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Interesting Items.

News Told in Brief Paragraphs for Our Readers.

Personal Pointers in Local and General News Concerning People More or Less Prominent.

15 photographs for 15c at Roshon Gallery, Sunbury.

Horse blankets can now be bought at cost at Oppenheimer's, Selinsgrove.

The pension of Thomas Rathfon of Paxtonville has been increased from \$8 to \$10.

Miss Laura Runkle has gone to Northumberland to visit her sister, Mrs. Dr. Allison.

Frank D. Riegle has moved to Winfield, Union county, where he will engage in farming.

WANTED.—A girl to do general house work. Address, Box 46, Swineford, Snyder Co., Pa.

Absalom Snyder, one of the oldest citizens of the town, has been quite ill during the past winter.

Miss Minnie Wertz, of Battle Creek, Michigan, is spending a week with W. H. Ripka and family.

Mrs. I. H. Bowersox was visiting her husband and other friends at State College, Centre county.

A child of Ira E. Ulsh and wife of Millersburg died last week and was buried in the Middleburgh cemetery.

The house and lot of the late Mrs. Bolender was sold on Saturday to Newt. C. Bachman for \$1001.00.

Postmaster Geo. C. Wagenseller of Selinsgrove was a Middleburgh visitor on Friday afternoon of last week.

Miss Mary Meiser, the daughter of the baker, has been very seriously ill with pneumonia during the past week.

From the court proceedings published in this issue, it will be observed that the "new road fever" is quite prevalent.

Miss Nettie Gemberling of Salem has been the guest of Miss Dora Bickhart for several days during the past week.

The Spring Telephone Company has applied for permission to erect telephone poles in the borough of Middleburgh.

W. F. Dagle, the confectionery dealer of Northumberland, was a Middleburgh visitor on Wednesday of last week.

Lawrence Stetler, who has been for the past month or two at Akron, Ohio, has returned home well pleased with his trip.

N. T. Manbeck, wife and children of Washington township were the guests of Attorney H. H. Grimm's on Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Edwin Boyer of Renovo and Miss Annie Harrison of Mount Union visited at Mrs. Catherine Bower's during the past week.

Reuben Aumiller of Selinsgrove has been elevated to a much higher plane of citizenship since last week. Reuben is writing another papa to his name.

Jacob Gilbert and family, on Washington's birthday, called in their friends and neighbors to assist them in devouring a seventeen-pound turkey.

If you do not want to pay for carriage to Sunbury, send your photograph and get 15 photographs for 15 cents at Roshon's Gallery. Add 2 cents for postage.

The Lutheran Y. P. S. C. E. of Middleburgh will hold a chestnut social on Thursday evening in the lecture room. All members of the society are invited to be present.

A full line of the latest style spring hats at Oppenheimer's, Selinsgrove. 3-2-3t.

Mrs. Geo. M. Shindel and Mrs. W. H. Beaver are visiting friends in Shamokin.

Miss Kate A. Wagenseller of Selinsgrove, one of the milliners of that place, was a guest of her brother, the editor of the Post, for several days during the past week.

Ben. Oppenheimer of Selinsgrove is going to New York and Philadelphia this week to purchase a full and complete line of goods for the clothing firm of H. Oppenheimer, Selinsgrove.

D. K. Haas and D. K. Knorr have just returned from the West with a select lot of horses. They are good judges of horses and hence have selected a very desirable lot of animals.

Rev. D. E. McLain is interesting very large audiences with his series of illustrated sermons on Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress. The fourth of the series will be preached next Sunday evening.

Register & Recorder John H. Willis went to Selinsgrove on Saturday morning to probate a will two miles north of that place. The parties interested were sick and could not come to the court house.

Lewis W. Roush, two miles west of Freeburg, who does the butchering in his neighborhood, dressed 117 hogs last fall, 75 of which averaged 360 pounds and 17 heaves, and was always through with his work long before sunset.

F. F. Hays of Lewisburg, who made a narrow escape with his life on the Kulp road, was a visitor in this place the latter part of last week the guest of his father. He expects to quit the railroad business and open a brick yard at Lewisburg.

A smooth, easy shave, genteel haircut, or other tonsorial work, is always obtained at Soles' Barber Shop, in Wittenmyer's building, opposite Post office. Go to Soles to buy new razors or exchange for old ones. Razors honed and guaranteed to give satisfaction. A. E. SOLES.

