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Women grow gray from fear of be-

Talk is cheap until you want to use ong distance telephone.

More misery has come through inlolence than through anger.

Get your spring or summer hat at Kate A. Wageaseller's millinery store,

ad leghorn hats at 25 and 35 cts. L. DUNKELBERGER.

The old blacksmith shop occupied in cent years by H. D. Stahlnecker has een torn down.

ng some time this summer.

ads for a collar button it may show rapidity. has got it in the neck.

The First National Bank of Beaver orequired to start their bank.

Rev. Searle and family have moved Port Treverton. He has charge of United Evangelical Circuit.

forest fires in the vicinity of Adamsrg are devastating valuable timber court. d. Locomotive engines and inceniaries started them,

Our summer millinery opening will ike place Thursday, Friday and Sat rday, May 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

L. DUNKELBERGER.

The trout season opened Monday and e fisherman sped away to the mounin steams for a catch of the spreckled

Hicks predicted windy weather for pril will not be over with this blow. says we are to have lots more of it

ring the month. The Lutheran church of this place is

ake care of the flock.

good meeting is promised. The parsonage trustees of the U. B. urch have made quite an improve

ent on their property by way of layg tiling through the lot, to do away ith the open gutter. Now is the time to advertise. The

ost reaches the substantial people of ir business without a thorough sysof advertising. The Post will og results.

Before General Miles lets his Presitial boom get too big he had/better ditate on a Presidential boom, once property of George Dewey, U.S. N. ere is that boom now? Ask of the ids that all around with fragments

A bill now before the Legislature, which will interest our farmers o have been engaged in a crusade inst hunters, provides a fine of \$5 hunting on a private property withpermission of the owner.

he merchants of the state, especialhe retailers, will be pleasantly sured at the prospect of having the cantile tax they are now paying exactly in two. The ways and ins committee of the legislature reported favorably and the bill Graeber Says He Never Promised to Marry be passed.

e best and finest assortment of linery goods ever brought to Selinse can be seen at Kate A. Wagenr's Store, Selinsgrove. Plenty of e to suit both the large and small ket book. You get more for the ey here than elsewhere.

to A. E. Soles for a smooth easy e or up-to-date hair cut and head sed with a refreshing shampoo or druff removed with his tonic. A towel to each patron. Parlor in building, one door east of Post-Satisfaction guaranteed. tf.

r-tracks of extraordinary size have found on the farm of Grover eland near Princeton, Is this a or portent? Or does it merely inthat some educated bear, having ed that Mr. Cleveland is a great r, went to Princeton to have a sport? Surely with comets, new and bear tracks it looks as if somewere bruin.

Read the advertisement of the Rothermel Music Co., Sunbury, in this is

The Central Pennsylvania Conference Methodist Episcopal church, will meet next year at Shamolin.

Our line of flowers, silks for shirt sick. waists and millinery, all over laces, fancy gold and silk laces, and nettings, near his present residence. and appliques and ribbons is most com-L. DUNKELBERGER.

Fire Thursday at William's Grove, How do you like your new neighbors? the Granger's picnic resort, destroyed The dead beat crop is one that never Markley's notel, a pavillion, barn and born dead last week, ten other buildings. The loss is estimated at \$10,000.

The Pennsylvania Editorial Association will go to Buffalo to attend the Easter dance at Millersburg. Ladies' and children's sailor hats Pan American Exposition for the week beginning June 3. The National Edi- is in custody of the sheriff at the jail torial Association will be there the week following.

Fire seriously damaged four business houses at Pittsburg Thursday, involving a loss of about \$50,000, mostly cov. spending several days in town. Arrangements are being made for a cred by insurance. The fitre started in union of the 51st P. V. L at Millin- the basket store of Charles Rochrig, on [Hall is visiting relatives in town: the Diamono, from an overheated Miss Claire Graybill, who had been If Againaldo wears one of those dias slove, and spread with increditable at Millersburg, returned home,

After an illness of nearly six months, Middleburg Monday on business. Charles S. Lincoln, clerk of the United rings has paid in \$18,491 of the \$25,- States court, for the eastern district of county seat Monday afternoon between Pennsylvania, died at Philadelphia trains, Thursday from paralysis, resuiting from overwork. Mr. Lincoln was 75 years old and was probably the oldest clerk of any United States district

Swartz and Graybill have just returned from the city and now offer one of the finest lines of lawns, dimities, batiste, organdies, gingle-us and oth er summer dress goods 1... ver was brought to the town and at prices that will astonish you. We invite you to come to see the goods, bring your produce or cash and buy of these goods and be happy.

