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	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Nov. 7	30 deg.	31 deg.	28 deg.
" 8	25 deg.	36 deg.	30 deg.
" 9	31 deg.	35 deg.	34 deg.
" 10	34 deg.	45 deg.	36 deg.
" 11	23 deg.	44 deg.	30 deg.
" 12	34 deg.	46 deg.	33 deg.
" 13	35 deg.	39 deg.	30 deg.

R. T. TAYLOR.

Subscriptions to the Beaver Argus.—The following named persons have paid the sums set opposite to their names on subscription to the Beaver ARGUS, since the date of our last publication.

Phillip Beatel, Freedom,	$3 00
E. D. Evans, New Brighton,	3 00
D. Beatle, Poe,	4 00
James Porter, Bridgewater,	3 70
C. Black, Rochester,	2 00
Jas. L. Bowman, Brownsville, Pa.,	50
Samuel Anderson, Blackhawk,	4 00
John McFall, Smith's Ferry,	3 08
M. Alexander, Rochester,	3 00
Samuel Davidson, Bridgewater,	2 00
John Kirkpatrick, Brighton tp.,	50
G. H. Reisinger, " "	1 50

The attention of the public is directed to the following New Advertisements which appear for the first time in the ARGUS to-day:

Something New—James Duncan.
Special Notice—Jas. A. Fortuno.
Special Notice—Cutter.
Special Notice—Climax Knitter.

We anticipate our day of publication in order that our employees may have an opportunity to observe Thanksgiving day.

☞ Blank Subpœnas for sale at the ARGUS office.

Furs! Furs!! a splendid assortment at Bence's, Beaver. ‡

Accident.—On last Thursday morning, Mr. Robert McLain, while at work laying a pavement was severely injured by the falling of a brick from the roof of a building in Beaver. He was taken to his home on the south side of the river, in the evening of that day.

Furs! Furs!! A good set of Siberian squirrel furs from $6 to $10, at Bence's, Third street, Beaver. ‡

SHAWLS! SHAWLS!—A large assortment just come in at Bence's, Beaver. ‡

The Colorado River.—We yield much of our space this week to the Report of Capt. Samuel Adams, formerly of this county, to the Secretary of War, on the Colorado River exploration. It is a very interesting document and will repay a careful reading.

☞ Blank Deeds for sale at the ARGUS office.

Wanted.—One thousand bushels of good dry Buckwheat at Edgar's mill in Fallston. JOHN EDGAR.
Local copy. oct27:1mo

Attention is directed to the advertisement of Jas. Duncan, esq., of Fallston, which will be found in another column of the ARGUS. Mr. D. is one of the "old stand by" business men of this county, and whatever he says in relation to an article he offers for sale may be relied upon. We are satisfied from what we learn that he has one of the best lots of goods to be found anywhere in this county. Call and see it.

Don't fail to goto Will Smith & Co's.' Rochester, for bargains in everything.

☞ Blank Summon's for sale at the ARGUS office.

A Heavy Yield of Oats.—Mr. Jno. Kirkpatrick of Brighton tp., this county, last spring procured and sowed three fourths of a pound of Norway oats. In the fall he gathered his crop and on threshing it he had sixty two pounds. We have published several yields of Norway oats in the ARGUS this fall, but we believe this one leads them all in proportion to the amount of seed sown.

☞ Blank Notes for sale at the ARGUS office.

Good Fresh Lime always on hand at the Mulvanon Lime Kilns, Vanport. [aug1:tf.

Finest Wool.—At the American Institute lately held in New York city, J. McDowel, esq., of Buffalo tp., this county, was awarded the premium for the finest specimen of wool. His flock of sheep are from a stock originally brought from Spain by the father of General Meade.—*Washington Reporter.*

"Will Smith & Co., Rochester, sell cheaper than any store in Beaver county," has become the byeword of all who deal with them. Call and see.

Chinchilla cloths for ladies sacks at Bence's, Beaver. ‡

Taken to the Penitentiary.—On Saturday Sheriff Littell, of this county, took three prisoners from here to the Penitentiary in Allegheny city. They were all three committed for stealing. Two of them go for one year each, and the third one for eighteen months. They are named as follows: Henry Hazel, ——— Weiser, and John Maxwell.

Flannels! very cheap at Bence's. ‡

☞ Blank warrants for sale at the ARGUS office.

