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Thursday, Nov. 24, 1898.

ODDITIES OF DIET.

Among the various nations there have been great differences as to articles considered edible, and, of course, among such as could be procured. The Tartars, Marco Polo says, ate horses, camels, dogs, and drank mares' milk. The Scythians also, according to Herodotus' drank mares' milk. In China birds' nests, rats, and snails are eaten. The Bay of Bengal. These nests, built and the Reformed congregation in by the Nicobar swallows, form one the afternoon. of the principal exports of the islands. The Greenlanders depend largely on seals. The ancient Germans, according to Tacitus, ate wild apples, flesh and cheese. In Abyssinia the patives cut steaks from the live cow, according to Bruce, and ate the meat warm with natural hent.

Among the Egyptians near Elephantine the crocodile was an article of food. The Egyptians thought wheat and barley poor food; they Company has under consideration at personally before engaging and of ate principally spelt and zea. The present the extension of its line from whom we have no hesitancy in saypriests ate beet, geese, and took Treverton to Herndon, McKecs 1 ing is the strongest program ever wine, but not fish. The Egyptians Falls, Port Treverton and George- presented in Middleburg. did not eat them or raise them. town, local business of the places in-They did not cat the head of any suring the company of at least fifty ereature. They are honey and subscribers to its line. raisins. Among them no cattle were killed except for sacrifice. They ate sheep and goats, and swine's flesh Luna. They had no vines, but made a liquor from barley. They ate fish only when offered to Bacchus and fresh and salted, or dried in the sun; also quail and ducks.-CALVIN

Every Thursday the Year Round

In more than halfa million homes The Youth's Companion comes every week, the welcome guest of young the American Red Cross is allowed future. and old-read with equal interest by a brief rest from active duty in the Tuesday evening-Rev. G. M. and old—read with equal interest by every member of the household, the best of fiction, poetry, sketches of travel, instructive articles, comment on current events and selected miscellany and anecdotes fill its columns from week to week and from year to year. The publishers promise that the volume for 1899 will surpass all former ones, in variety, interest and value. Among the two hundred distinguished contributors already engaged are Hon. John D. Long, Secretary of the Navy, Edward Everett Hale, Henry M. Stanley, Sarah Orne Jewett, W. D. Howells, Poultney Bigelow, Herbert E. Hamblen, Hon. Carl Schurz, Rt. Hon. James Bryce, John Bursan and pound in the stape of abook entitled important and permanent institution, with a history well worth be
Tuesday evening—Rev. G. M. Klepfer, subject, "Mistakes of the Devil."

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Wednesday evening—Well in the John Justice, Composed of the Judicial District, Composed of the counting on and Talks," "Evolution of Dodd," &c. and the partner of Bill Nye in the famous Nye-Smith combination, will give usa miscellaneous program. The ArielSextette, composed of the famous Smith district, composed of the counting of Dodd," &c. and the partner of Bill Nye in the famous Nye-Smith combination, will give usa miscellaneous program. The ArielSextette, composed of the famous Smith district, composed of the counting of Dodd," &c. and the partner of Bill Nye in the famous Nye-Smith combination, will give usa miscellaneous program. The ArielSextette, composed of the famous Smith district, composed of the counting of the counting of Dodd," &c. and the partner of Bill Nye in the famous Nye-Smith combination, will give usa miscellaneous program. Thursday evening—The ArielSextette, composed of the famous Smith district, composed of the counting of the counting of Dodd," &c. and the partner of Bill Nye in the famous Nye-Smith combination, will give usa metertainment of Song and impersonations.

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GOUNTY GULLINGS.

Breesy Items Picked up Here and There about the Counby and Noted for Your Enlightenment.

Freeburg now boasts of having two county officers.

at Adamsburg Sunday,

An entertainment will be held in the Kantz school house in the near

The Lutheran church at Beavertown has organized a Christian Endeaver Society.

The citizens of Washington township are placing a belfry on Miller's school house.

The Kantz Sunday school is making arrangements to hold a Christmasentertainment.

