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State Notes.

Potatoes are two dollars a bushel at Scranton.

A Western colony will leave Scranton on Thursday.

There are seventy prisoners in the Dauphin county jail.

The Warren street railroad is to be taken up. It didn't pay.

The State Sunday School Convention will meet in Harrisburg in June.

A fatal disease has broken out among the cows in some portions of Bucks county.

A Bucks county young man, named William Allen, was recently bitten by a mad dog.

The Reading police take the corner loafers of the street and put them in the lock-up.

Albert Schaeffer, of Reading, was assaulted and robbed of \$750 on Monday afternoon.

A new post office building is being erected in Media. It will be ready on the first of July.

The Farmers and Mechanics' Bank of Shippensburg will fix up its affairs at fifty cents on the dollar.

A little daughter of Moses Krook, aged two years, was drowned in a box sewer at Titusville on Monday.

The capital-stock of the First National Bank of Hanover, York county, is to be increased to \$300,000.

On Sunday, the 14th, a large unoccupied residence at Mendville was destroyed by fire. Owner's name is not given.

Belle Lee expected to meet her lover (a barkeeper) at the Union depot, Pittsburgh. He disappointed her, and she swallowed a fatal dose of morphine.

Leonard Falkenstein, a woolen-mill employe, at Chambersburg, committed suicide on Sunday, taking laudanum.

Colonel Samuel R. Dick's residence, Mendville, was entered by burglars on Sunday and a quantity of silverware carried away.

There are six prisoners in the Schuylkill County Jail who have been sentenced to the penitentiary, but could not be received there for want of accommodations.

A delegation of Indiana county farmers lately went west Virginia for the purpose of looking up a locality to which to emigrate. They returned better satisfied with Pennsylvania.

A call signed by nearly 100 ministers in Allegheny county has been issued for a convention of friends to secure concert of action in reference to the re-employment of the local option law.

The majority of the glass gatherers, on strike in Pittsburgh, have obtained temporary employment at Wheeling and elsewhere, and it is probable that the strike will continue in the smoky city through the summer.

A school teacher at Suter's station, on the Conestoga railroad who has a wife and two children, is reported to have eloped the other day with one of his pupils, a young lady of good family and prepossessing appearance.

Some time ago in Reading, on a dark night when the street lamps were not burning, Mr. Dechert walked into the river and was drowned.

His widow now sues the city for \$5,000, which is cheap enough for almost any kind of a husband.

The city of Philadelphia has instituted suit in Centre county against Smith, Rhoads & Smith, for the possession of a large tract of land in Burnside township, in that county. Some of the best legal talent in the State is employed on each side.

One of the poor directors of Schuylkill county visited a family recently whose children lived on dog's meat. When the director entered the house of the destitute father of the children, was cooking a dead dog for them, they having grown used to the horrible dish.

The Johnstown people are at a loss to account for the strange actions of a man who, while visiting the place frequently during the past year, pretended to be a deaf mute, but who got on a tear the other day and struck up a conversation with a hotel clerk. The stranger always had plenty of money with him and always paid his bills.

Jacob Kendall, aged 70 years, residing at Seventh and Dick streets Reading, left home at half past six o'clock in the morning and walked to Adamstown, from there to Remansstown, from there to Robinson and other places, and returned home by half past three o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, after walking a distance of 47 miles. Mr. Kendall was a noted walker in his younger days.

The financial statement of the borough of York for 1877 has been prepared. The total receipts amount to \$80,886.79, and the actual current expenditures were \$22,506.23, leaving a balance in the treasury of \$58,380.56. Of this amount \$2,098.22 was paid for interest on notes and loans, and \$8,082.55 on the debt of the borough, leaving a balance in the hands of the treasurer of \$108.76. The bonded indebtedness is \$31,000.

The State Farm at Warren, on which the lunatic asylum is building, is more valuable than was at first supposed. The Warren Mail says it produced the clay and the gravel for the brick which have been made on the farm. It also produced stones of fine quality in great supply. Now several oil wells are in operation close to its line fence, yielding largely, showing that most of the farm is good oil territory, and able, if properly worked, to furnish the funds to complete the immense building 1,200 feet long.

