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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.

When in Sunbury always visit Brosious Bros. Store.

Heston Neff of Gordon is visiting A. S. Beaver and wife of this place.

It it's a Good Suit of Clothes you'll be wanting, go to Brosious Bros.

Ice Cream Social in Seebold's Hall Saturday evening, May 27. Everybody invited.

Mrs. A. E. Soles and Miss Dora Bickhart are visiting friends at Lewistown this week.

Mrs. Jos. L. Marks has been in Philadelphia visiting relatives for the past few weeks.

Misses Mazie Beaver and Ella V. Stetler are at Sunbury this week engaged in their callings.

Prof. R. G. Bowersox of Paxtonville on Tuesday was the guest of his brother, Supt. Bowersox.

There is a good little farm for sale near Globe Mills, this county. See the advertisement in this issue.

L. Dunkelberger was away last week purchasing goods and attending summer millinery openings.

Howard Smith returned to his home at Selinsgrove last week after having served with the army in Cuba.

Dr. J. W. Owig and wife and Hon. G. Alfred Schoch are in Washington attending the Peace Jubilee.

M. I. Potter, Rev. D. E. McLain and J. F. Stetler of the county seat were at Selinsgrove on Monday morning.

The Mission Class will hold an Ice Cream Social in Seebold's Hall Saturday evening, May 27. Excellent music.

Amos C. Gemberling and wife of Penn township on Saturday were the guests of H. R. Bickhart and wife at this place.

For a good Potato Sprayer, call on Schoch & Stahlnecker. They have an elegant article on hand. Prices reasonable. 5-25-3t.

On Saturday Samuel B. Walter of Franklin had a stroke of palsy and he has been very ill since. We trust he may have a speedy recovery.

In our election returns last week, we unavowedly credited Harrison Moyer of this place with 21 votes in Beaver township and it should have been 51.

Bruce Crouse, son of Attorney Crouse of this place, last Thursday, sailed from Baltimore to Liverpool, England. He expects to spend several months abroad.

Next Tuesday is Memorial Day, and it behooves every loyal citizen to pay reverence to the soldier dead. On Sunday evening Union Memorial services will be held in the court house.

Rev. John Yoder, a theological student of the Gettysburg Seminary, has been spending a few days at home with his mother's family at this place. On Sunday he preached a sermon at Port Royal, Juniata county.

Martin L. Hassinger of Barnes, Warren Co., is spending this week visiting his many friends and relatives in this place and Franklin township. He is an extensive dealer in lumber in Warren County.

Ex-Sheriff Daniel Bolender on Tuesday took possession of the Central Hotel in this place. For many years the ex-sheriff was the proprietor of the Washington House and hence he knows how to run a hotel.

Miss Maude Runkle is visiting friends at Sunbury this week.

The greatest place in Sunbury to buy clothing is Brosious Bros.

Our full line of notions will be reduced June 1, 2 and 3. L. DUNKELBERGER.

Amandus Shambach on Saturday came from West Virginia where he had been to peal bark.

Next Tuesday being Memorial Day, the First National Bank of this place will be closed.

Mrs. Rev. McLain, who has been very ill, was taken to Selinsgrove last week to her parents.

Excellent music by phonograph and music box at the ice cream social in Seebold's Hall Saturday night.

Our June Opening of Summer Hats will take place Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, June 1, 2 and 3. L. DUNKELBERGER.

Miss Libbie Dunkelberger and Mrs. Geo. W. Wagenseller were at Harrisburg, Millersburg and Sunbury last week.

The public sale of the hotel furniture of Mrs. W. H. Smith at the Central Hotel on Saturday was largely attended.

James Runkle, wife and daughter Laura last week visited the former's daughter, Mrs. Dr. J. R. Allison, at Northumberland.

Reuben S. Meiser of Meiserville passed through town on Monday en route for the Altoona Convention of the Knights of Templar of this state.

Send in your dollar cash-in-advance for one year's subscription to the Post. You'll get the Farm Journal for five years as long as the supply lasts. Send now. tt.

H. D. Stahlnecker and A. W. Aurand have purchased a clipping machine to clip horses. They offer to clip horses at \$1.50 each. Any one desiring to have their horses clipped will do well to have these gentlemen do it for them. tt.

