

Local Department.

Had a heavy rain on Sunday night and very cool ever since.

Peaches are only worth fifty cents a bushel in Millheimburg.

Job work of all kinds done at the JOURNAL Office at prices as cheap as the cheapest.

At the meeting of the Millheim B. & L. Association on Monday evening money sold for 27 cent. premium for permanent loan.

The bridge across the Susquehanna river at Columbia rests on twenty seven piers and is a mile and a quarter in length.

Only \$185, were realized at Wayne station commencing, by the ten-cent admission plan. The system is unpopular and will most likely be discontinued.

From an exchange paper we learn that Rev. W. H. Gotwald, of Milton, has been granted an indefinite leave of absence. He is suffering from nervous prostration produced by overwork.

The new bridge contracted for by J. W. Snook, is up and finished, and seems to be a good, substantial job. Work on the road is progressing rapidly.

The fifth annual convention of the Directors of the Poor and Board of Public Charities, will meet at Scranton on the 16th inst. Questions of importance relating to the pauper system of the state will be discussed.

Judge Frank takes his son Luther into partnership. The firm is now S. FRANK & SON. Lute is one of your nice, kind, gentle fellows that one delights to be about.

Last Thursday evening the Millheim Cornet Band held their annual election of officers with the following result: President—J. F. Harter; Secretary—F. P. Otto; Treasurer—J. H. B. Hartman.

The Methodist pastor at Oconto, Wis., has informed his congregation, officially, that he will not preach again until they pay him enough of his past due salary to buy a suit of clothes fit to wear in the pulpit.

The Central Mfg. Co., of Lewisburg, are putting the finishing touches—brass, bright paint, etc.—to a reaper and mower, which are to be placed on exhibition at the State fair, in Philadelphia. Trust they may win a big medal and worthy mention.

Next Saturday there will be two picnics. The one in Dutweiler's woods by the St. Paul Sunday school, the other in Bower's woods, near the Pine Creek school house by the Pine Creek Sunday school, in Haines township.

Wm. S. Musser sends us a bean pod that measures 27 inches in length. Don't know whether Bill has a particular kind of beans that grow to this enormous size, or whether this individual bean only took the notion to furnish us with a good local.

Mr. J. R. Brunsard of Rebersburg, called in to see us on Monday morning on his way to Philadelphia for a stock of new goods. Jasper takes hold of business in earnest and seems determined to sell as good goods, as cheap goods, and as many goods as any other shanty in the neighborhood. We wish him all possible success in his new enterprise.

A TRIUMPH.—Washington City, D. C. after a most thorough examination of various samples of school desks submitted to them, have decided in favor of the improved combination desk manufactured by the celebrated firm of Nesbit Bros., East Lewisburg, Pa. This firm is fully deserving of the success it meets, and there is no doubt a much wider field of business before it.

We used to get very angry over old mother Eve, for bringing such an endless train of misery upon us as a human family, just because she could not or would not control her inordinate appetite for apples. But since we ate the apples that Mrs. Jacob Motz, of Woodward, sent us, we are disposed to be more charitable with the old lady, thinking those that tempted her may have been of the same kind as those that Mrs. Motz sent us. If that is so we do not in the least wonder that Eve fell, for even we could not promise to stand firm, strong and robust as we are, if offered some of Mrs. Motz's Strawberry apples.

On Tuesday morning our soldier boys belonging to Capt. O. W. Van Valin's company, 5th Regiment National Guards, left for Pittsburgh where they will go into encampment and be inspected. The boys present a very fine appearance when in uniform, and makes one wish to see the entire company on parade.

The following are the names of the members of the company in this neighborhood and they are all at Pittsburgh now expecting to return on Saturday: Capt. O. W. Van Valin, Wm. Ettinger, E. W. Manack, Wm. Derr, F. P. Otto, Wilson Bollinger, J. F. Housel, Sam'l Weiser, Jr., H. S. Knarr, Henry Shaffer, Charles Ocker and J. W. Lose.