Elk Advocate.

THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 1877.

Purity.

"All the pool is black and grimy,
Green and stinky,
Foul with mud;
Nothing pure can ever blossom
On the bosom
Of this food."

While I spoke the error found me:
All around me
On the food
Were white water-lilies, blooming
And perfuming,
In the mud.
—BORROW'S ADVERTISER.

OUR hand "toots" once again.

SUBSCRIBE for the ADVOCATE. OIL is selling at 35 cents a gallon.

THAT whistling brigade still lives. The weather is extremely warm.

ED. PAINE has moved to his farm.

We publish the jury list this week.

OUR Wilcox correspondent "Pete" is on hand this week.

SUPERVISOR M'Govern is repairing side walks.

The Cemetery is a popular resort of the young folks of a Sunday.

DICKINSON Bros. have a fine field of wheat on the flats.

POTATOES continue scarce, and eggs are becoming plentiful.

THE addition to J. Powell's house, corner Mill and Centre Streets, is raised.

We print bill-heads, statements, envelopes, cards, tags, etc.

Who will be the next Sheriff of Elk Co?

SEVERAL cases of diphtheria in town.

THE Printer's house is progressing finely.

RIDGWAY is full of pretty girls—all old bachelors. We advise all the old bachelors to "go hang themselves."

DON'T fail to go to the M. E. Church this evening and hear Miss Fannie E. Hamlin's lecture; *That Rib; or What Aunt Sally Said.* Admission 25 cents. Children 10 cents.

JAMES M'AFEE, tailor, of Lock Haven, will open a shop, over Powell & Kime's store, in a few days. Mr. M'AFEE is spoken of as a first-class workman, and brings with him a fine line of samples. Those wishing new spring suits will do well to give him a call.

L. GARRETT has built a neat fence in front of the old school house, and what with a coat of two paint and much internal improvements you would scarce believe it was the same old school house where we used to go to school. We were happy then and didn't know it.

SEND us local news. Has any one died, been married, born, has some man run away with another man's wife; has Mr. so and so built a new house or made any other improvement in your vicinity, send us the facts. You want to see the news and we furnish the means whereby you may see them.

The New York Family Story Paper for 1877.

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The New York Family Story Paper, published by Norman L. Munro & Co., 74 Beekman St., New York, is in our opinion, one of the very best, and most entertaining story papers published. Another feature that recommends itself to all is the giving away with each number a part of Shakespeare's works. Following is the subscription price: For one year, with Shakespeare, \$3.00; for six months, with Shakespeare, \$1.50; for four months, with Shakespeare, \$1.00.

"The Society Store."

We would direct the attention of our readers to the new advertisement of the "Society Store." It commends itself to the patronage of our people.

Here the ladies of the Parochial Society have placed a choice selection of goods, and also goods made up by them, such as Working Shirts, Aprons, Calico Wrappers, &c. The "Busy Bee" also will display their fancy work, and we trust that the laudable efforts of both societies may be encouraged. The immediate object they have in view is to place new windows in the Church. Again we heartily commend the new enterprise to the patronage of the town. Miss McKee will be very glad to show the goods at any time.

Pittsburg and Allegheny city have 1,000 empty houses—the former 1,136 and the latter 464.

The long-delayed work on the Normal School building at Lock Haven promises to be completed within the next six weeks.

Charles Kear, who killed William R. M'Ever in Allegheny county, has been sentenced to twelve years' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

The Western Iron Association met in Pittsburg, Wednesday, and fixed the card price for iron at two cents, an advance of a quarter of a cent per pound.

At Station shaft, Wilkesbarre, Levi Thomas, a carpenter, fell 90 feet to the bottom of the shaft. His body was broken into four pieces and just held together by the muscles and cords.

During March the total production of the oil regions was 853,337 barrels, and at the close of the month 2,800,054 barrels were on hand. There were 6,686 wells producing, 395 wells drilled, and 317 rigs burring. The total shipments out of the producing regions were 913,919 barrels. During the month 219 wells were completed and 50 dry wells developed.

Lecture at the M. E. Church, this Evening.

