

Church & Sunday School Directory.

Evangelical. Rev. R. Hengst and H. A. Benfer, French's Rev. H. A. Benfer, will preach next Sunday evening.

Sunday School, 1 1/2 P. M.—D. L. ZERRY, Supt. Missionary Society meets on the third Monday evening of each month.

Methodist. Rev. Purman Adams Preacher-in-charge. Protracted meeting in progress.

Sunday School at 10 1/2 A. M.—D. A. Musser, Supt. Reformed.

Rev. Ziehoff A. Yearick, Pastor. Preaching in Aaronsburg next Sunday forenoon. English and in Millheim in the evening, also English.

Mite society meets regularly on the first Tuesday evening of each month.

United Brethren. Rev. J. G. Herald, Preacher-in-charge. Preaching next Sunday forenoon.

Sunday School, 9 A. M.—J. G. W. Herald, Supt. Lutheran.

Rev. John Tomlinson, Pastor.—Preaching in Aaronsburg next Sunday morning, German.

Sunday School at 9 A. M.—H. E. Duck, Supt. The Augsburg Bible Class meets every Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

Ladies' Mite Society meets on the first Monday evening of each month.

Presbyterian. Rev. W. K. Foster, Pastor.

Lodge & Society Directory.

Millheim Lodge, No. 955, I. O. O. F. meets in their hall, Penn Street, every Saturday evening, before the full moon of each month.

Between Degrees Meeting every Thursday on or before the full moon of each month.

C. W. HARTMAN, Sec. E. W. MAUCK, N. G. Providence Grange, No. 217 P. H., meets in Alexander's block on the second Saturday of each month at 1 1/2 P. M., and on the fourth Saturday of each month at 1 1/2 P. M.

D. L. ZERRY, Sec. T. G. FINN, Master. The Millheim B. & L. Association meets in the Penn street school house on the evening of the second Monday of each month.

A. W. HARTMAN, Sec. B. D. DEININGER, Prest. The Millheim Cornet Band meets in the Town Hall on Monday and Thursday evenings, J. H. B. HARTMAN, Sec. SAM. WELSH, Jr., Pres.

Democratic County Committee for 1884.

Bellefonte N. W. James A. McClain. N. W. Al Garman. N. W. James Schofield.

Howard N. W. A. Weber. Millsburg Dr. W. C. Grove. Millheim Dr. J. C. Adams.

Phillipsburg 1st W. J. N. Cassanova. 2d W. J. O. Loraine. 3d W. John M. Bell.

Unionville P. McDonald. Renner Wm. H. Close. Rogers F. M. Adams.

Frederick George Brown. College W. H. Tibbets. Curtin John McClockey.

Ferguson E. P. Levi Walker. Gregg W. P. Luther Risbel.

Haines E. P. M. Felder. Harris W. P. George Bower.

Hallowell Wm. G. Adams. Harris Jacob Weaver, Jr.

Howard Geo. D. Johnson. Millheim James Long.

Liberty Frank Brown. Marion John Hoy, Jr.

Patton Robert Reed. Penn Andrew Campbell.

Potter N. P. Alexander. Rush S. P. George Giffard.

Snow Shoe N. P. Edgar Holt. Spring John Gerbrick.

Taylor B. V. Fink. Union Sam'l K. Emerick.

Walke Sol. Peck. Worth Wm. Lewis.

P. GRAY MEER, Chairman.

Democratic Convention Called.

The national Democratic committee having met in the city of Washington on the 22d day of February, 1884,

has appointed Tuesday, the 8th day of July next at noon as the time, and chosen the city of Chicago as the place of holding the National Democratic Convention.

Each State is entitled to a representation there equal to double the number of its Senators and Representatives in the Congress of the United States.

The Democrats of each organized Territory and the District of Columbia are invited to send two delegates, subject to the decision of the convention as to their admission.

All Democratic conservative citizens of the United States, irrespective of past political associations and differences, who can unite with us in the effort for pure, economical and constitutional government, are cordially invited to join in sending delegates to the convention.

ASSEMBLYMAN NICHOLSON DIES Suddenly in a Visit to North Carolina.

BROOKVILLE, Feb. 25.—R. J. Nicholson, a member of the Pennsylvania legislature, died suddenly in North Carolina on Friday last. He will be buried here on Wednesday next.

(Robert Johnson Nicholson was born in Westmoreland county, Feb. 6, 1823, and was educated at the public schools and at the Greensburg academy.

He removed to Jefferson county after reaching manhood, entered the army from there and served through the war with distinction, having attained the rank of captain. He has been engaged in the lumber business for some years and had accumulated a competency.

