

COUNTY GULLINGS.

Breezy Items Picked up Here and There about the County and Noted for Your Enlightenment.

The spring term of the Freeburg Musical College opens May 5th.

The pension of Samuel S. Boyer, of Fremont, has been increased from \$12 to \$17 a month.

J. G. Lesher, Esq., of the Selinsgrove Times, attended the U. S. District Court last week as a juror.

N. E. Stuck who had been employed as an attendant in the insane asylum at Harrisburg, came home on Saturday.

J. J. Mitchell and wife bought another lot adjoining their's in Kreamer from S. T. Hillish and wife of Selinsgrove recently.

George Schoch, the well known farmer and grain dealer of Selinsgrove, who had been housed several weeks with the grippe, is again able to be about.

Rev. Schoch, the pastor, has served the Lutheran congregation at New Berlin, with entire satisfaction, for eight years and has just entered upon his ninth year.

The Adamsburg Band serenaded the new landlord on Friday evening and were treated to an excellent supper in return. Mr. Stahlnecker intends to make a considerable number of improvements to the hotel.

The concert to be held by the Selinsgrove Military Band will be given in the opera house, Thursday evening, April 20th. It will be a rare musical treat. Posters giving particulars will shortly appear.

A charter has been granted by the State Department to the Selinsgrove Electric Light, Heat and Power Company, which is composed of Senator Ed. M. Hummel, A. W. Potter, C. P. Ulrich, S. Weiss and J. Howard Ulsh.

There is a vacancy in the office of the Justice of the Peace in Monroe township. Nathan Stetler is spoken of as a candidate for the appointment. Mr. Stetler is a school teacher by profession and is well qualified for the office.

A three and a one foot vein of clay was recently discovered near Beavertown, and now a Shamokin party is negotiating for the lease of the land, and if terms can be arranged, will erect a plant to prepare the clay for market.

Jacob Reichenbach and wife of Perry township are a well preserved couple, aged 82 and 83 years. Mrs. R. attends to her own household duties and the milking of a cow. They have enjoyed matrimonial relations for nearly sixty years.

A Sunday school has been organized at Pine church in West Perry township—J. M. Basom, Superintendent; Peter Graybill, Assistant; E. E. Snyder, Secretary; Jacob Basom, Treasurer; Grace Snyder and Rhoda Graybill, Librarians.

The Freeburg Silver Cornet Band has organized for the season of 1899, under the following officers: Leader, Wm. F. Brown; President, Geo. W. Woodling; Vice President, Theo. F. Goy; Secretary, Arthur Glass; Treasurer, William Houtz.

Henry C. Boyer, Ploutz Valley has moved on the Backus farm at Aline. A few days before moving a son aged 16 years drove to attend a spelling bee, the horse ran away and the boy had a leg fractured. He is confined to his room to give the broken leg time to heal.

Contractor and builder, Fred Row of Selinsgrove has secured the contract for the erection of Prof. George E. Fisher's residence. Mr. Row is a skilled and experienced mechanic and is fully competent to execute in a satisfactory manner any work entrusted to his care.

B. F. Rau, who lived on Hon. G. Alfred Schoch's farm near Vicksburg Union Co., for a number of years, moved on his own farm near Kreamer Wednesday of last week. We are glad to see Mr. Rau back again. He was born and raised in this county.

Mrs. Austin Gift of Paxtonville has been a very sick woman for some time. She has been suffering from an illness that, in the opinion of her physician, Dr. B. F. Wagenseller, can only be cured through the expert facilities of one of the Philadelphia Hospitals, to which city she may have been removed ere this reaches our readers.

William M. Boyer of Port Treverton has been appointed Mercantile appraiser for Snyder county.

It is now practically settled that the Spring telephone line is to be extended through Millin Co. and to Lewistown early the coming summer. Messrs. Haines and Romig interviewed a number of prominent Lewistown business men on Monday of last week and received much encouragement. The Lewistown people are at present paying \$36 a year for a limited service, while the new line offers them better advantages at \$12 a year. The line will be run through Wagner, Shindle, Alfarata and Painterville, and parties desiring the service of a 'phone, or having poles for sale should write to the Spring Telephone Co., Ltd. Beaver Springs Pa. The line to McClure via Middlecreek; Crossgrove, Bannerville and Lowell, was staked on Wednesday and the poles will be delivered at once. Work on this line and the extension to Beavertown, Middleburg and Centerville will be begun simultaneously, we understand. The new line will cover quite a scope of territory when completed.

