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WEST BEAVER.

Our ice men were busy last week filling their ice houses with ice from 4 to 6 inches thick. There are a few yet to be filled. The ice is all gone from the effects of the mild weather we had.....The funeral of Henry J. Peter on last Sunday was largely attended. Another old soldier has been called to his long home.....Landlord Knepp and wife of town were visitors here at..... of H. J. Peter..... The young and the old, who formed resolutions on the first day of the new year, you can bet, will all be..... Johnny Wagner reports his pig that he killed, to weigh 451 lbs. and was not fat..... Squire Steely killed his fattened ox last week. He says all ye that are hungry, come and I will give ye meat..... Charles M. Stuck, one of the Snyder County boys, got squeezed between the cars last week, and had to lay off for repairs, but the injuries are not serious..... W. F. Howell has been reported on the sick list; the community are anxious for the speedy recovery of the 'Squire..... The teachers' institute held at the Fairview school house Friday evening was well attended. The teachers of the school attracted the attention of the audience with her favorite song called the 'School Marm'..... We never knew until Sunday that the Lowell miller (George) was so good looking as when he came out with a clean shave, hair cut and wore good clothes. Squire Steely's new breed of chickens commenced laying at the age of four months. They are called the 'pride of my old Virginia home, far away'..... Henry Knepp of near Lewistown was a Snyder County visitor last Sunday..... Our weather prophets claim we have had seventeen snows this winter and seventeen more to come yet to fill the quota.

SHADEL.

Oscar N. Kaltriter, who had been working at the Harrisburg Asylum, came home last week..... J. N. Brosius, the newly-elected commissioners' clerk, moved to Middleburg on Tuesday of this week..... Elias Bohner of Hofferville purchased the mill property owned by William Hoff near Kantz and intends to move there in the spring..... Ezra Meiser of Salem visited his parents near Meiserville on Sunday..... There will be a shooting match for turkeys at Fremont next Saturday..... Some people of our township were at Sunbury last Wednesday to witness the hanging of Edward Cressinger..... We have nice weather at present and the people are busy hauling lime and lumber. In nearly every woods the steam sawmill whistle is heard.

HUMMEL'S WHARF.

The farmers have been taking advantage of the cold weather by storing away ice for summer use..... A birthday surprise party was held for Mrs. P. M. Teats, on Saturday evening. A very enjoyable time was spent. Excellent music was furnished with piano, violin and cornet. Some of the guests were present from Northumberland, Sunbury, Freeburg and Salem..... Quite a number of our young folks attended the teachers' institute at Shamokin. Dam last Friday evening..... Miss Emma Bower, who was employed at the National Hotel at Selingsgrove, fell a flight of stairs and sprained her foot..... Miss Olive Sassaman, who has been afflicted with rheumatism for some time, is slowly improving..... John Seesholtz, who is working for D. N. App, spent a week with his mother who was on the sick list, but she is able to be about again..... Dallas Wilt and Henry Trutt made a business trip to Sunbury Saturday afternoon..... John Schoch and daughter, May, spent a few days at Newport recently..... Mrs. L. Kerstetter and daughters and Miss Mary Bollinger of Northumberland visited Levi Dressler's one day last week..... Miss Mamie Kessler of Salem spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Wallace Teats..... Dr. Newt. Nipple and wife of Akron, Ohio, who have been spending some time with their parents, returned to their western home last week..... Frank Hettrick and wife attended the funeral of Mr. Whitemyre at Montandon on Friday. Mr. Whitemyre was killed by the cars.

SELINGSGROVE.

The students have returned from their holiday vacation..... Rev. Gensyler was too much indisposed from a heavy cold to hold his usual services on Sunday..... Miss Barted of Hughesville is visiting friends in town..... Dr. Heisler delivered an address before the teachers' institute of Union County at Lewisburg last week. It is well spoken of..... Jos. K. Scharf & Son closed out their grocery business. They expect to go back to West Virginia to take charge of a company store there..... Prof. Noetling who spent the holiday vacation at home has returned to his duties at Bloomsburg..... Mrs. Rev. Matter, Clarion County, is visiting her parents, Daniel Ott and wife.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c. and 25c. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

ADAMSBURG.