He served in the legislature during the session of 1857, and was returned in 1880 and again in 1882. He was the author of the Nicholson apportionment bill and recognized as one of the leading members of the house.)

The wrong kind of Protection.

The tariff does not protect the laboring man, for his wages depend upon the demand and supply of laborers, and of the manufactured articles. Protection is for the weak and not for the strong, and a tariff which makes the rich richer and the poor poorer is not the protection which the laboring man needs.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 23, '84.

Reports received by the naval hydrographic office indicate that the ice is coming down from the arctic regions much earlier this season than usual.

This state of affairs is regarded as favorable for the Greely relief expedition, as there will be more open water in the polar region than is usual at this period of the year and there will consequently be less danger from ice pack.

The Washington Monument Association held a meeting on Friday, one object of which was to consider the subject of proper celebration of the monuments completion. No definite action was taken except to appoint a committee. Mr. Corcoran was re-elected president of the association.

The prospects of passing a bill for relief of distillers by extending the bounded period on whiskey, are thought by friends of the bill to have improved of late, especially since Mr. Morrison, chairman of the ways and means, has prepared a bill and promises to support it.

Friends as well as opponents of measures for pensioning soldiers of the Mexican war are agreed now that some bill for the purpose will pass at the present session.

The approaching close of the gay season—the "Society season"—is indicated by a notice that the last of the President's official receptions will be held on Tuesday evening next. Mrs. McElroy, the President's sister, will remain at the White House for a week or ten days longer, but the "season" is nearly over.

I should think it not unlikely that Washington would come to be known as 'Bicycle city.' It has many more of these vehicles than any other city on the continent. Its scores of miles of smooth asphalt pavement, over which there is little trouble and no discomfort in foraging bicycles, have induced hundreds of persons, old and young, to indulge in this pleasant and health-giving method of moving about.

There is considerable complaint here at the failure of Mr. Randall to report the appropriation bills and push them to a passage. All expectation of a short session of Congress is over, and no one now thinks of adjournment before July.

HOWARD.

Additional Local Matter.

—One other house to be built on Water street this spring, is S. G. Clark's. He has bought a lot to build it on.

—Mr. M. S. Wagoner, of Selinsgrove has been in town this week and gave us a pleasant call. He is the travelling salesman for Artman & Freichter, wholesale dealers in Carpets, Oil Cloths, etc., Philadelphia.

—On Friday March 21st, H. A. Mingle's executor's sale of the personal property of George Bollinger's estate at Aaronsburg will take place. A very large lot of partly finished material for chairmaking will be sold, beside a lot of household goods.

—Mr. E. W. Mauck showed us some very fine samples of wall paper. Edward has a large line of samples on hand and at the lowest prices. Parties who contemplate having work of this kind done will do well to call on him and examine his stock.

—We call the attention of farmers and stock raisers to the Climax Gate for which Mr. Wm. Stover and Mr. John Kerstetter, Jr., of this place are the agents. For handiness, durability and cheapness it excels anything we ever saw in the gate line. If you are in need of a new gate call on those gentlemen.

—The following item taken from last week's Watchman is of interest to the many friends and acquaintances of Mr. J. R. VanOrmer, who a few years ago was one of our best school teachers in town:

WEDDING CHIMES.—A very pleasant and somewhat numerous company assembled at the residence of Dr. George M. Swartz, on Bishop street, last evening (Feb. 21, 1884), to witness the celebration of the nuptials of his daughter, Miss Lizzie, with Mr. J. R. VanOrmer, of Philadelphia. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. Penepacker, of the Methodist church, who tied the knot in his usual prompt, brief and decisive manner. After the ceremony, congratulations were showered upon the fair bride and her handsome husband, who conducted himself right gallantly under the trying ordeal. Refreshments were next in order, and an elegant supper had been provided of which the guests partook with great relish. After an hour or more spent in pleasant social intercourse, the happy couple entered a carriage and were driven to the depot, where they took the train for Philadelphia and other points.

The presents received by the fair bride on this auspicious occasion were many and valuable, comprising the beautiful, the useful, the unique and rare. They were sent from all quarters—Philadelphia, Lancaster, Coatsville, Baltimore, from Juniata county, from the West, from Bellefonte, Pennsylvania and other places, forming altogether one of the finest collections ever seen at any wedding at Bellefonte.

We tender the happy couple our heartiest congratulations. May their matrimonial sky be clear to the end of their lives.

The Grand Army of the Republic contemplates the erection of a memorial building at Mifflon.

