

ALTOONA MAIL SCHEDULE.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.—Well, we had the Fourth of July here in all its glory; fun, frolic, feasting, fuzzle-guzzling and a few free fights being the order of the day.

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Proceedings of the Town Council.

ALTOONA, July 2nd, 1860. Council met. Present, A. A. Smyth, R. Greenwood, D. F. Laughman, J. A. McDowell, D. R. Miller, and Wm. C. McCormick, Chief Burgess.

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SCHOOL EXHIBITION.—The scholars connected with the public schools in this place, gave a public exhibition at the East Ward school rooms, on Thursday and Friday evenings, June 29th and 30th.

WOODCOCK SHOOTING.—Some persons are under the impression that the Legislature passed a law prohibiting the shooting of woodcock previous to the 1st of September.

DOUGLAS MEETING.—Pursuant to a call issued by the Chairman of the Democratic Club, in this place, the club convened in Shultz's Hall, on the evening of the 28th ult.

ENCAMPMENT.—The much talked of encampment to come off at Huntingdon, commencing on the 24th and ending on the 29th of September, promises to be a grand affair.

DAMAGE TO GLASS.—During the firing of the small cannon (manufactured for the occasion) at the crossing of Virginia and Annie streets, on the morning of the Fourth, six lights of glass in the bulk window of the Misses Hickey's Millinery store, on the corner, were broken.

BLAIR COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At a stated meeting of the Blair County Medical Society, held at Springfield Furnace, on Wednesday, the 30th of May, the following resolution was adopted.

WELL, COLONEL.—We are attending to the commands of Holy writ. We welcome you most cordially to the number of happy benedictors; and hope that neither you nor your partner may ever regret the linking of your fates.

OUR YOUNG FRIEND, B. A. O. Kerr, requests attention to the fact that he has on hand a large stock of Berea grind-stones, said to be the best in the country.

OFFICERS ELECTED.—The following named persons have been elected officers of Altoona Division, No. 811, S. of T., for the ensuing quarter:—W. P. David Galbraith; W. A. A. D. Cherry; R. S. David Irons; A. B. S. J. G. Counsmann; F. S., Theodore Peterson; T. B. F. Custer; C. J. Marshall; O. S. J. J. Smith; Chaplain, M. T. Dill.

SWAIN.—Judging from the number of snakes that have been killed lately by parties in search of berries, these reptiles must be numerous. A rattlesnake bearing fourteen rattles was killed by Peter Marks, and another bearing nine rattles was killed by Pink Clark, some days since.

ACCIDENT AT THE FOUNDRY.—On Wednesday last a laborer at the Hollidaysburg Foundry, named James Gully, whilst assisting in pouring metal from a large ladle, was very severely burned by the accidental oversetting of the ladle.

MILL BURNED.—The fine stone grist mill of Mr. Samuel Leitch, at Rich Iron Works, in this county, we regret to say, was totally destroyed by fire on Sunday last, together with all its contents.

THE GOOD WILL boys had their "merchandise" out on Saturday evening last, giving the citizens of East Altoona a specimen of their working powers, and testing the capacity of the fire plugs in that district to supply water, in case of fire.

TALK OATS.—We notice a number of our contemporaries bragging about tall rye, timothy and oats stalks, which have been shown them, but we find none which will take down a bunch of oats stalks left with us a few days since, the tallest of which measured six feet two inches, and the remainder about six feet.

MESSRS. JENKINS & SMITH.—Gentlemen.—Since graduating at the "Iron City," three years since, I have had no difficulty in obtaining constant employment as a Book-keeper; and when asked for evidence of my ability, I have only to refer to my Diploma.

NEW PAPER.—Some time since, Messrs. Martin & Ray issued a prospectus for a new paper, to be styled the Blair County American, to be published in this place.

THE LOGAN RIFLE RANGERS were out on Saturday last, in a new fangled dress, consisting of light oil cloth caps instead of their heavy dress parade caps, and red shirts instead of their dress frock coats.

HAS THE DOG LAW been enforced yet?—One of two things is true—either there are more valuable dogs in this place, on which their owners pay the tax, or the Constable has not attended to the collection of the tax, and the decapitation of all canines for whom no one will "sock up."

A CHANGE.—Miss Jennie Scott informs us that she intends disposing of her stock of millinery goods and notions at auction, on Monday evening next, July 16th.

LICENSE GRANTED.—At the Adjourned Court held in Hollidaysburg, some two weeks since, the following additional licenses were granted to tavern-keepers in this place, viz: John Devlin, John Stahl, Jacob Allman and John Nagle. J. Berkowitz was granted a wholesale license.

KEEP OUT OF HANNA'S WAY.—This is good advice to all persons, at any time, but especially at a season of the year when coughs and colds harass the system, and frequently lead to the formation of permanent disease of the lungs or some of the organs connected with respiration.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING.—On Saturday last, a son of Col. A. DeArms, about 12 years of age, while playing with some boys on the wall of the Depot viaduct, was precipitated into the river and would certainly have been drowned but for the timely assistance of Wm. Henry, Sr., and Hugh Curry, who rescued him just as he was sinking the fourth time under the water, which was some eight or ten feet deep.—Standard.