A. D. C. Shirey of McClure has gone to Philadelphia to take instructions on embalming. W. A. Herrold of Chapman town-

ship raised over 300 bushels of potatoes the past summer. A writer from Beavertown says about 250 rabbits have been shot in

that vicinity since the season opentownships will hold an institute this the world. Those interested in the

John Bower, Arthur Heiser and Geo. Kerstetter of Monroe twp. are members of Co. C, 7th Regiment N. G. P. of Sunbury.

school house.

is a good move and should be fol- Dec. 5, 1898. lowed by other schools.

edible birds' nests are found in the Mt. Pleasant Mills celebrated the ent for day instructors and evening Nicobars, a cluster of islands in the Lord's Supper on Sunday morning lecturers than ever before. We be-

Judge Brown of Freeburg is spoken of as a candidate for County Treasurer, and John P. Wetzel of Beavertown as a candidate for County Commissioner.

Col. Philip Hilbish of Selinsgrove celebrated his 88th birthday on Friday of last week. A dinner was given to a number of invited guests in honor of the event.

Many People Cannot Drink

Coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. You can drink Grain O when you and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children Grain O is the perfect drinks DILL WILSON, in December Lippyn-age from your grocer to day. Try it in place of coffee. 15 and 25 cents.

CLARA BARTON'S BOOK.

A Detailed History of the Red Cross Soon to be Published

Now that the responsible head of

Alfred Austin, Andrew Lang and story will be a fascinating and in-Dr. William A. Hammond. All structive one, since by reason of her subscribers to the 1899 volume will position as a neutral, she must have receive The Companion's newcalend-become possesses of a large amount er of stamped gold. The paper will tofore given to the public. It will be sent free also from the time sub- be a history written from between out the newspaper and its adverti scription is received until January the lines-inside history of the field ing; no chamber is too remote of 1, 1899, then a full year to January work by which the Red Cross has too quiet for the favorite family pe

tarian began in the days of our civil mors of wars, of elections, accident

her health in Switzerland, and by invitation of the International Committee of the Red Cross of Geneva she joined their forces in the field, and so endeared herself to both countries as to receive a vote of thanks from France, and the decoration of the "Iron Cross" from Germany. The cordial relations indicated by these public recognitions resulted in Luther Day exercises were held a warm personal friendship with the courts of these countries which continues at the present day. It is hardly necessary to add that Miss Barton has been a potent factor in the relief of such national calamities as the Russian Famine, Johnstown Flood, Mississippi Inundation, Yellow Fever Epidemics, Hurricane of the Carolina Islands, and in 1896 she succeesfully conducted the diffishe succeesfully conducted the diffi-cult problem of carrying relief to the culled GRAIN O, made of pure Armenians in Asia Minor. Her work in the relief of the Cuban reconcentrados and in the Spanish-American War is still fresh in the minds of the people.

This book will be abundantly illustrated by photographs and sketches faithfully taken at the various fields of labor, descriptive alluded to, the methods of work and historic features connected therewith. Many of these incidents and reminisences have never been published, and but for this persistent effort on the part George W. Hornberger, aged about of her friends and admirers, would 59 years. The teachers of Monroe and Penn probably never have been given to (Thursday) evening at Fisher's book should address inquiries to the New York Headquarters, 38 William St., New York.

Teachers' Institute.

The Annual Teachers' Institute The Adamsburg high school has of Snyder County will convene in McClure. organized a literary society. That Middleburg, the week beginning

A greater effort has been made The Lutheran congregation at this year to procure the very best tallieve that each succeeding year witmanifested at each session.

> That the popular zeal may continue to grow, speakers endowed with more than ordinary enthusiasm and possessing the ability to thrill with waves of inspiration our teachers and patrons, must be attrined.

We therefore take pleasure in announcing an array of talent selected The Shamokin Valley Telephone with great care, whom we have heard

DAY INSTRUCTORS.

Dr. N. C. Schaeffer, Supt. of Publie Instruction, Harrisburg, Pa.; Dr. M. G. Benedict, Professor of Pedagogy, State College, Pa.; Dr. A. E. Middleburg, Pa., Nov. 13, 1898, 1898. Maltby, Principal of Normal School, Maltby, Principal of Normal School, Slippery Rock, Pa.; Dr. J. P. Welsh, Bloomsburg State Normal School; Supt. Kimber Cleaner, Supt. of City day of December, 1888. Schools, Huntingdon, Pa.; Prof. Paul
Billhardt, of Middleburg, will conduct the purished Mr. William E.