We are pleased to learn that the interesting daughter of M. Millner and wife of Kantz, who had been sick, is able to be out again. It had been reported that the child was afflicted with diphtheria. This report is incorrect and in justice to Mr. Millner we wish to correct it.

The town council met at the office of Calvin Stetler on Monday and organized by electing D. T. Rhoads, President; Calvin Stetler, Secretary; W. I. Garman, Treasurer; H. H. Grimm, Attorney; H. R. Tobias, Street Commissioner. The usual committees have not been appointed.

"The New Crusade" for March opens with an article from Eliza M. Mosher, M. D., Dean of the Woman's Department of the University of Michigan, on "Wrong Postures as a Cause of Physical Defects." Dr. Mosher is an authority on this subject, and parents will do well to read her article.

Among our financial callers last week were John Mohn, Ed. Wiggard, Henry Wittes, Dilla S. Bickhart, Lizzie K. Reichenbach, Samuel Bickhart, Jacob Bollinger, Wm. H. Boyer, Edward Bickhart, D. J. Witmer, John G. Schaffer, N. T. Dundore, Henry Laudenslager, John Dreese, J. W. Riegel, George Aurand, Harrison Miller, Wm. Good, Wm. Kerstetter, Daniel Snyder, D. F. Seip, Frank Beaver, J. W. Stever, B. G. Stahl, Irwin Laudenslager, Samuel Bollinger, W. F. Dagle, W. H. Knepp, G. C. Garman, Josephat Walter, J. P. Buck, Perry O. Bowersox, P. S. Benfer and Isabella Brocius.

COURT HOUSE CHIPS

Deeds Entered for Record. B. Frank Crouse to Mary E. Smith, four lots in the borough of Selinsgrove for \$4800.

Dr. C. D. Hottenstein and wife to E. R. Hottenstein, lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 in Block No. 6, Hottenstein's addition, Shamokin Dam, for \$400.

Same to Isaac Lewis Hottenstein, lots Nos. 7 and 8 in Block No. 1, Shamokin Dam, for \$200.

Same to Hiram P. Hottenstein, lot No. 10 in Block No. 1, Shamokin Dam, for \$100.

Same to Wm. J. Hottenstein, lot No. 9 in Block No. 1, Shamokin Dam, for \$100.

Jacob and Lincoln Zieber, executors of Daniel Zieber, deceased, to F. Lincoln Zieber, 80 acres in Spring township for \$800.

Same to J. W. Riegel, 8 1/2 acres of timber land in Spring township, for \$164.50.

Israel Spigelmyer and wife, E. E. Ulsh and wife, Anandus J. Ulsh and husband, A. H. Ulsh and wife to A. A. Ulsh, 47 perches in Spring township for \$300.

J. G. Moyer and wife and A. M. Smith and wife to A. H. Bowersox, 53 acres in Beaver twp. for \$500.

Lawrence H. Middleswarth and wife to A. H. Bowersox, 1 acre in Beaver township for \$125.

Geo. E. Brosious and wife and Mary C. Brosious and husband, 100 acres in Perry township for \$1350.

Wills Probated. The last will and testament of David E. Leitzel, late of West Perry township, was probated Feb. 28th. Simon I. Hornald is named as sole executor.

The last will and testament of Matilda Garman, late of Penn township, was probated on Saturday. Mrs. Utica Jarrett, her daughter, is named as the sole heir and W. D. Jarrett is named as executor.

Marriage Licenses. Jonathan Bottiger, Richfield, Catherine Miller, Oriental. Ira E. Witmer, Dundore, Dollie Hendricks, " Lewis E. Kinney, Selinsgrove, Sallie A. Hassinger, Kratzerville.

Hotel Changes in this County

This spring there will be quite a number of changes in the various hotels of this county. Charles Forry will leave the McKees Hotel and occupy the Hotel at Kremer, Mr. Thomas retiring. W. H. Kerstetter will move into the McKees Hotel. W. H. Stahlnecker of this place will embark in the Hotel at Adamsburg, Mr. Smith retiring. Robert Middleswarth will begin business in the McClure Hotel. Geo. Fenstermacher of Selinsgrove will succeed J. B. Fockler at that place. It is reported that changes will be made at Meiserville and Kratzerville.

Class Social.

On Monday evening Mrs. John M. Steininger held a social for her Sunday School class. The evening was pleasantly spent. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Steininger, Mrs. W. E. Custer and daughter Grace, Misses Mame Beaver, Bertha Crouse, Marion Schoch, Claire Graybill, Lizzie Ripka, Minnie Wertz, Eva Wetzel, and Messrs. Nevin W. Engle, John Stahlnecker, Bruce H. Crouse, Charles Stetler, Lawrence Stetler and William Shelley.

