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Committee Meeting.

Republican Standing Committee met in Middleburgh, Pa., March 7, 1903.

J. S. YEARICK, Chairman

Sheriff sales are advertised in this paper. This land is particularly desirable.

There were 2673 licenses issued in Snyder County since the law went into effect.

National Encampment, Grand Order of the Republic, will be held at Harrisburg during the week of August 15-19.

Competent girl to do laundry work. Good wages. Apply promptly.

J. B. BIRDSELL, South Bend, Ind.

High winds took off a roof off Mrs. George's barn in the farm tenanted by Yarger.

Peach Orchard, 900 acres, 1 mile South of Globe. Call on or address.

JOHN A. DUCK, Middleburgh, Pa.

Steam Threshing Outfitter for sale. Good condition. Call on or address.

F. E. HOLTZAPPEL, Kantz, Pa.

There is to have a first-class hotel in the Commonwealth hotel in that to be replaced with a ten story structure to cost \$600,000. The site is occupied by a hotel for over 25 years.

Telephone and Telegraph lines are being extended to the Spring and Summer. The improvements consist of a new trunk line from Altoona, Harrisburg, Tyndal and Clearfield.

Northumberland man was arrested at Globe Mills Monday for planning with another man's wife. Prisoner was released on paying \$25 and agreeing to leave.

On A. E. Soles in his new sawmill hair cutting parlor for your comfort with a refreshing shampoo and clean towel to each patron north side of Market square opposite Central Hotel. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Bill to pay a minimum salary a month to school teachers passed last week. It is doubtful whether the bill will pass the Senate as it is to the detriment of the rural schools and interferes with the affairs of the school board.

Commercial Chestnut is closing out stock of Foot Wear, including winter and new Spring stock, 98c. Plough and Work Shoes, \$2.85. But Grade Rubber Boots, 39c. for \$1.19 for Best \$1.50 and \$1.75 Shoes, Children's equally cheap.

Post desires to congratulate W. Hummel on his appointment as Postmaster of Northumberland. Harry is a Snyder County boy owing to his liberality and progressive spirit in promoting the industrial welfare of his adopted town, met financial reverses. Hence the appointment is a deserving one.

Death of Marion Charles and her grand mothers which was published in the Post Feb. 5th, was loaned by courtesy of the Northumberland, Phila. We did not know the time whether the cut was loaned to us and hence this tardy acknowledgment of their courtesy.

"It" Makes Strength.

These days when the children do violent exercise and parents are more active than ever, people look to the food they eat. By science the new cereal "It" containing all the nourishment of pure grain has been so prepared as to be a perfect food, cooked and eaten. "It" makes strength repairs the body and brain for duties. Everybody likes "It". At grocers everywhere.

Marriage Licenses.

C. Kratzer, Penn twp., W. H. Haines, Penn twp., W. Haines, Selingsgrove, L. Stimeling, Selingsgrove.

THE FUTURE REVEALED.

Coming Events Cast Their Shadows Before.

The readers of the POST are requested to send us announcements of all events. No charge will be made to publish the same when the event is of public importance.

THURSDAY, March 5, Wagner Harp and Orchestra Co., of Boston, in the Selingsgrove Hall.

THURSDAY, Mar. 12, Geo. P. Bibie will give an entertainment in Selingsgrove.

SATURDAY, March 14, Republican Primary election to Nominate Candidates for Prothonotary, Register and Recorder, Associate Judge, District Attorney and Jury Commissioner and elect a State Delegate.

THURSDAY, Mar. 19, King's entertainers in Selingsgrove.

SATURDAY, March 21, Spring Commencement.

SATURDAY, March 28, Annual Eclipse of the Sun. Invisible in the U. S.

WEDNESDAY, Apr. 1, Spring term of Susquehanna University opens.

SUNDAY, April 5, Palm Sunday.

MONDAY, April 6th, Spring term of Freeburg Academy opens.

FRIDAY, Cor Novelty Co., in Selingsgrove.

FRIDAY, April 10, Good Friday.

SUNDAY, April 12, Easter.

THURSDAY, April 16, day set for adjournment of the State Legislature.

MONDAY, April 27, Gen. U. S. Grant's birthday.

WEDNESDAY, May 27, Republican State Convention at Harrisburg.

Rates of Postage 100 Years Ago.

The following were the rates of postage in this country in the year 1800: Every letter composed of a single sheet of paper conveyed not exceeding forty miles, eight cents; over 40 miles and not exceeding 150 miles, twelve and one half cents; over 150 miles and not exceeding 300 miles, seventeen cents; over 300 miles and not exceeding 500 miles, twenty cents; over 500 twenty-five cents. Every letter composed of two pieces of paper double those rates; every letter composed of three pieces of paper, triple those rates; every letter composed of four pieces of paper weighing one ounce, quadruple those rates, and at the rate of four single letters for each ounce any letter or packet may weigh; every ship letter originally received at any office for delivery was six cents. And there was little change for the better in the rates of postage until the advent of the administration of President Polk.

