

Local Department.

Our doctors are busy vaccinating. Musser & Gephart report the grain trade at Coburn very brisk.

Jesse Wert's load of wheat of 52 bushels was unloaded at Stover & Co's elevator, at Coburn, in four minutes.

The ice crop is now ripe—ready to cut. Many have already housed their supplies.

Prof. Kurzenkabe is now engaged in teaching a large singing class at Swengle, Union Co.

Stover & Co's, pay the highest prices for all kind of grain, lumber and shingles. All kind of coal constantly on hand at lowest prices.

John B. Shafer and David Shafer, twin brothers, of Miles township, delivered the first wheat into Stover & Co's elevator at Coburn.

Our old friend S. O. McCurdy is in luck. He was recently appointed mail agent, to run from Harrisburg to Lock Haven. We congratulate you, Samuel.

Dave Ulrich will have a neat, comfortable home, by degrees, on the outskirts of the borough. The latest improvement Dave made is a good large stable.

Notwithstanding the cold air Main street was crowded on Tuesday morning by the juvenile part of the population of our town to see the wonderful tricks performed by two Bruins.

Mr. Jacob Wolf continues to act as agent for the Lewisburg Dye Works. Shawls and other garments left at the Journal Store will receive attention. Bring them in.

B. F. Klepper, that pleasant, genial fellow was here again; and what is better he gave us several brand new dollars. Ben is one of your wholesome men and he is welcome every trip.

J. A. Limbert, the new mail contractor, has procured a fine new wagon and is prepared to carry express packages and other goods from Coburn to Woodward and all intermediate points at reasonable charges.

Every thing in the line of gentlemen's wear from an overcoat down to a pair of hose, can be bought at Lewin's Philadelphia Branch store, Bellefonte at prices lower than the lowest. You can save money by buying from Lewin.

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Wilson's Humpty Dumpty drew a fair crowd last Saturday evening. Their comical performances were well enjoyed by the audience and I kept them in a laughing humor all evening. The Company will have another entertainment next Friday evening with a new programme.

We learn from the Bellefonte papers that John Sailer and Thomas Depp, both of Fowler station, in crossing Nittany mountain in a stage coach the other Tuesday, got into an ugly fight, in which Sailer was badly used up. Depp was arrested in Bellefonte and placed under bonds for his appearance at court. It is thought that an old grudge was at the bottom of the matter.

Wash Stover is such a kind, gentle, even-tempered, good-natured fellow that nobody ever thought he could get cross under any circumstances, or possible combination of circumstances. But that impression is a big mistake. Just ask him how heavy his hog weighed and a madder man you never saw. He gets fierce and dangerous as a loosened tiger. No indeed—they can never coax us to ask Wash such a question again.

A VETERAN OF THE CROSS.—Rev. J. G. Anspach came to Millheim in the year 1831, and, since that time has delivered 7,224 sermons, exclusive of funeral discourses. Confirmed during the same period, 2,765; Buried, 1,469; Married, 942; Adult baptisms, 185; Infant baptisms, 3,172. He is now in his 51st year and still an active minister, having three charges—Ray's church, Farmersville congregation, and the Union Church in Buffalo Twp.

We have a big "erow to pick" with Mr. Meek, of the Watchman, and Major Forster, of the Democrat, for spreading reports about us and calling us names; and the first time we catch either of them on our own hunting ground they will have to answer for their bad manners: Portly, forsooth! We are just as snug and neat as Mr. Meek! just as goodlooking as the Major, any day of the week—and as regards our moral karaktors (we here speak in the plural) the less there is said about that, the better all round.

The PHILADELPHIA TIMES ALMANAC, for the year 1882, is on our table. It is brimful of valuable information prominent among which are the election laws of Pennsylvania, game and fish laws, list of state and United States officials, complete election returns for 1881, list of county officers throughout the state &c. It is the most complete year book of the kind published and an indispensable help to the country editor.