Miss Fannie E. Hamlin, will deliver, at the M. E. Church, this evening, a suggestive and interesting lecture, entitled *That Rib; or What Aunt Sally Said.* interspersed with choice readings. The following is a brief synopsis of the programme. Introduction of "Aunt Sally." Classification of ribs. The Rib of Mutton.—A little bit. The Spare Rib.—A defence of Old Girls. The Truant Rib.—How to get a Husband, etc. The lecture promises to be one well worth going to hear, and is praised by the newspapers wherever delivered. Several evening's enjoyment is in store for those who attend, and for those who fail to attend future regrets. The admission is 25 cents. Children 10 cents. For further information we direct our readers to the bills scattered broadcast about town.

Wilcox Notes.

Spring has come.
Gardening has commenced.
Jim Malone has planted his croquet.
Tom is making log hoots.
"Egypt" still growls about the skunk killing story. He had better quit or people will think he was one of the brave boys that boldly battled with the beast. The field is not cleared of the ruins. Wonder if he has buried the dead yet.
The all absorbing topic is well No. 1 which has been spouting water for several years to the height of nearly a hundred feet, and every one was struck with wonder and amazement at its beauty and power. But, now, a hundred fold has been added to its attraction and splendor, by igniting the gas, which flows to an enormous height with all the colors of the rainbow. Each drop or spray shines forth with a separate and distinct color of liquid light peculiar to itself alone, and the whole column is constantly changing like the kaleidoscope producing the most beautiful light the eye of man ever saw or the mind of mortal can imagine. Said one on viewing this wonder of wonders, I have crossed the Mediterranean; I have looked upon Naples in all her beauty; I have poked sticks into the crater of Vesuvius; I have climbed to the top of Mount Horab; I have looked over the plains of Arabia; I have stood where Solomon reigned in all his glory, but I have never seen anything to equal this.

Well No. 2 is a gas well, and is another beauty, throwing a flame of fire to a great height, and lighting up the country for miles around. As this is at the mouth of Lanigan run it is proposed to build a dancing platform at the place and have Lanigan's ball by gas light. Well No. 3, Well, I will tell you about that next time.

PETE.

List of Jurors for May Court.

GRAND JURORS.

Benzinger, J. J. Volmer, school teacher; Joseph Haines, farmer.
Fox, Hays Kyber, farmer; John Malone, farmer; Joseph Lantz, farmer; Joseph Lantz, carpenter; Thomas Sullivan, laborer; Charles H. Hyatt, laborer.
Horton, Jno. C. M'Allister, farmer; Harvey Parsons, farmer; John Brown, farmer; Wm. Madegan, laborer.
Jay, Robert Hark, laborer.
Jones, John Kramer, farmer.
Ridgway, Daniel Scriber, livery; N. T. Cummings, lumberman; J. B. Connor, lumberman; H. S. Traylor, coal dealer; Michael Lally, laborer.
St. Mary's—Joseph Schauer, laborer; Geo. Leber, laborer; Henry Fochman, blacksmith; Anthony Beiberger, carpenter; Anthony Schauer, saloon keeper.

TRAVELER JURORS.

Benzinger, Simon P. Koning, painter; Robert Miltigan, gentleman.
Benzinger, F. E. Erig, laborer; John Hendle, bar tender; Michael Nesbort, carpenter; Michael Marker, carpenter; William Giese, farmer; Joseph Lantz, farmer; Charles Schneider, farmer; Philip Young, farmer; John Wuttman, farmer; Joseph Schauer, farmer; Geo. Nissell, farmer; Jacob Schneider, Jr., farmer; Michael Schauer, farmer.
Fox, Henry Largy, farmer; Hiram Hewitt, farmer, L. W. Mohan, Jr., farmer; C. A. Brown, farmer; Thomas Malone, farmer.
Horton, Hesechiah Horton, farmer; Jacob Fuchs, cabinet maker.
Jay, Jas M'Connell, laborer.
Jones—Robert M'Nett, Clerk; J. L. Brown, merchant; G. G. Garlick, shoemaker; Michael Dill, farmer.
Milton—G. Dreyer Parrot, farmer; R. W. Fawcett, laborer.
Ridgway—David Little, laborer; J. B. Rice, laborer; Geo. S. Dixon, Co. Saperintendent; J. S. Powell, saddle; Charles Hoos, jeweler; J. K. Whitmore, Sawyer; G. H. Stafford, Sawyer; F. E. Seeger, tinner; R. V. Kume, merchant; John Kemer, farmer; Samuel Gardner, farmer.
Spiro's—Thomas J. Peterson, laborer.
St. Mary's—John Frank, laborer; Louis Giese, laborer; Lettie Hinnasser, laborer; Anthony Auman, saloon master; Charles Kuffen, butcher; Frank Vunbaum, shoemaker; E. Lenz, Co., surveyor.

