

LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN NEARBY VILLAGES OF SNYDER COUNTY
 PREPARED EXPRESSLY FOR THE POST BY ITS CORPS OF CORRESPONDENTS

DUNDORE.
 George Long, a successful farmer of our township, has a turkey that weighs 35 pounds. Would that not make a Christmas dinner for President McKinley?
 Squire Schrist has the fancy poultry of Union township.
 Most of our farmers have their turkeys on hand yet. Demand has been limited and prices unsatisfactory.
 The flood in the Susquehanna river started the coal diggers along the coast and the coal panic is over.
 James Rathfon sold a horse to E. Stahl.
 Norton Hendrix, the butcher of our town, is busy every day and the messages he makes are admired by everybody.
 Philip Shaffer was in town and lumber to build a coal house.
 Our merchant is paying from 20 to 25 cents for butter and eggs as the quality.
 John W. Witmer has left for the lumber regions.
 R. Meiser, of Selinsgrove, was in town on business.
 Ex-Sheriff Wolf was in town.
 J. D. Riegel, the scientific farmer, erecting several buildings.
 Several of our landholders are looking for tenants, and quite a number of tenant farmers have not yet.
 William Moyer, of Freeburg, one of our most honored citizens and an eminent educator, was in town.
 Lydia Wagner is spending the week with her sister near Centre.
 Eddie Rambo visited Mrs. W. E. Neitz last week.
 Minnie Shaffer spent Sunday with parents at Toe Hill.
 Aaron Stauffer sold his flock of sheep at a party at Sun- at 9c per pound.
 George Campbell bought a short extra stock which he intends for a year hence, by which he says it will weigh 600 lbs.

SWINEFORD
 Miss Margaret Shambach, of Ad- burg, was the guest of Edward and wife.
 Mrs. John Axe, of Lewistown, is visiting Mrs. J. L. Marks at present.
 Miss Bertina Beaver has gone to sometime with her sister at Ad- burg.
 Miss Anna Swengle, of Paxton- ville, was the guest of Mrs. John and wife.
 Miss Stella Woodling, of Free- burg, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Joe and wife.
 Miss Shambach, of Paxtonville, is a few days with his sister, Mrs. Amich.
 Miss Kate Shannon, of Adams- burg, was the guest of her brother, Mr. Shannon.

KREAMER.
 Charles Herman, Kemer Aumil- and Samuel Pontius rode to Sun- burgy Saturday.
 Row visited his sister, Mrs. of Paxinos last week.
 Stuck was in Sunbury be- tains Saturday.
 Kramer and Lester Walter to Fair Oak Saturday.
 Mable Gutelius and Kath- to Salem Sunday.
 Benner and family, of Se- visited Chas. Landis'

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 You Have Always Bought
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PAXTONVILLE
 Uriah Howell of Beavertown visited his mother, Mrs. Mary Howell, last week.
 Hon. P. F. Reigle was in town on business Friday.
 Samuel Weidenmyer and daughter Kate, of McClure, were visitors in town, Saturday.
 Harry Howell, wife and son, Joe, of Lewistown, spent a few days at H. H. Attig's last week.
 Miss Annie Gift and several lady friends of Sunbury, spent Thanksgiv- ing day with Miss Gift's parents.
 M. S. Boyer made a trip with the Brotherhood of R. R. Trainmen to Sunbury, Sunday.
 Mrs. Annie Attig and two chil- dren, of Glen Union, Clinton Co., came home, Friday to visit Mrs. Attig's mother who is very sick at present.
 Miss Mollie Troup, who is stay- ing at Kreamer this winter, came home Saturday to visit her parents.
 Miss Kate Arbogast, of Pallas, was a visitor in town Saturday.
 Mrs. Ed. Keefer and son Leon, of Sunbury, were attending the funeral of Mrs. Nerhood.
 Wm. R. Zimmerman and Calvin Stellen, were to Union Co., Sunday.
 Miss Effie Shemery, who is stay- ing at West Milton, came home to visit her parents a few days.
 Miss Jessie Attig and Amy Mit- chell, were to Adamsburg visiting relatives last week.

