

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

**PAXTONVILLE**

Miss Lizzie Hackenburg, of Mifflinburg, came home last week to spend some time with her parents.  
 B. F. Heimbach, wife and Mrs. Annie Erdley, of New Berlin, visited Mrs. Mary Howell last Tuesday.  
 Dr. Herman, of Middleburgh, is very busily engaged at this place in attending the sick.  
 Two more deaths occurred in town this week again, Mrs. Joe Bruner and Mrs. Michael Hackenburg, making a total of three deaths in our town within a week.  
 Friday morning Engine No. 245 had an axle broken, about half a mile west of town, which was the cause of the trains being late that day. Wreck train was called from Lewistown to assist in getting the engine away.  
 Wm. Bruner, of Pittsburg, Grant and James Bruner, of Cammal, and Jerome Bruner, of Ohio, came home to attend their mother's funeral. Grant had not been home for four years, and Jerome left for Ohio 15 years ago, and had not been here since.  
 Mrs. Daniel Hackenburg and Mrs. Dallas Middleswarth, of Troxelville, were in town Saturday.  
 Miss Mollie Mitchell, who is employed in the shirt factory at Beaver-town, spent Sunday with her parents.  
 Samuel Weidenmeyer, Jr., wife and son and Miss Ada Howell were visiting here a few days.  
 Mrs. Theodore Erdley moved her household goods away from here and is now staying with her sister, Mrs. Ammon Kline.  
 Harry Stuck, wife and child were visitors in town Saturday.  
 L. E. Derr made a business trip to Adamsburg Saturday.  
 Samuel Week and Charles Camp, of Beavertown were in town Saturday.  
 Calvin Derr and wife visited their daughter, Mrs. J. D. Wintees, at New Berlin over Sunday.

**CASTORIA**  
 For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought  
 Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

**DUNDRE**

Squire Sechrist got lumber in town to erect a model poultry house.  
 George Long is hauling ties for Meiser & Weaver.  
 Our merchant is selling jumbo bananas at 12c per doz.  
 John P. Wise, who has been working for some time in the car shop at Berwick, came home to oversee butchering and has now concluded to stay till the sausages are out of the way.  
 J. A. Farley, of Lewisburg, selling dry goods for a Philadelphia firm, found it agreeable to stay in town over night and put up at the temperance house where the traveling public find the best of accommodations.  
 Geo. A. Wentzel made a trip to Sunbury on business.  
 A. E. Witmer sold his coal flat to John C. Hoover.  
 J. F. Wagner is convalescent.  
 Wagner, Stauffer and Hoot are hauling lime from John Spangler's mine.  
 John W. Witmer, who spent a few days in the lumber regions, has returned home and reports too much snow to carry on the business.  
 L. W. Longacre, the eminent auctioneer, was in town.  
 Isaac Seiler, of Selingsgrove, was in town offering groceries and had a tan skin along ready for the tanning. That is a sure sign that he was here there were deer.  
 Capt. John Kise, of Philadelphia, who served with distinction during the civil war, and who has been on road for the last thirty years selling groceries, has just recovered from a spell of severe sickness, and lost his wife, was in town on Sunday.

**ADAMSBURG.**

Banks Dreese, of Lock Haven, spent Sunday with his family.  
 Mrs. Clayton Heimbach, who has been spending several weeks with the family of Reuben Dreese, has left for Altoona.  
 Ed. Manbeck and wife moved their household effects to Harrisburg, where he will engage in the grocery business.  
 Jos. Haines and wife have returned from a recent visit to White Deer.  
 Harry Dreese, of Phila., who had been staying with his parents for some time, returned to Phila.  
 Mrs. Jas. Dreese is spending several weeks in Phila., the guest of friends.  
 Prof. F. C. Bowersox visited the schools in this district and reports them to be in a flourishing condition.  
 Miss Myra Romig, a graduate of Keller's Business College, Lewisburg, has accepted a position as stenographer for the Milton Iron Co.  
 A cantata entitled "Unspeakable Gifts," will be rendered by the Lutheran S. S. on the eve of Dec. 24.  
 The Luth. C. E. elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Pres., Estella M. Romig; V. P., Isaac Felker; Secretary, Mrs. J. A. Wagner; Treas., Mrs. I. P. Zimmerman; Cor. Sec'y., Clymer Romig; Organist, Estella Romig.

