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Lively Little Liners.

Hustle and the Bustle of the County Seat, Told in Brief Paragraphs.

People More or Less Prominent.

Floating Population and Events of Interest that Satisfy Curiosity and Appease the Thirst for News.

...en Folk is affected with typhoid ...r.

...seph Moyer of Freeburg was a ...nty seat visitor Friday.

...erril Shannon, who is employed at ...istown, spent Sunday at home.

...s. G. A. Schoch is spending a ...k visiting friends in Union County.

...e] of an inch thick was taken off ...n barrel in this place Saturday ...ning.

...will pay market prices for good ...calves, hide and tallow.

J. L. WINEMAN,
10-15-4t. Lewisburg, Pa.

...hn Field of Kreamer has asked us ...fer his thanks to the people for the ...e vote.

...aniel Maneval of West Perry town- ...smiled on his friends at the ...nty seat Saturday.

...alph Clelan of Lewistown greeted ...friends and visited relatives at this ...e over Sunday.

...G. Hornberger of Meiserville, ...y over the election, greeted his ...ds here Saturday.

...o. I. Kline of Kantz passed ...gh this place Saturday with ...al head of nice cattle.

...s. E. C. Stahl of Reading is pay- ...a visit to her parents Daniel Mill- ...e and wife in Franklin.

...U. B. Church on Thanksgiving ...will have a chicken and waffle ...er and supper.

...W. Stroub of Lewisburg transact- ...siness here Saturday. He is a son ...muel Stroub of Pennsereek.

...new engine and boiler was put ...the tannery. The two engines ...e used for the enlarged plant.

...s. W. H. Spangler and her mother ...Showers, and Miss Mable Grimm ...Saturday in Sunbury on a shopp- ...xpedition.

...s. W. H. Reigel of Beaver Springs ...town Saturday afternoon. Mr. ...is employed as a mason at the ...lock building.

...s Long of Pow's Valley is visit- ...ter sister, Mrs. W. I. Garman, and ...ing to care for May Garman, who ...ans suffering grevously.

...J. C. Hassinger and her daugh- ...Mrs. B. C. Bowersox and Mrs. F. ...sister of Salem are visiting Mrs. ...Smith at New Kensington.

...A. Lutz, wife and child came up ...day from Shippensburg to pay a ...to grandpa Benj. Bachman. Mrs. ...will spend several weeks here.

...R SALE.—Taylor's Portland Ce- ...The Water Company has a lot ...ment left over and they desire to ...e same. Inquire of Mr. Freder-

...R. Smith who had been employ- ...the P. R. R. Co., has returned ...on account of the Company's ...ation to cut down expenses and ...off hands.

...ou have paid your subscription ...the last two months and your ...has not appeared in the Roll of ...in one of the four last isues, ...notify us.

...R. Vanhorn proprietor of the ...it Hotel, is bed fast and helpless; ...er limbs are like paralized. He ...ot even raise his head from his ...to drink water.

...on H. Moyer and Wm. H. Hile ...fer, two well pleased subscribers ...Post greeted us in our sanctum ...ay and transacted business at ...urt House.

...E. Ulsh and wife are visiting ...h Kreeger and wife in Franklin. ...will locate in Durham, N. C. for ...enefit of Mrs. Ulsh's health. Ira ...of buying a large mill down

...Orwig is prepared to do surgical ...echanical work in dentistry. ...e been in active practice for over ...years, his extensive experience ...ndant proof of his ability. Ar- ...teeth a specialty. His exten- ...ental experience qualifies him ...only the best work. tf

Saturday is the last day for filing accounts for December court.

John Kreamer of Kreamer was in town Saturday attending to business.

G. W. Dreese of Beavertown was at the County seat Saturday and dropped in to subscribe for the Post.

The assessors journeyed to the County seat Saturday and made their returns to the County Commissioners.

WANTED—Men to work corn, either by the day or by the bushel.
H. M. [illegible],
Lewisburg, PA.
tf

Jacob G. Kessler of Buffalo Valley, Union is paying a visit to his parents near Salem and came to the County seat to spend Wednesday of last week.

Herbert Shambach, who was employed at the Carnegie steel works at Dunora, Pa., came home Saturday on account of the works closing down. He says the western part of the state is not as busy as it had been.

Alex. T. Paxson, wife and daughter Mary, of Parnesburg are being entertained at the Editor's home this week. Dr. Maxwell and Mr. Patton of the same place are also in town. They in company with Mr. Paxton are enjoying a hunt.