SWARTZ AND GRAYBILL. The big department store of Julius Meyer Sons, Richmond, Va., was completely destroyed by fire Wednesday and the charred body of R. E. Slaughter, manager of the carpet department, ithout a shepherd. Nine different was subsequently found in the ruins. plicants have signified a willingness The breaking out of the fire created a panic among the customers and the The annual convention of the P. O. 400 employes, but all were gotten out of A. of Snyder County will be held without injury except Mr. Slaughter. No estimate of the loss has yet been made. The insurance amounts to about \$250,000.

Sunbury has a scheme to rid that town of the tramp nuisance, which operates effectually, and the Knights of the road are inclined to cut that town out of their travels. Recently several of the wanderers applied for a night's yder County. You can not increase lodging at the lock-up. It was granted them by the police, but they had ten days more tacked on to the time, and Beavertown, returned home Saturday. the ten days will be applied to the cleansing of the streets of the town, with a ball and chain attached to their in May. Further announcements later. legs to retain them as the town's guests.

> An innovation looking to the comfort of letter carriers throughout the country during the heat of summer Saturday, probably will be introduced this year by official permission to them to divest rounds when felt to be necessary. It is expected that the postmaster general in the near future will issue an order formally granting authority to postmasters for this purpose and modifying the requirements so as to allow the carriers to wear a suitable gray blouse, with turndown collar and a black tie.

DENIES CHARGES.

Miss Watkins.

Frederick R. Graeber arrived at Shaphia and will spend several weeks at dinary ability and he or she who would tate of Rachel Greenhoe, late of Beathat plece. His traps and horses are command an audience should be under vertown to Wm. I. Greenhoe. on the way from the city and will ar- his tutelage. rive this week.

When interviewed in reference to the Miss Margaret L. Watkins in the Philadelphia courts, Mr. Graeber made which terminated his life. He was a a vigorous denial of the chaages preferred against him. "I never promised to marry Miss Watkins and I never

and without foundation." Mr. Graeber has engaged the best legal talent to conduct his case. He says the plaintiff cannot prove that he promised to marry her.

The Middleburg band serenaded the people of town and Franklin Tuesday evening. This band still has much of the same material that made it famous some years ago.



Mrs. F. S. Riegel is listed with the

J. F. Reitz is erecting a new house

Dr. F. J. Wagenseller of Selinsgrove was in town Monday.

A child of John Patton and wife was

E. R. Owen of York was in town the

early part of the week. Miss Lillian Stetler attended an

Henry W. Barner of near Richfield

Miss Miriam Bachman is visiting C. A. Meiser at Thompsontown. Miss Alice Haines of Benvertown is

Mrs. Rev. J. M. Regriek of Centre

Jacob Aigler of Beavertown was at

J. J. Mitchell of Kreamer was at the

W. W. Ripka, railroad mail agent. spent several days in town with his

M. L. Kreeger and wife of Selinsgrove spent Sunday with Azariah Kreeger

J. C. Beek, book-keeper of the shoe factory, spent several days at Berwick jast week.

Miss Erma Magee of Lewisburg is visiting relatives at the county seat this week.

Miss Eva Rothrock of Swineford left for Huntingdon where she expects to attend school.

Mrs. Jacob Stahlnecker spent last week at Adamsburg with W. E. Stahlnecker and wife.

Mr. Shipe and wife, nee Mame Clelan, of Sunbury spent Sunday with her lick. Attorney J. Simpson Kline pre-

parents in this place. John Stahlnecker, who had been employed at the Hershey House, Harris-

Geo. W. Rishel, Misses Mabel Row and Anna Fisher of Selinsgrove Sunday were caffers at the jail.

burg, has returned home

Eudalia Stahlnecker, and the infant children of Wm. H. Spangler and C. W. Graybill are on the sick list.

John Runkle, J. W. Swartz of this place and Chas Boyer of Paxtonville were to Philadelphia last week.

visiting her sister, Mrs. Kate Nace, at nor violation of the spirit of the offer.

Kate A. Wagenseller of Selinsgrove will have a summer millinery opening

Mrs. A. H. Ulsh, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rev. A. E. Cooper, at Maple Hill, returned home

Prof. Arthur Wallize, one of the teachers of the Sunbury high school, themselves of their coats on their and his wife of Selinsgrove spent Saturday with Attorney Jas. G. Crouse and

Cloyd Horning, one of the commissioners of Juniata County, was at Middicharg Monday to meet the Snyder county commissioners to adopt speci- ton twp., for \$3000. fications for the joint bridge at Mahon-Middleburg Friday.

