaver, Huntingdon county, and Miss Sadie M. Brininger of McClure, Snyder county.

At the Evangelical parsonage on March 14th by Rev. J. H. Hertz, Joseph O. Hackenberg and Mary J. Gemberling both of Salem.

Mar. 15, by Y. H. Wagner, J. P., C. H. Mull of Freeburg and Mary Bennage of Dry Valley X Roads.

Mar. 17, by Rev. W. H. Hiblish, at McClure, Ammon W. Hettricks of Beavertown to Carrie A. Dreese of McClure.

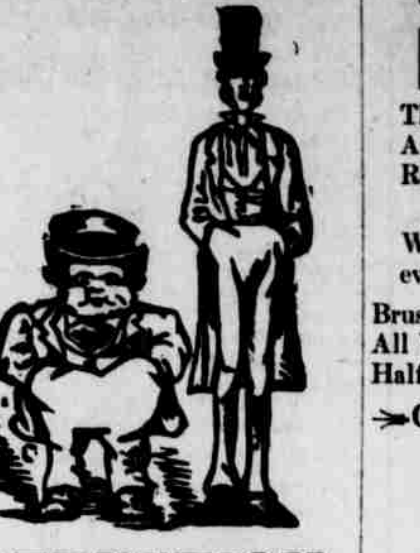
Mar. 20, by S. H. Graybill, in West Perry twp., John David Zeiders and Sarah Ellen Hornberger, both of West Perry twp.

Mar. 17, by Rev. Ramey, John E. Hendricks of Freeburg and Dollie Steffen of Chapman twp.

Mar. 17, Rev. G. D. Druckenmiller, at Freeburg, Lewis E. Boob of Aaronburg and Katie Glass of Freeburg.

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Ladies' Cloaks, Capes and Wraps must be sold at cost and below. Don't miss the Bargains on Ladies' and Children's Cloaks and Capes. They must be sold as we don't carry any over Season.

CLOTHING.

Men's Navy Blue Beaver Overcoats only \$2.50; Men's Heavy Storm Overcoats only \$4.00. Also Men's and Boys' Heavy suits, they must go at and below cost.

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers.

We have everything in Footwear. A few of the fall and winter styles are still here—All sizes. They will be sold for about one-half their value. They are full 20 per cent. less than last year. Men's Gum Boots only \$2.25; Ladies' Rubbers from 18c. to 45c. Our shoes must be reduced to make room for the incoming spring stock. No is your time to make Bargains in Shoes.

We will give a special discount of 10 per cent. on every dollar's worth of Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, in fact on everything but Groceries.

Groceries.

Arbuckles' and Lion Coffee, 11c; 4 lbs. for 40c.
Winner Coffee, 13c; 2 lbs. for 25c.
Loose Roasted Java, 13c; 2 lbs. for 25c.
Java and Mocha, 35c; 3 lbs. for 90c.
Extra loose green coffee, 25c.
10 lbs. Soft A Sugar, 50c. 9 lbs Granulated, 50c.
2 lbs. Light Brown, 50c.
Corn Starch, 5c; 3 lbs. for 12c.
New Rice, 5; very nice.
Best N. O. Molasses, 14c. a qt.
Syrup, 18c. a gal.
Light Syrup, 35c. a gal.
Chocolate, 18c.
Baking Soda, 4c. per lb.
Baking Powder, 5c. 1 lb.
Raisins, 7c.
Silver Prunes, 12c., extra nice.
Oatmeal, 10c., 3 packages 25c.
Crushed wheat, 15c., 2 packages 25c.
Coffee cakes, 5c. a lb.
Ginger snaps, 5c. a lb.
Oyster crackers, 5c. a lb.
Knick-knacks, 8c. a lb.
Water crackers, 9c. a lb.

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5-4 Table Oilcloth, 12c. per yd.

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No. 2 Butter, 10
Fresh Eggs, 9
Onions, 50
Dried Apples, 2
Apples, 50
Shoulder, 8
Potatoes, 50
New Lard, 6
Turkeys, 10
Young Chickens, 7
Dried Chickens, 8
Bacon, 6
Ham, 10

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