Sunday School Convention of the Juniata District, Ev. Association.

This body met in the Evangelical church, Millheim, on Tuesday evening, Sept. 9th. The attendance of ministers and delegates was good—eleven of the former and six of the latter, being present.

Rev. E. Kohr, Presiding Elder of the District, read an essay on Tuesday evening on "The Relation of the Sabbath School to the Church and the World." This was very generally considered an able production. It gave the Sunday School its true relative position as a Christian institution.

On Wednesday morning Rev. Wm. H. Hartman read an essay on "The Infant Class," and Rev. C. F. DeWinger delivered an address on "The Veteran Class." Both these subjects elicited animated and interesting discussions, in which a number of the members of the convention freely participated.

The afternoon session begins just as we go to press.

Next week we expect to give a full report of the proceedings.

NEW LAW IN REFERENCE TO POOR DIRECTORS.—By the provisions of a new law the county auditors are required to audit the accounts of the directors of the poor. By the same law applicants for relief from the poor directors are no longer required to procure certificates of their poverty from a justice of the peace. Their own personal application is now sufficient to get admission to the almshouse or relief from the directors of the poor.

Important to Voters.

The next election in Pennsylvania will be held on Tuesday, the 4th of November.

Voters must be assessed two months preceding the election, that is, on or before Thursday, September 4th.

Voters must have paid a state or county tax one month preceding the election, that is, on or before Saturday, October 4th.

Members of Democratic state, county and city committees should see to it that every voter of our party has complied with the law.

Failure to pay tax in season deprives the voter of the privilege of suffrage. An elector can swear in his vote, though he be not assessed, but the neglect may cause him much trouble.

THE JOURNAL BOOK STORE has just received a nice lot of goods that are sold not only as cheap but cheaper than can be bought anywhere in Penn or Brush Valleys. Fine Family Bibles, Pocket Bibles, Photograph Albums, Autograph Albums, Splendid Paper Books, Knitting Cotton, Blank Books, Hymn Books, Java Canvases, Zephyrs, Germantown Wool, Fine Fans, Velvet Photograph Frames, Chromos, Sunday School Reward Cards, Motto Frames, Mottoes, Games, Paper, Ink, Pens and Pencils in great variety, and many other things that cannot here be stated. CALL AND SEE.

Sunday School Picnic and Bell Dedication.

The annual picnic of Union Sunday School of Georges Valley will be held in Harter's grove, at the Georges Valley church, Saturday, Sept. 20th next. No hucksters will be allowed at or near the ground. The church will have a stand where refreshments of all kinds can be had. Proceeds for the benefit of the church. At the same time the old bell on the church will be taken down and a new one raised in its stead. The old bell will be sold on the spot at public sale. This will be a rare opportunity to obtain a first class bell.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Com. of Arrangements.

WHAT A PREACHER WORKS.—The following paragraph we clip from the Lutheran Observer. It relates to a minister well known throughout Centre county:

Rev. S. G. Shannon, of Milroy, Pa., has been pastor of his present charge for the last eight years, and in that time, has preached 1209 sermons, delivered 122 addresses, visited 972, baptized 292 persons, preached 130 funeral sermons, married 121 couples, admitted into the church by confirmation 421, by certificate from other churches 34, attended 13 conferences, 7 synods, and 11 Sunday-school conventions (including 2 national, 2 state, 6 county, 4 synodical), traveled 15,603 miles on pastoral duties only, collected for the various benevolent objects, local and foreign, including pastor's salary, \$20,115.74, exclusive of the amount collected for the present synodical year, the sum being about \$1,500.

FIRE AT WHITE DEER MILLS.

