

LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN NEARBY VILLAGES OF SNYDER COUNTY

HALF OUR ILLS ARE CATARRH



Congressman Irvine Dungan of Jackson, O., elected to the Fifty-second Congress as a Democrat...

I desire to join with my many friends in recommending your invaluable remedy, Peruna...

Time to Shut Up. Wife—Oh, John, the baby's got a tooth! Husband—Well, I hope he'll be satisfied now...

Quite Important. Laura—Auntie, should I be justified in writing to a young man who had never written to me? Auntie—Only on very important business, my dear.

As to His Veracity. "You think him an untruthful man?" "My dear sir, he lies like a tailor."

Quite Another Question. "Don't strive for riches, my son. Wealth doesn't bring happiness."

His Case Defined. "Pa, what's a man of the hour?" "Generally some chap who is being condemned by one-half of the population for not doing something that he knows the other half will condemn him for if he does it."

Lavishness. He is a modern Crusoe; His son is burning money; And his cook is burning coal.

ACCUSTOMED TO IT.



"She told me what she thought of me, right to my face."

Appropriate. Mrs. Winks—When is Miss Hardecash to marry the count? Mrs. Binks—On Monday.

James G. Brown of Pittsburg is at present visiting among friends here.

W. H. Reigle who was employed at Williamsport, came home to spend the winter.

John W. Stahl and his sister, Amelia are at present visiting their friends in Lancaster county.

Dr. W. W. Longacre and Squire Shadel of Mt. Pleasant Mills, were here on business last Friday.

Miss Nettie C. Herrolt got a new organ last week.

Our school teachers are well organized and have interesting meetings every two weeks.

Last Thursday night was the first term of our mock court for this winter. Court adjourned with a number of cases remaining on the trial list.

We borrow the following from a neighbor who gave his son good advice for fighting some time ago. I think it worth committing to memory.

WEST BEAVER. A merry Christmas and a happy New Year to all.

Daniel Howard of Crossgrove entertained a big delegation from McClure and vicinity Sunday.

Did you forget your mite to the poor Children of your town on Christmas Day.

We have had rain more or less daily for the past week.

John Hughes of McClure, Foreman on the S. & L. R. R. has been suffering with neuralgia for the past few weeks.

John H. Herbster and Brother Ulysses, expects to put a stove mill on the Fultz and Dupert tract after New Year with Henry Herbster as sawyer.

No regret has been felt at this end for the dead burglar.

John H. Romig had the misfortune of having one of his horses kicked last week. He had to send for Veterinary Ustin of Lewistown to come to dress the wound.

Percy Gilbert and James Herbster of MeVestown are here to enjoy Xmas amongst friends. The former will spend a few days with his mother in Franklin township.

Peter Romig, son of Neal Romig of Milroy, Pa., is visiting relatives here.

Frank Baker and Brother were guests of J. H. Romig Sunday, at Crossgrove.

Private Sale of Desirable Real Estate

The undersigned, will sell at private sale, his House and Lot, (Home) situated in the Borough of Middleburg Snyder County, Pa. Bounded on the South by Market St. East by a lot of A. K. Gitt. Esq. West by a lot of G. W. Wagenseller, Esq. and North by Long Alley containing 1/2 of an acre, more or less, with the appurtenances.

Terms will be made known on application. JAMES G. CROSS, Middleburg, Pa.

Out of Order. "William," she whispered, shaking him vigorously, "get up. There's a burglar down stairs."

"That's new business and not in order now," replied the eminent parliamentarian, sleepily, "while there's unfinished business before the house, I've got to dispose of this nap of mine first."

Sensitive. Cholly—Why, Mabel, I haven't seen you in an age. Mabel—You horrid thing! How dare you talk of age to me?

DUNDORE. Turkey for Christmas dinner this year is a luxury to be enjoyed by the rich or favored few, as turkeys are scarce and high in price this year, but many will substitute chicken salad and be the happier for it.

Squire Sechrist has added a new variety of chickens to his already extensive stock.

It is one of the unexplainable instances why the "Dundore Post" often gets to Shreiner, but it is a simple shrine for even the Post, the most popular paper of the county.

Jacob Kerstetter delivered a few cords of wood to Rev. Focht of Crossgrove.

Line hauling is pushed lively, while sleighing lasts, by our farmers.

The Susquehanna was high last week and the ice left for a milder climate and our ice houses are empty.

Potato shippers are offering fifty cents and the demand is increasing.

John Foltz has rented the Backus farm now occupied by Reuben Becker.

Simon J. Snyder will move by spring on Sheriff Wolf's farm.

Henry Arnold of Middleburg visited his father-in-law, Fred Kerstetter and being in need of more furniture he secured some at a great bargain from his brother-in-law.

Adam Neitz, who was off working in the woods, has a natural inclination for Toehill.

Charlie Zerby, the great-grandson of Fred Kerstetter, has returned to his parents at Georgetown.

Mary Shafer of Port Trevorton called on Maria W. Dundore.

Emanuel Rambo has forwarded a second donation for his pastor, Mr. H. T. Searle—what an example for others to follow!

Mary Campbell bought a pair of frilly shoats from C. Bitner at a popular price.