Mary, the young daughter of J. B. Spangler, is on the sick list..... Quite a large number of our people attended the funeral of Samuel Bubb at McClure on Friday..... H. E. Eberly moved to Lancaster County and Hurley Romig into the house vacated by Eberly..... Mrs. H. H. Spahn gave a very delightful party in honor of her brother, Geo. Hammond of Lancaster..... Isaac Felker and Miss Mary Dreese visited friends in Thompsontown..... Mrs. Adam Smith and daughter, Carrie, of Berwick were visiting her mother, Mrs. Sarah Klose..... Mrs. Allan Foltz and small daughter of Belleville were visiting friends in town recently..... Mrs. Amelia Gundrum is spending some time with her son, Frederick, in Bannerville..... Miss Nettie Klinepeter has returned from a month's visit in Lewistown..... Mrs. Perc. Rauch and Miss Stella Rauch of New Columbia are visiting friends in town..... Miss Hattie Mitchell of New Berlin is the guest of Mrs. C. W. Smith..... Misses Myra Romig and Jennie Keller spent Sunday in Beavertown..... H. I. Romig made a business trip to Sunbury recently..... Messrs. Shelly, Wetzel, Clelan and Bolender of Middleburg spent Sunday at this place..... Geo. Hammond of Lancaster is visiting his sister, Mrs. Rev. H. H. Spahn..... M. Luther Wagenseller of Selingsgrove was in town on Monday..... The Freshman Class of Susquehanna University held a banquet at the Merchants' Hotel last Thursday evening.

PAXTONVILLE.

Miss Edith Harner of Bloomsburg, who spent a few days in town, returned home last Thursday..... Mrs. Effie Dietrich of Swineford is spending a few days with friends in town..... Grant Yoder and wife are enjoying a trip to the central and western part of the state at present..... Wm. H. Rieggle, wife and daughter, Elsie, of Middleburg spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Howell..... J. Bailey and daughter of Centreville spent a few days in town..... As this is the week of prayer, it should be the duty of all Christians to assemble in the church every evening for the purpose of fulfilling their promises which they made when they assumed the name Christian..... J. D. Winters of New Berlin was in town Monday..... Last Thursday evening our young people had the opportunity of festivities of a social which was held at the home of W. D. Osmum about half a mile east of town. Some of the features of the evening were the rendition by the Gift sisters of excellent music, several plays which were indulged in and above all the excellent supper which was served by the kind lady of the house. The participants extend their many thanks for the courtesy which was shown them by the family..... Emery Ernest left for Pittsburg on Monday where he has secured employment at the Shoenberg steel works.

Having a Great Run of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Manager Martin, of the Pierson drug store, informs us that he is having a great run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He sells five bottles of that medicine to one of any other kind, and it gives great satisfaction. In these days of the grippe there is nothing like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to stop the cough, heal up the sore throat and lungs and give relief within a short time. The sales are growing, and all who try it are pleased with its prompt action.—South Chicago Daily Calumet. For sale by all Druggists.

MT. PLEASANT MILLS.

O. N. Kaltriter, who was working at the Insane Asylum at Harrisburg, has returned home. J. A. Mengel, who is working at the Central Hotel, Sunbury, spent Saturday and Sunday in town..... The shooting match held at the Fremont Hotel on Saturday was well attended..... T. T. Reichenbach's of Shadel were the guests of H. J. Swartzlander's over Sunday..... Jacob Moser of Port Treverton was the guest of John Schnee's on Saturday..... C. N. Brosius, teacher of Heister Valley school, held a spelling bee on Monday evening..... Mr. and Mrs. Bingaman of Freeburg were the guests of Absalom Roush's over Sunday..... Mrs. Levi Teats of Troupstown spent several weeks at Elmer Troup's..... H. D. Swineford is erecting an ice house..... J. F. Straub's visited friends near Middleburg Saturday and Sunday..... Jonathan Kreighbaum's attended the funeral of S. B. Bubb at McClure on Monday.

FRESHMEN BANQUET.

Celebration of the First Annual Banquet—Sophomore Leaders Take a Back Seat The Freshmen Very Jubilant.

The first annual banquet of the class of '03 of Susquehanna University was held at Merchant's Hotel, Adamsburg, Pa., on the evening of Jan. 4, 1900.

The class of '03, accompanied by Prof. and Mrs. T. C. Houtz as chaperons, left Selingsgrove on the 2:19 train for Adamsburg with the class colors flying and class yells ringing. This was the first entirely successful event of the school year, for the "ever vigilant" Sophs had no knowledge of when and where the great Freshmen feast was to be held.