Call on A. E. Soles in his new shaving and hair cutting parlor for your head cleaned with a refreshing shampoo and a clean towel to each patron on the north side of Market square opposite Central Hotel. Satisfaction guaranteed. tf.

Mrs. Dr. Orwig and Mrs. M. Z. Steininger of Middleburg on last Thursday, on a cloudy day brought sunshine and happiness to the family of Mrs. Reichly at Centreville for which they are entitled to spiritual and temporal hospitality. XZ

FOR SALE.—In Middleburg, Pa., a good frame house, 7 rooms, and lot of land. Also a good livery stable on the same lot. For terms and particulars apply to F. F. Walter, 1 mile west of Middleburg on road leading to Beavertown. tf.

FOR SALE.—A house and lot situated in Paxtonville is offered at private sale. The buildings are in good condition. The home is supplied with first-class water, fruits, etc. Write or call on
SARAH BOWERSOX,
Paxtonville, Pa.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held in the Lutheran church of Middleburg this year. The sermon will be preached by Rev. Elias Noll of New Berlin, Pastor of the Reformed church Nov. 26, in the morning.

J. D. Swineford of Produce and Wm. Metzgar of Port Trevorton circulated at the County seat Saturday. Mr. Swineford became a subscriber to the Post several weeks ago and Mr. Metzgar added his name to our list Saturday.

LOST—Sunday between Shamokin Dam and Middleburg a gold watch, 20 year hunting case, size 12, Elgin movement, 15 jewels, with black cord attached charm on end made of gun metal with three sets. Liberal reward for the return of the watch to the Post Printing office, Middleburg, Pa. 2t.

Thomas R. Hosterman, whose family resides in this place is in the homeopathic Hospital in Pittsburg suffering from a severe illness. He had been employed in one of the iron mills and gradually worked his way up from $1.50 to $6 a day. The employment, however, is very hazardous, which is the prime cause of his illness.

This is one chance in your life time to get the genuine penny pictures, fifteen pictures for 15 cents, this week only. Remember the date as we positively will not take any more penny pictures after this week. Located on Sugar Street, adjoining Central Hotel, Middleburg, Pa., X-Ray Photo Car, A. C. Hockenbery, photographer.

On account of the football game between the teams of Dickinson College and State College, to be played at Williamsport on Sat., Nov. 14, the P. R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Williamsport, good going on Nov. 14, and returning until November 16, inclusive, from Bellefonte, Renovo, Elmira, East Bloomsburg, Mt. Carmel, Lykens, Harrisburg, Middleburg, Coburn, and intermediate stations, at rate of a single fare for the round trip, (minimum rate, 25 cents).

Marriage Licenses.

Geo. E. Whiteland Thomsontown.
Mollie E. Weiand McClure.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO THE TEACHERS, DIRECTORS AND FRIENDS OF EDUCATION OF SNYDER COUNTY.

We take pleasure in submitting to you the program of the Forty-sixth Annual Institute. In the preparation of this program we have kept constantly in mind what we believe to be the educational needs of the county. Our aim has been to secure something interesting and entertaining, and at the same time to provide such instruction as will strengthen the weak plans in our educational work.

All the instructors are backed by the highest testimonials of their worth and excellence.

The talent secured for the evening sessions have become widely recognized as standard platform attractions, and, with the means at our command, we believe it to be among the best available.

We are under obligations to the people of Snyder county for their liberal patronage in the past and we cordially invite the hearty co-operation of teachers, directors, patrons, and all friends of education, to make the forty-sixth annual session of the Teachers' Institute a power of inspiration and help to the advancement of our public schools.

OFFICERS OF THE INSTITUTE.

President, Geo. W. Wolborn, County Superintendent.
Vice-President.
Secretary.
Assistant Secretary.
Treasurer.
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Ticket Agent, John N. Brosius.
Door Keepers, Ed. H. Strawser, John Lauver, F. R. Boyer.
Ushers, Claude Mitchel, H. B. Bowersox, W. J. Heintzleman, Chas. Brown, George Erdley.
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"Snyder County News," Geo. A. Kerr.
"Middleburg Post," Reno Snyder.
"Selins Grove Times," Rev. E. E. Haney.
"Freeburg Courier," William Romig.
"Selins Grove Tribune," Michael Baney.

INSTRUCTORS.

