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Snyder Co. Hs. Society.

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Interesting Items.

Told in Brief Paragraphs for Our Readers. A maid may wear a martial air. Be decked with brass all over: A soldier button in her hair. Gift of war-like lover: She'll on may wear a soldier blouse. With crosses on the collar. Yet when she sees a little mouse, Great! Caesar! how she'll holler. Argument Court was in session Monday. The court advertising will be in this issue. The Ladies' Mite Society had a picnic last Wednesday. Sheriff Ritter was at Adamsburg Monday on official business. The county commissioners had a meeting to transact business on Monday. Reuben Amiller of Selinsgrove is a Middleburg visitor on Monday. Miss Mame Clelan who had been visiting at Carlisle has returned home. John Ellenburger and wife of Harrisburg are visiting A. W. Bowersox's. Bicyclist Allison of Sunbury was perspiring visitor to our County on Sunday. Cashier J. N. Thompson spent Monday with his parents at Mexico, Juniata County. Miss Mazie Beaver is visiting at Lewisport and is attending the Mifflin County fair. Mrs. Samuel Erdley of Northumberland is the guest of James Selley and family. Dr. Hassenplug and family of Philadelphia were Middleburg visitors last week one day. Mrs. J. B. Arbogast of this place bought the bottling works at the sheriff's sale on Monday. Mrs. Mary H. Snyder of this place had a stroke of apoplexy last week. She is improving. D. A. Kern has again received no more car loads of tiling. Aaron has a bustling business man. Come and see our Fancy Lawns and drinits we are closing out at 1/2 cents. F. H. Maurer. 9-1-2t Edward Walter has purchased a lot of G. Milton Moatz upon which he intends to build a house this fall. Rev. Fred Aurand and wife of Mifflinburg on Sunday were guests of Mrs. E. C. Aurand at this place. Mrs. Emmet Eyster of Akron, Ohio, nee Lizzie Bolender, is visiting Mrs. Sheriff Bolender's family in this place. Mrs. L. E. Pawling and daughter Bella, of Selinsgrove last Friday visited Mrs. G. A. Schoch at this place. Miss Mary Arbogast of Freeburg has been elected to teach a 9-month term of school at Feasterville, Bucks County, Pa. Mrs. Houtz and daughter Maud, of Selinsgrove and Mrs. Miller of Mifflinburg are visiting Alfred Houtz and Swineford. Rev. McClain and family attended the picnic of the Lutheran Sunday School of Selinsgrove, held at Salem last week. Jerome W. Beaver of Beaver-town, one Beaver township's useful citizens, was at the county seat last Saturday morning. Miss Mable Bachman, who had been spending a month with Mrs. W. A. Lutz at Shippensburg, returned home last week.