SHIPPENSBURG.

47,000 BARRELS OF OIL AND 12 WELLS BURNED NEAR PETROLIA.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 20.—A dispatch from Petrolia, Butler county, Pa., says: Yesterday afternoon a heavy storm passed over this section. The lightning struck a large tank on the Troutman farm, which contained 22,000 barrels of oil, and the tank was torn to pieces. The burning oil set fire to two other tanks, and one containing 25,000 barrels was destroyed. The other was extinguished by steam. The burning oil ran down the creek a mile, destroying everything in its course. It was checked by Ralston's dam, which was large enough to hold it and stop further damage. Twelve oil wells, with tanks at the wells were destroyed. The town of Troutman, consisting of a hotel, two livery tables, a billiard room and dwelling houses, was destroyed. A pipe line pump station and a number of other buildings were also destroyed. The 47,000 barrels of oil burned belonged to the United Pipe Line, and will be paid by a pro-rata assessment by that line. The loss in the town of Troutman is estimated at \$30,000. The loss on the twelve oil wells is not known.

The Extra Session.

Washington, April 22.—The proclamation convening the extra session of congress will be issued this week. Ex-Speaker Randall says the length of the session will depend very much on whether the standing committees are appointed. If the house desires the other committees, as well as that on appropriations, appointed, the session will be opened for regular business, and will be necessarily more protracted than if restricted to passing the appropriations which are immediately required. Now that the use of troops in the south is abandoned, there is no prospect of any unusual delay over the appropriation for the army and the clause prohibiting the employment of the army to interfere in civil affairs, which caused the loss of the bill at the last session, will be eliminated from the new bill. While the administration desires a short session, it will ask, in addition to a new army bill, for deficiencies in the navy and department of justice, and possibly recommend legislation for disposing of the balance of the Geneva award.

Ten Years for Robbery.

Scranton, Pa., April 18.—This afternoon in the Luzerne county court, at Wilkesbarre, Judge Harding sentenced John Mahon to ten years solitary confinement in the eastern penitentiary for having broken into the dwelling of an old invalid named Daniel Gardner at a place called Ransom and beaten and robbed him. It is only a few days ago that Mahon, while awaiting trial in the county prison, made one of the most daring escapes on record. The judge, in passing sentence, dwelt in evident astonishment on this fact. Mahon broke from his cell to the fine and crawled through that a height of 100 feet, having at one place to pass through a space nine inches in diameter. He said to-day that while dragging himself through the fine he was frequently overcome by foul air and feared he would have to give up the attempt, but rallied afterward and came out successfully. He escaped from the prison walls by lowering himself with a rope that lay close at hand, having been provided to hang Campbell, who has since been recaptured. Mahon was recaptured at Pittston. The scene at his trial to-day was very affecting. The man into whose house he broke had to be carried into court on a chair to give his testimony. He is eighty-two years of age and has lived all his life in this neighborhood. The prisoner is only twenty-four years old.

The first litigant in America has at last gained her case, and the final decision of Judge Billings makes Mrs. Myra Clark Gaines the richest woman in America. It is a rich prize, but it has cost the labor of a life. Forty-three years ago Mrs. Gaines began her attempt to recover the property left her by her father, the will made in 1813 having been destroyed after his death by interested parties. This soon became the aim of her life, and she carried the case through every court in the State and seven times before the United States Supreme Court, expending all her own fortune and that of her two husbands, and when unable longer to fee a lawyer pleading her own case in court. This decision is the last step in the long road to justice, but Mrs. Gaines will be even older than she is now before she is put in possession of all that the court now declares to be hers.—*Philadelphia Times*

The will of the Baron de H. R., who died last month in Paris, says: "I leave all my fortune, consisting of 800,000 francs, to the bold man who will, in presence of a notary and my wife fifty blows with a stick. In case no one should fulfill these conditions, I devise my property to the state for charitable uses. In order to avoid trickery on the part of my eventual heir, I declare the legacy void in case he should expose my wife." This will be contested by the Baroness as the work of a lunatic, although her husband was of apparently sound mind on making it.