MT. PLEASANT MILLS.

Some of our young folks left Monday to attend the Freeburg Academy.....A. F. Schnee and J. A. Kreighbaum made a business trip to Selinsgrove on Tuesday..... Mrs. Frank Spotts, who had been staying at Allentown for a few weeks, returned home last week.....C. F. Boyer is building an addition to his house..... Mrs. Snyder improved her dwelling by putting on new shutters.....Miss Annie G. Minium, who is working at the Meiserville Hotel, spent Sunday at home.....Miss Mabel Schnee spent several days in Georgetown last week.....The public sale of Philip Schnee on Monday was well attended and things sold well..... N. E. Stuck sports a new bicycle..... Joicy Yergler is working at the Fremont Hotel.....Landlord Haas of the Eagle Hotel, Swineford, was in town on Sunday.....Our landlord, J. I. Yergler, will erect a new porch to his hotel.....The carpenters are busy at Albert Schnee's new barn..... Mrs. Bubb and little daughter of Dalmatia were visiting at this place on Sunday and Saturday.....Sunday school every Sunday at 9 o'clock..... Miss Mazy Steffen left Monday for Freeburg, where she will work for H. B. Moyer of the Musical College.....Farmers are busy plowing and hauling manure.....House cleaning and garden making is the order of the day.....Mrs. Alice Hepner and daughter Nettie who had been staying at Middleburg, returned home.....Miss Katie Miller, who taught school at Centerville the past winter, returned home last week.....Misses Della and Mollie Hoover, who for several weeks visited friends at Milton and Shamokin, returned home on Sunday.....B. L. Steffen sold a span of mules and a span of horses and Isaac Steffen sold a span of mules last week.....Geo. F. Brosious of the firm of Brosious & Minium left for Philadelphia last Monday to buy their stock of spring and summer goods.....Rev. D. G. Druckenmiller preached a very interesting sermon at this place last Sunday.....Rev. C. E. Corell of Lancaster will preach in the Lutheran and Reformed church on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.....Henry Harding went to Allentown Thursday to visit his mother and from thence he will go to the city to purchase his stock of goods.

HUMMEL'S WHARF.

On Monday morning the canal boats were seen passing through this place which was the first for the season.....Wm. Laudenslager's of Selinsgrove visited Levi Dreese's on Sunday.....Edward Longer of near Troxelville is working for J. L. Cooper this summer.....Frank Hackenburg of Middleburgh is working for Frank Hartley.....Oive and Lottie Sassaman spent Easter at Shamokin Dam.....Mrs. Andrew Keefe and grandson of Millersburg spent a few days at Samuel Trutt's last week.....Edna and Blanche Klingler of Red Bank spent a week with their grandparents, Peter Klingler's.....Misses Lottie and Lydia Fisher, Ida Hummel and Pearl Bowen of Shriners attended Sunday school in this place on Sunday.....Miss Bertie Kessler of Northumberland spent Sunday in this place—Miss May Schoch started to attend the Susquehanna University on Monday morning.

CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. R. Q. on each tablet.

BEAVERTOWN.

