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COUNTY NEWS.

Breezy Letters Written by Our Corps of Correspondents Throughout the County.

ADAMSBURG.

Wm. Keller left for Philadelphia last week.
 Fred Keller of Lewisburg was in town Monday.
 Miss Bessie Klose is spending several weeks in Selinsgrove.
 Mrs. Hannah Smith of Middleburg is visiting at J. F. Keller's.
 Wesley Snook purchased Dr. A. M. Smith's lot on Market street.
 H. I. Romig had a Spring phone placed in his residence last week.
 Samuel Bachman and Mrs. Jonathan Spangler spent Saturday in McClure.
 J. D. Haines, wife and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Middleburg.
 Miss Estella Romig spent several days at Freeburg and Middleburg recently.
 Miss Gertrude Knapp has returned from a two months' sojourn in Berwick.
 Mrs. E. Straight of Harrisburg was the guest of Samuel Klimeper's last week.
 Miss Esther Erhart of Lewistown was the guest of Miss Elsie Riegle Saturday.
 Van Middleworth of McClure is visiting his numerous friends in this vicinity.
 Bennieville Smith and daughter Bessie and Ed. Charles, wife and children spent Sunday in town.

WEAVER CHAPEL ORGAN.

To Be Given Away to Some Church, Sunday School or Public School.

The publisher of the Post will give a handsome WEAVER CHAPEL ORGAN to some Church, Sunday school or public school in Snyder County and he asks the patrons of this paper to select the place where it shall go. The highest number of votes will determine the choice. Newspaper coupons and premium coupons will count as follows:

NEWSPAPER COUPONS:—The voting coupon printed in each issue of the Post is good for one vote if filled out and sent or brought to this office.

PREMIUM COUPONS:—All subscribers who pay for the Post in advance will receive a Premium Coupon from this office, that entitles them to TWO votes for each month paid in advance and 25 for a full year. For a NEW CASH subscription FOUR premium coupons will be issued for each month and 50 for a full year. No coupon will be issued for less than six months subscription. Changing the name from one member of a family to another will not be considered a new subscriber. For every dollar's worth of job printing or new advertisements that are brought or sent to this office, a premium coupon will be issued for 25 votes.

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The Middleburgh Post

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NO. 3 | May 17.

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This coupon is not good five weeks after above date and will then not be counted. Send by mail or bring to this office and have it deposited in the ballot box.

WEST BEAVER.

Lizzie Knapp is home from Sunbury on account of sickness.
 The grip has taken hold of quite a number of folks at this end for the past few weeks.
 Howard Ush, family and mother spent Sunday visiting friends at the back mountain.
 Henry Knapp of Siglerville made a business trip to this side of the mountain last Saturday.
 Report says E. L. Romig, who had been one of our township's poor, is now located in Ohio farming.
 The few rains we had last week were thankfully received and made everything in nature smile.
 James Stealy was home from Lewistown to spend part of Saturday and Sunday here and part of the time elsewhere.
 Sorry we did not get to see G. W. Waggoner, editor of the Post, when on a visit here last week. Call again, George.
 Eye-Dr. Couse was seen on our street last week. Jerry looks all o. k. with the exception of being a little thin in flesh.
 T. F. Swineford, neither has jaw or an arm broken as was reported in last week's Herald. The correct report is he had only a few slight bruises and is able to attend to business.
 The services in the German Baptist Brethren church at Bannerville, Pa., on the following evenings, viz. May 20, subject, Repentance; May 27, subject, Baptism; June 3rd, Feet Washing, Lord's Supper and Communion. All are welcome. J. B. Shellenberger, Pastor.

HUMMEL'S WHARE.

The Sunday school of this place is in a flourishing condition.
 Chas. Trutt and wife of Sunbury visited friends in this place Sunday.
 Mrs. James Wertz of Selinsgrove visited her daughter, Mrs. Dallas Will, Sunday.
 Mrs. Samuel Straub entertained her parents, Mr. Stahl and wife of Verdilla Saturday.
 Frank Edley and family spent Sunday with David Moyer and family near New Berlin.
 Chas. Sassaman of near Northumberland spent Sunday with his parents in this place.
 We are well pleased that T. P. Hummel was appointed census enumerator for Monroe twp.

J. N. Johns and sons, Frank and Carl of Sunbury attended Sunday school in this place Sunday.

Levi Dressler and family attended church at Hoover's mill Sunday afternoon. On their way Levi took sick with chills and fever.

We are sorry to state that an old citizen of Shamokin Dam, in the person of Peter Trexler, committed suicide by hanging Saturday morning.

Mrs. James Kessler, last week while white-washing the ceiling in her house, had the misfortune of falling from a step ladder and breaking her left arm.
 The people of this place congratulate Maj. E. P. Rohback of Selinsgrove for being the only applicant, for census enumerator, who answered all the questions correctly in Snyder and Northumberland counties.

SELINGSGROVE.

Mrs. E. K. Schroyer is in Philadelphia spending a few weeks with friends.
 Miss Annie Ott of Mazeppa, Union Co., is at home with her parents for a few days.

A number of our Sunday school workers attended the convention at Freeburg last week.