Honors to a Lewistown firm.

Calvin Greene & Son, the firm which up to a short time ago operated the North American tannery at this place, but recently received, through the U. S. commission to the Paris Exposition of 1900, the diploma of award and bronze medal, both highly finished and of artistic design, for finest tanned and prepared leathers exhibited at Paris. Also a silver medal from the National Export Exposition of 1889, in this country, on recommendation of the Franklin Institute of Philadelphia. These handsome works of art are now on exhibition in the show window of Van Natta's jewelry establishment. We congratulate the Messrs. Greene on their possession, representing as they do a trade triumph of which they in common with our entire community may justly feel proud.

"THE GARDEN OF LIES" IN THE PHILADELPHIA PRESS

A Fascinating Love Story of a Beautiful American Girl.

The romance of a beautiful American girl, in which the fight for a throne figures prominently, is the basis of "The Garden of Lies," the most most fascinating love story since the "Prisoner of Zenda." From start finish the tale teems with adventure and excitement. The plot is novel and well handled and there is not a dull line in it. Though it is a story of valor, it is first of all a love story that will strike a sympathetic chord in every reader. Be sure to read this striking romance in next Sunday's "Philadelphia Press". Order it of your newsdealer in advance.



Whose Ad.?

Printers' Ink uses a great many advertising blotters—in fact, uses no other. They come in as fast as wanted, and very nice and handy they are.

Whose advertisements are on those blotters?

Ah, that is a thing the Little Schoolmaster never observed, or, if he did, he never remembered and does not now remember. But he likes the blotters.—Printers' Ink.

This criticism is never applicable to advertising in your local paper.

Another Swindle.

Farmers should be on the look-out for a clever swindler who claims that he is organizing a "National Threshers' Protective Association." He secures the membership of many farmers by assuring them that he is forming a national association by which it would be impossible to raise the price of threshing. The members are required to sign a certificate which they are told entitles them to a life membership. Later their signature turns up at the bottom of a note ranging in sums of \$5. to \$50.

Arthur Roush Killed.

The nine-year old Son of William Roush of Selingsgrove fell from a car at Lewistown and was run over by the train severing both legs near the trunk of the body. He died a few hours afterward and was taken to Selingsgrove Thursday morning and buried Sunday.

The funeral had been set for Saturday Morning but owing to the high water, Middlecreek could not be crossed at Kantz.

He had been a brakeman only about two months. The loss is a severe blow to his parents and friends.

Have You Eaten "It"?

There are so many "ready to eat" foods on the market now that one hardly knows how to distinguish between them. "It" should not be classed with the others. There is no other that compares with "It", as one trial will convince you. "It" is more healthful, strengthening and tastes better. Made by a new process and ready to eat by adding milk. Get a package to-day at your grocers.

Grand Entertainments.

There still remains three entertainments of Susquehanna Y. M. C. A. Lecture Course Thursday evening, March 5, the Wagner Harp Orchestra and Quartette Company from Harrisburg will render one of their promising programmes in the Selingsgrove Opera House. This Company has won fame and praise wherever they have held entertainments and we feel sure that they will be both entertaining and instructive.

PERSONNEL.

Eleanore Pearson, Soprano; Mable Norton Trole, Contralto; Chas. W. Pickett, Tenor; James G. Potter, Bass; Susan Harlie Tompkins, Violinist; Emeline Hill Tompkins, Harpist.

Tickets can be procured at Hendrick's store, Selingsgrove, Pa. Doors open at 7:30.

MARRIED.

Feb. 26, by Rev. Geo. W. Genszler, John Weichley Haines of Selingsgrove to Emma L. Stimeling of Kantz.

Feb. 21, by Rev. W. K. Diehl, Theodore F. Kuster and Lydia I. Wagner, both of Kantz.

PERTINENT PERSONALS

Rev. Joshua Shambach will attend Conference in Baltimore this week.

Miss Bertha Ehrhart of Lewistown has been visiting friends here the past week.

A. H. Klose of Franklin township dropped in to pay his respects to the printer Tuesday.

Misses Mable and Dilla Grimm and Mrs. Dora Specht attended the funeral of Arthur Roush Sunday.

Mrs. R. Middleburgh of McClure after a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. P. E. Kinney, has returned to her home.

Mrs. John W. Metz of Shamokin and Master George Sealy of Renova were pleasantly entertained at the home of Operator Kinney Thursday.

Rev. S. S. Kohler of New Berlin, we regret to state, has resigned his charge, as pastor of the Reformed church. He has accepted a position in Schuylkill County.