Frank Kline is on the sick list..... Jerome Hornberger of Wagner was a visitor at this place on Friday..... Ira Keller and O. E. Freed were at Middleburg on Thursday..... A goodly number of our people have dug garden.....William Specht is making preparations to build a house in the near future.....Seth Winey was to Middleburg on Thursday. Mrs. Calvin Dreese is on the sick list.....O. G. Freed was to Sunbury over Sunday.....Nathan Freed was to Selinsgrove on Monday.....Chas. Specht and James Kline were to Middleburg Saturday.....Squire Middleburgh was a visitor at this place on Monday.....A. W. Engle was to Lewistown last week..... Mr. Musser of Kreamer was a visitor of this place last week.....Sanford Carpenter, a student of the Susquehanna University, spent Sunday with his parents at this place..... John S. Kern had public sale of his farm stock and implements on Saturday.....Charles E. Shirk was to Trexelville on Sunday evening..... Samuel Weidenmyer of McClure spent Sunday with Uriah Howell..... Dr. Strohecker is offering inducements that should create an interest in the cultivation of choice fruits among farmers and land owners throughout Snyder county. He has been authorized to locate a limited number of orchards of not less than 1000 trees of one sort, as 1000 apple or 1000 pear or plum, etc., and furnish the trees and accept fruit on the trees in orchard 2 crops within 15 years in payment. No money required. This is certainly a liberal proposition and any one interested should see the doctor without delay as the number of orchards will be limited to one or two in a township. These orchards are not limited to 1000 trees, may be 2000, 3000 or 5000, but not less than 1000 and only the best and most profitable market varieties. Snyder county has lots of land adapted to nothing but fruit raising. This proposition is certainly one that should set many of our farmers to thinking.....The doctor is a man of progressive ideas was the first to demonstrate the practicability of the drilled well in this section about 16 years ago and since then scores of them have been sunk and have proved a great benefit to many families. Here is another enterprise which will be of incalculable benefit to the localities fortunate enough to secure these orchards for in their wake come, canneries, evaporating plants, fruit picking and packing, which means lots of work for the busy hands.

'A word to the wise is sufficient' and a word from the wise should be sufficient, but you ask, who are the wise? Those who know. The oft repeated experiences of trustworthy persons may be taken for knowledge. Mr. W. M. Terry says Chamberlain's Cough Remedy gives better satisfaction than any other in the market. He has been in the drug business at Elkton, Ky., for twelve years; has sold hundreds of bottles of this remedy and nearly all other cough medicines manufactured, which shows conclusively that Chamberlain's is the most satisfactory to the people, and is the best. Sold by all Druggists.

WFST BEAVER.

J. J. Steely finished his 140 mile tramp last Tuesday, and now holds himself in readiness, for any brother teacher in the state for a six months' contest in a tramp for a purse from a nickel to a million..... The snow and rain we had last Saturday prevented our farmers from plowing for their spring crops, for a few days.....Ed. Romig (pauper) is now stopping with Oliver Herbster in Millin county.....Jos. M. Wagner is making some improvements at the old homestead by remodeling the old house and putting up one of the latest improved porches.....Last Saturday C. W. Fisher & Son exchanged flour for 100 bushels of wheat. Their many customers are all well pleased with their new process of flour.....H. W. Knepp of Siglerville paid his brother Bill a visit last week for information in regard to the binder works he expects to put up shortly. He was also in search of a book keeper. Joe Morgan has the contract to furnish the lumber for the building.....W. H. Knepp, the Crossgrove blacksmith, wishes he could invent horse shoeing by steam. He says some days he could use an engine of 400 horse power..... Henry Kahley traded his farm to W. F. Howell for the property where Mr. Howell now lives..... Dr. Wagner is making improvements on the Haines farm he bought lately.

The Greatest Place to Buy Furniture!



THIS IS THE PLACE
This is the place where every one comes to buy FURNITURE.

If one is invited away from home they naturally anticipate not only pleasant company but other surroundings. What a contrast between the methods of this Furniture Store and those of the usual furniture specialist. How much will it bring? is the all absorbing question there. How long can we afford to sell it? is our greatest problem. We are after profit, that's true enough, but we plan differently. We try to make a small margin on a large volume of business, where others figure on large profits from a small volume of trade. We are selling just now more furniture every day than any store in our county has ever sold. We say this boldly because we thoroughly believe it to be so, and that prices like this and nothing else are at the bottom of it:

- Oak Rockers, worth \$2.75, reduced to \$1.98.
- Extension Tables, worth \$6.00, reduced to \$4.29.
- White Enameled Beds, worth \$7, reduced to \$4.67.
- Antique Oak Sideboards, worth \$12, reduced to \$8.75.
- Velour Couches, 54 springs, worth \$15, reduced to \$11.20.
- Antique Oak Suits, worth \$20, reduced to \$15.75.

E. S. WEIMER & CO.

FURNITURE DEALERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS,
34, 36 and 7 South Fourth St., Sunbury, Penna.

MCKEES HALF FALLS.

