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The Middleburgh Post

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NO. 16 | Aug. 23.

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## How the Organ Contest Stands.

The tenth count shows the result as follows:

U. B. Church, Fremont, Premium coupons, 972	
Newspaper coupons, 145	1117
U. B. Church, Penn's Creek: Premium coupons, 446	
Newspaper coupons, 398	754
Total, 1871	
TOTAL VOTE CAST:	
Even church, P. Creek, 6215	
Ebenezer U. B. church, 2968	
U. B. church, Fremont, 2587	
Trinity church, McKees Falls, 198	
Total, 11668	

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## DIED.

August 15, near Freeburg, Nathanael Schlappig, aged 81 years, 2 months and 26 days. Interment at Freeburg, Sunday, August 19. Rev. H. G. Snable officiated, assisted by the Rev. W. A. Haas.

## Loads of Liberty.

Old Bachelor—I do not see any need of your society, Woodvote. It seems to me that women are pretty thoroughly emancipated already. Mrs. Woodvote—Huh! what do you judge by? Old Bachelor—By the number of married men who are trying to get divorces.—N. Y. Weekly.

**The Little Darling Wined.** "Mary!" yelled the song-writer. "What is it, dear?" asked the patient wife. "Why don't you keep that boy quiet? What on earth's the matter with it?" "I don't know, dear. I'm singing one of your lullabies to the poor little darling."—Tit-Bits.

## MIDDLEBURGH MARKET.

Butter..... 18	Wheat old..... 70
Eggs..... 14	Wheat..new.. 65
Onions..... 40	Rye..... 45
Lard..... 9	Corn..... 45
Tallow..... 4	Oats (old).... 28
Chickens..... 7	Brant per 100 90
Turkeys..... 7	Middlings " 1.00
Shoulder..... 8	Chop..... 1.00
Ham..... 12	Flour per bbl 4 00

## Picnics and Festivals, etc.

**FRIDAY, AUG. 24,** the annual reunion of the Schoch family, at Kramer, this county.

**SATURDAY, AUG. 25,** the Middleburg base ball team will hold a festival on the lawn near John P. Smith's.

**SATURDAY, AUG. 25,** a festival will be held at Smithgrove for the benefit of the church in the evening.

**SATURDAY, AUG. 25,** the Sunday schools of Paxtonville and the Hasinger's church will hold a picnic in the Red Bridge Grove, two miles west of Middleburg. Able speakers will be present. All are cordially invited to attend.

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 25,** the U. E. V. Sunday school of Port Treverton will hold their picnic at Bear Spring Park, about one-half mile west of town.

**SATURDAY, AUG. 25,** St. John's Sunday School will hold their annual picnic at Fremont.

**SATURDAY, AUG. 25,** the annual Lawver's and Samuel's S. S. picnic will be held in Lawver's grove, Decatur.

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 25,** the M. E. Sunday school of Selingsgrove will hold their annual picnic Gemberling's island in the Susquehanna river.

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 25,** a festival will be held in Ritter's grove. Music by the Centreville band.

**SATURDAY EVENING, AUGUST 25,** the Hoover's U. E. S. S. will hold a festival.

**MONDAY, AUG. 27 TO SEPT. 1,** the Grangers' picnic will be held at Williams' Grove, Cumberland Co., Pa.

**THURSDAY, AUG. 30,** the Trinity Lutheran S. S. of Selingsgrove will hold their annual picnic at Clements' Park.

**THURSDAY, AUG. 30,** Odd Fellows Reunion at Millinburg for Lodges of Snyder, Union, Juniata and Millinburg counties.

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 30,** the members of the Reformed Sunday school of Middleburg will hold a basket picnic on Howell's Island. The other Sunday schools of this town are cordially invited to take part.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 1,** the four Sunday schools of Troxville will hold their annual picnic.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 1,** the Witmer's Sunday school of Union township will hold their annual picnic at Verdilla. There will be a band and good speakers.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 8,** the U. B. Sunday school of Ebenezer's church, Washington township, will hold their annual picnic.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 8,** the Paradise S. S. will hold its annual picnic in Paige's grove.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 1,** annual S. S. picnic in Cold Spring Grove, McClure.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 15,** annual G. A. R. bean soup in Cold Spring Grove, McClure.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 15 TO 21,** the annual equipment and Inter county fair will be held at Grange Park, Centre Hall, Pa.

## Forced Economy.

**De Sporte**—Speaking of economy, my brother Jack hasn't spent a cent in five years.

**Chappie**—Indeed?

**De Sporte**—Yes; but he'll be out next week.—Harlem Life.

## Where It Came From.

"Thou art so near, and yet so far"—As old as ancient Rome—Came first from one, who, nearly broke, Was far away from home.—Radford Review.

## AND THEN HE PROPOSED.

He—A penny for your thoughts. She—I dare not tell them. He—Why not? She—This is not leap year.—Sondage-Nism.

## His Method.

"My wife and I," remarked Psloeum, "run the house without a particle of friction. When things go right I give her all the credit, and when they go wrong I take all the blame."—Chicago Tribune.

