

LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN NEARBY VILLAGES OF SNYDER COUNTY

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NATIONAL CELEBRITIES

Declare Pe-ru-na to Be the Greatest Catarrh Remedy of The Age.

PORT TREVORTON.
 Toledo Houtz of Shamokin dining several days under the roof.
 Della Krebs of Dundore several days of the past week
 sister, Mrs. A. W. Aueker.
 Reif made a business trip to Dundore Wednesday.
 H. F. Charles spent a few days last week with her sister-in-law, George Herrold at Chap-
 M. A. Blasser of Sunbury business call in town Thurs-
 Maude and Jennie Charles the guests of Geo. Strasser wife at Selinsgrove over Sun-
 D. G. Stahl and daughter, spent Thursday at Chagamin guests of Mrs. Anna
 Charles and Jackson Stroh visitors at the county seat
 Bogar spent Sunday with son and son at Selinsgrove.
 Cora Reichenbach and Mrs. Wm. Metzger of Dundore passed through town Friday.
 Guy Neitz of Sunbury relatives during the week.
 D. Bogar and wife spent days with their daughter, Lloyd Speece, who resides in town.
 Henry Schrawder spent with her daughter, Mrs. Hershly at Sunbury.
 Shaffer paid his parents a visit over Sunday.
 Ramer and bride of a passed town Saturday to the former's old home at
 merry party surprised Harvey at his home Tuesday even-
 Searle made a business Mahantango Wednesday.
 E. Charles sold his house on street to Jerro Snyder, and moved to Akron, Ohio in the future.
 J. E. Bogar and wife spent days of last week with relative Shamokin.
 W. Stroth of Sunbury visited over Sunday.
 Carwell and daughter, Mrs. F. Flanders called on M. R. and wife their brother and respectively, at Selinsgrove
 Charles, wife and son spent with Geo. Herrold's at an.

ASTORIA
 for Infants and Children.
 and You Have Always Bought
 the
 Care of *Chas. H. Pletcher*

Are You Moving in the Right Direction?

We have been doing considerable moving the past week and on much of our stock we have ruled the prices to such low mark that we expect the goods to move very rapidly.

Groceries
 Ginger Snaps, 5 lbs. 25c; Oyster Crackers, lb. 5c; Rasins, lb. 9c; String Beans, 4 cans 25c; Shredded Coconut, 5c; Apples, lb. 9c; Table Syrup, 8c; Shredded Wheat, 11c; Extract, per bottle, 5c; Fancy Japan Rice, 7c; Fancy Carolina Rice, 5c; Catsup, big bottle, 5c; Preserves, 12c; Falcon Butter Sacker, 5c; All other Groceries at the same low prices.

Remember 18 by 36 Turkish Towels for only 10 cents.

THE RACKET
 South Pine St., Selinsgrove, Pa.
 Country produce in exchange. Telephone connected.

Heads should never ache.
 Never endure this trouble. Use at once the remedy that stopped it for Mrs. N. A. Webster of Winton, Va.,—she writes "Dr. King's New Life Pills wholly cured me of sick headaches I had suffered from for two years." Cure Headache, Constipation, Bileousness, 2c at Middleburg Drug Co., Graybill, Garman & Co., Richfield, Pa., Dr. J. W. Sampsell, Penns Creek, Pa.

DUNDORE.
 They say that the best way to train up a child in the way it should go is to go that way yourself.
 George A. Wentzel sold a fat hog to a party at Herndon.
 The Canal Bridge at Henry Hoot's will be taken down by the permission of the Penna. Canal Co. and the canal filled up to make an easy crossing for our coal diggers who took 500 tons of coal out last year.
 Our tax collectors complain about some of our tax payers, why not give them the medicine that their case requires.
 John H. Wise filled his ice house.
 George Campbell is still confined to his house but slowly improving.
 21 lbs. of sugar for \$1 at Dundore.
 Some of our farmers are hauling lime and believe it is a paying investment.
 Our old pensioners were much pleased last week with Uncle Sam.
 The Post of last week was worth \$1 to any thoughtful reader.
 The Congress that meets at Dundore's store every evening is well attended and questions of national importance are often under discussion.
 J. B. Stauffer sold his tobacco to John Houtz of Freeburg at a satisfactory price.
 The misunderstanding between one of our school teachers and one of his pupils has been adjusted.
 Our shoemaker does good work and has many customers.
 Since the canal has been abandoned many teams hauling ties are passing through town.
 Several of our young men intend to hire out next summer.
 Our solid winter affords no sleighing and no protection for the grain.
 It is believed that nature will build a bridge at Port Trevorton before the grand jury will.
 Geo. B. Rine and wife of Kantz passed through town.
 The wedding bells the other night had an unusually clear sound.
 H. C. Hoover has the contract to furnish the stone for the Herndon Bank building.
 Produce higher at Dundore.
 Several farms are not rented yet, and yet, farming is the most independent pursuit.
 Heavy tax payers ought to be elected to fill township offices.