Charles Forry moved to the river shore last Saturday.....Jumbo Kerstetter took possession of the McKees Hotel on Saturday, April 1st. Quite a number of people were there for dinner. There was plenty to eat and they all went home happy..... See Rine of Mahantongo was home on a vacation over Easter. She was the guest of L. M. Rine Sunday afternoon..... Sunday school began last Sunday morning in the U. B. church..... Sunday school will be organized in the Lutheran church next Sunday, April 16, at 9:30 A. M..... Miss Ida Miller of Sunbury spent Easter at Mr. Fisher's..... Dr. Mosgrove is going to leave this part of the country for Watsonstown..... Quite a number of young folks of this place attended the Easter entertainment in Port Treverton.

UNION TWP.

Dr. A. C. Spangler of Selinsgrove and Chas. R. Spangler of Franklin Co. spent Sunday with their brother J. W. Spangler..... A. B. Stahl of Shamokin spent Sunday with his parents here..... Em'l Bordner and Levi Stahl started Monday afternoon for Stanton, Nebr., where they intend to spend at least a month with the children who have gone out years ago and settled there..... Keiser's Sunday school officers for the year are: Supt., Geo. M. Houser; Ass't. Supt., Enoch Aucker; Sec'y, R. S. Aucker; Treas., Em'l Longacre..... The following officers were elected for the coming year by Witmer's Sunday school: Supt., Allen Sechrist; Ass't., A. L. Strawcer; Sec'y, Daniel Wolf.

WIDOW'S REST.

A birthday party was held for Frank Wenrich on Friday evening and was well attended..... Misses Carrie Diehl and Sallie Moyer were visiting at James Rothrock's on Saturday evening..... John Shannon is clearing a tract of woodland..... There was a party of tramps in our village on Saturday evening. They came to David Spade's house and asked to stay all night. He told his wife to bring the lamp to see the persons, but they suddenly disappeared and it turned out to be five girls dressed in men's clothes. That was pretty good girls.

FOR SALE. Sawn lumber for a barn 36x50 feet. Can be bought cheap. Mrs. KATE JONES, Middleburg, Pa.

OPPENHEIMER'S GREAT BARGAIN STOCK . . .

Everything New and Complete in the Line of the LATEST STYLE SPRING HATS

has just been received. You can be sure of honest prices. **Shoes! Shoes! Goes!**

You make no mistake in buying from us. We always give you a rich deal.

Come and See Clothing.

We are prepared to give you suits at rock bottom prices. At the old stand they use you right.

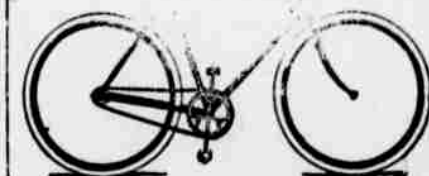
Trunks and Satchels.

H. OPPENHEIMER,

Market St., Selinsgrove Pa.

Rambler Bicycles

One of the best Wheels on the Market ONLY - - - \$40.00.



IDEAL . . .
A wheel of unparalleled quality for only \$25.00.

Fine Bicycle Repairing Successfully done. Some good second-hand Wheels now on hand.

N. P. HUMMEL,
KREAMER, PENNA.

A Card of Thanks.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors of Swineford for the kindness shown us during the illness, death and burial of our child. Also to the U. B. choir for services at the funeral.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN LIBBY.

MIDDLEBURGH MARKET.

Corrected weekly by our merchants.	
Butter.....	14
Eggs.....	10
Onions.....	09
Lard.....	08
Tallow.....	04
Chickens per lb.....	07
Turkeys.....	10
Side.....	08
Shoulder.....	08
BAKED	
Wheat.....	68
Rye.....	45
Potatoes.....	60
Old Corn.....	35
Oats.....	30
Bran per 100 lbs.....	75
Middlings.....	25
Chop.....	20
Flour per bbl.....	4.40

HEFFELFINGER, THE TAILOR, SELINGROVE, PA.

Lowest Cash Prices. Workmanship Guaranteed. Call Before You Order Elsewhere.

BUY! FOR 100 SILVER or 100 STAMPS. I will send a handsome FOUNTAIN PEN. Solid gold. Nothing beats it. Tremendous offer. Agents wanted. Address at once. Box 104, Guyandotte, W. Va.