

Henry A. Parsons, Jr., - Editor

Longfellow is seventy years old.

The east-river filibusters number eighty-three.

Speaker Randall has prohibited smoking in the House of Representatives.

Mr. Tilden has failed to reach the Presidency, but then a county in Nebraska has been named after him.

The whites and blacks in New Iberia parish, Louisiana, have had a conflict and great excitement prevails.

Outside speculation ruined Postmaster McArthur, of Chicago, who is a defaulter to the extent of \$48,000.

Secretary Robeson says that the present naval appropriation are so small that the foreign service will have to be abolished.

All the Presidents elected by the Republican party were born within 175 miles of Cincinnati, two in Ohio and one in Kentucky.

London, February 28.—There were 104 deaths from small-pox in London last week, which number has only been exceeded in one week since the present epidemic began.

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Europe want for 1877, 3,000,000 bales of cotton, and, upon the basis of 5,000,000 for America, and liberal estimates elsewhere, it is calculated there will be a deficiency of 5,000.

The Altona Mirror says that several engineers and iron men recently took an oath before an alderman of that city not to drink anything intoxicating for six months.

New York, Feb. 27.—Mrs. A. T. Stewart has given to her brother, Mr. Charles P. Church, the venerable ex-Assistant Collector of the Port, the title to a mansion in Thirty-fourth street, opposite the Stewart palace.

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Newport, Vt., February 27.—Efforts are being made here to arrest Rev. Charles Thorp an Episcopal minister of Berne, province of Quebec, who was elected last Saturday with a young lady of respectable family, leaving his wife and three children.

Washington, February 27.—A telegram to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, to-day, from Agent Chamberlain, dated Atlanta, Ga., says Deputy Marshal Goodwin and Agent Greenleaf will reach Cincinnati tomorrow with fifty distillers from Gilmer and Farren, six of whom are implicated in the recent seizure of West McIntyre. On the mill a large number of distilleries were destroyed.

Cincinnati, February 27.—A dispatch to the Gazette from Springfield, Ohio, says Governor Hayes, while en route from Fremont to Columbus, passed an hour in Springfield to-day. He was escorted to one of the hotels, and, being introduced to the people, made a brief speech. He expressed congratulations that in a week's time this business which has occupied the attention of the country for eight months would be over. He hoped that the people would acquiesce quietly whoever might be the person declared elected. He believed that the country desires peace and security and thought this idea should be the expression of the people to their representatives in Washington, recognizing his lack of special fitness for the duties, for the performance of which he might be called upon, he placed his trust in Almighty God, who rules the destinies of nations. His remarks were received with tremendous applause and the crowd did not disperse until the departure of the train.

G. B. Barrett & Co., Wholesale Jewelers, Removal.

The long-established, favorably and well-known, as first-class and reliable house of G. B. Barrett & Co., of Pittsburgh, once more appears in our advertising columns, soliciting the business of the "Trade." Their present location at 68 Fifth Avenue, though central and suitable in many respects, must be exchanged April 1st, for the larger and handsomer suite of rooms at 77 Fifth Avenue. The large and fast-increasing trade has necessitated this change, while it will enable them to make a much finer display of goods. Their stock is large and full, their salesmen obliging, while the firm are gentlemen so long and favorably known to the trade that it would be useless for us to speak of them more than to say: try them and learn from experience what we have learned in the same way.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for March opens with an exquisite steel engraving, "Coming Home," which is alone worth the price of the number. This is followed by a double-sized colored fashion plate, with five figures, a very beautiful affair. Then comes a colored pattern for a tidy on Java canvas, then a charming engraving, "The Fast Express," and then some forty other illustrations of fashions, workable pattern, &c., &c. The stories are unusually good this month. We notice particularly a powerful one by Mrs. F. Hodgson Burnett, "Mademoiselle Suzette," and also Mrs. Ann S. Stephens' stirring novel, "The Dependent Cousin." We do not see how any lady can do without this magazine, for it combines more attractions, and for a less price, than any other of the kind. The price to single subscribers is only two dollars a year. To clubs it is cheaper still. It is not too late to get up clubs for 1877, and perhaps many who thought they could not afford it, earlier in the season, can afford it now, when times are unmistakably getting better. Specimens are sent, gratis, to those wishing to get up clubs. Back numbers, to January inclusive, can always be furnished. Address CHARLES J. PETERSON, 808 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Judge Sterrett.