## Strategy.

Photographer—How shall I finish your photographs, madam? Madam—Well, retouch half of them to look ten years younger than I am. I want those to send out of town.—Chicago Record.

## The Voice of Envy.

Upon—They say Miss Muechensch has rented a flat? Downes (one of the rejected)—Only rented? I heard she's married him.—Kansas City Independent.

## When Humor Ceased.

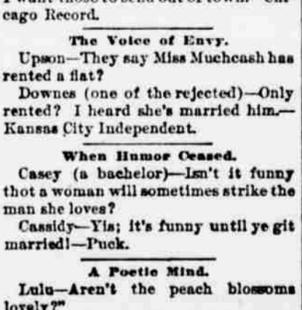
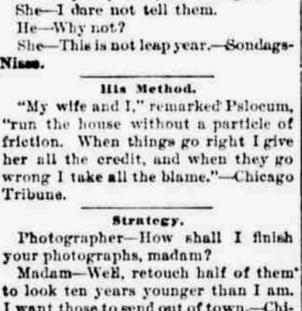
Casey (a bachelor)—Isn't it funny that a woman will sometimes strike the man she loves? Cassidy—Yes; it's funny until ye git married!—Puck.

## A Poetic Mind.

Lula—Aren't the peach blossoms lovely? Flossy—Oh, yes; they always make me think of peach ice cream.—Chicago Record.

## The Sentence.

"A stolen kiss," said the janitor philosopher, "is sometimes punished by a married wife sinitance av har-rud labor."—Chicago Daily News.



## A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

**Wednesday, Aug. 15.**  
 Senator Butler, the Populist chairman, denies he will stump for McKinley.  
 Senator Hanna will open the Republican campaign at Asbury Park, N. J., on Tuesday next.  
 Senator Mason, of Illinois, who has returned from Alaska, announces that he will support McKinley.  
 Collis P. Huntington, multi-millionaire and railway magnate, died suddenly in the Adirondacks.  
 The Republicans in the Fourth Maryland congressional district nominated Charles R. Schrim, of Baltimore.  
 Jacob Mathias, aged 73 years, a prominent merchant of Northumberland, Pa., while gathering pears, slipped and fell to the ground and was killed instantly.  
**Thursday, Aug. 16.**  
 In Paris 35 persons were injured by an electric car colliding with a horse car.  
 Gen. MacArthur cables that there are 5,129 sick soldiers in the Philippines.  
 Ex-Congressman Henry G. Buriel, of New York, died last night at Whitehall, N. Y.  
 Chief Justice Henry M. Green, of Pennsylvania, died suddenly at Atlantic City.  
 Ex-Senator John J. Ingalls died at Las Vegas, New Mexico, where he had been for his health.  
 The steamship Bermuda, of filibuster fame, was sunk at her wharf in Philadelphia by an explosion.  
 Another first class battleship is about to be added to our navy. It is the Wisconsin, building at the Union Iron workers, San Francisco.  
**Friday, Aug. 17.**  
 Herr Krupp will begin practice Aug. 23 with cannon shooting 14 miles.  
 Anti-Imperialists, in convention in Indianapolis, endorsed William J. Bryan for president.  
 The American Window Glass company yesterday declared a 3 1/2 per cent dividend on its \$4,000,000 of preferred stock.  
 Forest fires are burning east of Southfork, Colo. The fires have already traveled 35 miles and the damage will run into the millions of dollars.  
 The People's party Pennsylvania state convention met at Erie yesterday and nominated Robert Brigham and George Main for congressmen-at-large, D. O. Coughlin for auditor general.  
 M. K. McMullin, broker, who is a director in the Philadelphia company and prominent in the organization of the Union Traction company, yesterday purchased the West End Traction company, of Pittsburg, outright for a cash price of nearly \$4,500,000.  
**Saturday, Aug. 18.**  
 John H. Bateman, editor of The State Sentinel, Dover, Del., died at his residence, aged 70 years.  
 Henry Brown, of Steelton, Pa., fell from an electric crane at the Pennsylvania steel works yesterday and was instantly killed.  
 Mrs. Botkin who was convicted in California for the poisoning of Mrs. Dunning and Mrs. Deane, of Dover, Del., has been granted a new trial.  
 The big battle between Fitzsimmons and Sharkey at Coney Island will be decided on Saturday night, Aug. 25, instead of Friday, Aug. 24, as was originally intended.  
**Monday, Aug. 20.**  
 The population of greater New York is 3,437,202.  
 The Prussian government is issuing orders for 480 locomotives.  
 The shah of Persia spent \$1,600,000 in purchases while in Paris.  
 The Paris consulate is overrun with stranded Americans desirous of getting back home.  
 Lord Roberts has warned all Boers who break their oaths of neutrality that they will be shot.  
 Actor Robert Mantell has married Marie Booth Russell, his leading lady. This is his third venture.  
 James W. McKenna, of Elizabeth, N. J., may die of blood poisoning, resulting from mosquito bites.  
 William J. Bryan will be officially notified of his nomination by the Populists on Aug. 23 at Topeka, Kan.  
**Tuesday, Aug. 21.**  
 Thirty planing mills in Chicago will go into a \$1,000,000 combination this week.  
 Yesterday was the eleventh day of 100 degree weather at Abilene, Kan., and the temperature rose to 115 with hot winds.  
 Sol Bloom, a music publisher, has sued the Union restaurant for \$50.00 for refusing to serve him while clad in a shirtwaist.  
 Boaz, a small town in Marshall county, Alabama, was destroyed by fire yesterday. Every business house was swept away.  
 Senator William M. Stewart, of Nevada, called at Republican headquarters in New York yesterday and said he had decided to vote for President McKinley.  
**GENERAL MARKETS.**  
 Philadelphia, Aug. 20.—Flour weak; winter superfine, \$2.40; do. extra, \$2.35; do. 1st, \$2.30; do. 2nd, \$2.25; do. 3rd, \$2.20; do. 4th, \$2.15; do. 5th, \$2.10; do. 6th, \$2.05; do. 7th, \$2.00; do. 8th, \$1.95; do. 9th, \$1.90; do. 10th, \$1.85; do. 11th, \$1.80; do. 12th, \$1.75; do. 13th, \$1.70; do. 14th, \$1.65; do. 15th, \$1.60; do. 16th, \$1.55; do. 17th, \$1.50; do. 18th, \$1.45; do. 19th, \$1.40; do. 20th, \$1.35; do. 21st, \$1.30; do. 22nd, \$1.25; do. 23rd, \$1.20; do. 24th, \$1.15; do. 25th, \$1.10; do. 26th, \$1.05; do. 27th, \$1.00; do. 28th, \$0.95; do. 29th, \$0.90; do. 30th, \$0.85; do. 31st, \$0.80; do. 32nd, \$0.75; do. 33rd, \$0.70; do. 34th, \$0.65; do. 35th, \$0.60; do. 36th, \$0.55; do. 37th, \$0.50; do. 38th, \$0.45; do. 39th, \$0.40; do. 40th, \$0.35; do. 41st, \$0.30; do. 42nd, \$0.25; do. 43rd, \$0.20; do. 44th, \$0.15; do. 45th, \$0.10; do. 46th, \$0.05; do. 47th, \$0.00; do. 48th, \$0.00; do. 49th, \$0.00; do. 50th, \$0.00.  
 East Liberty, Pa., Aug. 20.—Cattle market steady; extra, \$5.00; prime, \$4.00; common, \$3.50. Hogs fair; mediums and pigs, \$5.50; best Yorkers, and good mixed, \$5.50; fair Yorkers, \$5.00; do. heavy, \$4.50; do. light, \$4.00; do. rough, \$3.50; do. steady, choice wethers, \$4.50; do. common, \$4.00; do. choice lambs, \$5.00; do. common to good, \$3.50; veal calves, \$3.50.  
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## School Teachers Elected.