Blacksmith Shop.

I will again begin blacksmithing April 1st with a new set of tools at the old stand. A wagon shop will be placed alongside of my shop. I will be prepared to do all kinds of work. AMANDUS SHAMBACH. 3-2-5t.

HIS NAME ON THE TICKET

Ginter Wins His Claim to a Place Among the Party Candidates.

Lewisburg, March 6.—Judge Simonton to-day handed down an opinion directing that the name of William M. Ginter be placed upon the ballot to be voted for at the Republican county primaries, to be held next Saturday. He is an anti-Quay man. Several weeks ago Mr. Ginter announced himself as a candidate for delegate to the State convention on the ground that it is alleged he voted for Swallow, and that he signed nomination papers, placing F. E. Brown, a Democratic candidate of the Legislature upon the Prohibition ticket.

Mr. Ginter appealed from the decision of the county chairman, and the appeal took the form of an application for a mandamus, which was granted by Judge McClure. The case was heard by Judge Simonton, Thursday of last week, in the absence of Judge McClure, who was holding court in Snyder County.

N. Y. TRIBUNE.

This week the subscribers of the "Post" will each receive a copy of the New York Weekly Tribune. You are invited to examine it carefully. The subscription price is \$1.00 per year, but all those who will send us \$1.25 before April 1st, will receive both the Post and the Tribune one whole year. This offer is good for new subscribers and old ones who pay up their arrearages and send cash with the order.

Death of Mrs. Amelia Kremer.

Mrs. Amelia Kremer Evans, widow of the late S. Owen Evans, of Thompsonstown, Juniata county, died Tuesday, February 21st, aged 86 years. She is survived by two sons, A. Bradford and George K., and her sister, Mrs. Catherine Bower of this place. Mrs. Evans was a daughter of Hon. George Kremer, who was a member of Congress from Union County before Snyder County was separated from it; and a granddaughter of Capt. Frederick Evans, prominent in this section in his day. The remains of the deceased were interred in the Episcopal church yard near Thompsonstown.

Ev'ry Month.

The most valuable feature of "Ev'ry Month," is the new and popular music, and in this number appear "The Old Flame Flickers and I Wonder Why," by Paul Dresser (whose "Banks of the Wabash" have made him known throughout the country, "The Feast of Lanterns" March and Two Step, a piano piece with Chinese motif, and "The Girl Who's So Dear to My Heart," an Irish ballad with a melody and pathos which will make other than Irish eyes water. (EV'RY MONTH, NEW YORK, 19 cents.)

Los Angeles and the Pacific Coast and Return.

Special Excursion from points in Pennsylvania, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia, West Virginia, Ohio, New York and New Jersey, on the occasion of the National Educational Association meeting at Los Angeles, Cal., in July, 1899, at reduced rates. For full particulars, address John R. Pott, District Passenger Agent, C. & St. Paul Railway, 486 William St., Williamsport, Pa. 2-9-3t.

Henry H. Thomas, of near Troxville, was among our callers on Saturday. He ordered bills for the selling of a tract of land in Adams township.

Court Proceedings.

Reported by J. G. Crouse. Court convened Monday, Feb. 27, A. D. 1899, at 11 o'clock A. M. Present, Honorable H. M. McClure, President Judge; Hon. Z. T. Gemberling and Hon. Alfred Specht, Associate Judges. Amos C. Gemberling, C. C. Spangler, William Walter and George Lepley were appointed tipstaves.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.

Report of the commissioners designating the line between Union and Snyder counties was confirmed nisi.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. Sylvester Trostle, a nolle prosequi was entered.

The opinion of the court was filed in the Franklin township road case which set aside the proceeding at the costs of the petitioners.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. Martin L. Haas, the defendant pled guilty to the charge of fornication and bastardy and received the usual sentence.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. Charles Heimbach, the defendant pled guilty to the same charge and received the same sentence.

In the case of same vs. W. Adams, a nolle prosequi was entered.

In the case of same vs. W. Dagle and Ambrose Long, the grand jury ignored bills.

Tobias E. Reitz was appointed supervisor of Perry township.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. Henry Brugger, the defendant was convicted of assault and battery and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$10.00 for the use of the county of Snyder and costs of prosecution.

Reports of the road viewers in Franklin, Perry and Chapman townships were confirmed nisi.