SELINGSGROVE.
 A surprise party was given A. W. Potter on Tuesday eve last it being his birthday. Trinity Luth. Choir and a number of friends assembled at the house and after a program had been rendered Dr. Focht, Pastor, in well chosen words presented the Squire a fine Morris chair the gift of the Choir. It was accepted by the Squire in a few feeling remarks thanking the choir.
 Harvey Haupt sold the most of his household goods Saturday. He has accepted a position in New Jersey.
 The Week of Prayer was observed by Trinity, Luth. church, large audiences being the rule.
 Ira C. Schoch and wife spent Friday very pleasantly at Sunbury among friends.
 Landlord Hettrick made a business trip to Wilkes Barre last week.
 Prof. Woodruff, Dean of the University, made a trip to Williamsport last Friday.
 Rev. Warner and wife attended the funeral of the Rev'd's mother who lived near York.
 Mrs. Tillie Mertz nee (Von Neida) of Williamsport came to pay a visit to her parents and became ill so much so that at one time her life was despaired of. She, however, is now, improving.
 The planing mill seems to be as busy as the shoe factory. There seems to be plenty of orders to keep them busy.
 A lecture was delivered by Miss Sowers of Washington to the ladies of the town on Friday afternoon. None but ladies were admitted.
 Dr. B. E. Wagenseller attended the sessions of the Lycoming Co. Med. Society at Williamsport Friday.
 Mrs. Lank Kreeger visited friends across the river Thursday.
 The Basket Ball game between Frackville Y. M. C. A. team and Susq. University team Saturday evening was witnessed by a large audience. The score was Frackville 35, Susq. 10.

The Secret of Long Life
 Consists in keeping all the major organs of the body healthy, regular action, and in quickly destroying dead disease germs. Electric Bitters regulate Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, purify the blood, and give a splendid appetite. They work wonders in curing Kidney Troubles, Female Complaints, Nervous Diseases, Constipation, Dyspepsia and Malaria. Vigorous health and strength always follow their use. Only 50c, guaranteed by Middleburg Drug Co., Graybill, Garman & Co., Richfield, Pa., Dr. J. W. Sampsell, Penns Creek, Pa.

Verification.
 "I wouldn't take nuffin' dat doesn't 'long to me," said Mr. Erastus Pinkley.
 "I kin now unduhstan'," rejoined Miss Miami Brown, "how de repoht got out dat you is a po' provider an' yoh family nubber has chicken fob dinner."—Washington Star.
Getting Down to Facts.
 Merritt—First you say you love me and then you say you don't.
 Cora—Well, don't you know you can't believe more than one-half what a girl says?
 Merritt—But in this case, my dear, which half shall I believe?—Judge.
Wrong Again.
 Footit—Who was that impudent little brat who came into your room and acted in such an ill-bred manner while I was calling on you this morning?
 Mr. Meekton—Er—why, to tell the truth, that is our youngest son.—Ohio State Journal.
Bad Manners.
 Auntie—Don't you know, Bobbie, that it's very bad manners to put your knife in your mouth?
 Bobbie—Don't you think, auntie, that it's very bad manners to stare at your guests when they're eating?—Glasgow Times.

Your Tongue
 If it's coated, your stomach is bad, your liver is out of order. Ayer's Pills will clean your tongue, cure your dyspepsia, make your liver right. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c. All druggists.
 Want your mustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Then use BUCKINGHAM'S DYE for the Whiskers.