**HUMMEL'S WHARF.**

Quite a number of our citizens are attending court this week.  
 Miss Martha Hummel is housed up with neuralgia.  
 Mrs. Samuel Stroub had the misfortune of falling and breaking one of her ribs.  
 Chas. Stetler had the accident of spraining his arm, owing to a fall from a wagon.  
 Harvey Moyer is working in Sunbury at his trade as plasterer.  
 Mrs. Rebecca Wagenseller, of Selingsgrove, spent Sunday at Samuel Trutt's.  
 Floyd Sassaman and Misses Mame Young and Olive and Lottie Sassaman spent Sunday with friends at Shreiner.  
 Miss Martha Schoch returned home after spending a week pleasantly at Liverpool and McKees Falls.  
 Misses and Katie Trutt spent a few days at Northumberland.  
 Jacob Stahl and wife, of Verdilla, spent Sunday at Samuel Stroub's.  
 Since our last writing James Kessler has moved to Northumberland, and Mr. Moll, of Kretzville, occupied his house.  
 Galen Holshue and family, of Shamokin, were welcome visitors at P. M. Teats' Thursday.  
 Jacob Kessler, wife and son, of Shamokin Dam, were the guests of Andrew Trutt's Sunday.  
 Mrs. Samuel Bower spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Shaffer, near Winfield.  
 Revere Yerger, who is working for Peter Klingler, is spending a week with his parents near Aline.

**KREAMER.**

Frank Walter, of Buffalo Valley, returned home after spending a few weeks with his aunt, Mrs. Frank Hettrick.  
 Two fittings took place in this vicinity last week. Freedman Reeder moved to Shamokin, and Henry Trutt moved to Shamokin Dam.  
 Mrs. Frank Thomas, of Sunbury, visited M. E. Erdley's last week.  
 B. W. Yoder and sister, Mrs. Hottenstein, of Middleburgh, spent Sunday with J. F. Walter's.  
 An apparently mad dog was running about in this vicinity last week, snapping at everything it came in contact with. Fortunately no one was bitten. Chas. Meckley shot the dog.  
 The communion services at Globe Mills were well attended. Rev. Soable delivered an excellent sermon. Eighteen catechumens joined the church.  
 Protracted meeting is in progress in the Evangelical church.

**ELIN GROVE.**

Quite a number of our people are attending court.  
 Mrs. Bodman nee Kautner is being entertained by friends.  
 Ardell Doebler and family who spent a week pleasantly with his parents, H. J. Doebler and wife, returned home on Thursday last.  
 Mr. Kurtz and wife, of Shippensburg, spent a few hours in town owing to the wing wall at the bridge being defective.  
 Painter Rhymestine spent a week in Center county visiting his parents.  
 Mrs. Howard Klingler died suddenly Friday afternoon of heart trouble. She was aged about 40 years.  
 W. W. Wittenmyer, of your town, was seen on our streets Friday.  
 Mrs. Lizzie Houtz, of Loganton, is a visitor at Prof. Houtz's residence on Pleasant Street.  
 Mrs. Rebecca Waters, of Milton, is being entertained by her brother P. S. Albert, so is his daughter Mrs. Rev. Fasold.  
 Ed. Hefflinger, the tailor, is very much pleased at the arrival of a baby boy at his place.  
 Mrs. Newton Jarrett left Saturday to go to her husband at Minneapolis, Minn., being his headquarters, as he is employed by a railroad to look after building of bridges and of the rolling stock.  
 Rev. S. N. Carpenter, of Pittsburg, (a former student of S. U.) spent some time Friday among friends.  
 Thursday morning word was noused around that the wing wall of the R. R. bridge at the east end had given away and that trains could not pass over. The wreck train came down and went to work and by evening they had it secure and trains were running. Passengers and baggage were transferred, and on Friday the mail train east was nearly two hours late owing to an axle breaking on the engine.

**PALLAS NEWS.**

Luther Erdman, of Paxinos, and Coleman Moyer of Miserville, were the guests of Bailey Bros. Sunday.

**WEST BEAVER.**

James Steely is still adding more improvements to his home by putting up new chimneys to the main building.  
 W. Y. McGlaughlin and family dined with W. H. Knepp Sunday. The bill of fare was rabbit roasted, stewed and fried.  
 John H. Herbster started to Blair county, Tuesday, with a force of hands to run a stove mill for Joseph Dreese.  
 John B. Shellenberger and Wm. Wagner are spending their spare time at night coon hunting in which they have been quite successful.  
 I suppose the doctor found it easier to amputate the leg of an iron kettle than it would be of some of his patients.

**FLINT VALLEY.**

John Botdorf and James Haines were in Neitz valley Sunday.  
 Christopher Haines' were visiting James Haines Sunday.  
 The Christmas entertainment at Ebenezer Church will be on the evening of Dec. 24, 1900.  
 Amon, son of P. J. Moyer, who had a severe attack of rheumatism is slowly improving.  
 J. Haines is sawing shingles for G. A. Botdorf.

**SCHNEE.**

William Lanch's, of Newport, were visiting friends at this place a few days last week.  
 W. A. Schnee was to Freeburg last Monday to transact business.  
 P. A. Stuck will move to Seven-Points, Northumberland County.  
 John Apple and Augustus Garman were to Herndon and various other places last week.  
 Some of our people attended the funeral of Edward Snyder of near Aline Sunday forenoon at 10 o'clock.

