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A nice variety of rainyday skirts at Weis'. 11-29-4t

If you have troubles, tell all your friends about them. They have none of their own.

We still have a large variety of ladies and Children coats and capes at bottom prices. S. Weis, Selingsgrove, Pa. 11-29-4t

There is some talk of changing the game laws at the coming session of the Legislature.

Next week we will announce the winner of the Post's Prize Weaver Chapel Organ.

An elegant artistic calendar, neatly printed by skilled workmen, is just the thing. See samples at the office of the Post.

What Middleburg needs is more progressive and energetic citizens and a little go-ahead activeness infused into those who are suffering from lethargy.

Just received latest style cards which I am introducing at very low prices during the holidays, 12 ivory type photos and one 16x20 crayonide for only \$3. ENGLE, Photographer, Middleburg, Pa.

WANTED—General Agent in this county to handle our line of watches and appoint local agents. An energetic man can make big money easily, rapidly and honorably. Write to-day, NATIONAL WATCH CO., Reading, Pa.

Notice! We will pay the fare both ways to customers from Adamsburg, Beavertown, Middleburg and intermediate stations to purchase goods at our store ten times the amount of the fare or over. This offer will be good till January 1, 1901. S. Weis, Selingsgrove, Pa. 11-29-4t

When perusing news matter in this paper, don't forget the advertisements of our live business men. You can save your subscription many times a year by watching the advertisements and taking advantage of the bargains offered.

If you would have an appetite like a bear and a relish for your meals take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They correct disorders of the stomach and regulate the liver and bowels. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at Middleburg Drug Store

Go to A. E. Soles for a smooth easy shave or up-to-date hair cut and head cleansed with a refreshing shampoo or dandruff removed with his tonic. A clean towel to each patron. Parlor in bank building, one door east of Post-office. Satisfaction guaranteed. tf.

After Dec. 10th, 1900, I will have on sale of my own manufacture whiskey, all rye white for \$1.75 gallon. Come and get a gallon. Other grades from \$2.25 to \$6 gallon, by the quart from 75c to \$1.50. J. L. MARKS, 12-6-3t. Middleburgh, Pa.

Did you notice the poor chap who stands in the first picture in the almanac, with the fish and sheep and scorpions and bulls and twins, etc., around him? Did you notice that he is naked and has nothing in his stomach? Well, that fellow used to edit a paper and did not ask pay in advance for subscriptions.

Calendars for 1901.

Those who wish to get out a nice calendar for 1901 should call at the Post printing office to see the magnificent line of most handsome calendars. No more beautiful calendars were ever exhibited in this county. Give your patrons a neat calendar; they will hang it in their homes and stand as an advertisement of your business during the whole year. Place your order early.

How the Organ Contest Stands.

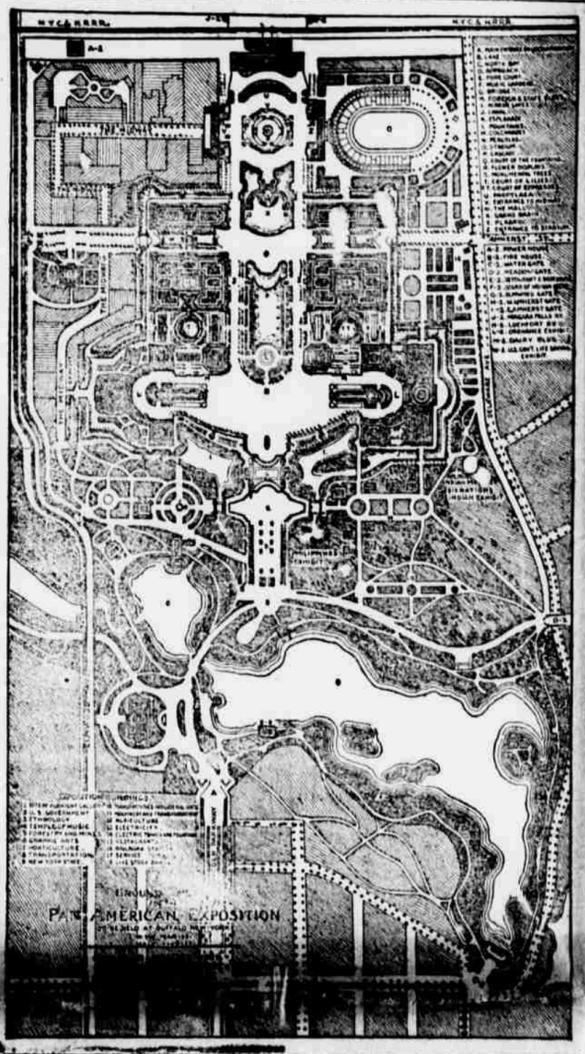
The twenty-fourth count shows the result as follows:

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| U. Evan. church, Penn's Creek: | |
| Newspaper coupons, | 27 |
| Premium coupons, | 688 |
| Total, | 715 |
| U. B. Church, Fremont, | |
| Premium coupons, | 18 |
| Total, | 529 |

TOTAL VOTE CAST:

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| Evan. church, P. Creek, | 11,120 |
| U. B. church, Fremont, | 7273 |
| Shenzer U. B. church, | 2968 |
| Trinity church, M'Kees + Falls, | 198 |
| Total, | 21,265 |

The organ contest will close Dec. 15, 1900, at five o'clock P. M.