Last Saturday the roof of the woolen mill and hat factory of Griffey & Co., at White Deer Mills, this county, was discovered to be on fire. The building was a large frame four and a half story, and it was impossible to get water to the flames in time to have any effect. The entire building was destroyed. A brick house across the way, occupied by the firm as a warehouse, was also burned. The loss is estimated at from \$125,000, to \$150,000, on which there was \$33,000 insurance. The establishment employed 100 hands. It is not yet decided whether the works will be re-built, but it is thought they will be. The establishment has been doing a large business, as its goods have an excellent reputation and the orders for fall are unusually numerous. The largest portion of the finished goods were saved. Also, the big water wheel. The fire is supposed to have originated from a spark from one of the flues.—Lewisburg Journal.

"Not guilty, but must pay the costs."

Such is the queer and illogical verdict in the case of the Commonwealth vs Peter Herdic, tried in our court last week.

Seems to us to be a very odd way of vindicating a man and declaring him innocent before the world, to make him pay the costs of his own prosecution; and it is certainly a very glaring defect in our law practice to allow any jury to do so. The reasons against such a mixed verdict are so strong, so plain and self-evident that the matter can hardly admit of any argument. If Peter Herdic was guilty of false pretense, as charged, why did not the jury say so and thus vindicate justice and law, and if he was innocent why should the costs be saddled on him? If prosecutors can not fairly establish the guilt of the parties prosecuted they should at least be required to pay the ordinary costs of the groundless prosecution. Even more should be required in such a case. The injured party should in justice be indemnified for loss of time and vexation, for in such a case a prosecution becomes a persecution.

The verdict in this case shows that the jury believed Mr. Herdic guilty, but were unwilling, from sympathy or collateral considerations to find him so.

CENTRE HALL NEWS.

Mr. Emanuel Smith is erecting a new house at the lower end of town.

Prof. W. A. Krise is remodeling his house and promises to make a first class job of it.

This week Dr. P. D. Neff and daughter, Jacob Dinges and son, as well as some others, are visiting the state fair at Philadelphia.

Miller & Sons talk of beginning their new mill before long.

Centre Hall expects to have a fine time on the 25th, when the Granger Picnic will be held on the top of Nittany mountain.

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SPRING MILLS ITEMS.

Last Friday as Mrs. Green Decker and her sister-in-law were going home from town in a buggy a large bull on the public road caused the horse to scare, throwing the ladies out. A wheel passed over Mrs. Decker's face, without causing very serious injury. The buggy is demolished. Have bulls a right to roam on the public roads? [No. The law requires them to be kept in.—Ed.]

Mrs. G. W. Bolander, from Orangeville, Ill., a daughter of Henry Krumrine, is here on a visit to her father and friends.

Thieves entered the spring house of Mr. John Glass, on Friday night, and made a clean sweep of every thing it contained. On the same night two bags of wheat and many other things were stolen from Samuel Crawford. Gentlemen, set traps and catch them alive.

REBERSBURG FRAGMENTS.

The screeching noise of the cider mill is again heard throughout the land.

Mr. A. E. Wolfe is one of our good marksmen. A few days ago, while out hunting, he espied two gray squirrels on a tree considerably separated, and succeeded in killing both with one bullet. This is no snake story. Who can beat it?

It is but two weeks since the death of Dr. John Ruhl was chronicled, now it is ours to say that his estimable wife after a sickness of but few days followed him. She died Friday, Sept. 5th, aged 67 years, 4 months and 4 days. Her funeral, which took place on Sunday was attended by over 500 people. Disease—malaria fever.

The way the Journal has it in reference to Dr. Wolfe's sermon, an "incongruity" does exist somewhere, but who is responsible for the inconsistency? The Dr. had his subject divided as follows: 1. Salvation comes to man; 2. Salvation comes at a particular time; 3. Salvation comes to a man's household. Hereafter observe your periods, gentlemen, and then "incongruities" may be avoided.

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News Miscellany.

The Williamsport jail has 28 prisoners.

S. M. Lossy, of Pike Mills, Tioga county, 111 years old, and has lived on the same farm 88 years.

The Snyder county fair will be held at Selmsgrove on the 9th, 10th and 11th of October.