Rev. W. S. Ulrich and bride left last Thursday for his field of labors at Scenery Hill, Pa.

W. K. Bastian of Muncy, formerly a student of Susquehanna University, is being entertained by friends.

Prof. B. G. Shields and wife of Philadelphia are spending a week with Mrs. S's parents, John Marks and wife.

The shoe factory is turning out 600 pairs of shoes a day and the outlook is for a larger number being turned out.
 Rev. G. W. Gensler of the 1st Luth. church will preach the memorial sermon to the G. A. R., Sons of Veterans and Women's Relief Corps on Sunday evening, the 27th.

KANTZ.

Wm. Gilbert is working at Mt. Carmel.

The sick of this place are improving slowly.

Mrs. William Holtzaple is on the sick list.

Joseph Walborn and wife visited at Kantz Sunday.

Conrad Fetter is complaining from an attack of asthma.

Mrs. Wm. Bulick of Selinsgrove called on her mother recently.

J. Willow and wife left Kantz Friday and returned home to his parents.

Katie Anniller is working at I. G. Sells' in Selinsgrove for a few weeks.

C. A. Shenorry and Banks Benner were to Selinsgrove Saturday evening.

Quite a number attended Sunday school and church at Hoover's Sunday.

Lewis Herold returned from his fishing trip Friday and reported a good time.

James Hanes and son did some carpenter work for Merchant Millner last week.

Geo. Daubert and wife of Milton are visiting relatives and friends at this place.

Lydia A. Romig and Violet Mitman were to the Freeburg S. S. convention Tuesday.

Quite a few of this place attended S. S. convention at Freeburg Thursday evening.

Rouben Anniller and wife of Selinsgrove paid a visit to Charles Hain and wife Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Hain, after spending a few days at Chestnut Ridge, returned home Wednesday.

J. R. Smith, the great piano and organ dealer of Milton, passed through this place to Freeburg Tuesday.

B. Benner and Geo. Roush had a runaway Friday evening on their way home from Bohmer's mill. No accident occurred.

Caterpillars are plentiful in this vicinity.

Levi Herold returned from his fishing trip and reported a good catch.

C. A. Shenorry and Banks Benner were to Selinsgrove Saturday evening.

A. G. Glase and family were visiting his father-in-law, George Kuhn's Sunday.

Mr. Wilson of Williamsport bought a carload of horses at this place last week.

Wm. Gilbert of Smokestown is employed in Mt. Carmel and Wilson Hoff and Wm. I. Seibold at Lewisburg.

ALINE.

The storm did a great deal of damage last Tuesday.

S. G. Martin is recovering from a four weeks' sickness.

Miss Maggie Gelnett was the guest of Edie Hornberger Sunday.

John Knouse bought a fine horse from Henry Kerstetter last week.

Sunday school at Aline and St. Thomas every Sunday at 9 a. m.

Prayer-meeting at the Aline church next Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m.

J. B. Underkoffler and wife were the guests of H. A. Foltz of Knousetown.

Rev. Leopold preached an excellent sermon in the Aline church Sunday.

Mr. Kerstetter had bad luck. When he wanted to commence sawing he broke his engine.

John Shetterly is dragging logs from H. A. Ehrig's timber land to supply the saw mill.

Christian Knouse bought a farm for his newly married son from H. G. Hornberger.

T. S. Herold and F. J. Trutt are hauling bark from Hornberger and Weaver's tracts to Millerstown.

T. K. Hornberger is working at the saw mill for Minium & Co. Be careful and don't saw your fingers, Tommy.

One of Fred Wogely's children died of scarlet fever and was interred at Arbogast's church last Monday. He was aged about 3 years.

Frank, one of Peter Foltz's boys, had a severe fall one day last week. He fell from the barn door and broke his collar bone. He is improving.

Our township assessor was around taking assessment of the bicycles last week. There are quite a number in this section but we think the tax business is void before any prospects of a truck are visible.

We read an account of a big fire at Hepler, in the Dalmatia "Iron", last Monday. A store, hotel and eighteen other outbuildings were totally destroyed. All the live stock was saved with the exception of a calf and a few chickens. The loss is estimated at \$12,000. Insurance \$8,000.

FLINSTONE VALLEY.

J. W. Neitz was to Freeburg one day last week.

Thad Dreese was peeling bark and hauled it home.

C. T. Shaffer and wife were the guests of J. Haines and wife.

James Haines is employed in making posts for Philip Dreese.

G. G. Moyer and C. E. Haines made a heavy blast last week with dynamite. It brought down 500 bushels of stones.

[The editor wishes to inform this correspondent that it is necessary for him to sign his name properly hereafter, not for publication, but for our guidance. Editor Post.]

Reduced Rates to Wilkesbarre.

Account Knights Templar of Pennsylvania.

For Parade Day (May 22) of the Knights Templar of Pennsylvania Forty-seventh Annual Conclave, at Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 21 to 23, 1900, the Pennsylvania Railroad will sell round-trip tickets from all stations in Pennsylvania to Wilkesbarre and return May 21 and 22, limited to return until May 23, inclusive, at rate of one limited first-class fare for the round trip (minimum of twenty-five cents). Tickets will not be good for passage on New York and Chicago Limited Express, and are good for continuous passage only in each direction.