Catholic Mission will commence in SS. Peter and Paul's church, in Beaver, on Sunday next, and continue for one week. The Jubilee of a plenary absolution, granted by the Holy Father to the faithful, by compliance with the prescribed sacraments and fasts, will also take place during that period. The children of the church will be examined and such as are found worthy will receive first communion. Fathers Votalian and Anthony, Passionist Fathers of Birmingham Monastery, will officiate. Services every day during the week. Every Catholic in the vicinity is expected to attend, and a cordial invitation is extended to the public.

The best assortment of Notions, Trimmings & Millinery goods, and all new, is to be found at Will Smith & Co's., Diamond, Rochester.

Wm. Fleming & Co's. Great Representative Hat, Cap and Ladies Fur House, No. 139 Wood Street, Pittsburgh, Penn'a. Send for price list of Ladies Furs. [oct27;3m.

Public Lecture.—Our readers will bear in mind that Rev. James Hollingshead will deliver a Lecture in the Court House in Beaver, on next Thursday evening, on "Traces of Ancient, Powerful and Civilized Nations on our Continent." The Rev. gentleman has given his subject a good deal of attention for sometime past, and we have no doubt but that it will be handled in an intelligent manner. We understand that arrangements have been perfected to furnish music for the occasion. Those who have not supplied themselves with tickets, can pay the admission fee at the door.

☞ Blank Mortgages for sale at the ARGUS office.

Court Proceedings.—The Court which convened in this place on Monday of last week continued in session until Friday evening, when it adjourned to meet again on Monday the 22d inst. The following cases came up for hearing and were disposed of:

Com. vs John E Rico, Assault and Battery. Defendant to pay costs of bringing case over to present term, and dismissed.

Com vs Wm Gallagher. Assault and Battery. Nolle prosequi entered, defendant paying costs.

Com vs Andrew Falls. Assault and Battery. Not guilty, and costs divided equally between prosecutor and defendant.

Com vs Samuel Mason. Disturbing religious meeting. Process returned N E I.

Com vs J H Smyzer. Felonious assault. Verdict not guilty in manner and form indicted.

Com vs James Herrington. Assault. Ignored. Prosecutor to pay cost and to stand committed till paid.

Com vs Hunter Russell. Assault with intent to commit rape. Ignored and the prosecutor, Mary Herrington to pay costs.

Com vs A Cunningham and Hunter Russell. Assault and Battery. Ignored. Prosecutor to pay costs and stand committed till paid.

Com vs Mattie Meeks and Mattie Sooda. Assault and Battery. Ignored. Prosecutor, Thomas Bracken, to pay costs.

Com vs John Maxwell. Larceny, 3 cases. Guilty. Sentenced to 18 months in the Penitentiary.

Com vs Wm. Taylor. Assault with intent to commit rape. Ignored as to the intent, true bill as to assault.

Com vs J Dunlap. Erecting nuisance on the street in borough of Fallston. Verdict, guilty.

Com vs Wm Porter. Indictment, surety of the peace. Verdict not guilty on account of the insanity of the defendant.

Com vs Wm Burge. Indictment, selling liquor on Sunday. Plead guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of ten dollars, the costs of prosecution, and imprisonment in the county jail for sixty days.

Same vs same. Indictment, selling liquor contrary to law. Plead guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of one hundred dollars, and the costs of prosecution.

Same vs same. Indictment, selling liquor to minors. Verdict guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of ten dollars, the costs of prosecution, and undergo imprisonment in the county jail for sixty days.

Com vs Michael Camp. Indictment, selling liquor contrary to law. Plead guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred dollars, and the costs of prosecution.

Com vs Richard Doncaster. Indictment, selling liquor contrary to law. Plead guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred dollars and costs of prosecution.

Com vs Timothy Ladey. Indictment, assault and battery. Plead guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of fifty dollars, the costs of prosecution and undergo imprisonment in the county jail for six months.

Com vs Wm Buechling. Indictment, selling liquor contrary to law. Ignoramus, and prosecutor to pay the costs.

Com vs John and Mary Horrington. Indictment, assault. Verdict, guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of five dollars each and the costs of prosecution.

Com vs Geo W Brown. Indictment, surety of the peace. Sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, and recognized in the sum of two hundred dollars.

Same vs same. Indictment, surety of peace. Sentenced to pay costs of prosecution, and recognized in the sum of two hundred dollars to keep the peace.

Same vs same. Indictment, resisting an officer. Sentenced to pay a fine of twenty dollars, the costs of prosecution, and undergo imprisonment in the county jail for ten days.

Com vs J H Cunningham. Indictment, surety of the peace. Sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution and enter into recognizance in the sum of five hundred dollars to keep the peace.

Same vs same. Charge and sentence same as in above case.