PORT TREVERTON.
 (Crowded out last week.)
 E. F. Neitz is employed on the ferry again.
 C. W. Stroh and N. M. Neitz are boating.
 A. D. Swineford, proprietor of the National Hotel, spent Saturday and Sunday at Oriental.
 Wm. Brubaker, of Sunbury, was a caller in our town Saturday and Sunday. Miss Isora Bingaman went to Shamokin on a shopping expedi- tion.
 J. B. Lenig spent Sunday with his family.
 Jno. D. Bogar made a business trip to Sunbury Saturday.
 J. D. and T. H. Bogar returned home from Speeceville, where they were attending to their father's lum- bering business.
 P. G. Shambaugh, who has been undergoing treatment at one of the Philadelphia hospitals for the past six weeks, has returned home great- ly improved.
 Daniel Snyder and wife of Selins- grove, spent Sunday with their son, Jerry.
 Mrs. Philip Arnold, of Shamokin, is in town visiting her father, Wm. Shaffer, who is very ill.
 Joe Getz, one of the most success- ful salesmen of the country, is spend- ing a few weeks at the National Ho- tel.
 C. D. Bogar, W. L. and J. P. Hel- fenstein were to Lewistown on a hunt- ing tour.
 Levi, Bohner and Wesley Arnold spent Sunday at home.
 Misses Maud Charles and Linnie Aucker transacted business in Sun- bury last week.
 Miss Lena Bingaman, the leading society belle of our town, has gone to Shamokin to attend the wedding of her friend, Miss Nellie Hertzogg.
 Nelson Shaffer has resigned his po- sition at the Port Trevorton House and is now living retired.
 Mrs. Van Tucker Mullner, of Sunbury, passed through town last week.
 Henry Attinger and H. Charles were Sunbury visitors Thursday.
 Harvey Lenig has accepted a po- sition in the car shops at Milton.
 The pupils, of our schools took advantage of their vacation last week, some visited friends out of town while others visited friends in town, especially at places where there were porkers to be killed, for they knew those were the places to visit for good meals.

SELINSGROVE.
 Mrs. Mary Gearhart and grand- children, of Bloomsburg, are visit- ing her brother, Dr. B. F. Wagen- seller.
 Miss Arnie Phillips is spending several days in Scranton among friends.
 Dr. C. H. Dimm and family, of Millinburg, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Rev. Dr. Dimm and wife.
 Pere Gemberling, of Philadelphia, son of Edward Gemberling, the bridge builder, is the guest of friends in town.
 Mrs. Rev. Jerome Guss is being entertained by her parents, Dr. Dimm and wife.
 Mrs. Geo. W. Keller, of Ply- mouth, was a visitor in town among friends.
 Prof. Woodruff spent his Thanksgiv- ing vacation in Philadelphia see- ing the sights.
 Chas. Noetting was entertained by his parents Sunday.
 Jacob Debert and wife, of Schuyl- kill Haven, are visiting Harvey Miller's.
 Mrs. Ira C. Schoch and her sister, Mrs. S. J. Pawling, spent several days in Philadelphia and Harris- burg.
 Wm. Schnure, of State College, spent his Thanksgiving vacation at Philadelphia and at his home. He left for the college early Monday morning.
 J. A. Lumbard and wife and the Scharf families were called to Phila. on account of the sickness and death of Mrs. Bentz, a sister of the Scharf's and Mrs. Lumbard. Mrs. Bentz was a native of this place.
 B. F. Long and Miss Gussie Brei- mer were quietly married Thank- giving morning in the 1st Lutheran church in the presence only of the near relatives and friends. The cere- mony was performed by Rev. Genz- ler, the pastor of Mrs. Long.

SHAMOKIN DAM.
 (Too late for last issue.)
 Wm. Brown, of Freeburg, was seen in our vicinity Saturday.
 Mrs. Sidler and daughter, Lenora, and Miss Herbster, of Berwick, were visitors at Mrs. Wm. Snyder's Thursday.
 Edgar Derr, who is working on the mountains for M. H. Kulp, was a visitor in our vicinity over Sun- day.
 Miss Dora Arbogast and Miss Ed- na Klingler, of Freeburg, are visit- ing at the home of Mrs. Willet Ar- bogast.
 John Romig, of Sand Hill, was seen in our place Saturday.
 Miss Mable Stetler, who was working in a store at Mt. Carmel, came home Saturday evening.
 Isaac Brown, who had his leg ac- cidentally broken Sunday a week ago, is improving slowly.
 Miss Sadie Sterner, of Watson- town, is a visitor at her sister, Mrs. S. H. Murphy's.
 E. R. Hottenstein has sold his store to George Hane, and he is do- ing a rushing business.
 M. H. Hartman is improving his home by putting a new step in front of his house.
 One day last week Frank Erdley, of Hummel's Wharf, came to this place to fetch Mrs. M. S. Wendt to his home to do some sewing. On the way home the horse became frightened, got the best of the driver, upset the buggy throwing the two persons to the ground, tore loose from the buggy and ran away. The people on the buggy were very much frightened and had a few bruises.