IMPORTANT.—To those contemplating marriage—that is those who soon expect to be married—that means such as expect to go to housekeeping soon after they are married—it is very important to know just where to go for good and cheap furniture. W. R. Camp's at Centre Hall, is exactly such a place. He makes the best kind of furniture and sells really cheap. Whether you need a Chamber suit, parlor suit, lounges, chairs, or any other article in his line, you can do as well as anywhere in the county. Just try Mr. Camp, and you will find that we tell you the square truth in the matter. 2t

A SAD PICTURE.—When on that cold, stormy Monday morning (the 23rd inst.) we saw no less than forty of our citizens, neighbors and friends, depart for Bellefonte, parties and witnesses in three separate criminal suits, each one consequent to the others, we could not help moralizing on the subject in its entirety. How much better if people could settle their difference at home. What an amount of costs, bad blood and bitter heartburnings could be avoided, if people, instead of pursuing imaginary "rights", would be more forgiving and forgiving. These three suits will cost the parties and the county not less than \$1000, and when over the litigants will hardly be better satisfied than before.

If only the money thus thrown away, worse than uselessly, to say nothing of the injury and demoralizing effects upon the community, were spent to build churches, to educate the young, to establish public libraries, to feed and clothe the poor, how much good could be done, how much could the aggregate happiness of society be enhanced. There is an abundance of material for sober reflection on this line.

BELLEFONTE LETTER.

Bellefonte, Pa., Jan. 24th, 1882. Speaker Keifer may imagine he has cast upon Gov. Curtin's record an indelible blot, by refusing to place him upon committees to which he rightfully belonged. Petty vindictiveness of this sort is more becoming fools and children; but wherefore one as high in the councils of the nation as Keifer, should allow those who control him, to make an ass of him, I cannot see.

You will excuse the pride I felt upon noticing the JOURNAL on the file in the Y. M. C. A. reading room, of this place.

The car works now employ about three hundred men and are running on full time.

A great many of your people are attending court.

A superior quality of ice is now being housed by our ice men.

The new county officers are proving themselves capable to properly discharge their duties, and are much liked and respected by the general public.

The 99 cent store folks have like the Arab, silently folded their tents and stolen away. Mr. L. T. Manson is book-keeper at the glass works. Visitors will not be admitted; this order was made necessarily by the crowds of boys, that daily frequented the busiest part of the work and seriously interfered with the workmen.

The lecture of Dr. J. Jay Villers on Monday of last week, was really a good thing. The announcement of one to follow shortly will be made this week.

A BEAUTIFUL EPISODE.—The other week a surprise donation was had at the residence of that aged and beloved minister of the gospel, Rev. Father Anspach, of Millheim, that deserves more than a passing notice. The matter was not confined to the membership of Mr. Anspach's church. The whole community took part. Rev. A. C. Whitmer, Rev. Dr. Grier, Rev. A. M. Barnitz and Rev. S. Henry the resident ministers of the place, and Rev. Mr. Rice, a visitor, were all present. The Telegraph thinks that about four hundred persons were at the parsonage, the most of them bringing their "pounds" of some useful household necessity. Rev. S. Henry made a very fitting address to the dear old man, to which the venerable pastor responded, deeply affected in the following brief but golden words: Ladies and Gentlemen: "Your visit this evening was wholly unexpected on my part—not anticipated, and takes me completely by surprise. I accept, as you certainly intend it, as a testimonial of your love and affection, which is indeed most gratifying, and shall be cherished while memory lasts. Accept, dear friends, my heartfelt thanks, as well as the thanks of my family. Especially pleasing is the fact that all my colleagues in this place are here assembled at one time—a thing that has not happened during my ministerial labor in this village and vicinity—a period of fifty-one years. Many

changes have occurred in that time. Nearly, if not all, of those then residing here have gone to their eternal home. Let us all so live that when the time for our departure comes, we may all join the redeemed in heaven. Prayer was then offered by Rev. Dr. Grier, and after personal congratulations and a general hand-shaking the large crowd dispersed to their homes.

A \$20.00 Bible Reward.