Com vs Henry Hazel. Indictment, larceny. Sentenced to one year's imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

Com vs ——Weiser. Indictment, larceny. Plead guilty. Sentenced to one year's imprisonment in Penitentiary.

Wanted.—One thousand bushels of good, dry Buckwheat, at Edgar's mill in Fallston. JOHN EDGAR.
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BLANKETS.—Only $4.50 per pair, for good white blankets, at Bence's. ‡

The Cannon's Mill Robbery.—In last week's ARGUS we copied from the Wellsville *Union* an account of the recent robbery at Cannon's Mill, in Columbiana county, and the arrest and confinement of one or two of the robbers. The account referred to gave the credit of their capture solely to the Ohio authorities, when the truth is they had little or nothing to do with it. The information against the robbers was made before Esq. McFall, of Glasgow, Beaver county, and the arrest made by Henry Camp, a constable of the same place, who brought his captive to the Beaver jail, where he was held until last week, when he was taken from here to New Lisbon by the Sheriff of Columbiana county. The boy, for such he is in years, made a "confession" to some persons while in our jail which implicates some notorious characters in Washington county in the Cannon's Mill robbery. What action has been or will be taken in reference to them we have not learned.

☞ Blank Commitments for sale at the ARGUS office.

A sure cure for Rheumatism, Neuralgia and all pains. (Fink's Magic Oil.) Sent to any address on receipt of $1.00. H. G. G. Fink, 12½ Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. oct20;1m6.

Attempted Escape.—Z. Taylor Hockenburry, convicted of the murder of Mary McCandless, and George Dilblane, convicted of horse stealing, attempted to escape from the Butler county jail on the 9th inst. Hockenbery, it appears, had made a key out of a bone, with which the doors were opened. The attempt was frustrated by a girl employed in the family of the jailor.

Double width Flannels, at Fortuno's, Diamond, Rochester, Pa., at 25 cts. per yard.

Interesting to Inventors.—We are in receipt of a circular from Messrs. Alexander & Mason, Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C. containing as reference letters and names of inventors in different parts of our State by whom they have been employed in the last two years. Their long experience as patent solicitors, their favorable location for properly attending to the patent business, and the principle of exacting no money until they have done their work and secured a patent insures to the inventor fair play. See advertisement in another column.

Church Improvements in Beaver are the order of the day. We notice that the U. P. Church is undergoing extensive repairs. The old, unseemly doors and windows have given place to large gothic ones, and the latter filled with beautiful cut or stained glass. The ceilings are being painted and the walls papered. The grounds are also fenced in by substantial pallings in front and good boards back. Altogether the building now presents a handsome appearance.

A fine assortment of Hats, Bonnets and French Flowers at Will Smith & Co's., Rochester.

Death of a Noted Horse.—Max, the elegant and beautiful cream-colored stallion presented by Gen. Grant to our fellow townsman, Wm. W. Smith, in the spring of 1867, died on Sunday morning one week ago, at the stables of his owner, adjoining this place. This horse was presented to President Grant just after the close of the rebellion, by a Mexican General (whose name we have forgotten) the presentation having been made thro' Senor Romero, then Mexican Minister to this country. The stallion was raised by the Mexican General, who had, and probably yet has, the finest stock of horses in that country, and Max was considered the very best animal in Mexico. He was used by his Mexican owner all through the campaigns against Maxmillian, and was frequently seen and admired in the streets of the city of Mexico.

The Mexican General, who was also an officer in the Mexican army in the American war against Mexico, was educated in this country, and had two of his sons educated at Bethany College, in our neighboring county of Brooke, W. Va.

During the absence of Mr. Smith in the east recently, the food of the horse was changed by the groom, and it is believed that his death was in consequence thereof. The animal was highly prized by Mr. Smith, not only on account of its own worth, but also owing to its having been a gift from his distinguished relative. It was aged about fifteen years.—*Wash. Examiner.*

Recipe for Curing Meat.—To one gallon of water add one and a half pounds of salt, one-half pound of sugar, and one-half ounce each of saltpetre and potash. Let these be boiled together and skimmed until perfectly clear. Put in a tub to cool, and when *cold* pour it over the beef or pork, and let it remain the usual time—say four or five weeks. The meat should be well covered with pickle, and should not be put down for at least two days after killing, during which time it should be slightly sprinkled with powdered saltpetre, which removes all the surface blood, leaving the meat fresh and clean.

The instruction given at the Normal School, Edinboro, is systematic, suggestive and accurate. A single term at such a school is often of great value.