**WEST PERRY TWP.**  
 Crossroads, H. S. Hornberger, Stahls, Wilson Hornberger; Heister Valley, Samuel Snyder; Buckwheel Valley, Albert Whitley.  
**PENN TOWNSHIP.**  
 The school board elected the following teachers: Salem, M. P. Herman; Fair Oak, Wm. A. Endley; Boyer's, H. C. Hendricks; Ott's, W. D. Jarrett; Crissinger's, B. F. Bolig, Jr.; Kantz, Michael Baney; Schoed's, C. K. Fisher; Hill End, Harvey Smith. No selection was made at Bolig's owing to a dead lock in the board.  
**UNION TWP.**  
 Narrows, George Sholl; Kwois's, Lottie Spangler; Scholl's, Michael Brubaker; Witmer's, Howard Sholl; Simon Herrold's, Edward Shaffer; Port Treverton Advanced, Thomas Herrold, Port Treverton Primary, Reuben Aucker.  
**WASHINGTON TWP.**  
 Principal, Geo. W. Walborn; Assistant, Mary S. Hillish; Grammar, T. E. Hoff; Intermediate, Charles Glass; Primary, Mary Weaver; Miller's, Wm. Brown; Flint, Fred Hole; apple; Reichenbach's, John Eisenhour; Red Bank; Chas. Gearhart; Summit, Henry Pontius; Neitz Valley, G. Ammon Shaffer; White Top, Rae Moyer.  
**PERRY TWP.**  
 Fremont Grammar, T. G. Arto; gast; Primary, A. M. Garman; Heister valley, N. E. Stuck; Buckwheel Valley, H. E. Portzline; Morning Glory, G. H. Reichenbach; Bunker Hill, W. H. Ripka; Frymore's, John Nicholas; Potato Valley, G. W. Sierer; Shaffer's, J. A. Shaffer.  
 Phares Blett and son, A. A. Blett, of Marcellus, Cass Co., Michigan, are visiting J. G. Gill at Paxtonville. The two were in Middleburgh Friday morning to see the town and called at the Post printing office. 37 years since the elder Blett left Snyder county.