

The Millheim Journal. THURSDAY, MARCH 3RD, 1887. Published by R. A. BUMILLER. 1887. Democratic County Committee.

THE reduction of the nation's debt during February amounted to \$1,436,782.57.

THE House passed the Mexican pension bill on Tuesday. It appropriates \$2,300,000 for the remainder of the current fiscal year, and \$4,600,000 for the next fiscal year.

THE name of James M. Trotter, a colored citizen of Massachusetts, was sent to the Senate by the president, for Recorder of Deeds in the District of Columbia, in the place of James C. Matthews, who was twice rejected.

THE annual report of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company shows that their gross earnings during the year 1886 amount to \$101,697,980.78.

IN consequence of the decision of congress that none of the candidates in the second congressional district of Rhode Island were elected legally last November, another election was held in that district last week, which resulted in the election of Chas. H. Page, a democrat, by a majority of 5781.

Mrs. DRUSE, the husband-murderer, was hanged at New York on last Friday. She died of strangulation, and left a full confession of her crime, in which she exonerates her daughter from being implicated in the murder of her father, William Druse.

THE bill extending the minimum term of schools in Pennsylvania to six months passed the house on Tuesday. The bill would be of more benefit to educational interests if there were a compulsory school law.

A MEMBER of the Massachusetts legislature is so disgusted with the sensational reports of executions in the newspapers that he introduced a bill fixing the penalty for publishing such reports at \$500 fine and costs.

THE number of insane people in Pennsylvania, according to the fourth annual report of the state committee on lunacy, is 5923, an increase of 233 over the year 1885.

THE committee appointed at the January meeting of the Centre County Pomona Grange, consisting of Messrs. Leonard Rhone, J. J. Arney, John Grove, L. C. Bearick and George Dale, have had under consideration, as introduced to arrange for holding the fourteenth annual Patrons picnic of Centre county for two consecutive days and have agreed by unanimously passing the following resolution.

Resolved, That we hold the fourteenth annual picnic of the Patrons of Husbandry of Centre County at the usual time (about the middle of September) at the old place on the top of Nittany Mountain; and that it be continued for two days with an exhibition of such farming implements and stock as manufacturers and farmers may desire to exhibit, and that we cordially invite the public to join with us in our annual gathering.

Manufacturers are offering to exhibit and will aid in making the implement department interesting, and, no doubt, farmers having fine stock will be glad of the opportunity to bring it to public notice.

Arrangements will be made for public lectures daily and in the evening some special entertainment is contemplated.

Tents will be rented at a nominal price to accommodate those who may contemplate staying on the grounds.

Applications for tents should be made early, to enable the committee to engage sufficient number in time. Families are expected to bring their own board and bedding, but no doubt a boarding house will be erected.

It is confidently believed that the public will enthusiastically join the Patrons of our country for the grandest and most profitable gathering ever held by the farmers of our county.

WASHINGTON LETTER. (From our regular correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 28, 1887. The defeated Pension bill, the Cabinet succession, the change of Inauguration day, the new President of the Senate, and the probable extra session of the Senate are the matters that have been most talked about here during the past week.

The President is anxious to avoid asking the Senate to remain in session after the fourth of March, but when asked whether he would be ready to submit the important nominations upon which he desired its action in time to obviate such a necessity, he replied that it was impossible for him to tell.

The Interstate Commerce Commission have given him much perplexity, and now the question has been raised as to his Constitutional right to appoint a new railway officer which is to be filled by advice and consent of the Senate, while the Senate is not in session.

Miscellaneous News. —Good's Sarsaparilla is peculiar to itself and superior to all other preparations in strength, economy, and medicinal merit.

What it is Called in Connecticut. HARTFORD, Feb. 25.—The supreme court to-day rendered a decision in the celebrated New Haven boycott case of the state vs. Glidden and others, walking delegates, who undertook to enforce a boycott against the New Haven Journal and Courier for refusing to discharge certain compositors.

A GREAT BATTLE is continually going on in the human system. The demon of impure blood strives to gain victory over the constitution, to ruin health, to drag victims to the grave.

Greatest Water Works in the World. New York city is going to have a new addition to its present inadequate water works, which, when completed, will cost \$30,000,000, and will have a reservoir that will cost \$10,000,000, and which is capable of supplying 3,000,000 people with 100 gallons a day.

A Captain's Fortune Discovery. Capt. Coleman, schr. Weymouth, plying between Atlantic City and N. Y., had been troubled with a cough so that he was unable to sleep and was reduced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption.

A Terrible Blizzard in Dakota. BISMARCK, I. T., Feb. 25.—A terrible blizzard is blowing in the west, and the Northern Pacific east-bound passenger train is snowed in near Sentinel Butte.

Vermont Railroads Blocked With Snow. ST. JOHNSBURY, Vt., Feb. 25.—The blockades on the railroads in this section is the worst this season. A hard wind prevailed all night.

After Investigating the Causes of Strikes. ALBANY, Feb. 25.—The majority report of the legislative committee appointed to investigate the causes of strikes and the exorbitant prices for coal in New York, favors the enactment of a statute asserting that it is in violation of a public duty and unlawful for any corporation to agree with another corporation expressly or impliedly to limit the production of fuel or food.

Ladies, Look Here! We offer advantages to cash buyers that will never be found in the regular paths of regular trade. We buy immense job lots from bankrupt concerns who are forced to sell, and our prices are final, absolute, and CASH ONLY.

Blown From a Train. WEST CHESTER, Pa., Feb. 25.—Geo. McLean, of this borough, was blown off a train near Frazer last evening. The train had just left Frazer for West Chester and was going at a good rate of speed, when he started to pass from one car to another.

ASTORIA for Infants and Children. "Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. ARCHER, M. D., 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Renews Her Youth. Mrs. Phoebe Chesley, Peterson, Ch. Co., Ia., tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of her town.

Six Boys Killed While Walking on the Track. The Terrible Fate that Befell a Party of Calamus Hunters at Chain Dam near Easton on the Lehigh Valley.

There were seven in the party, and all lived in Easton. Their names are Walter Walter, Walter Heath, Walter Pearce, John Greig, Manning Garris, and their ages range from 12 to 15 years.

For a time my life was despaired of. My trouble was with the Kidneys, Liver and Bladder—also Constipation. Finally I used Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, and in my opinion it saved my life.

Milheim Market. Corrected every Wednesday. By Grenoble, Barbery & Co., Coburn, Pa.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS. ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned, having been granted letters of administration on the estate of Samuel Rupp, late of Harris township, dec'd., requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them daily for settlement.

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