SALEM.
 Misses Mabel Kuster and Annie Gemberling spent part of last week visiting friends in McClure.
 Wm. J. Boyer and wife attended the funeral of Wm. A. Kaltriter at Freemont Friday.
 Miss Carrie Gemberling enjoyed the hospitality of Selinsgrove rela- tives last week.
 Misses Katherine and Edith Wit-

Half Sick Half Well

Many persons have their good day and their bad day. Others are about half sick all the time. They have headache, backache, and are restless and nervous. Food does not taste good, and the digestion is poor; the skin is dry and scaly and disfigured with pimples or eruptions; sleep brings no rest and work is a burden.

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mer spent Thanksgiving in North-umberland.
 Messrs. Prof. F. C. Fisher, C. L. and D. L. Gemberling' Oscar Romig and D. W. Moyer started Tues- day for Little Valley in the Seven Mountains on a hunting tour.
 Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Snabel took their Thanksgiving dinner in Kreamer.
 Miss Mabel Gutelius and Miss

Hock, of Kreamer drove to Salem Sunday afternoon.
 Mrs. John Fisher and Mrs. H. W. Maurer spent Sunday in Freeburg.
 Mrs. John Kinney entertained Mrs. Carrie Erdley, of Kantz, over Sunday.

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DRY GOODS	SHOES
Calico per yd..... 3c	Ladies' Fine Shoes \$1.40 for..... 91c
Bleached Muslin, Hill..... 7 1/2c	Men's Fine Shoes..... 86c
"Appleton A" Muslin..... 6c	Men's Coarse Shoes, full stock..... \$1.39
Lancaster Gingham..... 6c	
Turkey Red Damask..... 10c	
	CLOTHING
	Boys' Overcoats, 4 years up..... \$1.00
	Men's Overcoats..... \$1.25
	Men's Suits..... \$2.53
	Boys' Knee Pants..... 20c
	QUEENSWARE
	1 qt. Glass Pitcher..... 5c
	Dinner Plates, 9 inches..... 5c
	Handled Cups and Saucers..... 30c
	Tin and Granite WARE
	14 qt. Tin Pails..... 10c
	14 qt. Granite Dish Pans..... 21c
	3 Tin Cups for..... 5c
	6 Tea Spoons..... 3c

Remember these are only a few of the Bargains and these prices are good, only from Dec. 20th to Dec. 31st, 1900, and for CASH and PRODUCE only.

All we ask is, Call and examine our goods and prices, whether you wish to purchase or not.

Every purchaser coming to our store on Dec. 22nd, will receive a present. Store will be closed on Christmas, Dec. 25

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2 lb. Golden Blend Coffee..... 37c	Fine Dress Goods reduced to..... 10c
Arbuckle and Lion Coffee..... 12c	Lancaster Gingham..... 5 1/2c
5 Cakes Soap..... 5c	Best Prints..... 5c
1 lb. Baking Soda..... 10c	Appleton A. Muslin..... 4c
2 qt. Bottle Indigo..... 10c	Bleached Muslin..... 7c
1 lb. Oyster Crackers..... 5c	Bleached Muslin..... 6c
1 lb. Oat Meal..... 10c	Bleached Muslin..... 7c
A Sugar..... 6c	
Granulated Sugar..... 6c	NOTIONS
Light Brown Sugar..... 5c	Saxony Yarn, per hank..... 7c
Coal Oil, per gal..... 8c	Men's Underwear..... 20c
Lemons, per doz..... 10c	Men's Fleis't Underwear..... 40c
	Boys' Caps as low as..... 10c
	Men's Caps as low as..... 20c
	Men's Gloves..... 20c
	Cotton Laps, per lb..... 9c
	24 sheets Fool's Cap Paper..... 5c
	A full assortment of Holiday Goods and a full line of Decorated Glass wear.
SHOES	
Freed Shoes at cost and below	
Child's Shoes..... 25c	
Miami's Shoes..... 40c to 60c	
Ladies' Shoes as low as..... 50c to 75c	
Boys' Shoes..... 50c to 75c	
Men's Shoes..... 75c to 1.25	
Men's Boots..... \$1.00 to \$1.50	
Child's Rubbers..... 10c	
Misses' Rubbers..... 20c	
Women's Rubbers..... 25c	

The above named articles are only a few of the BARGAINS. We reduced our entire stock to COST, and BELOW COST. We have a fine stock to select from. Remember the Bargains. Prices are only good from December 10, 1900, to February 9, 1901, and only for CASH or PRODUCE. Call and examine the stock whether you buy or not. We will give a present to every customer that purchases 25c worth of goods or upwards on the 22nd day of December. Do not miss the Bargains.

B. H. CUSTER.