The publishers of Rutledge's Monthly in the prize puzzle department of their Monthly for February offer the following easy way for someone to make \$20.00:

To the person telling us which is the shortest verse in the Old Testament Scriptures by February 10th, 1882, we will give \$20.00 in gold as a prize. The money will be forwarded to the winner February 15th, 1882. Those who try for the prize must send 20 cts. in silver (no postage stamps taken) with their answer, for which they will receive the March number of the Monthly, in which will be published the name and address of the winner of the prize, with the correct answer thereto. Cut this out; it may be worth \$200.00 to you. Address, RUTLEDGE PUBLISHING COMPANY, Easton, Pa. 2t

News Miscellany.

How a Husband May Make His Wife Happy.

Always complain of being tired and remember that nobody else gets tired.

Your wife should always have everything in readiness for you, but you should not do anything for her.

When your wife asks for money give her a nickel and ask her what she intends to do with it.

Then go down town and spend ten times the amount for cigars, for they are a necessity.

Go down town of an evening, stand around on the corner and talk politics; it's more interesting than to stay at home with your family.

Charge your wife not to gossip, but you can spin all the yarns you like.

Have your wife get up and make the fires, but don't you get up until the rest of the family are eating breakfast, as you might take cold.

Wear old cloths and make yourself as untidy as possible until your wife's health fails, then it would be best to fix up some, for in all probability you will want another when she is gone.

Have a smile for everybody you meet, but try and get a frown on before reaching your house.

The Hanging Crop For 1881.

The past year has been a busy one for the official hanger in this country. The number recorded is ninety. Of course this does not include those who were compelled to make the short shift allowed by vigilance committees. The most liberal in the application of the hangman's cord was Arkansas. In Ohio fifteen were hanged. South Carolina hung ten, Georgia eight, Missouri six, New York and Tennessee five each, Pennsylvania four, Florida, Colorado, Alabama, Texas, Mississippi and North Carolina, each three; California, Illinois, Maryland, New Jersey and Vermont, two each, and each of the following named States and Territories one: West Virginia, Oregon, Louisiana, Nevada, Idaho, Arizona, Indian Territory, New Mexico and Washington. In several of the States not mentioned capital punishment has been abolished. This absence from the list, therefore, will not be mistaken as indicative that they are free from the neglect of criminals. The murderers are always with us.

At a meeting of the board of pardons at Harrisburg the following cases were finally disposed of and pardons refused:

Henry and Frank Rumbarger, Dauphin county, murder, and sentenced to be hanged.

John A. Nevling, Clearfield county, murder and sentenced to be hanged.

Jonathan Moyer, Snyder county, murder and sentenced to be hanged.

Joseph G. Allison, Indiana county, murder and sentenced to be hanged.

Frank Small, Allegheny county, murder and sentenced to be hanged.

The case of Israel Erb, of Snyder county, convicted of murder, was held under advisement. The supreme court of Pennsylvania has recently decided that "a promissory note which bears the genuine signature of the obligator, but which was, in fact, obtained from him by fraud and under the impression that he was signing an entirely different instrument, is a valid obligation against him, and in the hands of a bona fide purchaser or assignee for value, before maturity."

LAWYER SCOVILLE,—in his blind zeal to clear his brother-in-law, the black-hearted assassin Guitau, goes beyond all bounds of propriety and decency, in charging Grant, Conkling, Arthur as being "morally and intellectually responsible for" the murder of President Garfield. We certainly take no stock in these men, either as individuals or as leaders of the Star-wing of the Republican party. As politicians—for they are not statesmen—they are bad and only bad. The damnable spoils system, of which they

are the chief advocates and representatives, has done more to demoralize and corrupt our rotten civil service than all other causes combined. But to charge them, even in a lawyer's plea, with an almost direct responsibility for the great crime, is entirely too far-fetched for argument, or to make the impression intended. It is illogical and indecent and will recoil with increased force upon Scoville's own head, while it can do the miserable Guitau no good whatever.

A Committee That Commits.