FREEBURG.

J. S. Pawling, wife, son and nephew of West Milton returned home after spending a week with Prof. William Moyer and wife.

Charles H. Miller, a student of Bucknell University, accompanied by a classmate, Marion Carringer of Marionville, spent Sunday with parents and friends.

The work at the Musical College has moved along very nicely the past week. The director is one of the busiest men in town, carefully seeing to the interests of his pupils.

The 30th annual convention of the Snyder County Sunday School Association convened in the L. and R. church, Freeburg, Wednesday evening and Thursday. The convention opened with an inspiring song service conducted by Mr. Cyril Haas of Selinsgrove. A part of the 15th chapter of Romans was read, followed by a prayer from Rev. Dr. Chas. Rhoads, General State Secretary of Sunday School Work. The greeting was tendered by Prof. Walborn, responded to by Brian Teats. Mrs. J. W. Barnes spoke on the advancement of the S. S. Work of the past thirty years. The lecture by Dr. Rhoads on Christian Citizenship entertained the audience for one hour. During Thursday the time was occupied by Dr. Rhoads and Mrs. Barnes in connection with the pastors and other S. S. workers of the county. Thursday evening Mrs. Barnes devoted an hour in speaking to a large audience. Well selected music was rendered by members of both Lutheran and Reformed choirs.

PALLAS NEWS.

Communion services were well attended Sunday.

Amos Gemberling is hauling hay at Augustus Stroub's.

Frank Foltz had the misfortune to break his collar bone.

Hon. G. M. Shindel and wife were the guests of B. P. Stroub's over Sunday.

Charles and Francis paid a visit to their best friends at Pallas Saturday evening.

The new huckster rig which starts out from Pallas Saturdays and Mondays is fully up to date.

Sunday evening Daniel Bower lost a valuable horse as the result of an accident while in the stable.

Farmers who delayed planting corn on account of the dry weather, have resumed and are finishing up.

Any one desiring to purchase a fine farm of 107 acres should call and see the farm owned by Mrs. M. A. Bailey.

Monday David Bickhart sold one of his horses for one hundred dollars and the next day he purchased another for \$65.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton of Liverpool were the guests of Augustus Straub and wife. They also called on Mrs. Bailey in the afternoon.

The much needed and wished for rain came at last Tuesday evening, but we could better have done without it than to endure the disaster which followed.

KREAMER.

Fisher Walter spent Sunday with friends in Selinsgrove.

Mrs. Adam Fields of Johnstown visited friends in this vicinity.

J. E. Magee is confined to his bed with a severe attack of sickness.

Samuel Herman is erecting a new dwelling house on his premises east of town.

Wm. Gemberling and wife of Salem spent Sunday with the family of J. F. Walter.

Frank Thomas and wife of Sunbury visited friends in town the early part of last week.

A. D. Kreamer's fine driving horse is down with sickness. Dr. Potteiger attends him.

Mrs. Jackson Miller and children of Paxinos are visiting friends and relatives in town at present.

Mrs. Geo. Fagley of Shamokin was the guest of the family of her brother, W. A. Keeler, Thursday.

Thomas Sauer, one of our energetic and successful young business men, purchased the farm owned by Thompson Hillish of Selinsgrove.

Mrs. J. E. Magee and Mrs. Sam. Bollinger were delegates to the Snyder county Sunday school convention from the Union school of this place. Miss Leora Walter and D. F. Row were delegates of the Globe Mills school.

McCLURE.

Harry Holdhue is attending school at Herndon.

Herbert Dins is spending a few weeks at home.

Henry Kahley received his new saw mill Monday.

Some of our farmers still have some corn to plant.

James Hughes of Newton Hamilton called among friends last week.

C. W. Decker, wife and son spent Sunday at Lewistown.

Mrs. S. V. Ush and children of Conellville are spending a few weeks among friends here.

Jos. Goss is treating his house to a coat of paint which makes quite an improvement.

S. Weidenmyer and son Harry spent Sunday at Lock's Bank.

NEW BERLIN.

L. C. Reichley, E. A. Engle and Ed. Wilson are erecting a new barn for Fred Reichley near Kratzerville.

Uriah Fessler of Pennsereck bought the John Solomon property on the corner of Vine and Water sts. for \$291.

F. H. Maurer moved his portable saw mill from Fred Reichley's to a tract of timber land on Buffalo mountain north of town.

Mrs. Howard Folk and daughter who had been visiting at her brother, H. H. Wetzel's, returned to her home in Middleburg.

Samuel Geise, who was attending lectures at the Medico Chirurgical College at Philadelphia, returned home having completed one year's course.

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 Men's finedress Pants, \$4.50
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of Caroline Moyer, late of Beaver twp., Snyder county, Pa., deceased have been issued in due form of law to the undersigned, to whom all indebted to said estate should make immediate payment and those having claims against it should present them duly authenticated for settlement. HARVEY MOYER, Executor, Beaverstown, Pa., May 7, 1900.

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