Chicago, April 21.—The rates on shipments of hogs to New York have been advanced 10 cents per hundred, as follows: Chicago to Boston, 60 cents; to New York, 65; Philadelphia, 65; Baltimore, 62. The rates on cattle, sheep and horses have been advanced 5 cents, and proportionate advance has been made on all products of cattle and hogs on the basis of bulk meats to New York at 50 cents.

THE EASTERN DIFFICULTY NOT LIKELY TO MAKE A MARKET FOR OUR CONDEMNED ARMS.

Washington, April 17.—At the beginning of the present difficulties between Russia and Turkey, it was the general opinion among many of our army officers that the trouble would create a market for ordnance supplies, arms, and other implements of warfare, and that the United States would be enabled to dispose of the vast amount of unserviceable goods of that character now stored in our arsenals and fortifications; but a careful examination of the subject by prominent officers of the Ordnance Department, leads to the belief that there will be no demand upon our country for these goods, for the reason that Turkey is much better supplied with arms than was at first supposed, she having received over three hundred thousand stand of arms from the Providence Tool Company, of Providence, R. I., within the past two years, under a contract made with that company to furnish half a million Peabody guns—a breech-loading rifle similar to the Martin-Henry rifle used in England. These rifles are still being manufactured for and delivered to the Turkish Government, several officers of which have been in this country for some months past, inspecting the arms and superintending their manufacture. The Turks also have contracts with various firms in this country for 200,000,000 rounds of metallic cartridges, and for a large number of cartridge cases, which are now being made at Bridgeport and New Haven, Connecticut, and other places. That Government is also well supplied with breech-loading steel guns for field service, and it is not probable that there will be any great demand for arms of obsolete patterns upon this or any other country. Russia has also received a good supply of arms from this country, having had contracts with Smith & Wesson, Colt, and other manufacturers. These contracts were for revolvers and breech-loading rifles, a large number of which have been delivered. We have for sale about 400,000 of the new Springfield muzzle-loading rifle, and a large number of repaired breech-loaders, besides ordnance and ordnance supplies of every description, left from the late civil war.

Indian Surrender.

DULL KNIFE'S VILLAGE AT LAST STARVED OUT.

Camp Robinson, Neb., April 21.—Eighty lodges of Cheyennes under Dull Knife and Standing Elk surrendered to General Crook at eleven a. m. to-day. The village comprises about 550 persons, 85 of whom are fighting men. They turned in 680 ponies, sixty guns about thirty pistols. They are completely destitute of all the necessities of life, having lost everything when their village was destroyed in November last. They have no lodges, but simple shelters of old canvas and skins, very few blankets and robes and no cooking utensils. Many are still suffering from frozen limbs. It is surprising that they have been able to hold out so long under these circumstances, and their doing so proves the fortitude of the American Indian under privation and hardship. This makes about 750 Cheyennes who have surrendered here since the 1st of January. Latest advices represent Crazy Horse still on the way to this agency.

Famine in Japan.

Yokohama, March 30.—The Chinese authorities offered active assistance to Japan in suppressing the rebellion, but it was declined. There is a distressing famine in the provinces of Chihili and Shantung. Thousands are dying daily. Great efforts toward relief by the natives and foreigners are being made, but these are only partially successful in checking the calamity. An insurrection in the army of Si Hung Chang, near Tientsin, in which 3,000 troops, driven to desperation by deprivation of pay and rations, murdered their officers and scattered, throughout Chihili and Shantung, added to the sufferings already caused by the famine. The remarkable edict of the government, granting toleration to native Christians, just published, was in consequence of strong representations from the French Legation.

New Advertisements:

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