GVERNOR HARRIS APPOINTS JUDGE WILLIAMS' SUCCESSOR. Harrisburgh, February 26.—The Governor has appointed James P. Sterrett, of Allegheny county, Judge of the Supreme Court, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of H. W. Williams.

James P. Sterrett is at present the President Judge of the Fifth Judicial district. He was born in Juniata county, educated at the Tuscarora Academy, entered Jefferson College in 1842 was graduated in 1845, read law at Calisle, completed his studies at the University of Virginia and was admitted to the bar of that State in 1848. In 1849 he removed to Pittsburg, and from a law partnership with the late Judge Baird. When the commission to revise the laws of the State was formed in 1861, Mr. Sterrett was appointed one of its members, but resigned after acting a few months. On the death of Judge McClure, of the Court of Common Pleas of the Fifth District, Mr. Sterrett was appointed to fill his place. In 1862 he was elected President Judge and re-elected in 1872. He is now placed upon the Supreme bench in the place of Judge Williams, deceased.

PATENTERS AND INVENTORS.—All persons desirous of taking out a patent, or who have business of any kind to be transacted at the Patent Office are advised to place it in the hands of Edson Bros., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C. This firm is strongly recommended and ranked high in their profession. Their fees are very moderate. See their advertisement in another column.

Table with 2 columns: Rates of Advertising, and corresponding prices for different durations and types of ads.

New Advertisements. Executors' Notice. Estate of John Taylor late of Fox Township, Elk Co., deceased.

LIVING WILD ANIMALS. \$50.00 each for PANTHERS. \$8.00 each for BLACK FOXES. \$4.00 each for CROSS FOXES. \$10.00 each for OLD OTTER. \$5.00 each for YOUNG OTTER. \$5.00 each for YOUNG WOLVES. \$5.00 each for WILD CATS. \$5.00 each for FAWNS. \$1.00 each for YOUNG BLACK & CROSS FOXES.

SEED WHEAT. I have a limited quantity of fine seed from a new and unequalled variety of Ranch wheat, put up in 1 1/2 lb. sacks which will be sent prepaid on receipt of \$1.

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INVENTORS send us a model or sketch of their invention, and we will give our opinion as to its patentability, free of charge. Fees moderate, and NO CHARGE UNTIL PATENT IS SECURED.

EDSON BROS., Patent Attorneys, Solicitors of U. S. and Foreign Patents. 711 G Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Age of Leading Men.

Samuel J. Tilden is in his 64th year. William A. Wheeler is in his 57th year. Ullyses S. Grant will be 55 April 27, 1877. Simon Cameron will be 78 March 8, 1877. Hamilton Fish will be 69 August 3, 1877. Thomas F. Bayard will be 49 next October. Oliver Perry Morton will be 54 August 4, 1877. Allen G. Thurman will be 64 November 13, 1877. George F. Edmunds was 49 February 14, 1877. Frederick T. Frelinghuysen will be 60 August 4, 1877. Thomas A. Hendricks, will be 58 September 17, 1877. Rutherford B. Hayes will be 55 years old October 4, 1877. William Maxwell Evarts is 59, this month, February, 1877. Thos. W. Ferry, president pro tempore of the American senate, will be 59 June 1, 1877.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge) with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE FOR CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Laws Relating to Newspaper Subscriptions and Arrears.

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75 CENTS PER BOTTLE. Address orders to Dr. SWAYNE & SON, 320 North Sixth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Advertisement for 'Tree Consultation' featuring a tree illustration and text about medical advice.