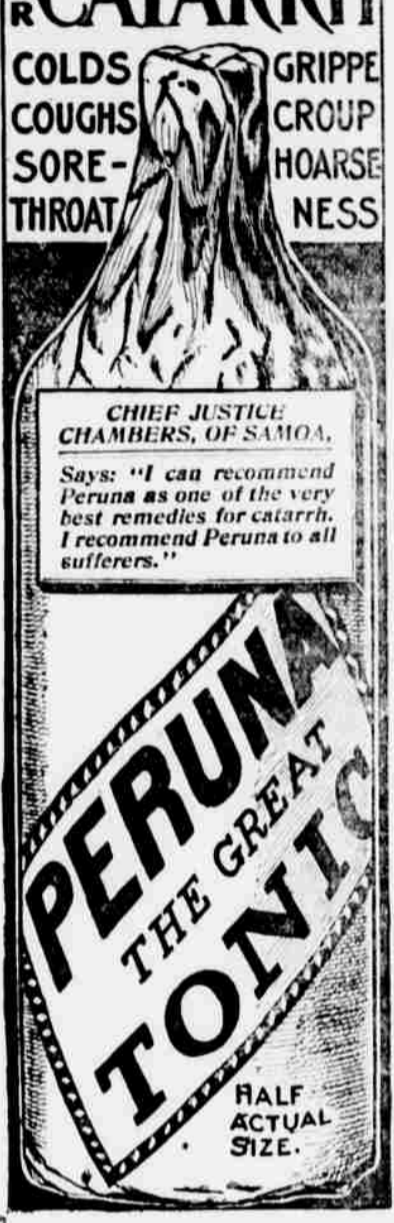
MT. PLEASANT MILLS
 The Farmers Institute held at this place Friday and Saturday, was largely attended. The speeches were very creditably delivered. The farmers took an active interest in the proceedings.
 A spelling bee was held in the Primary school Monday evening.
 The Literary society at this place is in a flourishing condition.
 Mrs. Dr. Deckard of Richfield, was visiting at T. G. Arbogast's Sunday.
 Some of our people attended the funeral of Abraham Landis near near Evendale, Friday.
 The executors of the estate of John Mengel will dispose of his personal property Saturday Jan 18th.

CENTRE TOWNSHIP.
 Mrs. Wm. Carson and children of Williamsport are visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.
 J. F. Bingaman erected a new blacksmith shop, the other week, which shows that there is business and perseverance about Mr. B.
 The revival meeting in the U. Ev. church in Centreville is still in progress. Rev. Mizner will come to aid Rev. Aurand in the series of meetings.
 The people are storing away ice for next summer and this is the kind of weather they prefer.

How's This?
 We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
 F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, Ohio.
 We, undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable to all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by his firm.
 West & Truay, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.
 Walzing, Kinnaird, & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.
 Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system.
 Sold by Druggists, 75c.
 Hall's Family Pills are the best.

PAXTONVILLE.
 Mrs. James Deitrich and daughter Marie of Swineford, Mr and Mrs. B. F. Heimbach and Mrs. A. L. Eriley of New Berlin were visitors in town during the week.
 Rev. Shambach commenced a series of meetings in the Evangelical church here last week which are to continue for an indefinite length of time.
 Lester E. Derr came home from Lewistown Saturday to spend several days with his parents.
 Prof. Chas. Derr was a visitor in Middleburg, Saturday.
 Mr. L. E. Derr and lady friend Miss Hattie Shambach enjoyed a pleasant drive to Beavertown Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Howell and Uriah Howell of Beavertown visited Mrs. Mary Howell Sunday.
 Rev. W. K. Deihl delivered a very interesting sermon in the Hassinger's church, Sunday A. M.
 Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Derr visited Jacob Freeds in Beavertown, Saturday.

HORTICULTURAL HINTS.
 "Any old thing" will not do in these days—the package must be neat, clean and attractive.
 If you wish to transplant trees this fall it will be best to wait till the leaves have fallen.
 The raspberry and blackberry bushes should have the old wood cut out before being laid down for the winter.
 The grower of fruit must put it in such packages as his customers like if he expects to make fruit growing a financial success.
 The freight, cartage and package on poorly packed fruit, or that which is of poor quality, cost as much as in the case of well packed fruit and that of good quality. The proceeds are more on the latter, hence the profit is greater.
 When caring for the vegetables do not forget the house plants that may need repotting or that must be taken from out-of-doors to a warmer place—if the good wife or daughter sees to this you see that she has a "lift" on the heavy part, getting the soil ready and carrying the plants in.—Farmers' Voice.