THE "MODEL ACCOUNTANT" has again assumed his position on the Huntingdon Accommodation, and it now looks like the old institution. We are glad to note that Jim has almost, if not altogether recovered from his recent attack of rheumatism, and looks about as fat and saucy as ever.

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High School, in the spacious rooms of which large tables had been erected, and were loaded with the good things of this life, prepared by the hospitable citizens of Martinsburg. It is needless to attempt to give a description of what was on the tables; suffice it to say, that they were laden with all the substantial and luxuries of the Cove abounds.

TOWARDS EVENING the crowds began to disperse to their homes. Everything passed off pleasantly—no accident—no quarrelling among this large and promiscuous assemblage, as frequently happens on such occasions.

THIS PASSED OFF the most pleasant Fourth in Martinsburg. Every one seemed to enjoy it to their heart's content. May we as a people feel deeply thankful to an overruling Providence that we are in a land of Liberty and Independence, and hail with feelings of patriotism the return of the Fourth of July.

MARRIED.—June 27th, by Rev. A. H. Taylor, Mr. HARRY KELLEY, of Hollidaysburg, and Miss ANN E. CAROTHERS, of Gaysport. June 30th, by A. H. Taylor, Mr. J. CHOATE UNDERHILL, of Ipswich, Mass., and Miss PHILENA H. HART, of Hollidaysburg.

AT THE HOUSE of Mr. P. Shelly, in Huron township, by Rev. A. H. Taylor, on the 24th ult., Mr. W. LOWER and Miss E. C. URBAN. On the 27th ult., by Rev. Lloyd Knight, Mr. PETER WENDEL, of Hollidaysburg, to Miss MARGARET J. KENNEDY, of Juniata county.

DIED.—June 23rd, Mrs. MARGARET HELM, of Frankfort township, in the 70th year of her age. In this place, on the 9th inst. of consumption, HARRIET McCLELLAND, daughter of John McClelland, Esq., aged 20 years.

BOARDING.—A FEW GENTEEL persons will find comfortable accommodations at the new House, corner of Virginia and Clara Streets, West Altoona. Application to be made soon. M. J. MOORE. Altoona, July 12th, 1860.

IN THE MATTER OF THE INCORPORATION OF THE BOROUGH OF ALTOONA. July Term, 1860, Court of Common Pleas of Blair Co. And now, to wit: June 25, 1860, the Court having heard and examined a petition, asking that the charter may be so changed that the Council be composed of six members instead of five, and that two be elected annually instead of biennially; and that the Chief Burgess be elected biennially instead of annually, and that if not sufficient reason be shown to the contrary, said Court will grant the said change at the next term.

AGENTS WANTED.—THE NATIONAL POLITICAL CHART, and Map of the United States, containing Accurate Portraits, from life, of the Candidates of each Party for President and Vice-President, with their letters of acceptance, Platforms of their respective Parties, with a vast amount of Statistical matter. Results of the Presidential Election of the United States in 1856, names of the Speakers of the House of Representatives from 1790 to the present time.

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GROCERY, PROVISION, AND WHOLESALE LIQUOR STORE. THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD INFORM the public that he has purchased the interest of A. MILLER in the Grocery and Provision Store here, to be kept by them on Virginia street, below Caroline St., where he will continue the business, and will keep constantly on hand a large supply of FLOUR, HAMS, SHOULDERS, SIDES, DRIED BEEF, FISH, SALT, MOLASSES, COFFEE, TEA, SUGAR, SPICES, CONFECTIONARIES, and everything usually kept in Grocery and Provision Stores, all of which he receives fresh from the western and western cities, and will sell at the most reasonable prices.

HAIR OILS, COLOGNES, POMADES, &c. Having Cream Toilet Soap, &c. for sale by J. W. KESSLER.

CHILDREN TEETHING. MRS. WINSLOW, AN EXPERIENCED NURSE AND FEMALE PHYSICIAN, presents to the attention of mothers her SOOTHING SYRUP, FOR CHILDREN TEETHING.

THE ONLY PREPARATION Having Proofs so strong and direct as to EXPEL THE DOUBTS OF ALL. For Statements, Judges, Editors, Physicians of the oldest schools as well as of their qualified associates and recommend it for all cases of eruptions, and diseases of the scalp and hair, but all who have used it, unite in testifying that it will preserve the hair from falling out to any age, as well as restore the hair to its original color.

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VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—The undersigned, purposing changing his location, offers for sale his Real Estate in the Borough of Hollidaysburg and Juniataville, &c., including the private residence, which is one of the first class properties in Blair County. For further particulars, inquiring of the subscriber either at Hollidaysburg or Altoona.

LYCOMING COUNTY MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, Agent of the Lycoming Mutual Life Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, Building, Merchandise, Furniture and Property, &c., in any town or city, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State. Office in the Masonic Temple. Jan. 3, 1861. JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail. Dec. 11, 1856-1857. J. SHOEMAKER, Masonic Temple.

LUMBER FOR SALE. 10,000 SHINGLES, 10,000 LATHES, and all kinds of BUILDING MATERIALS, lower than the lowest, for Cash. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER, Masonic Temple.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS just received and for sale by J. W. KESSLER.