H. F. Witmer's shoemaker's shop is a model of convenience.

SCHNEE. On Sunday afternoon the St. John's Union Sunday School elected the following officers for the ensuing term, from Jan. 1st 1903 to Jan. 1st 1904.

John Goss of Trevorton was a caller in town Thursday.

John Kreighbaum, who is employed in a store in Lewistown, is at home visiting his parents Tuesday and Wednesday.

Ira Arbogast of McAlisterville is spending several days in this locality.

G. S. Kerstetter, wife and son, after, were visiting his brother, Fred Kerstetter, a few days last week.

Howard Hoover made a business trip to McKees Saturday.

W. F. Kepler bought a horse of Thomas Arbogast Saturday.

The Middleburg Post is one of the leading County papers and so wish each and every one who reads it a merry Christmas and a happy New Year, as it always tells the news in each locality in our old Snyder County.

Friday evening Dec. 19th a merry sleighing party from Freeburg came here and stopped with merchant Henry Harding. The evening was pleasantly spent with

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the signature of J. C. Ayer

games, music and a delightful treat by Mr. and Mrs. Harding. The party consisted of the following of Freeburg: Messrs. John Moyer, Frank Weaver, Fred Moyer, Frank Glass, Harry Moyer, Victor Erlenmyer, Edwin Moyer and Forest Pontius, and Misses Kathryn Goy, Carrie Hoffman, Blanche Moyer, Kathryn Botdorf, Carrie Moyer, Franey Rauch, Franey Watts and Bessie Neitz. Those of town were the following: Mr. W. Arthur Schaefer and Miss Stella Hoover.

SWINEFORD.

Amos Bowersox, wife and Florence Ramer drove to Kramer Thursday.

John Libby, wife and children spent a few days at Berwick with Henry Beaver.

Miss Edith Harner of Paxtonville is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. James Deitrich.

John Schambach transacted business at Beavertown Thursday.

Ada Gelmet of Meiserville spent a few days with her uncle, E. S. Stroup.

Essie Erhart of Milroy is entertained at the home of B. H. Custer.

W. J. Winey and wife spent Wednesday at Richfield with the latter's parents.

Wednesday night while Earl Winey was on his way home from a sleighing party he had the misfortune of being thrown out of the sleigh and breaking his arm.

Ellen Enterline recently spent a few days at Riverside with her parents.

G. W. Deihl killed a turkey that dressed 32 lbs.

James Bowersox and wife of Centerville spent Sunday in town.

Reuben Fensterbush holds the banner for killing rabbits. He killed 56 rabbits this fall.

G. W. Walter of Milton spent Christmas at home.

KREAMER.

Last Thursday our young folks went to a sleighing party back of Salem at S. Gilbert's.

Lewis Magee and wife of Lewisburg spent Sunday with his son, James Magee.

Keimer Aumiller, Charles Pontius and Henry Meiser went to Lewistown as brakemen on the S. & L. division.

S. Thompson Hillbish and wife were seen in town last Thursday.

Ralph Mitchell, who had been away working for a few years, is home visiting his parents.

Quite a number of our men and boys are working at the viaduct at Pawling which will take till about the middle of April.

Our public school has sixty-two scholars enrolled and a few more will start by New Year. They are all taught by one teacher but expect a new room next summer.

VERDILLA.

Charles A. Kantz after spending a few months in Iowa came home to stay.

John Scholl of Riverside spent a few days of last week with his parents, here.

Bronchitis advertisement with text: "I have kept Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in my house for a great many years. It is the best medicine in the world for coughs and colds."

Schreyer, Son & Co. advertisement for a happy new year to all. The Week After Christmas, is a clearance of all Holiday Goods some at half, some at a third, and some at a fourth. The store will be full of interesting bargains for all.

Grocery Dept.

Do you want to economize in buying groceries, then our grocery is the place for buying your supplies, we guarantee the purity of all we sell.

Foot Wear for Winter

At prices a little less than at other styles and brands are among the best made. Men's First Quality Rubber Boots sizes 6 to 11 \$2.50.

Areties buckle \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Dressing

Saques, perhaps a warm house saque is among your needs. Elder-down saques are just as warm as they look.

Outing Flannel

Short Skirts. A special bargain in ready-to-wear short skirts at 30 cents and 39 cents.

Counterpane

Bargains—A nice white counterpane is always of good value in the house and now when this price is off it is of still more value to you.

Feathers

Cushions and Pillows—Pure feathers put up in heavy feather proof striped ticking—guaranteed all pure feathers.

Carpets

Some Reduced Carpets.—Several patterns that have just enough in them for a fair sized room. Carpet manufacturers have all advanced prices for Spring.

Night Shirts

Men's kinds for comfort during January, February and March, made of better material and in better way than any we have ever had before.

Ladies Coats,

Monte Carlo Style—Do not know of any one style that has sprung into such popular favor so quickly as the Monte Carlo coats and it promises to stay good a long while too.

Winter Gloves

Boys' and Men's Gloves, you want gloves that give the wear that you have a right to expect then let us supply you.

And of course we have lots of coats in this winter's styles, much cheaper \$3.97, \$5.00, \$7.00.

Flannel Night Robes, the \$1.00 qualities at 69c. \$1.25 qualities at 99c. Not that they are not worth the regular price but the medium priced ones are sold out so we reduce the better ones to a low price in order to keep our stock balanced.