A smooth, easy shave, genteel hair cut, or other tonsorial work, is always obtained at Soles' Barber Shop, in Bank Building, next door to the Post office. Go to Soles to buy new razors or exchange for old ones. Razors honed and guaranteed to give satisfaction. A. E. SOLES.

The Economical Shoe Emporium of Sunbury under the management of J. G. Chestnut, is doing a very extensive business. They are offering shoes so low that there are bargains for everybody. It makes no difference what you desire, Mr. Chestnut is able to please you as to quality or price.

FARM FOR SALE—A farm containing 55 acres situate in Middlecreek township, 1 mile north of Globe Mills, Snyder county, is offered for sale at a bargain. The buildings are good as new. Five acres are in good woodland. Farm will be sold for first good offer. Call on or address, J. M. Maurer, Kremer, Pa. tt.

We learn that Albert Smith, the editor of the Elizabethville Echo, a son of J. P. Smith of this place, is a candidate for County Commissioner of Dauphin county. We trust that Albert will be successful and we know that the tax-payers of Dauphin will be glad to have had him as a custodian of their interests, as they will be well guarded.

Owing to the largely increased attendance, the friends of Bucknell University are attempting to raise \$75,000 to increase the fixed and working capital of the Institution. A friend in New York City has promised to give \$15,000 of the amount. Not less than one-third of the amount is to be added to the working capital; the rest will be used in erecting needed buildings.

If clothing bought at Brosious Bros is not just to your liking, bring it back.

Miss Dillie Grimm went to Mifflinburg last Monday evening to spend several weeks with her aunt, Miss Sarah Grimm, who is very ill.

A YOUNG MAN WANTED.—At Brosious Bros., Sunbury to learn the clothing business. Must be a hustler and able to talk the German language. Come at once.

Rev. Jesse Shambach will preach the Union Memorial services in the court house next Sunday evening. There will not be any sermon in any of the churches, Sunday evening.

Schoch & Stahlnecker have added to their line of goods Wm. Rodgers Silverware. If you need anything in this line, do not fail to call upon them and get prices and see the goods. 5-25-3t.

If you pay your subscription one year in advance you can get the Post for only one dollar. If you are in arrears you can pay up your arrears and one dollar extra for one year in advance. Then you will get the Farm Journal five years free.

SHOES AT COST.—They must go at any price. We would like to get cost for them, but if we can not get cost for them, less. Come at once while there is a better chance for sizes. Special bargains in buggy whips and soap.

BARBER SIMONTON.

The friends of F. M. Bilger of this place will be grieved to learn that he passed to eternity at his home in Oakland, Iowa, May 11th, and was buried May 13, 1899. He is well known here and has relatives here in the persons of James Shuman and others.

The corporation back of the Whitney Safety Fire Arms Company was not a desirable thing for our citizens to tie themselves to. There is too much watered stock apparently for our people to monkey with. If they had only a little money instead of so much stock that means nothing it would be a more desirable investment.

On Monday morning a new schedule went into effect on the Sunbury and Lewistown Railroad and in fact over all the lines of the Pennsylvania Railroad. The morning train East arrives at Middleburgh at 8:58 instead of 8:40. The morning train West arrives here at 10:33 instead of 10:50 as before. The evening train East arrives here at 4:52 instead of 4:20. For other changes see the new time table published in this issue.

The Thompsonstown Globe takes our remarks concerning Prof. Gortner's likeness very seriously. We can assure our friend of the Globe that he is not responsible for the fact that Prof. Gortner has changed so much in these ten years, nor is he responsible for the fact that the writer and his friends here do not recognize in the picture any resemblance to the young man of our school days. We will accept Bro. Wickersham's word for it that Prof. Gortner has changed a great deal in the last ten years.

Messrs. Fisher, Hampton, Albus and Long of the Shoe Company of Catawissa were in town over Monday night to attend a meeting of the Main Shoe Co. Limited of this place. At the meeting in the Court House Monday evening, G. Alfred Schoch, W. W. Wittenmyer, A. H. Ulsh, Wm. H. Hampton and Chas. E. Long were elected a Board of Managers to serve for one year. The board of managers organized by electing Hon. G. Alfred Schoch, President; Chas. E. Long, Secretary, and W. W. Wittenmyer, Treasurer.

Letter From Mr. A. K. Gift.