COURT HOUSE CHIPS.

Deaths Entered for Record.

J. G. Herrold and wife to Rev. S. P. Brown, 6 acres and 125 perches in Chapman twp., for \$145.

F. F. Neitz and wife to Elizabeth Neitz, house and lot in Port Treverton, for \$125.

Thomas I. Sauer and wife to W. A. and Sarah Keller, two lots in Kreamer, for \$175.

Alex Hummel and wife to Isaac C. Hommel, 80 acres in Spring twp., for \$1720.

Geo. W. Kratzer and wife to Wm. J. Hackenberg, lot in Spring twp., for \$30.

J. R. Haines and wife to Wm. Dreese 10 acres in Beaver twp., for \$325.

Thomas and Catharine Bower to Daniel Shepp, 420 acres in Franklin twp., for \$600.

James H. Dreese and wife to Joseph Goss, lot in McClure, for \$50.

Will Entered.

The last will and testament of William Kaltwriter, late of Perry twp., entered for record.

Marriage Licenses.

- George Mitchell, White Springs, Pennsereck.
- Jennie A. Henry, Pennsereck.
- Elmer J. Bailey, Pennsereck.
- Emma Pontius, Kreamer.
- Vernon J. Gross, Middlecreek.
- Kate M. Hackenberg, " "
- Chas. O. Lonic, Kreamer.
- Carrie E. Hummel, " "
- Wm. R. McWilliams, Pennsereck.
- Sallie R. Snyder, " "
- G. Adam Bowersox, Newton, Kan.
- Mary Harner, Paxtonville.
- Wm. Good, Perry twp.
- Susan C. Herrold, Chapman.

Bargains at Garman's

Peter Garman, Mt. Pleasant Mills is offering a new line of ladies hats and millinery goods. Men's hats 25 cents and Queensware at 3 cents a piece. 11-22-3m

WASHINGTON, D. C. Genesee Pure Food Co., Leroy, N. Y.

"Gentlemen—Our family realize so much from the use of GRAIN-O that I feel I must say a word to induce others to use it. If people are interested in their health and the welfare of their children they will use no other beverage. I have used them all, but GRAIN-O I have found superior to any, for the reason that it is solid grain. Yours for health, C. F. MYERS.

FORT TREVERTON.

Harry Houser of Barberton, Ohio, who has spent a week with his mother returned home Friday.

Wm. Brubaker was in town Sunday.

P. G. Shambaugh is slowly regaining strength again.

H. Crawford and wife spent Sunday in town with the latter's sick father, W. A. Shaffer.

Henry Hoover, of Herndon, was in town Friday.

Jacob Shaffer, who is working in Sunbury, was home over Sunday.

Harvey Shaffer spent Sunday at Independence.

Miss Bessie Woodling, who has been spending four weeks in Williamsport, returned home Saturday, very much elated over her trip.

W. P. Noll, who is working at Steelton, Pa., came home Saturday.

UNION TOWNSHIP.

Gertrude Dunkleberger, of Middleburg, spent a few days of last week with her sister Mrs. I. Aucker.

John Sholl, after spending a few days at home, left again for Riverside where he has a good job.

H. P. Hoot moved on Daniel Sholly's farm last week.

The various Sunday Schools are getting ready for the annual Christmas entertainments.

W. W. Sholly purchased a new parlor organ.

S. A. L. Strawser and W. Sholly spent Friday of last week in Sunbury seeing the sights of the city.

I. G. Seiler and Prof. Schroyer, two of Selingsgrove's crack gunners, were down here Saturday scaring our rabbits.

Butcher S. B. Brubaker found a darned needle (in a good condition) in the liver of a fat hog he killed a few days ago.

Poultry roosting on fences and trees should be sheltered now on account of the cold winds and the sleep walkers.

PERTINENT PERSONALS

E. M. Green, of Lewistown, spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Rev. Shambaugh visited her parents at Bannerville last week.

John R. Kreeger left Wednesday for New Mexico in search of health.

Henry Snook, Jr., of Penns Creek dropped in to see us Wednesday of last week.

W. A. Lutz and wife of Shippensburg, visited her parents here the past week.

Court opened on Monday. The full proceedings will be published next week.

Peter Rigel, Sr. of Middlecreek paid his respects to this office Thursday of last week.