1. Appraisement of Sarah E. Wise, widow
of Henry Wise, late of Chapman township, Snyder Co., Pa., deceased, elected to be
taken under the 336 exemption law. duct the music, and Mr. William F. Brown, of Freeburg, will preside at the Piano.

EVENING ATTRACTIONS,

Monday evening will be devoted to the teachers of the county. An excellent program has been prepared and will be published in the near

tertaining Institute and earnestly invite all lovers of popular education to come and partake of the feast of good things.

Faithfully Yours, F. C. Bowersox.

Cannot Keep It Out. No door is thick enough to kee Miss Barton's career as a humani- brings its message or wars and re THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, war. At the outbreak of the France-marriages, births and deaths—at 211 Columbus Ave., Boston, Mass. Germany struggle she was recruiting advertisements.—Lynn (Mass.) Item

Look out for Him

A slick swindler is said to be heading this way. He cleans sewing machines for fifty cents and then finds broken wheels and appliances which need repair. Of course he is the one which causes the bad condition of the machine by exchanging the several parts. If any one stands watching him he will send the person for oil, rags, etc. He charges exorbitant prices for his work. In Lycoming he touched one person for \$6.80 and another for \$12. Housekeepers should be on the lookout All Lancaster Ginghams, for the swindlers.

There is a Class of People Who are injured by the use of coffee Recently there has been placed in all The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over i as much. Children may drink

DIED.

it with great benefit, 15c. and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for Grain-O

Nov. 9, in Adams twp., Nathan Fetterolf in the 66th year of hisage.

Nov. 14th, in Jackson twp., John Hrich, aged 82 years.

Nov. 11th, suddenly in Fremont,

MARRIED.

Nov. 17, by Rev. D. E. McLain, Geo. W. Hassinger and Mame H. STOP IN AND SEE Stetler, both of Middleburg.

Nov. 19, by Rev. Chas. D. Zweier, Philip C. Varner of Swales, BARGAINS IN BLANKETS. Juniata Co., to Ida M. Wagner of

House for Sale.—The large dwelling house in Franklin belonging to W. R. Jones will be sold at private sale. If not sold by Jan. 1st, House for Sale .- The large of fruit and all the buildings are Extra loose green coffee, 25c. nesses the increasing favor of the good; a slate roof is on the house 9 lbs. Soft A Sugar, 50c, 81 lbs Grannesses the increasing favor of the institute among the people as evi-information apply to Jas. G. Crouse, Ulated, 50c. 10 lbs. Light Brown, 50c. Corn Starch, 5c; 3 lbs. for 12c. Middleburgh, Pa. 10-6-2m.

REGISTER'S NOTICES.—Notice is hereby given that the following named persons have flied their Administrators', Guradian, and Executors' accounts in the Register's Office of Snyder County, and the same will be presented for confirmation and allowance at the Court House in Middleburgh, Monday, December 12th, 1898.

First and final account of Violetta Mitman, Executrix of the Estate of Sarah A. Mitman, late of Penn township, deceased.

The supplementary recount of A. A. Romig, Administrator of the F-tute of Levi J. Romig, late of West Beaver township, Snyder Co., P2., deceased. Account of Caroline Schnee, Administratrix of William Schnee, late of Perry township, Snyder Co., Pa., Deceased

The first and final : mar, Executor of the Estate of Israel Bachman late of the Borough of Middleburgh, ra., dec'd. The first and partial account of Rebeeca Mets-er David S, Meiser and Reuben S. Meiser. Exe-cutors of the Estate of Joseph Meiser, inte of Chapman township, Snyder Co., Pa., deceased.

Appraisement of Alice Graybill, widow of Amos W. Graybill, late of West Perry township, Snyder Co. Pa., deceased, elected to be taken under the \$300 exemption law.

GRO. M. SHINDER, Clerk O. C. Middleburg, Pa., Nov. 12, 1898,

The following accounts will be presented for confirmation on Monday, Dec. 17, 1888. The account of A. G. Cashoar, Assignee for the benefit of Creditors of H. W. Ulsh, of Spring township, Snyder Co., Pa. GEO. M. SEINDEL, Prothonotary. Middleturg, Pa., Nov. 12, 18/8.