Senator John M. Thurston, of Omaha, Neb., writes:
 "Peruna entirely relieved me of a very irritating cough. I am a firm believer in its efficacy for any such trouble."

NOTES FOR STOCKMEN.

Duplicity.
 "I don't understand how Ethel Mowling ever got engaged to such a steady, matter-of-fact young man," said one girl.
 "It was easily managed," answered the other. "She got a cook book, took the covers off and inserted the paperback novel she happened to be reading. The silly fellow thought she was going to make a wonderful housewife."—Washington Star.
Husters.
 St. Pumpkinseed. They tell me that when a city feller proposes to a city gal she always says: "Oh, this is a sudden!"
 Abe Goshaw—Well, that's only natural. Why, them city fellers don't think nothin' of proposin' to a gal that they've only kept company with for three or four years.—Broadway Leader.
As It Seemed to Bridget.
 Mrs. Frills—Now that I have engaged you, Bridget, I am going to begin right away to give you a little training in the art of waiting on guests. You see, my daughter is coming out next month—
 Bridget—Infade, mum! An' how long was she sint up for?—Richmond Dispatch.
Quite Speedy.
 Elder Passajips My boy writes home that your son Jack isn't getting along very fast at college.
 Deacon Oldham—Don't you believe what your boy's tellin' you, elder, Jack's goin' through fast enough. He runs away ahead of his allowance every month.—Chicago Record-Herald.
Force of Habit.
 "Have you no regret?" we asked of the druggist who had served arsenic instead of quinine.
 "No," he replied, "but I have something just as good."
 However, he well knew that we expected him to say this, else why would we have written the first question?—Baltimore American.
A Gentle Hint.
 "Do you always preach?" asked notes?" inquired the new year man.
 "Yes," replied the old mediator.
 "Don't you think you might do better if you preached with notes?"
 "Undoubtedly I would if they were five or ten-dollar notes."—Philadelphia Press.
Probably Got Them Next.
 "My dear Miss Billmore," sadly wrote young Hankinson, "I return herewith your kind note in which you accept my offer of marriage. You will observe that it begins 'Dear George.' I do not know who George is, but my name, as you know, is William."—Chicago Tribune.
Platting.
 "You see," she said, when he returned after many years, "how excitedly I have kept your book of poems?"
 "Yes," he answered, with a sigh, when he had glanced through it; "there isn't a finger mark or a turned leaf anywhere."—Chicago Record-Herald.

No Scruples.
 Almsgiver—Why don't you use water once in awhile?
 Dusty Dan—I do, mister; I'd just as lief ride on a steamboat as a freight.—Ohio State Journal.

Mother
 "My mother was troubled with consumption for many years. At last she was given up to die. Then she tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and was speedily cured."
 D. P. Jolly, Avoca, N. Y.

No matter how hard your cough or how long you have had it, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the best thing you can take. It's too risky to wait until you have consumption. If you are coughing today, get a bottle of Cherry Pectoral at once.

Three sizes: 25c., enough for an ordinary cold; 50c., just right for bronchitis, hoarseness, hard colds, etc.; \$1., most economical for chronic cases. Sold by all druggists.

Hon. William Youngblood, Auditor of the Interior, writes from Washington, D. C., to Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O., as follows: "I've often heard of your great medicine and have persuaded my wife, who has been much of a sufferer from catarrh, to try Peruna, and after using one bottle she has wonderfully improved. It has proved all you have claimed for it."
Hon. Rufus B. Merchant, Superintendent and Disbursing Officer, U. S. Post-office, Washington, D. C., says: "I take pleasure in commending your tonic, having taken a bottle of Peruna with very beneficial results. It is recommended to me as a very excellent catarrh cure."
Congressman David Wilber, of Oneonta, N. Y., writes: "I am fully convinced that Peruna is all you claim for it after the use of a few bottles."
Congressman Irvine Dungan, of Jackson, O., writes: "I desire to join with my many friends in recommending your invaluable remedy Peruna to anyone in need of an invigorating spring tonic, or whose system is run down by catarrhal troubles."
 We have letters from thirty-eight members of Congress attesting to the virtues of Peruna. Thousands of people in the common walks of life use it as a family medicine.
 For book of testimonials address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.