Prof. E. F. Dunlavy, who holds the chair of elecution and oratory at Sus- in Smithgrove, for \$600. quehanna University, Selinsgrove, was at the county seat last Thursday. The mokin Friday evening from Philadel Professor is an artist of more than or-

Henry Rhoads was killed by a passenger train near Inglenook station suit for breach of promise instituted by Tuesday April. 9. His head was horribly bruised and cut in the sad accident section hand on the Penn. R. R. His remains were laid to rest Thursday April, 11, in the burial plot of Barner's will Her charge that I set a wedding church, Juniata Co., Pa. to await the day and then put it off is preposterous final summons. Age 43 years.

Bellefonte Has Big Fire.

Bellefonte, April 15,- Late this evening fire destroyed the large foundry on which there is a partial insurance. gest in the world.



EDWARD F. DUNLAVY.

Professor of Elocution and Oratory, Susquehanna University.

WON'T PAY THE REWARD.

The Commissioners Refuse to Give Constable Conrad the \$100.

Constable J. M. Conrad, of Upper Augusta township, has made a demand announces the following special reon the commissioners of Northumber- duced rates to Buffalo, on account of was elected as Grand Master of the for the capture of Murderer John Gu- opens on May 1 : sented the claim Monday afternoon, from April 30 to September 30, inclubut the commissioners refused to pay sive, and good to return until October it. The commissioners contend that 31, at rate of \$20,00 from Washington, Guliek gave himself up voluntarily, \$18,00 from Baltimore, \$17,00 from and that Conrad is not justly entitled Philadelphia, and proportionate rates to the money. They say that if any from other points. person is entitled to the reward it is Tensday excursion tickets, to be sold, young Surgeon, who discovered the as- beginning May 1, and continuing every sassin in the workshop Sunday morn-day thereafter during the Exposition, secure the prisoner was made by Const date of sale, at rate of \$16,80 from Washthe prisoner would have given himself from Philadelphia, and proportionate Miss Susie Renninger, who had been up. There will be no breech of faith, rates from other points.

COURT HOUSE CHIPS.

Deeds Entered for Record.

their attorney, T. A. Wagner, to Sam'l rates from other points. H. Phillips, 24 acres and 145 perches in West Beaver twp., for \$640.

to Marcy & Co., 102 acres in Spring more, Washington, and Buffalo, 4-18-21 twp., for \$300.

for \$18.65.

Geo. Bilger and wife to Charles C. Gemberling of Selinsgrove to Alvada tongo. The letting will take place at Gross, 4 tracts in Spring twp., for \$2,- Lenig of Port Treverton.

> Letters Granted. In the estate of John Hehn, late of

> Franklin Row to Perry L. Row, lot

Selinsgrove, to Benneville Smith; es- and Sallie C. Bilger. Marriage Licenses.

(John F. Weller,

Jennie Mitchell, Centre twp. Foster F. Herman, Globe Mills, Lizzie S. Wilt. Hoffer. Lee I. Erb, Annie C. Hassinger, Troxelville, Benfer. ewistown, Middleburg.

Swineford,

Ammon J. Musser, Sallie C. Bilger, Killed By Riding High-geared Wheel.

Williamsport, Pa., April 15,-After riding a 300-gear wheel, which has been on exhibition here, Peter Leonard walked into Kaufman's bicycle store this evening and a moment later dropwarehouse and pattern shops, together ped over dead. Death was due to heart with many valuabe patterns of Jenkins failure caused by overexertion. Leon-& Lingle, foundrymen and machinets. ard was a deaf mute, aged 35. The The loss will probably exceed \$20,000, gear on this wheel is said to be the lar-

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD RATES PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION. BUFFALO.

The Pennsylvania Radroad Company land county for the \$100 reward offered | the Pan-American Exposition, which | United States. In June, 1880, Mr.

Summer excursion tickets, to be sold

ing. The public will sustain the com- good going on regular trains and good "Keep off the Grass." Sunday mornmissioners in this action. No effort to returning within ten days, including ingearly the march began. The obrad. If he had kept out of the way, ington, \$15.00 from Baltimore, \$13.50

Special exentsion tickets, to be sold, good going only on Thursday, May 23, and good returning within seven days. Bank, who with his assistant, the including date of sale, at rate of \$10,00 from Baltimore and Washington, \$9,00 Heirs of Mary A. Baumgardner by from Philadelphia, and proportionate

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company now operates two through trains each Heirs of Catherine Shambach, dee'd, Way daily between Philadelphia, Balti-

MARRIED.-Apr. 10, by Rev. Wm, H. W. H. Marey and A. Bertch, ag't, to Boyer, John F. Weller of Washington A. W. Engle, 102 acres in Spring twp., twp. to Jennie Mitchell of Centre twp. John N. Brosins, Commissioners' clerk,

Apr. 10., by Rev. E. E. Sieger, James Heirs of Andrew Bickel, deceased, to F. Kline, of McClure, to Lizzie B. John F. Boyer, 250 acres in Washing- Long of Penn's Cave, Centre Co., Pa. Apr. 7, by Rev. J. E. Francis, G. A.