From the Philadelphia Times. Following is the list of offenders who have been convicted and served or are now serving terms of imprisonment for violation of the election laws committed since the committee of one hundred was organized:

Thomas Ream, illegal voting, two months; William Cannon, corruptly influencing an elector, six months; Joseph White, making a false return, six months; Henry Jones, recording illegal votes, forty days; William Tully and John Keating, making a false return, six months each; Daniel Dixon, B. F. Krisher, James Crawford, making a false return, nine months each; Hugh Ferguson, James Beatty and Andrew Kelly, making a false return, eight months each; Thomas McKane and Samuel Irvin, making a false return, nine months each; David Mout, altering a tally sheet, two years; Henry Maloney, Charles Connors and Milton B. Smith, receiving votes without requiring legal proof, one month for Maloney and two months each for Connors and Smith; Michael Leonard, illegal voting, three months and \$100 fine.

In addition to the above convictions, nineteen altogether, the following persons are yet to be tried on offenses for which they are now under bail: Henry Gavitt, casting false and fraudulent vote in the Ninth division of the Tenth ward; John Krussan and Henry Knell, disregarding challenges in the Twenty-second division of the Thirty-first ward; Matthew Patton, four charges—receiving illegal votes, receiving votes without requiring proof, corrupt solicitation and interfering with an election officer in the Seventh division of the Eighth ward; Thomas Maher, Jr., and Isaac Street, making a false return in the Twenty-sixth division of the Twentieth ward.

In commenting on the above convictions yesterday Thomas W. Barlow, who, with R. P. White, represented the committee of one hundred and initiated all the prosecutions before the Magistrates, spoke in high terms of District Attorney Graham for the able manner in which he had conducted the trials.

MARRIED.

On the evening of the 18 inst., at the Reformed parsonage, Aaronsburg, Pa., by Rev. C. W. E. Siegel, Mr. Abraham Sheik, of Laurelton, Union Co., to Miss Ellen S. Stover, of Aaronsburg.

On the 12th inst., at the house of M. L. Rishel, Esq., in Gregg township, by Rev. W. E. Fisher, Mr. Joseph S. Houtz, of Missouri, to Miss Mary J. Dunlap, of Farmers Mills, Pa.

On the 2nd inst., at the Evangelic parsonage, Mailsburg, by Rev. W. H. Stover, Mr. W. H. Swartz, of Millheim, to Miss Annie E. Singie, of Aaronsburg.

DIED.

On the 6th inst., near Millmont Union Co. Pa., Mr. John Ruhl, aged 88 years 3 months and 2 days.

On the 19th inst., near Hartleton, Mr. Jacob F. Frederick, aged 56 years, 3 months and 25 days.

On the 17th inst., in Raines township, Ida Minerva, daughter of John and Maria Frederick, aged 18 months and 21 days.

Millheim Market.

Table listing market prices for various commodities like Wheat, Corn, Flour, etc.

COAL MARKET AT COBURN.

Table listing coal market prices at Coburn for items like Egg Coal, Chestnut, etc.

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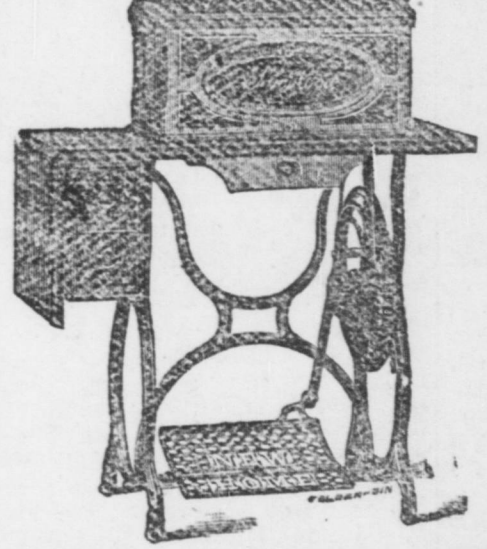
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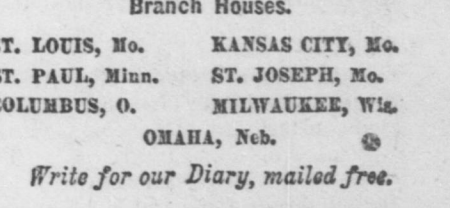
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