F. H. Maurer, New Berlin, is always offering special bargains. See his special announcement in this issue. J. C. Shrader and Jerome Aigler of Beavertown were visitors at the county seat last Thursday and while here smiled in upon us. This is the great clearing-out sale at R. Gunzberger's clothing store. We have the very best bargains in Mens' and Boy's clothing. S. J. Pawling, Esq., of Selinsgrove and Allen Pawling of Lewisport on Monday were the guests of Hon. G. A. Schoch and wife. Druggist W. H. Spangler and wife of this place are visiting the former's father, William W. Spangler at Eagleville, Centre County. Miss Eyer of Nescopeck, who had been visiting Mrs. W. H. Spangler and Mrs. C. W. Graybill, has gone to Selinsgrove to visit. L. C. Bowersox, one of Shamokin's most promising young business men, spent a short time in Middleburg and returned home Tuesday morning. Mrs. S. A. Kauffman of Sunbury and Mrs. William Moyer of Bloomsburg and Stetler Burns of Homestead are visiting at John Stetler's. HEBREW HOLIDAYS.—My store will be closed Saturday and Monday, Sept. 17th and 26th, being Hebrew holidays. M. MILLNER, Kantz, Pa. 9-8-3t. Ernest Swineford, Mr. Foster and Mr. Kleckner of Mifflinburg and Mr. Shrader of Danville on Sunday were the guests of D. T. Rhoads and wife. Amandus Shambach, a private of Co. A., 12th Regiment, is afflicted with a very severe case of typhoid fever. He is at his home in this place. Mrs. James Runkle of this place on Friday returned from a four weeks' visit to her daughter, Mrs. Dr. J. R. G. Allison, at Northumberland. The marriage record appears on the inside pages. By the time it is completed it will comprise 4000 marriages in Snyder County since 1868 and we have not been able to get them all. Mrs. Amelia Gundrum, daughter and grand-daughter of Adamsburg visited her sisters, Mrs. H. H. Grimm and Mrs. Henry Biekhart, over Sunday. Geo. Moatz of this place has matriculated as a student at Susquehanna University Selinsgrove. Wm. Shindle has also returned to his studies at the same place. W. N. Engel, the photographer, quietly slipped away out of town on Saturday evening. We must soon believe that Nevin has some strong female attractions outside of town. A. D. and G. B. Kreamer, administrators of Benj. Kreamer, deceased were in town on Monday. They will sell their father's real estate at orphans' court sale Friday, Sept. 30, 1898. George Washington Burns, editor of the State College Times, and his family were Middleburg visitors over Sunday. The scribe went to Selinsgrove on Monday to try his hand at fishing. It is said that the citizens of Perry township are circulating a petition for signers to get the county to build a bridge at Shadel's mill where the double fatality occurred last month. The petition is numerously signed. They are talking "bridge" over in Sunbury again to span the river from that city to Shamokin Dam. Sunbury has people who have the gall to speak of the plan, but the necessary funds are lacking.—Selinsgrove Times.

James Fisher is the proud father of his second born—a brand new daughter. A. R. Gilbert has gone to Lancaster to resume his studies at Franklin and Marshall College. Mrs. Dr. Shindle and Miss Bertha Wittenmyer are this week going to Akron, O. to visit relatives. John F. Shipton has returned to the Chester Springs Orphan school and Howard Marks to the Scotland Orphan School. The room formerly occupied as the Post Printing office has been fitted up with desks and will be used as a high school room this winter. James Beaver, wife and daughter Naomi, of Mifflinburg were guests of Gabriel Beaver this week. The latter is convalescing from typhoid fever. On the recent government bond issue for war loan there were \$14,500 of bonds came to Middleburg. Surely Middleburg is patriotic enough to lend the government money in times of war. The Republican Standing Committee on Saturday decided to have three large meetings, one at Middleburg during court week, one at Selinsgrove and one in the west end. Candidate Stone is expected here in court week. Children's Day was celebrated in the Reformed church on Sunday morning. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and plants and made very inviting for the children who so successfully did their part of the work. NOTICE TO PAY.—The book accounts of Sampsell and Napp are in my hands and all the accounts not paid in 30 days will be handed over for collection according to law. H. C. SAMSELL, Penns Creek, Pa., Sept. 5, 1898. 4t. On Thursday the assessors will meet at the Commissioners' office. The commissioners then propose to pay off \$2000 of the bonded indebtedness of the county. The commissioners are gradually wiping out the county's obligations. Hon. H. C. Sampsell of Penns Creek was called to Middleburg Monday for Court and while here called at our office. The Judge is a conscientious gentleman and proposes that his salary shall not be very high upon the taxpayers. The Susquehanna University at Selinsgrove opened on Thursday with the largest list of students in the history of the institution. There was not enough room in the building for the students, and many outside rooms had to be secured for their accommodation. The tax collectors of Snyder Co. on the first visit to the Commissioners' office brought \$10,910 of state and county tax. All this money was paid subject to the discount of 5 per cent. It is safe to assume that from \$25,000 to \$30,000 was paid already embracing all taxes. The Harrisburg Telegraph is much improved in appearance and usefulness by its recent change from a four to an eight-page paper. The excellent reason for this change is increased demand for advertising space. The Telegraph is very properly keeping step to the spirit of the advancement of the capital city. Newspapers throughout the State are commenting on the wonderful coincidence that the first man killed in the civil war was the father of the first man killed in the American-Spanish war. One was killed at Fort Sumpter 37 years ago, the other off Porto Rico at the age of 22. Wonderful coincidence! The father was dead fifteen years before the son was born. We again say, wonderful coincidence!!!