Dr. Charles L. Marks has moved his dental outfit from the Middleburgh Bank Building to Lewistown where he will form a professional partnership with his brother-in-law, Dr. John C. Aulig.

John E. Boyer of Mt. Pleasant Mills called Tuesday to order sale bills for the sale of his farm stock and implements on the Bickel farm Thursday, March 26, 1903.

M. I. Kreeger and wife spent several days with Azariah Kreeger and family. They had been down South on account of the elder Kreeger's illness, hastened home.

Mr. Van B. Middleburgh of McClure, who is now visiting P. E. Kinney in Swineford is a young man with a promising future. He is already holding 467 shares of preferred stock of the Penna R. R. Co.

Rev. N. A. Kincaid closed his revival services in the U. B. church of this place with 30 conversions, 25 accessions and 8 baptisms. Services Sunday morning next at ten a. m. Revival services were begun in the New Berlin church Sunday evening.

John E. Stetler, of Middleburgh, Snyder county's talented and successful architect, has been successful in securing the contract for the erection of public school buildings in Berwick and Mifflintown. At the first named place he entered into competition with architects from Scranton and Wilkes barre.

Geo. J. Schoch asks us to say for him that it had been reported that on account of the death of his wife, he would not be a candidate for Associate Judge. He wishes all his friends to know that he will remain in the fight to the finish and while he has lost considerable time on account of the death and funeral of his life companion, he will not be able to see all his friends, but kindly solicits their support.

We acknowledge the receipt of remittances after we had gone to press last week from the following: Asaph Bowersox, Franklin township; W. E. Stahlnecker, Beaver Springs; P. A. Brosius, Mt. Pleasant Mills; Amos Bailey, Shamokin Dam; John Houseworth, Shellsburg; S. C. Kessler, Salem; J. W. Moyer, Hummel's Wharf; Geo. J. Roush, Kreamer; G. A. Kaufman, Shreiner; S. J. Brouse, Kratzerville; S. A. Wetzel, Beavertown; Dr. S. P. Glover, Altoona; H. M. Freed, Freeburg; I. N. Jarrett, Selingsgrove; Mrs. Lizzie Smith, Edward Moyer, Middleburgh and C. A. Steffen, Paltus.

Christine Swartz.

The widow of E. R. Swartz died at Troxelville Tuesday 9 a. m. Aged 78 years, 11 months and 12 days. Her husband died Sept. 1899.

Deceased had a stroke of paralysis a year ago, but the cause of death was dropsy. Funeral Thursday morning, Rev. Dutt of McClure officiating. J. W. Swartz of Swineford is a son.

Notice of Final Rule.

To PETER L. STRAWSER, late of Steelton, Pennsylvania. You are hereby notified that a final rule for divorce has been granted against you at the suit of Virgie A. Strawser, your wife, which will be heard in the Court of Common Pleas of Snyder county, of October Term, 1902, No. 9, on Monday, the first day of June, 1903, on which day, you may appear and show cause, if any you have, why such divorce should not be granted against you. JAY G. WEISER, Attorney for Libellant. Middleburgh, Pa., March 2nd, 1903.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Court convened, Monday, Feb. 23d, A. D. 1903, at 11 o'clock A. M., with Hon. H. M. McClure, Pres. Judge, and Hon. Z. T. Gemberling and Hon. P. F. Reigle, Associate Presiding.

A. S. Schrist was appointed foreman of the grand jury.

Edwin A. Heiser, Robert S. Smith, Emanuel Peters and P. A. Brosius were appointed stipstaves.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.

Irvin B. Romig was appointed High Constable of the Borough of Selingsgrove.

James Troop was sentenced to enter into bail in the sum of \$300, with approved security, conditional for his good behavior toward his family and the public generally.

The petition for a monument to the memory of the soldiers and sailors of the late War of the Rebellion, who enlisted from Snyder County, was approved by the grand jury.

The requisition of James Troop was disapproved because there was no ground for suspicion of foul play.

Reports of viewers reporting against public roads in Centre and Union Townships were confirmed.

C. L. Wetzel, Nathan Freed and John P. Kerns were appointed to view public roads in Jackson Township.

Reports of viewers of public roads in Franklin Township, were confirmed nisi.

Report of bridge view in Center township, was confirmed absolutely.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

An alias subpoena in divorce was awarded in the case of Moses Freedman vs. Golden Freedman.

A rule was granted in the case of Vergie A. Strauser vs. Peter E. Strauser, to show cause why a divorce should not be granted.

In the case of T. M. Kessler vs. the township of Monroe. The jury found both the plaintiff and defendant guilty of contributory negligence and therefore rendered a verdict in favor of the Township.

ORPHANS' COURT.