Prof. Charles H. Albert, State Normal School, Bloomsburg, Pa.
Lee Francis Lybarger, Ph. D., Mifflinburg, Pa.
W. K. Bastian, Esq., Williamsport, Pa.
Prof. William Noetling, Selins Grove, Pa.
Ira N. McCloskey, Supt., Clinton Co., Pa.
J. I. Woodruff, Dean Susquehanna University, Selins Grove, Pa.
Paul F. Peck, Ph. D. State Normal School, Bloomsburg, Pa.
Professor Thos. C. Houtz, Susquehanna University, Selins Grove, Pa.
Prof. Paul Billhardt, Musical Director, Middleburg, Pa.
Prof. William F. Brown, Pianist, Freeburg, Pa.
The Middleburg Orchestra will furnish music for the evening entertainments.

EVENING ENTERTAINMENTS.

Monday Evening, Nov. 30, 1903.

Lecture, "How to be Happy" Lee Francis Lybarger, Ph. D.

Mr. Lybarger's lecture in the Town Hall last Wednesday evening was a rare treat. The subject, "How to be Happy," was presented in a manner that could be appreciated by all, and was entertaining and instructive. It was teemed with such truthful illustrations as [illegible] practical in every day life. Mr. Lybarger has certainly given the subject much thought and often delivered by him in an masterly manner. It should be listened to by all and will be cherished for years.—Millheim Journal.

Mr. Lybarger is a brilliant speaker and he is the best humorist on moral and moral questions in this section.—Penn News.

Tuesday evening, Dec. 1, 1903.

Lecture, "Mistakes of Life Checked." F. B. Smith. Mr. F. Smith, Birmingham, has no lack of applications for his presence and assistance upon the lecture platform. With each succeeding season the popularity of his lecture grows and his field widens. Mr. Smith conveys wholesome lessons in his lectures and he does it in the pleasant, attractive way that makes people want to hear him again and again.—Tyrone Herald.

Wednesday evening, Dec. 2, 1903.

The Lyceum Operatic Company. This is the only organization of its kind in the Lyceum Field, the Company introduces a program of a most pleasing and fascinating nature. The opera selections are given in elaborate and appropriate costumes by the Quartette, with Orchestral accompaniment by the harp and the violin. This feature has won the applause of the music loving public as being far ahead of the usual stock program.

Thursday evening, Dec. 3, 1903.

Lecture, "Musical Fits and Misfits," Spillman Riggs. It is a pleasure to recommend such a man as Mr. Riggs. He so delighted our people that we hope to have him here again.—Rev. C. M. Oliphant, Wheeling, West Va. Two of the most pleasing features of the entertainment at Y. M. C. A. Hall last evening were the impersonations and whistling solos by Spillman Riggs.—Cleveland, O. "Plain Dealer".

Spillman Riggs is a delightful entertainer. His voice, even in speaking, is music to the ear of the listener; so sweet, clear and distinct in enunciation it is, and when applied to the elegant phrasing and poetical imagery of his lecture the effect is pleasing in the extreme. A fine vein of humor runs through his lecture, and the illustrative stories call forth loud bursts of merriment and applause.

RATES OF ADMISSION.

Teachers' Enrollment Fee, including Season Ticket for Reserved Seat, $1.00. Monday and Tuesday evening, Reserved Seat, 25c. General Admission each evening 20 cts. Wednesday and Thursday evening, Reserved Seat, 40 cts. General Admission 25 cts. Season Ticket, $1.00.

Positively no Tickets will be sold to anybody before 11 o'clock A. M., Nov. 30, 1903. All the School Directors of the County are most cordially invited to attend the sessions of the Institute. Directors come and spend the week with us. Both the teachers and the Co. Superintendent will be pleased and encouraged by your presence. Go to J. N. Brosius, the Ticket Agent to be enrolled, and you will be given a free ticket to any or all the evening entertainments.

The Snyder County Directors' Association, in accordance with the act given below, (or next page—as case may be,) the Directors of the County will meet in annual session in the Court House at Middleburg, at 10:45 o'clock, A. M., Thursday, Jan. 7, 1904. The following committees is requested to meet in the County Superintendents office at Middleburg, at 1 o'clock, P. M., Dec. 3, 1903, to arrange a program for the Directors Convention: Rev. Dr. Focht, Hon. G. Alfred Schoch, Dr. Marand Rothrock, J. H. Hetrick, S. A. Knouse.

AN ACT.