Editor Middleburgh Post:—

Your last Post of May 11th was received. It is nearly always late. We generally don't get it before the following Monday. This issue was highly interesting to us for it contained pictures of some of our friends, most of whom are personally known to us for many years, also many have passed away to their long homes above, whom we saw for the last time when we left Pennsylvania for the west nine years ago.

This issue also contained pictures of some of the most prominent buildings in the city of Middleburgh, many of which we have never seen as they were erected after our leaving. For all this you as editor of the paper deserve a great deal of credit. You are instrumental in a great measure for the improving and upbuilding of Middleburgh and surrounding county. In your next list you will no doubt be able to include the new building for the shoe factory.

The Post has always been a useful paper and in particular has it been so since you wield the editorial pen. I don't say this to flatter for I am not made that way. Men are mighty; the pen is still mightier. The pen is stronger than the sword or the musket. The pen goes a great way to establish the welfare of men and nations, peace and good will on earth, and the preservation of useless blood-shedding between nations, especially for a worthless cause, which may only benefit a few and is not a common benefit for all.

Bro. Wagenseller go on with the good work. I wish you luck and prosperity in all you do and undertake. Yours very truly,

A. K. GIFT.

Trial List, June Term.

- Use of Charles Boyer vs. S. L. Weidenmyer and Peter G. Garman.
- The Poor Directors of the Township of West Beaver vs. A. A. Romig, Adm'r of the estate of Henry Treaster, dec'd.
- Samuel W. Herrold vs. the Township of Perry.
- John S. Wolf vs. John A. Moyer.
- Martha A. Bingham vs. Jacob Royer.
- George F. Hare vs. Robert H. Rearick.
- Lewis Arnold vs. Henry W. Teats and Levi M. Teats and John W. Teats, Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Levi M. Teats, dec'd., and Mary Teats, James M. Hornberger, Sarah Hornberger and Peter G. Garman, Terre Tenants.
- John K. Haeckenburg vs. Elizabeth Fessler and C. A. Fessler, Administrators of Wm. H. Fessler, dec'd.
- Annie M. Luck vs. William H. Ewing.
- W. F. Howell vs. The Edwin Bell and Sons Company—J. G. Moyer, Agent.
- Walter Ripka vs. P. M. Teats.
- Philip M. Teats vs. W. H. Ripka.
- Simon N. Eichenberger and James Wolf, trading as Eichenberger and Wolf vs. Adam Aucker and C. W. Knights, trading as Aucker and Knights.
- James G. Crouse vs. Mary Boob, et. al. heirs, etc., of Frederick Walter, late of Middleburgh.

Iroquois Bicycles.

I have just received a sample of the latest style Iroquois bicycle made by the Mead Cycle Co. and have taken the agency for the same. Any one wishing to see the wheel can do so by calling on the undersigned. Prices range from \$15 to \$65. Bicycles supplies of all kinds can be secured at the lowest prices. 5-11-3t. A. W. AURAND.

PRESS NOTICES.

We ask the indulgence of our readers for the permission to republish the many kind press notices given the "Post's" Industrial edition. They are as follows:
Pitts., Press, May 15th.

Editor George W. Wagenseller, of the Middleburgh "Post," has issued an industrial edition of his publication, which, well illustrated with half-tone pictures of prominent citizens and buildings, and giving much historical data. Editor Wagenseller evidently believes in doing well the work that is before him.
Lewistown Free Press.

The Middleburgh Post issued last week a handsomely illustrated edition devoted to the interests of that place. The Post believes that Middleburgh is destined to become a great place and is determined to do all in its power to hasten the time.
Thompsonstown Globe.

Last week Bro. Wagenseller, of the Middleburgh Post, issued a fine industrial edition of the Post. Thirty-one half-tone cuts were giving the paper an elegant appearance. Bro. Wagenseller has lots of "get up and git," even if Bro. Lasher, of the Selinsgrove Times, would have it appear otherwise.
Selinsgrove Times.

The Post issued an Industrial Edition last week, containing the cuts of many of the prominent men of Middleburgh and sketches of their business, etc. The issue reflected credit upon that editor.
Adamsburg Herald.

The Middleburgh Post issued a very creditable industrial edition last week. Sketches and portraits of all the business men appeared in its columns, besides other matters of interest.
Lewistown Democrat and Sentinel.