Calvin Sauer of Globe Mills came to Middleburg last week to subscribe for the Post.

Prof. A. A. Killian, of Watsonstown, was a Middleburg visitor Tuesday night.

Mrs. Dr. I. G. Barber, of Danville, is visiting Miss Amanda Wittenmyer in Franklin.

Mrs. Hattie Smith and Mrs. J. C. Hassinger are visiting relatives near Treburg.

H. E. Miller, Jr. Esq., of Selingsgrove made a business call at this office Thursday of last week.

Ex-Sheriff Alfred Specht of Beavertown was a Middleburg visitor Thursday of last week.

H. F. Charles of Port Treverton paid a visit to his son, Edwin, of this place last Wednesday.

Mrs. K. C. Walter, Master Ray and Miss Laura Runkle, are spending two weeks in Philadelphia.

Will M. Boyer, of Port Treverton, recently had his pension increased to \$10 per month.

George Kuhn, of Kantz, Snyder Co. had his pension recently increased to \$10 per month.

Mrs. J. A. Lumbard, of Selingsgrove, and grandchild, of Lewistown, visited Rev. McLain's last week.

Mrs. C. C. Seibold and children Harry and Eva and Miss Mabel Grimm, of Sunbury, spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. C. E. Bolig returned to her home in Winfield after spending a month with her many friends at this place.

L. H. Bowersox has returned from the hospital greatly improved. We are pleased to see him in our midst again.

J. Irvin Bailey of Pallas was a Middleburg visitor last Thursday. While here he made a pleasant call at this office.

Lester G. Smith, formerly of this place, who had been the ticket agent at Elkins, W. Va., was transferred to Blaine, W. Va.

Charles H. Walter and wife, Geo. W. Hassinger and wife, Howard Folk and wife attended the funeral of a relative in New Berlin Saturday.

H. H. Hassinger, who had been assistant cashier in the bank at this place, but was some time ago elected cashier of a new bank started in Elizabethtown, has gone to the latter place and assumed the duties of the office.

The Editor acknowledges the receipt of a card announcing the marriage of Mary, daughter of John Sheets at Carsonsville, Pa. to Albert H. Smith, Editor of the Elizabethtown Echo formerly of this place. The Post extends fraternal congratulations.

Samuel Wittenmyer Sr., of this place passed his ninety-second birthday Sunday and received the congratulations of a large number of friends. He is as hale and active as most men at seventy, his eyesight being the only faculty impaired. Unable to see well, he shaved himself before daylight with out the aid of a looking glass. He remarked, "If I feel as well at one hundred as I do at ninety-two, I could easily walk over Shaded Mountain." Then he jocularly added, "Wish I could see a little better, I'd take a rabbit hunt."

No one can reasonably hope for good health unless his bowels move once each day. When this is not attended to, disorders of the stomach arise, biliousness, headache, dyspepsia and piles soon follow. If you wish to avoid these ailments keep your bowels regular by taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when required. They are so easy to take and mild and gentle in effect. For sale at the Middleburg Drug Store.

Mrs. Ellen Beaver, By the Globe Mills Reporter.

Mrs. Ellen Beaver was born Sept. 8, 1865, and died Dec. 9, 1900. She was a daughter of Solomon and Nancy Hummel, was married to Asaph Beaver, of New Berlin, June 21, 1884. Unto this union was born 2 sons and 2 daughters, Murray S., Oscar A., Mabel L. and Viola S. A father, mother, one sister, and 5 brothers are all living. This is the first death in the family of seven children, she being the oldest, aged 35 years, 2 months and 1 day. She was a long and patient sufferer from cancer in the stomach. She was a kind and loving wife and indulgent mother. Her many friends extend their most heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family. Funeral services were held in Zeiber's church Dec. 13. Rev. Snable officiated.

Mrs. Michael Hackenberg, By the Paxtonville Reporter.

Mrs. Mary Jane Hackenberg was born in Franklin township, Snyder county, Pa., March 6, 1848, and died at her home in Paxtonville, Friday, Dec. 7, 1900, aged 52 years, 9 months, 1 day.

She was the daughter of Adam and Annie Walter, both of whom preceded her to the spirit world a number of years ago. She had five brothers and three sisters, their names being as follows: John, Jerry, Adam, David, Jesse, Amelia, Elizabeth and Kate. Adam and Jesse died some years ago.

The deceased was married to Michael Hackenberg, Feb. 24, 1867, by Rev. Shindel. The union was blessed with nine children, two of whom died in infancy, namely Charlie and Alvin. The names of the remaining seven children are Palmer E., of Millburg, Pa.; Ira A., of Bellevue, Ohio; Mrs. Annie M., married to A. A. Attig, residing at Renova, Pa.; John E., at Reedsville, Pa.; Lizzie E., Bessie V. and Manie E., living at home.