F. H. Smith was appointed guardian of Ruth Gemberling Long, and Maud M. W. Long minor children of Geo. W. Long, deceased.

Myron A. Moyer was appointed guardian of Samuel H. McManaway, minor grand child of Mrs. Sallie McManaway, deceased.

Isaiah Walter was appointed guardian of Ira A., Jesse J. and Elmer E. Bingham, minor grand children of Jesse Shambach, deceased.

G. Franklin Dinius was appointed guardian of Lottie, Mable, Sallie, Viola, Murry, Solomon and Oscar Alfred Beaver, minor grand children of Solomon Hummel, dec'd.

Orders of sales were granted in estate of Jerome F. Aigler, dec'd., and Mary E. Bingham, dec'd.

Returns on orders of Sales were confirmed in estates of Franklin Kratzer, dec'd., Ella A. Gilbert, dec'd., Mary Teats, dec'd. and Mary E. Oziel, dec'd.

The real estate of Jacob Lepley, dec'd., was awarded to Mrs. Mary Ann Getz, for the sum of \$400.

All the accounts of the administrators, executors and guardians and widows appraisements were confirmed as advertised.

Wednesday, Feb. 25, court adjourned to the ringing of the bell. J. G. CROUSE, Reporter.

What it Means.

We're tired of answering questions. "Fewer gallons. Wears Longer"

means that you don't have to paint your house so often, and you don't have to use so much paint. Costs less for the job, and you don't have to do the job so often.

The new paint is not new at all. It's the biggest-selling paint in the United States, and the firm that makes it is 149 years old.

Devoe Lead and Zinc—fewer gallons than mixed paints, wears twice as long as lead and oil.

A new Post Office has been established in Union township called "Produce", mails connect with Port Treverton.

KREAMER.

N. C. Gutelius and wife are visiting his brother at Kittanning.

Samuel Kessler was seen in town last week.

Mr. Bickhart and family were to Selingsgrove Monday morning.

Middlecreek overflowed its banks for the first time this winter Saturday.

Quite a number of our people attended the funeral of Wm. Roush's son at Freeburg Sunday.

While at the funeral Sunday A. D. Kreamer's horse was frightened by the barking of a dog and kicked his rump about all to pieces.

Miss Lora Walter of Selingsgrove spent last week with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Smith.

Our children have six more weeks of school.

Mr. Grimm of Freeburg was in town Friday.

Wm. J. Bryan passed through here Friday.

MT. PLEASANT MILLS.

Quite a number of our people attended Court last week.

O. N. Kaltriter was on the sick list, several days last week.

The sale of the goods of Henry Mengel deceased Tuesday was well attended and things brought good prices.

Some of our people attended the sale of H. S. Bickhart Monday.

Quite a number of our young sports attended protracted meeting at Aline Saturday and Sunday evening.

H. J. Heim and wife visited at Wilson Snyder's Sunday.

Henry Fisher's will move into Mrs. Mary Snyder's house in the town of Monroe.

C. E. Reichenbach is the new hostler at the Mt. Pleasant Mills Hotel.

Lewis Minium and Mrs. J. I. Yarger, were on the sick list a few days last week.

Norman Troop will move to Shadle, in the Spring into G. B. M. Rauch's house.

Jonas Meiser of Shamokin was in town several days last week.

Candidates are too numerous to mention.

Some of our people attended the funeral of James Troop, at Grubb's church Thursday.

The scholars of the town schools are practicing for an entertainment at the end of the term.

Rev. C. C. Miller will preach in the L. and R. church Sunday P. M.

Jonathan Kreighbaum's visited at Benton Kreighbaum's Sunday.

Mrs. John Schlegle of Port Treverton visited her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Yarger for several days last week.

D. F. Bingham and Geo. Schoch candidates for Associate Judge were in town Monday night.

John S. Yarger will build an addition to his stable.

The Auditors will meet next Monday to audit the finances of the township for the year 1902.

The town schools will close first week in April.

A MYSTERIOUS SUICIDE

Woman Tired of Life Kills Herself in Haddonfield, N. J., Boarding House.

Philadelphia, March 2.—A woman who gave her name as Mrs. Charlotte G. Wellington committed suicide Saturday by inhaling chloroform in a fashionable boarding house in Haddonfield, N. J. The woman left a note to the proprietress of the boarding house, in which she said: "I am the last of a distinguished family, left no alone that I am tired of life. Will you kindly see that my remains are decently buried? I enclose money to pay expenses. My clothes give to the poor. Please keep this as quiet as possible." With the note was \$75. The woman came to the boarding house about February 20. She was always apparently in good spirits. She was about 50 years of age, refined and plentifully supplied with money. In conversation with other persons in the house she often referred to having lived in Boston and Albany, N. Y., and to having boarded in Mt. Holly and Medford, N. J.