> Apr. 7, by Rev. H. H. Spahn, J. Daniel Snook and Emma J. Peters,

both of Middlecreck, Pa. April 14, at the Evangelical parsonage at Centerville, Ammon J. Musser

Death of William Wenrick.

William Wenrick was born Jan. 1. 1834, and died near Zion's church Saturday, April 13, 1901, aged 67 years, 3 months and 12 days. He was the father of nine children, six sons and three daughters. Five sons and one daughter survive.

There were 27 grandchildren, 23 o whom survive. Mr. Wenrick was married to Susannah Derrick.

The family wishes to extend their thanks to friends and neighbors for kind and valuable assistance.

Change of Post Office Address.

Subscribers to the Post who expect to move this spring, should give timely notice. Give the office to which your paper is sent and the one to which you wish it mailed.

Christian Frederick Knapp Dies Suddenly at His Home in Bloomsburg.

Christian Frederick Knapp, known as the "Father of Masonry," and one of the oldest citizens of Bloomsburg, died at his home there Thursday of heart failure. Mr. Knapp was 78 years of age and until quite recently enjoyed the best of health. Funeral took place Monday.

Mr. Knapp was born in the city of Besigheim, Wurtemburg, Germany, October 12, 1822, and came to this country in 1831. On September 23, 1851, he received his first degree in Free Masonry in Danville Lodge, No. 224, F. and A. M.; in October of the same year he received the second degree, and in November the third degree. In January, 1852, he resigned his membership in Danville Lodge for the purpose of starting a lodge in Bloomsburg and in August a charter was granted by the Right Worshipful Grand Lodge of Penna, to Washington Lodge, No. 205, to be held in Bloomsburg, and | C. F. Knapp was named in the warran as its first Junior Warden. In December he was elected Worshipful Master or the lodge and served until December 1854, when he was elected secretary, having served as such up to the mesent time. He was appointed by the dight Worshipful Grand Master as District Deputy Grand Master for the counties of Union, Snyder, Northamberland, Montour, Columbia and Wyoming and served as such for eight years, when he resigned.

In February, 1874, he received the order of Grand Cross at the hands of C. L. Stowell, Grand Sovereign of Pennsylvania, at the age of 52 years. No nation can have more than fifty living members of this order. In June, 1877, at a Grand Chapter of Grand Crosses he was elected a second time as the second grand officer of that body for the United States. In June, 1879, at a Grand Chapter of Grand Crosses, he Knapp retired from that office.

THE PEDESTRIANS.

The Weiser Pedestrian Club of Middleburg is now a stern reality. Bicycles, earriages, automobiles and passenger trains are not fashionable modes of con veyance any more. They are all back numbers. Coxey immortalized himself several years ago, by his tramps and soon became accustomed to the signs, jective point was Beavertown, where H. H Faust took pity on the hungry, dusty travelers and gave them a square meal. The party consisted exclusively of men of note, as follows : J. N. Thompson, Jr., Cashier of the First National noted ladies' man, J. E. Haldemen, paid all bills for dust and stones found by the wayside, Jay G. Weser, H. Harris Bower and Wm. R. Miller, attorneys-at-law, whose duty it was to prove the right of eminent domeiu-towalk the public road from Middlebars to Beavertown and return, Samuel Wittenmyer, Jr., had charge of the single file of the heavy-foot Infantee. was assigned the duty of discovering why the County Solicitor could not be induced to Shak-a-limy. Last, but not least, came Carbon Sechold, proprietor of the Washington House, who was continually wondering why he did not take the old gray mag instead of tramping the dusty roads.

After partaking of a square meal, they walked back to the county sent, foot sore and weary.

The pedestrians announce that next Sunday they will walk to Frement and

Will Open a New National Bank.

Chambersburg, Pa., April 15,-The talked of fourth bank for town, with branches in five or six of the smaller towns or villages of Franklin county, came to the surface again to-day by the announcement that a bank under a national charter, with various new features, would be opened in St. Thomas at once. Congressman Thad M. Mahon of town, will be president and Cyrus C. Gelwicks, of St. Thomas, cashier.

Keeps Him Hustling.

Friend-Why don't you take it easy during the hot weather?

Busiman-You forget that I have an ad. in the Middleburg Post.