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Dr. Berger's Compound Field Extract of Rhubarb and Dandelion. The best combination of purely vegetable medicine to entirely replace Calomel or Blue Pill.

NEW TIME TABLE P. & E. R. R. Commencing Sunday, Nov. 26th, 1876. WILCOX.

Elk Lodge, No. 379. A. Y. M., meets the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month in Masonic Hall.

LIFE, GROWTH, BEAUTY.

LONDON HAIR COLOR RESTORER. Not a Dye; makes harsh hair soft and silky; cleanses the scalp from all impurities, causing the hair to grow where it has fallen out or become thin.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

By virtue of the powers vested in us by the provisions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by the Kersey Coal Company to the undersigned, dated the 1st day of June, A. D. 1868, and duly recorded in the recorder's office for Elk county, State of Pennsylvania, in mortgage book 'B,' page 193, &c., as well as by virtue of the authority of the decree of the Court of Common Pleas, Elk county, State of Pennsylvania, sitting in equity, foreclosing the mortgage aforesaid, we will expose to public sale, at the court house, in Ridgway, in the said county of Elk, on FRIDAY, THE 30TH DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1877, at one o'clock P. M., all the rights, franchises and property of the Kersey Coal Company, including real estate particularly described as follows:

All those two certain tracts or pieces of land situate in Fox township, Elk county, State of Pennsylvania, one being bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post at the northeast corner of Bill P. Kyles' land; thence east, partly by land of Nath. and D. D. Hyatt, one hundred and eighty-seven rods (187) to a bench; thence south, by land of Horace Little, one hundred and sixty rods to a post and stone; thence west, by lands of Joseph Cook and Jesse Kyles, one hundred and eighty-seven rods to a post; thence north by lands of Jesse Kyles and Bill P. Kyles, one hundred and sixty rods to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and eighty-seven acres, more or less, being part of the tracts Nos. 4078 and 4079, and the same conveyed to Joseph S. Hyde by his deed, dated 9th day of November, A. D. 1850, duly recorded in the office for the recording of deeds in Elk county, in deed book 'F,' page 439, &c.

Also—One tract adjoining the one above described, and is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a chestnut tree standing in the west line of warrant No. 4078; thence east, by lands of Bill P. Kyles and J. S. Hyde, one hundred rods, more or less, to an elkwood; thence north one hundred and sixty-nine and six-tenths (169 6/10) rods, more or less, to a maple tree; thence west one hundred rods, more or less, to a bench; thence south, by warrant No. 4074, one hundred and sixty-nine and six-tenths (169 6/10) rods, more or less to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and six acres, more or less, being part of tract No. 4078, and the same land conveyed to Joseph S. Hyde by his deed, dated 9th day of November, A. D. 1850, duly recorded in the office for the recording of deeds in Elk county, in deed book 'F,' page 439, &c.

Also—One tract beginning at a post on the mill road, thence east, eighty one (81) rods to John Seifred's southeast corner; thence north ninety two (92) rods to a stone corner; thence east ninety-six (96) rods to mill road; thence south twenty six degrees east twenty (20) rods; thence south ten degrees west twenty (20) rods; thence south thirty degrees west twenty (20) rods; thence south fifteen degrees west thirty-two (32) rods to place of beginning, containing fifty (50) acres more or less.

Also—One tract beginning at a post, thence east by land of George Weis, seventy-eight (78) rods to a post, thence south sixty-one and two-thirds (61 2/3) rods by land of J. Seifred; thence west seventy-eight (78) rods, by land of B. D. Hyatt; thence north sixty-one and two-thirds (61 2/3) rods, by land of Benjamen & Eschbach, to the place of beginning, containing thirty (30) acres, being part of warrant 4078.

Also—One tract beginning at a post, thence east twenty (20) rods, by lands of Benjamen & Eschbach; thence south forty (40) rods by lands of D. D. Hyatt, thence north twenty (20) rods, by lands of Patrick Murphy, deceased; thence north forty (40) rods by lands of Benjamen & Eschbach, to the place of beginning, containing five (5) acres, also part of No. 4078.

