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WEST BEAVER.

One of our expert wing shots, shot at a rabbit on the wing and killed his dog....Jos. Beaver was home from Mifflin county last week to make preparations for the support of his family for the winter ..... Frank Baker moved in the house of P. W. Treaster last week..... Some of our spring candidates have started already on their election tour for the coming primary election ..... David Goss, clerk at J. B. Shellenberger's store, took charge of Shellenberger's stave mill in Mifflin county last week.....Jacob Erb has been on the sick list for the past week.....Mrs. P. W. Treaster bought fifty acres of timber land from the McCurdy heirs at the back mountain, for fifty dollars.....S. H. Phillips says he made more money this fall, in butchering, than any time since he has been in the business....'Squire Steely says he is sorry he did not get this butchering done before attending Institute as he would have liked to make the Editor of the "Post" a present of about one hundred lbs. of scrapple, etc., for good friendship. 'Squire, you can send it by express.

McCLURE.

The young Americans are havnig a weeks' vacation—it being institute week....Tommy Marks was home over Sunday....John Benfer and family spent Sunday with his father, Geo. Benfer....E. E. Ulsh of Shirleysburg made a short call on his father-in-law, John Felker.... Calvin Knepp is plowing on his farm recently purchased from W. F. Howell....Wm. Pheasant shot two wild turkeys last week....Mrs. T. A. Ewing and children are spending this week with her brother, Dr. Mitchell....Mrs. W. H. Herbster and little daughter are spending the week at Mifflinburg.....Harry Barge from Burnham was seen on our streets on Saturday....Mrs. Specht of Beavertown intends to have a concert in the St. Luke's church on Tuesday evening, Dec. 14.

PAXTONVILLE

J. W. Swartz and from Middleburg were visitors in town on Sunday..Miss Laura Ernest is spending the week with friends in Middleburg.....Uriah Howell of Beavertown and B. F. Heimbach and wife of New Berlin visited Mary Howell on Monday....Prof. F. C. Bowersox and wife were in town on Sunday.....R. E. Gift, merchant, was on the sick last week.....C. P. Swengle paid his respects to his family over Sunday....R. W. Gift was in Middleburg on Friday.... County Treasurer Wm. Riegle passed through town on Monday morning..Mrs. Effiie Dietrich of Swineford was in town on Monday..... Miss Annie Swengle went to Middleburg on Monday and intends to spend part of the week at Institute .....Rev. Romer, Presiding Elder of the Central Penna. Charge of the United Evangelical church, preached a very interesting sermon here on Sunday..The Christmas entertainment in the Evangelical church will come off on Saturday evening, Dec. 23, instead of the 25th as stated in the news several weeks ago.

KREAMER.

Miss Erma Magee drove to Middleburg last Wednesday.....The shooting match on Thanksgiving day was well attended. Twelve turkeys were the prizes....Jacob Bsllinger, who lives about one mile east of town, had the two local champion heavy weight porkers of the season. They weighed 1003½ lbs. together.. Miss Jennie Bollinger of Tuckeyhoe is at present the guest of the family of Millard Bollinger....Communion services were held in the Evangelical church at this place last Saturday evening....The school childred are enjoying a weeks' vacation while the teachers are attending institute....John Bickhart and wife visited relatives near Meiserville over Sunday.

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SELINSGROVE.