She was a member of the old Lutheran church. She was sick nine weeks. Interment took place at Zion's Monday amid a large throng of people. Rev. Aurand officiated.

Mrs. Joseph Bruner, By the Paxtonville Reporter.

The community was again shocked when the death of Mrs. Joseph Bruner was reported last Wednesday evening. She died after suffering only one day of illness.

Mrs. Lovina Bruner was born Dec. 28th, 1836, in Musser's Valley, 4 miles east of Trevelville. She was the daughter of Peter and Kate Bingham. They both preceded her to the spirit world a number of years ago.

The deceased's parents had nine children, 7 girls and 2 boys, one died in infancy. They raised 8 children, only one surviving, Mrs. Daniel Weirich, of Paxtonville, Pa.

Mrs. Bruner received catechetical instructions in the Lutheran church under Rev. Shindel, and became a member of the church when about 18 years old. She was married to Joseph Bruner Nov. 16, 1856, by Rev. Shindel. She was the mother of 13 children, 12 of whom still survive, 6 boys and 6 girls; one boy (Peter) died in infancy. Following are the names and residences of the children: Isaac, living on the old Kern farm, a half mile west of Paxtonville; Mrs. James Stout, Paxtonville; John, who lives at Shawsville; Clara and Jane, residing near New Berlin; James and Grant, Cumul, Pa.; Maggie, living at Flat Rock, O.; Mrs. Wm. Beachley, living at Paxtonville; Mercy, living at home; William, residing at Pittsburg, and Jerome, near Bellevue, Ohio. The deceased had 26 grandchildren, 24 of whom survive.

The funeral took place at the old Hassinger's church Sunday, Dec. 9th. Rev. Seiger officiated. All the children were home to attend the funeral except Mrs. Frank Hassinger of Ohio.

The family has the sympathy of the entire community, and may peace remain with her ashes.

The text for the funeral sermon was selected from First Corinthians, the 15th chapter, and the 42 and 43 verses.

How to Cure Croup.

Mr. R. Gray, who lives near Amenia Dutchess county, N.Y., says: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best medicine I have ever used. It is a fine children's remedy for croup and never fails to cure." When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough has developed, it will prevent the attack. This should be borne in mind and a bottle of the Cough Remedy kept at hand ready for instant use as soon as these symptoms appear. For sale by the Middleburg Drug Store.

MAY CHANGE HANDS.

The Centre Hall Hotel to be sold to J. W. Runkle.

J. W. Runkle, of Middleburg, will likely become the proprietor of the Centre Hall Hotel. He and the present owner, Wm. H. Runkle, Jr., for the past few weeks have been getting nearer together on terms, and the likelihood is that they will finally make a deal.

Landlord Runkle this morning, Thursday, went to Baltimore. His mission is to look for a suitable location for himself if he should sell the hotel property here.—Centre Hall Reporter.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials, A. D. 1899.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O., S. B. by drug stores, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Retraction.

Whereas a report has been lately giving the rumors that H. G. Homberger of Allene, Pa., and his wife have attempted to extort money from certain sheep buyers in a fraudulent manner, which report has been circulated through me telling the story to certain parties, and since I discovered that such reports were entirely false and untrue to the best of my knowledge, and therefore make this report to the public in justice to the aggrieved hereby retract all which I have said. JOHN SELLER, 12-13-3t.

A Thing of Beauty.

DAVID CRY, Neb., April 1, 1900. Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

Gentlemen:—I must say in regard to GRAIN O that there is nothing better or healthier. We have used it for years. My brother was a great coffee drinker. He was taken sick and the doctor said coffee was the cause of it, and told us to use GRAIN O. We got a package but did not like it at first, but now would not be without it. My brother has been well ever since he started to use it. Yours truly, LILLIE SCHORR.

FREE OF CHARGE.

Any adult suffering from a cold settled on the breast, bronchitis, throat or lung troubles of any nature, who will call at Middleburg Drug Store will be presented with a sample bottle of Boschee's German Syrup, free of charge. Only one bottle given to one person, and none of children without order from parents.

No throat or lung remedy ever had such a sale as Boschee's German Syrup in parts of the civilized world. Twenty years ago millions of bottles were given away and your druggists will tell you its success was marvelous. It is really the only Throat and Lung Remedy generally endorsed by physicians. One 75 cent bottle will cure or prove its value. Sold by dealers in civilized countries.

Get Green's Prize Almanac.

When you feel that life is hardly worth the candle take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse your stomach, tone up your liver and regulate your bowels making you feel like a new man. For sale by the Middleburg Drug Co.

Just received from New York and Philadelphia Tailor-made Suits, Coats, Capes, Reefers, Collarettas, Hats and a new line of Fancy Holiday Goods, Collars, Cuffs, Shirts and Neckwear. Call and see whether you buy or not. MRS. E. C. AUBAND.