To establish county associations of School Directors.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted, etc., That it shall be the duty of each county superintendent of schools to call together, during the school year beginning June, one thousand nine hundred and three, and annually thereafter, at the County Seat, or some other suitable place in the county, all the school directors of the county, for the consideration and discussion of questions pertaining to school administration. These annual meetings shall not be held during the week of the Annual County Teachers' Institute.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of each school director in each of the districts of each county, to attend each annual meeting of school directors called by the County Superintendent for the purpose of considering and discussing questions pertaining to school administration; and each school director attending such annual convention shall receive for all necessary expenses mileage at the rate of three cents per mile to be paid out of the funds of the district which he serves. But expenses shall not be paid for more than two days at any annual meeting.

Sec. 3. When the directors have assembled at such annual meeting they shall proceed at once to organize by electing from their number, or not, a president, two vice-presidents, a secretary, and a treasurer, who shall continue for one year and shall severally perform such duties as usually devolve upon such officers.

Sec. 4. The officers of the Directors' Association shall serve also as a program committee, and shall prepare a suitable program for each annual meeting, secure competent speakers, and perform such other functions as may be necessary to the success of the meeting. The County Superintendent shall be ex-officio a member of the program committee and shall render such assistance to the officers of such association as they may require of him.

To prepare a program for the first meeting, each county superintendent shall appoint, from among the school directors of his county, a program committee of five members.

Sec. 5. To defray the necessary expenses of these meetings, the county treasurer of each county shall pay to the treasurer of the Directors' Association, from the county funds, one dollar for each director attending the annual meeting, but in no case shall the sum paid exceed one hundred dollars for each meeting. But before he shall receive this appropriation, the Treasurer of the Directors' Association shall present to the County Treasurer a statement, showing when and where the meeting was held, how many directors were present, what speakers were employed, and what expenses were incurred.

Approved, The 21st day of April, A. D., 1903.

SAMUEL W. PENNYPACKER.

(To be continued in our next issue.)

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E. S. STROUP,
t-f Stroptown, Pa.

Jacob Hite Shoots Mrs. Krebs.

Close on the heels of the tragedy [illegible] near Northumberland Sunday night [illegible] Mrs. Krebs, a widow [illegible] was accidentally killed. Mrs. Krebs [illegible] of Northumberland.

Both are well known [illegible] prominent [illegible] Mrs. Krebs was a widow [illegible] with Mr. Hite and [illegible] Krebs was willing to the engagement [illegible] he threatened the [illegible] Hite that he would [illegible] effect in the affair and [illegible] in the back. The victim [illegible] the hospital at Sunbury.

Woman shot Dead in Juniata County.

Mrs. Barner killed under very suspicious circumstances. Last Friday Mrs. John S. Barner of Greenwood township, Juniata [illegible] was shot and killed.

At the inquest Saturday Barner said he was working in the woods preparing lumber for a new house, and had taken his wife with him to help him mark the logs. Suddenly a shot was heard and Mrs. Barner fell unconscious. He says there were hunters in the woods, though he did not see them.

Great indignation has been aroused by the crime and the authorities are making a thorough investigatin.

Very similar to the assassination of Goodling, the old farmer shot to death as he sat at a window in his home near Oriental on the evening of Oct 2, 1900, is the mysterious slaying of Mrs. Barner.

Absalom Barner's trial was one of the most sensational and most vigorously contested ever held in Juniata County. More than one hundred witnesses were examined and the costs, including pay of detectives who worked up the case, aggregated $2450.

It was the purpose of the prosecution to prove that Barner, who suspected Goodling of intimacy with his wife, had committed the crime. The testimony showed that Barner had threatened Goodling, but through his accused wife and his son the defendant established an alibi, and the jury returned a verdict of "not guilty."

Oliver Harbeson Killed.

Ex-County Commissioner Oliver Harbeson of Forest Hill, Union Co., was struck by a Reading passenger train Saturday afternoon at Lewisburg and was instantly killed. The horse he was driving was hurled many feet.

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.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 18, Ernest Gamble Recital Co., will give a musical entertainment in the Selinsgrove Opera House.

THURSDAY, Nov. 26, Annual Thanksgiving Day. The Banks will be closed.

MONDAY, Dec. 28, The 46th annual Teachers' Institute of Snyder County will convene in the Court House at Middleburg, Pa.

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t-f. DR. J. W. ORWIG.

Wanted—A Wife.

A good woman with $3,000 is wanted for a wife. Money wanted to help to pay for a good and pleasant farm near to a nice town. Title to be in wife's name. Age to be between 30 and 55 years. Common scolds need not write. Address, "Matrimony," care of the Post, Middleburg, Pa. 10-29-3t.