In God's Land Again.

Pennsylvania Soldiers Returned to Their Native Heath. CAMP MEADE, MIDDLETOWN, PA. Sept. 5, 1898. Editor Wagenseller.—The thought of being again on Pennsylvania soil, God's own soil and among God's own people, is a welcome contemplation. A more unhealthy place than Camp Alger could not be found. The news of our anticipated removal from that sickly camp to our own state made us all feel better, even the patients in the hospital were more benefited by the news than by taking a half dozen doses of medicine. Since we are nearer home, we see more Snyder County people. Hon. G. Alfred Schoch and Attorney E. E. Pawling, Esq., of your place and the highly esteemed Commissioner Isaac Spotts of Meiserville were visitors to Camp last week. We were somewhat disappointed in being taken so far away from the railroad, being a distance of 3 1/2 miles. Our location is a beautiful one, however, upon a large magnificent grass field upon the one side of which stands a most inviting forest, under the shade of whose foliage many a weary soldier seeks rest and comfort. It was about 2:15 Tuesday a. m. when we were backed in on the switch where we remained until morning. We unloaded at 7 o'clock and soon we were marched to our camp. This was a great disappointment to every one of us as we were under the impression that it was only a short distance from the Susquehanna. The following is the scale of our camp and vicinity: To Harrisburg 7 miles, to Middletown: 3 miles, to Highspire 3 miles, to Oberlin 3 miles, to a bathing creek 1 mile. We have had less sickness since we are here and all the boys say they feel better. There have been 15 deaths in our regiment since we left home. The surroundings are beautiful and the country inviting, so we hope for more healthy men. At 4:20 p. m. last Monday we left Dunn Loring. It took nearly two hours to reach Washington, a distance of 12 1/2 miles. While in Washington we were treated better in one-half hour than we had been the whole three months we spent in Virginia. The Red Cross Society invited us to their rooms where they served a fine lunch. We appreciated the kindness of the ladies very much. I trust we may be able to see many Snyder County people in camp. Respectfully Yours, GEO. M. CLELAN, Co. C., 12th Regt. Pa. Vols.

A SAD ACCIDENT.

Dr. Edward Clinger, of Milton, Fell From His Bicycle. There was a sad accident near Williamsport Tuesday afternoon which resulted in the death of Dr. Edward Clinger. A party consisting of Daniel Clinger, the well-known citizen of Milton, and his three sons, left that place Tuesday morning to go to the old homestead in Lycoming County. Dr. Clinger and his brother, Frank, rode bicycles, and the father and his son, Joseph, drove. Near Nippino Park, near Williamsport, there is a steep hill and in riding down Dr. Clinger's bicycle ran away with him. He tried to control it, but it ran faster and faster, and striking some obstruction in the road the Doctor was violently thrown forward and struck on his head. The bicycle was broken into small pieces. The Doctor never recovered consciousness, but died a short time after the accident. His father soon arrived on the scene. The Doctor was 26 years of age, and graduated last year at the University of Pennsylvania. From thence he went to Lancaster and entered the hospital at that place as one of the physicians. He had left the hospital a short time ago and had rented rooms in Lancaster, and expected to locate there within a few days. He was a young man of ability, and was very popular in Milton. Meeting of the Squires of Snyder County. Pursuant to notice, the Justices-of-the-Peace of Snyder County met at Middleburg on Thursday, Sept. 1st, for the purpose of effecting an organization. The following officers were unanimously elected to serve as officers for the Snyder County branch of "The Magistrates Association of Penna." for the period of one year: Pres. J. C. Gangler, Esq., of Shamokin Dam; Vice Pres., W. F. Howell, Esq., of McClure; Secretary, M. I. Potter, Esq., of Middleburg; Treasurer, W. H. Coleman, Esq., of Beavertown; Delegate to the state convention to be held at York on Sept. 20th, M. Z. Steining, Esq., of Middleburg. Charles O. Booth, Esq., one of the prominent Aldermen of Lebanon, Pa., was present and assisted in the organization, after which he gave an interesting and wholesome address. Mr. Booth is the committing magistrate of the city of Lebanon, but while with us he committed no one, and in fact is a most perfect and affable gentleman, to whom our latch string always hangs on the outside. Quite a number of justices were present and expressed themselves as delighted with the movement. There will be another meeting of the association held at the office of M. I. Potter, Esq., in Middleburg on Tuesday, Oct. 4, 1898, at 1 o'clock, P. M. All the Justices of Snyder County are urged to attend. We realize that there must be concerted action in all trades, professions and occupations. And we firmly believe that in a united association of our justices there will be feelings of friendship developed, we will be drawn closer together, and by that union we will all grasp the idea that we belong to one brotherhood, who are all striving for the betterment of mankind. It is the intention at each stated meeting to take up such topics as any member may introduce and discuss it in all its branches, to the end that our meetings may prove to be a help to one and all; and many of the perplexing questions that so often come before the Justice will disappear as clouds of summer. M. I. POTTER, Secy.