J. M. Boyer, F. M. Montelius and James Esterline were appointed to view bridge over the Molantongo in Chapman and Perry townships.

E. D. H. Walter, Henry Aurand and John Hartman were appointed to view public road in Centre township.

Wm. Moyer, W. A. Keeler and George Spaid were appointed to view public road in Monroe township.

H. E. Richter, H. D. Burns and Daniel Maneval were appointed to view public road in Union township.

W. Davis Gift, I. F. Laudenslager and Wm. Martin were appointed to review public road in Monroe township.

James Middleswarth, Irvin Graybill and William Heater were appointed to view public road in Beaver and Spring townships.

R. C. Fiss, John Diemer and John S. Wolf were appointed to view bridge in Washington township.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

P. S. Ritter, sheriff, acknowledged deeds to Morris Lang, Uriah Berger, Eli Portzline, John Derk and Charles Kratzer.

In the case of W. L. Helfenstein vs. Frank and Levi C. Reichenbach, the opinion of the court was filed dissolving the injunction.

In the case of Hannah Boyer, a legatee of David Knouse, dec'd, vs. Jacob Knouse, executor of said decedent, the verdict was in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of \$391.00.

In the case of Susannah Hummel (Bolender) vs. Daniel Bolender, the verdict was in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of \$894.38.

In the case of Mrs. Foster L. Smith vs. W. F. Hummel, administrator, etc., the verdict was for the plaintiff in the sum of \$108.73.

ORPHANS' COURT.

A rule was granted to Fanny Spangler, executrix of Leah Weirick, dec'd, to show cause why an attachment should not be issued.

A Present of \$2.50.

The Post has made special arrangements with the FARM JOURNAL by which we are enabled to offer a five-year subscription to that paper to every new subscriber who pays One Dollar for the MIDDLEBURGH POST one year in advance, and the same offer is made to every old subscriber who pays his arrearages to date and one dollar extra for the Post one year in advance and the Farm Journal five years in advance.

REMEMBER that in order to get this premium of five years' subscription to the FARM JOURNAL, it is necessary to attend to this matter promptly as we have only a limited number to offer. Address THE MIDDLEBURGH POST, Middleburgh, Pa.

H. G. Hornberger was appointed guardian of Nettie Hornberger, a minor child of Ellen Hornberger, dec'd.

Daniel W. Fiss was appointed guardian of Bessie and Gertrude Thomas, minor children of Peter Thomas, dec'd.

Jacob D. Slatler was appointed guardian of Katie, Nora and Ida C. Miller, in the estates of Riley and Samuel Miller, dec'd.

Simon J. Snyder was appointed guardian of Minnie M. Gordon, a minor grandchild of Rosie Stuck, dec'd.

Orders of sale were granted in the estates of Henry App, dec'd, Albert Shuler, dec'd, Sabilla Noll, dec'd, Peter Thomas, dec'd, and Benjamin Kremer, dec'd, (enlarged).

Returns to orders of sale were confirmed in the estates of Henry Grubb, dec'd, and Reuben Cramer, dec'd.

Return to writ of inquest was confirmed in the estate of William Hollenbach, dec'd.

Return to order to mortgage the real estate of Nathaniel Fetteroll, dec'd, was confirmed by the court.

Upon the petition of A. G. Bowersox, a son of Samuel Bowersox, dec'd, A. J. Hassinger and Robert Dreese were appointed his trustees.

Reports of auditors were confirmed in the estate of Peter Hosterman, dec'd, and John S. Hassinger, dec'd.

The administrator, executor and guardian accounts and the widows' appraisements were all confirmed as advertised.

Thursday, March 2, 1899, court adjourned to Thursday, March 9 at 11 o'clock A. M.

Sleeps with an Overcoat.

The school teacher at Locust grove school in Chapman township, this county, has discovered a new way of sleeping at night. He always puts his overcoat on at night so he can sleep better. The other night he dreamed that he was fast so he got up and took off his overcoat. For further information call on George Haines. W. H. K.

LIVE STOCK SALE

Largest Sale of the Season.

The largest sale of live stock and farming implements in Snyder Co. will take place at Dundore, in Union township, on Saturday, March 11, 1899. There will be at least six extra good horses, an excellent lot of milk cows, a lot of healthy young cattle, about 20 shoats and farming implements. The stock is the property of N. T. Dundore, who has the reputation of always keeping the best. Don't forget the sale on Saturday of next week. 2t