It being an established fact that the Constitution Bitters are far superior to all others, it is not surprising that they are used to such an extent. There is no doubt that if people consult their own interest they will be supplied with them at all times, for a few doses taken in time will often prevent a long and lingering sickness.

Everywhere victorious, Seward's cough cure.

KNIT! KNIT!! KNIT!!!—Agent wanted to sell the Climax Knitter; makes the old fashioned knitting-needle stitch and several others; finishes the stocking as it goes. Price $25. Call at Weed Sewing-Machine office, New Brighton, or address Climax Knitter, New Brighton, Pa. 2t

Church Dedication.—The new M. E. Church of Vanport, Beaver Co., will be dedicated to the worship of Almighty God, on Sabbath, Nov. 21st, 1869. Rev. Sylvester Burtt, A. M., of New Philadelphia, Ohio, will preach at 10½ o'clock, a. m. Rev. D. P. Lowary, Pastor of the Beaver Presbyterian church, in the afternoon at 3 o'clock, p. m. Pastors and members of other congregations are urgently invited to attend.

JAS. HOLLINGSHEAD,
By order of Trustees.

Teachers Tried for Assault and Battery.—An interesting case came off before a Justice of the Peace, in Franklin, Venango county, last week. Mr. H. A. Strong, principal, and Miss C. P. Sims, teacher in Franklin Union School were tried for assault and battery on John Bellett, twelve years old, one of the pupils.

The evidence showed that John and another boy were enjoying a little game of "pinch," and the teacher requested them to behave. John declined to obey orders, and when the teacher attempted to whip him he was insolent and defiant. The principal was sent for and punished the boy until he agreed to behave himself. It was proven that John was unruly, and until whipped refused to obey his teacher.

The jury brought in a verdict of not guilty, and the prosecutor, Richard Bellett, to pay the costs.

To Tailors.—An experienced eastern Cutter, with best of references, desires a situation. The advertiser is the author of the best system of garment cutting ever offered to the trade, and will be responsible to his employer for all missfits. Address for a few days "CUTTER," Beaver Falls, Pa.

Practical Banking constitutes a part of the regular course of study at the Iron City College. For Circulars giving a full outline of the method pursued in this important part of a business education, address the Principals, Smith & Cowley, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Druggists will tell you that "Whittlesey's Dyspepsia Cure" is becoming justly popular, as a remedy for Indigestion, Sick Headache, &c.

Ballou's Monthly Magazine.—We are in receipt of this marvellously cheap and handsome magazine for December. Its table of contents is varied and charming, embracing the usual fine variety of serials, sketches, stories, poems and attractive engravings. The publishers announce in the prospectus for the coming year, a serial story for adults, by the popular magazine writer, James Franklin Fitts, and a juvenile serial by the young people's favorite, Horatio Alger, Jr. The price of this periodical is a marvel to everybody—a hundred page first class illustrated magazine for fifteen cents, or $1.50 per year, is indeed wonderfully cheap. Elliott, Thomes & Talbot, Publishers, Boston, Mass.

A fortune is not to be had every day, but a fortune is made by saving your *loose change*, and your *odds* and *ends*. One way to start in on a *fortune*, is to buy your dry goods at Jas. A. Fortuno's, in the Diamond, Rochester, who at present has the finest and best assorted stock in Beaver county, and *fortunate* are the persons who purchase their Fall and Winter supplies at the above Fortuno's. To those who wish to appear gaily dressed, we would inform them that 'Gaily' is still on hand to 'fix' them up.

Double shawls, new styles for 1869 at Bence's, Beaver. ‡

Salt for the Throat.—An exchange says in these days when diseases of the throat prevail, and particularly a dry, hacking cough, which is not only distressing to ourselves but to those we are brought into business contact with, those thus afflicted may be benefitted by trying the following remedy: Last fall we were induced to try what virtue there was in common salt. We commenced by using it three times a day—morning noon and night. We dissolved a large tablespoonful of common salt in about half a tumbler full of cold water, and with this we gargled the throat most effectually just before meal time; the result has been that during the winter we were not only free from the usual coughs and colds to which as our memory extends, we have always been subject, but the dry hacking cough has entirely disappeared. We attribute it entirely to the salt gargle, and do most cordially recommend it to those of our readers who are subject to diseases of the throat.

TEACHERS INSTITUTE.

The Beaver County Teachers Institute convened in School Hall on Monday, Oct. 25th, 1869, and was organized by electing the following named persons to the various offices: Chairman—Geo. M. Fields; Secretary—T. H. Douglas; Enrolling Secretaries—Miss Mattie Ramage, of Rochester, and C. Franklin, of Fallston; Executive Committee—S. R. Vanpelt, New Brighton; Miss S. A. Platt, Rochester; J. H. Christy, Raccoon; Jas. Whitham, Hanover, and Maggie H. Rood, Darlington.