Court Proclamation.

MIDDLEBURGH MARKET.

Corrected weekly by our merchan	đ
Tallow	
Chickens per 1b	,
Turkeys	
Bide	
Shoulder	
New Wheat	
Rve	
Vam Oats	
New Oats	
Bran per 100 lbs	
Middlings "	
Chop "	
Flour per bbl	ì
	Corrected weekly by our merchan Butter

NEW GOOD

F. H. Maurer's Great Bargain Emporium

Prices Never Known to be so Low! Our counters and shelves are now loaded with a mag.

nificent line of rich and elegant dress goods, cheviots, nov. elty goods, henriettas in all the beautiful shades, hosiery, gloves, trimmings, silks, etc., just received from New York and Philadelphia. A few prices: Best Light Calico,

Blue Calico, 5e Shirting,

Canton Flannels,

5c | Secont novelty dress goods, 8c to 10e 11 Bed Blankets, Best Unblenched Muslin, 4c and 5c All Spool Cotton, 5e to 10e Needles, per paper,

In Our Clothing Department

Will be found elegant stylish shirts, heavy and light weight Overcoats, storm coats and every day suits at prices to astonish you. Call and see our Men's Ov. ercoat, only \$3.00.

Our Ladies Coat and Wrap Department

Is now complete. Here is a charming wrap, rich and strikingly handsome; Coats and Capes, a large assortment to select from, styles and prices from \$1 to \$15. The Children's coats are perfect beauties. We had these made expressly for ease and comfort and which is to your advantage. We are able to sell them at

Storm of Boots and Shoes

Reached our store. Everything in Footwear from the finest Reached our store. Everything in Footwear from the finest French Kid to the ordinary 75c. shoe, a large assortment. Here is a whole counter full of shoes for little people, for fat babies, too, sizes from 1 to 12. Ladies' Rubbers, 25 to 50 cents; Gents' rubbers, 40c to 75c.; Boys' gum boots, \$1.25; Men's gum boots, \$2.25 to \$2.60; Felt Boots, complete with overs, \$2.00. We kindly insite all to give us a trial in shoes. We can give you prices that invite all to give us a trial in shoes. We can give you prices that will astonish. Good stock, low prices, quick sales is our motto.

Our new line of Enameled ware, tinware from a tooth pick to a wash boiler, clothes pins, 1 cent per dozen, Libra Buckets,

Horse Blankets from 75c to \$3.50, Lap Robes from \$1.50 to \$4.50, One Buffalo Robe, extra large and a fine one. The only one left. GROCERIES! GROCERIES!

it will be for rent. There is plenty Java and Mocho, 30c; 4 lbs. for \$1.10 Ginger snaps, 5c. a lb. Oyster crackers, 5c. a lb. Knick-knacks, Sc. a lb. Water craokers, Sc. a lb. Cash paid for good butter and eggs.

New Rice, 5; very nice. Best V. O. Molasses, 14c, a qt. Butter, No. 1, 19
Butter, No. 2, 10
Eggs, frash, 22
Lard. 6
Potatoes, 50
Apples, 65 Syrup, 18c. a gal. Light Syrup, 30c. a gal. Chocolate, 18c. Baking Soda, 4c. per lb. Baking Powder, 5c. † lb.

N. B.—We have no Special Bargain Day. Our bargains are every day.

F. H. MAURER'S,

N. W. Cor. Front and Union Sts., New Berlin, Pa,

Pirst and final account of M. K. and G. E. Hassinger, Administrators of the Estate of John S. Hassinger, late of Franklin township, Snyder Co., Pa., deceased. BARGAIN STUGK

Everything New and Complete in the Line of the

MARKETS

18 Onions. Frade, 0 10 Dried Apples, 1 22 Cherries, 10 54 Young Chick, 10

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Selinsgrove, Pa.

Liberal Adjustments

Prompt Payments.

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Fire, Life, Accident and Tornado. No Assessments No Premium Notes. The Aetna Founded A. D., 1819 Assets \$11,055,513.88 Home . " 1853 " " 1810 American 2,409,584.53

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