There is a fine of \$25 for destroying signs in any form that are posted along the public roads.

The beer drinkers of Pittsburg and Allegheny county consumed 13,000 kegs of the brown beverage during August.

The freight business on the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad is very heavy just now. Over 550 loaded cars left Williamsport in one day last week.

There are twenty-two miles of freight cars loaded with grain on the Pennsylvania railroad, and eighteen miles of cars of similar freight on the Reading railroad, now waiting delivery to the grain elevators in Philadelphia, for shipment to Europe.

A young man named Rager, of Indiana county, was bitten by a rattlesnake recently. He immediately cut an onion in two pieces, taking out the heart filled with salt, and applied it to the wound. He changed it occasionally for two hours and then went to work again none the worse of the bite.

Immigration to this country from Europe is largely on the increase. Every month in this year has thus far sent more emigrants than the corresponding months last year. The total up to the close of August foots up 76,809, against only 54,155 for the corresponding time last year. Scotland, Ireland, Sweden and Norway furnish most of the increase.

THE NEW POSTAL CARD.—The new two cent return postal card is out. It is provided with a stamp at each end, and room for writing two messages. If the sender wants an answer, he must remember not to occupy all the space. One stamp is cancelled at the office from which it is sent, and the second from the point where responded to. The postals will soon be in general circulation.

A MAN WHO SWAPPED WIVES.—Erie, Sept. 1. Chas. Burnham, a lawyer of this city, once wealthy, but of late years sunk into a mere hanger-on about aldermen's courts, fired two shots into his head this morning, one of which penetrated his brain. He lies in a hopeless condition. Some years ago he swapped wives with another man, and domestic strife with the present Mrs. B. is said to be the cause.

Thomas H. Stoppel and Helen Reed were married at Edenburg, Pa., against the wishes of the Reed family, the bride's brother, particularly, having opposed the match. The young couple were at the village hotel, getting ready to start on the honeymoon tour, and the brother dashed into the room in great rage, and attempted to shoot Stoppel. The girl saved her husband's life by seizing her brother's pistol; but the excitement speedily caused her death.

THE NEXT CENSUS.—Census day will be June 1st, 1880. On that date in the neighborhood of 20,000 enumerators will commence their labors—those in the cities being required to complete their work in two weeks time, while others will be granted time during the whole month of June. Persons alive on the first of June (but dying before the enumerator reaches them) will be counted in the census. Births subsequent to the first of June, will not be counted. Special agents will be employed to collect statistics relating to education, mining, manufacturing, agricultural and various other departments of trade and industry.

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Millheim Market.

Wheat No. 1 1.00
Wheat No. 2 95
Corn 40
Rye 35
Oats 25
Cloverseed 4.00
Butter 11
Eggs 10
Hides 10
Sides 10
Veal 8
Pork 10
Lard 10
Tallow 10
Soap 10
Dried Apples 10
Dried Peaches 10
Dried Cherries 10

Flour 5.00
Bran & shorts, per ton 1.75
Plaster, ground 10.00
Cement, per bushel 45 to 50
Barley 20
Timothyseed 20
Cloverseed 4.00
Butter 11
Eggs 10
Hides 10
Sides 10
Veal 8
Pork 10
Lard 10
Tallow 10
Soap 10
Dried Apples 10
Dried Peaches 10
Dried Cherries 10

Egg Coal 33.25
Sieve 2.50
Christmast 6.00
Peas 2.50
Potatoes 2.50
Corrected every Wednesday by Geppert & Musser.

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MILLHEIM BANKING CO.,
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ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
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B. FRANK, KISTER,
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near Foot's Store,

where he is prepared to do all kinds of work in his line, from men's coarse boots up to ladies' gold-toed button gaiters, at prices to suit the times. Repairing promptly attended to. A share of the public patronage respectfully solicited.

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