Having arrived at Adamsburg the class again did full justice to the spirited class yells and melodious songs, and after registering at the Merchant's Hotel, some of the members were escorted to the interesting parts of town.

Promptly at 9 o'clock the great feast was announced by President Wagenseller and Toastmaster Sigmund Weis led the class into the banquet hall. The table was laden with all the dainties of the season. In the centre of the table was a large pyramid, composed of the choicest fruits of the season, upon which was placed one of the Sophs' out-of-sight caps, as a trophy. Having partaken of a sumptuous repast such as Mrs. Stahlnecker is accustomed to preparing for her guests, the toastmaster, Sigmund Weis, in well chosen remarks introduced the programme and the following splendid toasts were given: "The Spoils of 1903," W. I. Zechman; "Our Professors," S. H. Schoch; "Our Girls," L. W. Walter; "Class Poem," E. M. Gearhart; "Ich Bien Ful," Herr Edward Diehl; "The Future of 1905," Prof. T. C. Houtz.

At a late hour the Sophs found out that the Freshmen had gone away for their banquet, so six Sophs concluded to drive to Adamsburg. They arrived at 10 o'clock, but their coming was in vain since they were only admitted to one room. Oh, what sad countenances they wore! After remaining there a little more than an hour, they left very much disappointed, not having disturbed any part of the banquet.

The class again assembled in the parlor to continue the program, consisting of solos, duets and quartets. The mandolin, guitar and violin selections were highly appreciated.

At a late hour the guests retired highly delighted with the great event which all declared as having been the grandest ever witnessed. Prominent among the regrets were those from Harry Haas and Mrs. Fannie Jacobs.

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Aurand-Meiser.

On Tuesday evening at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. C. Aurand occurred the wedding of her only son, Arthur W., to Miss Anna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Meiser of Globe Mills. The nuptial knot was tied by the groom's uncle, Rev. Fred. Aurand of Mifflinburg. The Post joins their many friends in wishing them a happy and prosperous journey through life.

THE OUTLOOK will begin at once the publication of a series of addresses recently delivered at Cooper Institute, New York, by the Rev. Lyman Abbott, under the general title "Christ's Laws of Life." Later on Dr. Abbott will contribute seven articles on "The Bible in the Light of Modern Literary Study." During 1900 Dr. Abbott's sermons and addresses will be published exclusively in THE OUTLOOK. (\$3 a year. THE OUTLOOK COMPANY, New York.)

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TUESDAY, Jan. 16, 1900, three miles west of Middleburg, Robert H. Keenick will sell one mare, 4 head of cattle and farming implements.

SATURDAY, Jan. 27, in Franklin township, David A. Steinger, administrator of the estate of Jacob H. Steinger, will sell 105 acres of land and grain in the ground. See adv.

FRIDAY, March 2, John Walter will sell live stock and farming implements 3 1/2 miles west of Middleburg.

WEDNESDAY, March 7, at the Eagle Hotel in Middleburg, D. E. Haas will sell 4 horses, 2 mules, 25 head of cattle, 15 shoats, 4 brood sows and farming implements.

MONDAY, March 13th, Wm. Ritter will sell 3 horses, 12 head of cattle and farming implements 1 mile east of Kratserville.

TUESDAY, March 20, near Pallas, John Shaffer will sell stock and farming implements.

MARRIED.

Jan. 4, by T. A. Stetler, J. P., George C. Moyer and Fianna Reed, both of Shamokin Dam.

Jan. 3, by Rev. G. D. Druckenmiller, Charles A. Rieggle and Annie M. Grimm, both of Freeburg.

Jan. 4, by A. B. Sheary, J. P., James S. Boyer and Jennie S. Bingaman, both of Centre twp.

Jan. 2, by Rev. Geo. W. Gensyler, Arthur Hernandez and Selia Musser, both of Kratserville.

Dec. 28, by Rev. H. G. Snable, at Salem, Geo. C. Benfer and Sarah Alice Specht.

Jan. 7th, at the house of the bride near Port Treverton, by Allen S. Sechrist, J. P., Daniel Wolf of Dundore and Miss Maud Flanders of Port Treverton.

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Eggs.....	20	Rye.....	50
Onions.....	—	Oats.....	35
Lard.....	6	Oats (old).....	00
Tallow.....	4	Oats (new).....	25
Chickens.....	6	Potatoes.....	30
Turkeys.....	10	Beans per 100.....	80
Shoulder.....	8	Midlings.....	90
Ham.....	12	Chop.....	90

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