W. M. Schnure of State College and friend Hayden of Scranton spent Thanksgiving holiday with the former's parents....Miss Rothrock of Williamsport spe t several days in town last week....Mrs. Mary Miller of Williamsport was called home to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, M. L. Miller, on Thursday....W. F. Shay and wife were the guests of Mrs. S's parents, 'Squire Hower and wife, over Thanksgiving....Last week Josiah Kessler brought home a brand new wife, a native of Scranton, he having met her at the time of the Firemen's Convention in that city. The calathumpians gave them a serenade... Jas. N. Reese of Harrisburg paid the town a flying visit last Wednesday ....Al. Kemmerling of Lewistown attended the funeral of Mrs. Kemmerling's father, Henry Gemberling ....W. W. Wittenmyer of your place was in town between trains on Friday last ...Cyril Haas has returned from his gospel work in the coal regions, in and near Wilkesbarre...Miles Potter and family took Thanksgiving dinner with Editor Lumbard....Mrs. Sol. Gregory accompanied by Ethel Snyder went to Elimsport to visit Grandpa Marsh and family....Mrs. Yale, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Prof. Geo. E. Fisher, for the last six weeks, has returned to her home at Slatington ...LeRoy and Grant Holmes are visiting their parents on North Market St....The Union Thanksgiving service was held in Trinity Lutheran Church. Services were conducted by the various ministers. The sermon was preached by Dr. Focht, pastor of the above church.....Mrs. Fannie Sigfried of Reading is visiting her son, Hiram, and daughter, Mrs. Geo. Fisher.....Miss Amick of Cumberland, Md., is being entertained by Miss Ethel Schoch....Lawrence App, son of Hiram App, visited his father and sisters over Sunday.....Misses Tillie Fisher and Alice Snyder of Sunbury spent several days at the old homestead on the Isle of Que.....Mrs. Laura Schnure of New Berlin is being entertained by H. D. Schnure and wife ....Dr. Heisler, President of Susq. University, attended the meeting of College Presidents at Trenton, N. J., last week.....E. P. Rohbach and family were entertained on Thanksgiving by J. N. Crouse and wife at the farm....Rev. Domer Ulrich filled the pulpit of Rev. P. H. Miller, Brooklyn.

SALEM.

In our last writing were listed quite a number of sick, all of which haue recovered thus far except Henry Moyer, who has also improved some at this writing....Woe unto the turkeys, as the pedagognes are all eager for foul during the week spent at institute....Good sized porkers have been killed this fall. One by Geo. Benfer weighing 475 pounds and one by Samuel Engle weighing 476 pounds.....Rev. Schnable is making some progress in the building of his new house... Wm. Klingler is the owner of a bicycle for about two weeks...Henry Aurand, a student of S. U., is enjoying his Thanksgiving vacation hunting....Among the visitors at this place since the last writing week Hiram Woodruff and wife, Edward Fisher and family, Mr. Yocham and family, Mrs. Chas. Shultz and daughter Ethel, all of Montour Co., at the home of Mrs. Woodruff; at Geo. M. Witmer's, the Misses Mertz from Northumberland; at A. C. Gemberling's, the Misses Jennie and Daisy Bateman of Selinsgrove; Wm. Luck of near Mifflin, Juniata Co., is visiting friends around here....Rev. Schnable started a catechetical class at this place last week....A number the people of this, as well as from other places, are attending teachers' institnte at Middleburg... Lewis Gemberling has recently returned from Ohio where he bought a car load of cows....Prof. Bowersox has been visiting the schools of Penn township during the past week.

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ADAMSBURG.

J. Ernest Zimmerman of Selin's Grove spent Thanksgiving day with 'neath the parental roof....Jas. G. Crouse and daughter Marie of Middleburg were the guests of friends recently....Miss Ida Mattern, formerly of this place, but now of Connecticut, and Frank Faulkner of Mass. were married at the Lutheran parsonage. Rev. I. P. Zimmerman officiated....Messrs. Weader and Smith from Troxelville were entertained by friends recently.... There is some talk of having a novelty store in this place.....Milton Smith of Burnham spent Sunday with his family ...Messrs. Shindel and Moatz of Middleburg spent Saturday evening in town...Myron Moyer from Freeburg transacted business in this place on Tuesday.. A. W. Potter and W. E. Houseworth of Selinsgrove were in town on Monday....H. E. Culbertson of Lewistown is spending several days in town....Reuben Hook purchased the house and lot formerly owned by Joel Gearhart on Pine street. Frank Dreese purchased the remaining property at public sale....Miss Grace Weidensaul accompanied her niece, Miss Lizzie Raudenbush from Salem, Va., to Harrisburg on Thursday....Quite a number of our people are attending Teachers' Institute at Middleburg....Mrs. Geo. Hawk from Lewistown is visiting her parents, Samuel Klinepeter's...J. R. Spangler killed the heaviest porker in this vicinity, weighing 423 pounds. ...A. M. Aurand remodeled his front porches....J. G. Moyer of Mt. Union is spending several days in town....Mayne Gearhart, accompanied by his sister, Miss Hannah from Lewistown, are visiting in town.

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MT. PLEASANT MILLS.