Also—All the coal, iron, ores, and other minerals of whatever kind, lying and being in or upon all that certain tract situated in Fox township aforesaid, beginning at a water beech; thence north, by land of Horace Little, eighty-five (85) rods to a post; thence west, by land of George Weis, one hundred and two (102) rods to a post; thence south eighty-five (85) rods to the place of beginning, containing fifty-four (54) acres and thirty (30) perches, together with the right of ingress and egress, and to enter upon and into said land for the purpose of examining and searching for and of mining, manufacturing and preparing the said coal, iron and ores, and other minerals, for market, and transporting the same, and for these purposes to build roads and drains upon or under the surface of said lands, as may be necessary and proper for the convenient use and working of the mines or works, with a right to deposit the dirt or waste of the said mines or works upon the surface convenient thereto together with all the rights, property, improvements, franchises and estates of said company acquired or which may be hereafter acquired.

By order of the Board, W. S. HORTON, Clerk. Ridgway, Pa., February 6th, 1877.

DR. SWAYNE'S COMPOUND SYRUP OF WILD CHERRY. IS A SOVEREIGN REMEDY. Hemorrhage, or Spitting of Blood, may proceed from the larynx, trachea, bronchia or lungs, and arises from various causes, as undue physical exertion, plethora, or fullness of the vessels, weak lungs, overstraining of the voice, suppressed evacuation, obstruction of the spleen or liver, &c.

DR. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT HOME TESTIMONY. I was sorely afflicted with one of the most distressing of all diseases Pruritus or Prurigo, or more commonly known as Itching. The itching at times was almost intolerable, increased by scratching, and not unfrequently became quite sore.

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NOTICE.

The appeals will be held in the several townships of Elk County as follows. Jones, at the house of Martin Sowers, Tuesday, February 27th, 1877. Highland, at the house of Levi Ellithorp, Wednesday, February 28th, 1877. Millstone, at the house of Harry Cats, Friday, March 2nd, 1877. Spring Creek, at the house of Thomas Irwin, Saturday, March 3rd, 1877. St. Mary's Borough, at Beninger Township, School House No. 1 Monday, March 5th, 1877. Beninger, at School House No. 1, Tuesday, March 6th, 1877. St. Mary's, at the house of David Chase, Thursday, March 8th, 1877. Benzer, at the Benzer house, Friday, March 9th, 1877. Fox, at the house of John Koch, Tuesday, March 13th, 1877. Horton, at J. S. Hyde's store, Wednesday, March 14th, 1877. Ridgway, at the Commissioners' office, Friday and Saturday, March 16th and 17th, 1877. For unseated lands at the Commissioners' Office, Friday and Saturday, March 16th, and 17th, 1877. And for reviewing military enrollment at the Commissioners' Office on Saturdays the 17th of March, 1877.

At which time and place all persons feeling themselves aggrieved by the assessment of 1877 or military enrollment of 1877 can attend if they see proper.

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DR. SWAYNE & SON, Respected friends—I have the pleasure to inform you, a lady of my acquaintance, Mrs. Miller, is delighted with the success of your London Hair Color Restorer. Her hair was fast falling and quite gray. The color has been restored, the falling of hair entirely stopped, and a new growth of hair is the result.

BOSTON TESTIMONY. July 22d, 1871.—Dr. Swayne & Son—Last winter while in Trenton, N. J., I procured six bottles London Hair Color Restorer, which I like very much, in fact better than any that I have used in the last nine years. If you please, send me one dozen bottles C O D care W S Fogler & Son, Boston. Respectfully yours, ADA BARKER, No 59 North Street, Philadelphia.

Has completely restored my hair to its original color and youthful growth, and caused a rapid and luxuriant growth. MRS. ANNE MORRIS, No 816 North Street, Philadelphia.

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