TURNPIKE ELECTION.—Take notice

that an election will be held by the stockholders of the Bellefonte, Aaronsburg and Youngman's town Turnpike Company, on TUESDAY MARCH 11th, 1884, at Hosterman's Hotel in Woodward Center Co., between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., of the said day.

By order of the Board, DANIEL RUNKEL, President.

TAKE NOTICE.—Mr. H. K. Luse hereby respectfully informs the public that he has a large lot of seed potatoes known as the "White Elephant Potato" for sale at his residence at Millheim. We are in possession of a basket full of these potatoes and can give them a warm recommendation as the best yielding potato in the market. If you are in need of any seed potatoes do not fail to call on him.

—Mr. John Kerstetter, Jr., still makes a business of doing special jobs at carpentry. John is really an expert at the business and has large experience, both in making out plans, specifications and drawings, as well as a practical workman. People who entrust their work into his hands can safely rely on having it done in best style at the lowest prices.

GOV. PATTISON AT THE COLLEGE.—Gov. Pattison, was taken to the State College on Tuesday night after his arrival here, the journey being made during a driving rain, and in such darkness that over two hours were consumed in driving the eleven miles. At one time the horses ran into a stone pile, throwing one of the animals down, and at another the party came unpleasantly near upsetting on account of some obstruction, but the college was reached without further mishap. Wednesday morning the Governor was honored at the College by a salute of seventeen guns and at Bellefonte, on his return, the citizens turned out in large numbers to greet him. As a result of this visit the majority of the committee appointed to ascertain and report upon the feasibility of combining the studies so that the greater portion of the income can be used for agricultural purposes, have determined to recommend a decrease of the faculty from seventeen to ten, and that the fund saved thereby be used in the direction indicated, and also for needed repairs. The Governor seems to be pretty well pleased with what he saw at the College.—Bellefonte Watchman.

Splinters from Madisonburg. Moving is already in progress.

A horse owned by Mr. Adam Shaffer, died one day last week.

A number of our young folks attended the paper reading at Hoy's school house on last Friday evening.

Superintendent Wolf paid the teachers of our public schools, a visit on the 11th inst. and seemed much pleased with the condition of the schools.

A party of sixteen persons left for Missouri, on last Tuesday. May success attend them.

The protracted meeting held in the Evangelical church of this place, is still in progress.

Mr. Gust Moyer from New York, paid his brother, Landlord Moyer, a visit last week. He also entertained a party of young folks one evening, with some very fine vocal and instrumental music.

The last remains of Mr. Adam Loose of Nittany valley, formerly of Madisonburg, were interred in the Evangelical cemetery at this place last week. The corpse was followed to its last resting place by a large concourse of relatives and friends. May God comfort the bereaved.

ANON.

Miscellaneous.

The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company has contracted with manufacturers to take 200,000 tons of coal dirt from its mines this year.

GENERAL FITZJOHN PORTER when a student at Exeter Academy was a fine scholar, the best swimmer, marble player and athlete in the school. None had a higher reputation for honor, integrity and character than he.

W. P. ELLIOT, of Lewistown, is thought to be the oldest living editor in the United States. He was born January 12, 1793, and started the Lewistown Gazette in 1811. Simon Cameron, now in his eighty-sixth year and sometimes alluded to as the oldest living Pennsylvania editor, sent a handsome gift to Mr. Elliot on the occasion of his last birthday, "in memory of old times and old printers."

Mrs. Nutt, in her evidence, said that James, her son, had commenced carrying a pistol when nine years of age "and has been armed ever since." One of the attorneys said James carried a pistol when but five years old. Is it any wonder there are so many murders and suicides when parents permit and encourage their children to carry deadly weapons when they are scarcely beyond infancy?

What Will Burst a Gun?

Sportsmen are often heard asserting that they have extra strong guns, that can "shoot anything," etc., and guns sometimes do bear things most foreign to their natures, while at other times, owing to a thousand considerations, guns instantly "bulge" or burst if they are fired while the least bit of foreign matter—a rag or a twig—accidentally is added to their usual "load." Some strangely-twisted pieces of gun barrels in Wanamaker's window on Chestnut street exhibit in most interesting fashion the vagaries of overtasked gun barrels. These specimens are parts of some guns burst by Captain Health, of

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT OF CENTRE COUNTY, ESTATE OF JOHN D. FOOT, DECEASED.—The undersigned, an auditor appointed by said court to make distribution of the fund in the hands of Dr. P. T. Buser, Administrator of &c. of John D. Foot, late of Millheim Twp., deceased, gives notice that he will meet the parties interested for the purpose of his appointment at his office in Bellefonte, on Wednesday, March 5th, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M. C. P. BEW, Auditor.

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