**Catch Cold Easily?**

Are you frequently hoarse? Do you have that annoying tickling in your throat? Would you feel relieved if you could raise something? Does your cough annoy you at night, and do you raise more mucus in the morning?  
 Then you should always keep on hand a bottle of

**Ayer's Cherry Pectoral**

If you have a weak throat you cannot be too careful. You cannot begin treatment too early. Each cold makes you more liable to another, and the last one is always harder to cure than the one before it.

Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral Plaster protects the lungs from colds.

**Help at Hand.**  
 If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly obtain, write the doctor freely. You will receive a prompt reply.  
 Address, DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

**McCLURE.**  
 The West Beaver School board met Saturday to compensate the teachers.  
 The Evangelical Congregation have remodeled their church.  
 Mrs. R. E. Stimely, of Thompson-town, visited her sick sister, Miss Mertie Dreese.  
 Prof. Chas. Lambert, of Susquehanna University, spent Sunday at Isaac Dreese's.

The St. Matthew Sunday School will hold a Christmas entertainment Monday evening, Dec. 24.  
 W. M. Bratton sold his house and lot to Henry Knepp, of Pennsylvania Furnace.  
 Mrs. Dr. D. R. Rothrock and daughter Helen, of Milton, are spending this week among relatives at this place.  
 Will John Brisbin returned home last week, after spending a few weeks with Grandpa Shirey.

**BARGAINS! BARGAINS!**

CLEARING SALE AT GRAYBILL AND GARMAN'S DEPARTMENT STORE. We will have a Clearing Sale of GENERAL MERCHANDISE. As we want to reduce our stock \$5000 in eleven days. To make this sale in this time we will sell goods CHEAPER than they were ever sold before in Richfield, Pa. And below you will find a few of our cut prices. Sale to commence on Dec. 20th and last to Dec. 31st, inclusive.

**DRY GOODS**

- Calico per yd ..... 3c
- Blue and White Muslin, 7 1/2c
- Appleton A Muslin ..... 7c
- Laurelton Gingham ..... 6c
- Turkey Red Damask ..... 12c

**NOTIONS**

- 2 1/2 Pins ..... 1c
- 25 Needles ..... 1c
- Ladies' Fast Black Hose ..... 3c
- Men's Underwear, per suit ..... 4c

**GROCERIES**

- Arbuckle Coffee ..... 10c
- 1 lb. Best Baking Soda ..... 3c
- 1 Cake Chocolate ..... 3c
- 3 pkcs Cornstarch ..... 10c

**SHOES**

- Ladies' Fine Shoes \$1.49 for ..... 97c
- Men's Fine Shoes ..... 89c
- Men's Course Shoes, full stock ..... \$1.09

**CLOTHING**

- Boys' Overcoats, 4 years up ..... \$1.00
- Men's Overcoats ..... \$1.50
- Men's Suits ..... \$2.50
- Boys' Knee Pants ..... 20c

**QUEENSWARE**

- 1 qt. Glass Pitcher ..... 5c
- 1 qt. Glass Dish Pan ..... 5c
- Handled Cups and Saucers ..... 20c

**Tin and Granite WARE**

- 14 qt. Tin Pails ..... 16c
- 14 qt. Granite Dish Pans ..... 20c
- 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.

**Graybill and Garman**  
 RICHFIELD, PENNA

Look Here and see  
**The Great Sixty Days' Clearing-out Sale**  
 At B. H. Custer's General Store - - - Swineford, Penna.  
 From December 10, 1900, to February 9, 1901.

Below are some of the many Bargains. We have a full line of Queensware and Agate Ware 6 Cups and 6 Saucers 15c, Agate Wash Basins 10c.

**GROCERIES**

- 2 lb. Golden Blend Coffee ..... 7c
- Arbuckle and Lion Coffee ..... 12c
- 5 Cakes Soap ..... 5c
- 1 lb. Baking Soda ..... 4c
- 2 qt. Bottle Indigo ..... 10c
- 1 lb. Oyster Crackers ..... 5c
- 5 lb. Oat Meal ..... 10c
- A Sugar ..... 6c
- Granulated Sugar ..... 6c
- Light Brown Sugar ..... 5c
- Coal Oil, per gal ..... 8c
- Lemons, per doz. ..... 10c

**DRY GOODS**

- Fine Dress Goods reduced to ..... 10c
- Laurelton Gingham ..... 5 1/2c
- Best Prints ..... 5c
- Appleton A Muslin ..... 7c
- Bleached Muslin ..... 5c
- Bleached Muslin ..... 7c

**NOTIONS**

- Faxony Yarn, per hank ..... 7c
- Men's Underwear ..... 25c
- Men's Flannel 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-ware.



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.**