COURT HOUSE CHIPS.

Deeds Entered for Record. George Reish, to Mary Jane Reish, deed of assignment for 10 acres in Centre twp., for \$5.00. George Reish to Mary Jane Reish 6 acres in Centre twp. for \$70.00. Same to same, Lot No. 49 in Centreville for \$225. Letters Granted. Letters of Administration in the Estate of Henry Wise, late of Chapman twp., deceased, to Sarah Wise. Wills Probated. The last will and testament of Isaac Prill, late of Union twp., was probated August 31st. M. P. Arnold is named the Executor. The widow and children are the heirs. The last will and testament of George Reish of Centreville was probated on Saturday. His daughter, Mary J. Reish of Centreville is named as the executrix. Mary J. Reish gets \$500, and the balance to be equally divided among Mary J. Reish, Jerry Reish, James Reish and Thomas E. Kleckner. Marriage Licenses. There were no marriage licenses granted the past week. There were only seven granted in August and 91 since New Year and 2016 since Oct. 1, 1885 when the law went into effect. Declarations of County Committee. "We, the members of the Republican Committee of Snyder County, heartily endorse the financial policy of the Republican party as the same has been applied to the management of the financial affairs of the government. "We congratulate the nation upon the successful issues of the war with Spain, prosecuted under the direction of President McKinley, commander-in-chief of the army and navy of the United States, with the loyal support of the brave volunteers of both land and sea. "We declare our hearty approval of the terms demanded of Spain by the President as the conditions of restored peace, and we declare our full confidence in the patriotism and ability of the Republican administration to make just and wise provisions touching the government and control of our newly-acquired territory as will best accord with the policy of our government and the best interests of all the people. "RESOLVED, That we heartily endorse the entire Republican state and county ticket and urge the Republicans of Snyder County to give it the entire and unqualified support at the coming general election." Teachers. The School Directors, of West Perry township selected the following teachers: Cross Roads, H. S. Hornberger; Heister Valley, Stephen Mitterling; Stahl's, B. S. Graybill; Gordon's W. A. Hornberger, salaries \$30.00 and \$26.00 a month, school opens October 3. Independent District, Evendale, John Bressler; Cherry Hill, Annie Winey, Salary \$25.00 a month, term opens Sept. 26. The Middlecreek twp. School board elected the following teachers: Smithgrove, W. W. Ripka; Wetzel's D. F. Row; Meiser, Geo. Hassinger; Krouse's, Geo. F. Dunkleberger. No one is elected yet for Sauer's school, but it is probable that F. H. Seaman will get it. Salary \$20. A smooth, easy shave, genteel hair cut, or other tonsorial work, is always obtained at Soles' Barber Shop, in Wittenmyer's building, opposite Post office. Go to Soles and you will make no mistake, shaving soap, face cream, hair oil and egg-shampoo for sale. A. E. SOLES.

Picnics, Festivals, Etc.

Saturday, Sept. 10, the Salem Union Sunday school, of Oriental, will hold the annual picnic in Beale's grove, one mile west of Oriental. All are invited.