The Middleburgh Post last week issued an industrial edition descriptive of the business interests and prominent men in that bustling town. It abounds in well printed half-tone cuts of churches, residences, industries, etc., and could well be a credit to any newspaper.
Middlburgh Telegraph.

Last week's industrial edition of the Middleburgh Post was a beauty, filled with many illustrations.
Elizabethville Echo.

The Post issued an industrial edition last week that does credit to the editor and to the town. Mr. Wagenseller is certainly a progressive and up-to-date newspaper man.
State College Times.

The Middleburgh Post issued an industrial edition last week illustrating the principal citizens and buildings, together with a history of the Post. This issue is a great credit to Editor Wagenseller.
Huntingdon Journal.

The Middleburgh "Post" last week issued an industrial edition, finely illustrated with half-tone pictures of prominent citizens and buildings. The editor, Geo. Wagenseller, believes in making the "Post" an up-to-date newspaper.
Snyder County News.

The Middleburgh Post issued an industrial edition last week containing the cuts of many of the prominent men of Middleburgh and vicinity, with sketches of their business. Somehow or other our physiognomy failed to materialize. Editor Wagenseller however did himself credit in the production.
Snyder County Tribune.

Editor Wagenseller last week issued an industrial edition of the Post, and which was devoted to the business industries of Middleburgh and vicinity. The paper was well gotten up and speaks well for the enterprise of the editor and publisher of the Post.
Middlburgh Journal.

Last week's issue of the Middleburgh Post edited by Bro. Geo. W. Wagenseller, came out in fine shape. It was an industrial edition, contain-

ing a goodly number of half-tone cuts of fine residences, as well as cuts of some of the most prominent citizens of Middleburgh.
Middlburgh Times.

The Middleburgh Post last week was an illustrated, historical, biographical and industrial edition. It was handsomely printed and well edited, containing many handsome illustrations and much interesting matter.
Peebles Courier.

Editor Wagenseller, of the Post, issued a very creditable industrial edition of his paper last week, which was illustrated with pictures of prominent citizens and buildings. The historical data contained in that number shows considerable journalistic enterprise. The citizens of the county seat feel proud no doubt of their enterprise to boom their town.
Memorial Day Programme.

The following is the program as arranged by Capt. Ryan Post of Middleburgh for Memorial Day exercises: Members of the G. A. R. will assemble at the Post room at 8 o'clock, a. m., and proceed to Meiser on the 8:58 train, decorated and return on the 10:33 train. Comrades at Fremont with Sunday schools decorate at their own appointed time. The P. O. S. of A. will decorate at Paxtonville at 10 o'clock and at Hassinger's at 10:30. Details of the Post will decorate at Zion and Salem at 2 p. m. Post G. A. R., P. O. S. of A., Sunday Schools and other organizations will decorate at Middleburgh at 5:30 p. m. Prof. E. C. Bowersox will deliver the Memorial Address at Middleburgh; Comrade J. C. Schoch at Meiser; Comrade C. H. Dunkelberger at Salem; Comrade G. C. Gutelius at Zion. Rev. J. Schambach will preach the Memorial Sermon in the Court House Sunday evening, May 28th at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Ten Thousand.

This is the Amount Needed to Bridge the River.

It is an admitted fact that nothing would improve Sunbury as much as a wagon bridge across the river to Snyder county. It would open up as rich a stretch of farming land as there is in the State. Farmers who now attend the Lewisburg, Selinsgrove and Milton markets, would come to this city. They would bring their produce here and of course spend their money here. The bridge has been talked of for many years and all admit the advantages. Of course the cost would be large. Two or three years ago one estimate placed the entire cost at \$72,000. Since that time iron has advanced, so it would be safe to place the cost at \$100,000.

There is a gentleman in Sunbury who says he will build the bridge if the sum of \$10,000 is subscribed to it. He does not ask the money until the work is completed. All he would ask for is that the money be raised and deposited in one of the banks to be paid him when the work is done. He says that the merchants and property owners are all interested in a bridge over the river as much as they are in bringing new industries to Sunbury.

In numerous cases money is raised to buy ground, then why not on the same principal give money outright for a bridge. On the Snyder county side quite a sum could be obtained, and the next move of the Board of trade should be to investigate the bridge question. The gentleman who makes the offer has property in Sunbury, has money and is a reliable substantial business man. Now, here is a chance for the bridge.

The best thing for the least money is sold at Brosious Bros.