John A. Roush, of near Kreamer, was visiting in town Saturday.... Mrs. Ellen Spotts who spent several days in Dalmatia, returned home on Monday....R. S. Meiser of Meiserville is having his dwelling painted. J. F. and Philip Straub are doing the work..... A revival meeting is in progress in the U. B. church... F. H. Deitz is the proud father of a bouncing boy baby.....Our teachers are attending Institute this week... W. I. Yerger will move his saw mill on John Schnee's tract in the near future....Christmas exercises will be held in the Lutheran and Reformed church on the evening before Christmas...The Lutheran League is in a flourishing condition with over sixty members enrolled..Mrs. Hoover of near Selinsgrove is spending a few days with her son, David Hoover.

Trial List, Dec. Term.

Martha A. Bingaman vs. Jacob Royer; John K. Hackenburg vs. Elizabeth Fessler, et. al.; Annie M. Luck vs. William H. Ewing; Eichenberger and Wolf vs. Aucker and Knights; Frick Co. vs. Mohn, Spangler & Co.; John D. Marks vs. Henry F. Blessing; Davis Sewing Machine Co. vs. S. Faust, with notice, etc.; James G. Crouse vs. Chas. and Nora Walter; James G. Crouse vs. C. H. Walter, et. al., Adm's, &c.; W. R. F. Weimer & Co. vs. Noah L. Livingstone.

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DEAR EDITOR:—I am arranging to take the annual excursion of our students to Washington, D. C., December 18th. We shall leave here Monday morning of that week about 7:30 and return on Friday evening.

The cost of the trip will be $13.75. This embraces all necessary expenses, including railroad fare (chair cars), hotel charges (three meals per day at first-class hotel), fees of guides at Caiptol and elsewhere, and transportation of baggage between the hotel and railroad station. It also includes the expenses of a trip to Mt. Vernon, Alexandria and Arlington, with admission to the grounds of each place. The return will be by way of Philadelphia, and the above named sum includes cost of a dinner in the Dining Rooms of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, at Broad Street Station, Philadelphia. The train will leave Philadelphia (Broad Street Station) at 4 P. M., Friday. Stop over privilege in Philadelphia can be had. J. P. WELSH,

Principal State Normal School.

NOTE.—If any of the friends of the POST wish to join this excursion, they can do so by writing to Dr. Welsh.—Editor POST.

SHADEL.

The Union Gospel wagon feast was held at Aline in the United Evangelical church Dec. 3. It was enjoyed by all present. It was a feast long to be remembered..... Charles Hackenberg and his best friend took a trip to Philadelphia last week.....The blind evangelist, Rev. J. H. Maice, preached a Thanksgiving sermon in the Ebenezer's church on Thursday morning.

Rapid Automatic Telegraphy.

New York, Dec. 4.—A successful test was made yesterday of the Pollak-Virag system of rapid automatic telegraphing between this city and Chicago, via Pittsburg and Fort Wayne. Joseph Virag, one of the inventors, handled the New York key. Although the wires were not in perfect working order, he managed to send four messages at the rate of about 1,000 words a minute.

Syndicate Swindler Captured.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—In a telegram received here at the local offices of the Mooney & Boland detective agency the capture of William F. Miller, accused of having been connected with the Franklin syndicate swindle in New York, was announced as having been effected at Montreal by the agency's operatives, who have been in pursuit of the fugitive since his disappearance ten days ago.

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3 lbs Oyster Crackers,	15c
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Agate Collanders,	18c
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10 qt Agate Pails,	37c
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6 Teaspoons,	4c
6 Tablespoons,	8c
Butcher Knife, 6 inch blade,	10c
6 Knives and Forks,	39c
Coffee Mill, holds 1 lb coffee,	34c
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Children's 9 12 coarse Shoes,	58c
Children's 13-2 coarse Shoes,	64c
Ladies' 3-8 coarse Shoes,	76c
Ladies' Bals & Button pat. leat'r tip	$1.23
Mens' Fine Bals,	1.23
Ladies' Felt with overs,	1.22
Mens' Felts with Huron overs,	1.75
Men's Felt with perfection,	2.39
Children's Buckle Artic, 8-10,	50c
Mens' Boot, double sole and tap, saddle seam solid,	$1.75

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Boys Suits,	from $1.15 up
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DIED.

Nov. 28th, at Selinsgrove, Henry Gemberling, aged about 56 years. He leaves a widow and eight children.

Nov. 27, at Selinsgrove, Martin Luther Miller, a prominent and well-known marble cutter, aged 53 years, 1 month and 29 days.

Nov. 25, in Philadelphia, Dr. J. H. Hassenplug, formerly of Mifflinburg, aged 72 years.

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