A permanent organization being perfected the subject of common fractions was discussed at some length by T. H. Douglas, of Bridgewater, illustrating his method of teaching the same. Some remarks were made on the subject by Messrs. Eberhart and Fields, after which the Rev. Jas. Mills, of New Brighton, addressed the audience on the subject of schools and education in a very interesting and instructive manner.

Tuesday Morning, Oct. 26th.—Institute convened at 9 a. m., Supt. Fields presiding, and was opened with prayer by the Rev. Dr. J. P. Breckenridge, of Rochester. After reading the minutes of previous session and enrolment of teachers, and calling the roll, Prof. J. A. Cooper, of Edinboro Normal School, was introduced to the Institute, and very ably discussed the subject of teaching English Grammar by giving practical illustrations of his method of presenting the subject to classes.

Prof. Eberhart favored the audience by reading some selections—"The Bridge of Sighs and Sheridan's Ride—after which Prof. S. P. Vanpelt, of New Brighton, discussed the subject of Mental Arithmetic for thirty minutes, explaining his method of teaching the same, and analyzing several problems given him by different members of the Institute in a very satisfactory manner, and showing himself eminently qualified to give instructions on the subject.

Afternoon session convened at 1 p. m. and Prof. Cooper continued his discussion on the subject of English Grammar, pointing out some glaring defects in the use and abuse of text books on the subject.

Rev. A. G. Wallace favored the Institute with an excellent address on the subject—How far is the teacher responsible for the moral training of his pupils? to which all listened very attentively. He directed the teacher that he should feel that he was as much responsible for the moral as he is for the intellectual training of his pupils.

Prof. R. T. Taylor, of Beaver Seminary, gave his method of presenting or teaching the subject of Geography, to which there was marked attention given by the members. His method of teaching the subject was discussed for a short time by members of the Institute, some agreeing in part and disagreeing in other very essential points.

At the evening session the hall was filled to overflowing, and was addressed by Prof. Cooper on The Teachers' Profession, who delivered a very interesting lecture. Mrs. A. T. Randall, of the Oswego Training School, favored the audience with some select readings—"Roger and I," "The Coquette," "Return of the Hillside Legion," and "The Creeds of the Bells,"—all of which were well received and highly applauded; after which Prof. C. Jacobus, of Kenwood School, favored the audience with a highly entertaining lecture on "Heroes and Heroism." After prayer by Rev. Jas. Mills the Institute adjourned to meet at 9 a. m. on Wednesday morning.

Wednesday Morning, Oct. 27th. Institute convened at 9 a. m. and was opened with prayer by Rev. A. G. Wallace. After enrolling now members, reading minutes of previous day, and calling the roll, Prof. Cooper and Mrs. Randall occupied the morning session in giving instructions on the subject of teaching History and Reading, much to the gratification of their hearers.

Afternoon session convened at 1 p. m. and proceeded immediately to the election of a committee of five on permanent certificates which resulted in the election of the following named persons: S. P. Vanpelt, Miss S. A. Platt, T. H. Douglas, and Miss A. E. McConnel.

The following named persons were appointed a committee on resolutions: J. H. Christy, P. C. Young, J. S. Briggs, Mary A. Dunlap and Alice McClynolds. Prof. Cooper then gave a class drill in percentage, explaining the principles and applications of the subject, after which Mrs. A. T. Randall occupied the remainder of the session in a class drill in elocution, showing clearly that she was master of her situation.

At the evening session a very large audience was favored first by an eloquent address by Rev. S. F. Crowther on "Religious culture in our schools," and an address on "The Teachers' Mission," by Rev. A. G. Wallace, and Readings by Mrs. Randall, all of which were of a very high character.

Thursday Morning, Oct. 28th.—After Chapel exercises by Prof. R. T. Taylor, calling of the roll, and reading of minutes, the subject of the Teachers' Institute was discussed at length by Profs. Jas. Whitham, Benj. Franklin and others, and was addressed by Prof. Taylor on School Government in a very eloquent manner. Mrs. Randall then spent the remainder of the morning session in a class drill on vocal gymnastics.

During the afternoon session the following subjects were discussed as follows:

Questions answered in mental arithmetic by S. P. Vanpelt; subject of teaching mechanical spelling was discussed in quite a satisfactory manner by Supt Fields, Profs. A. C. Thorn, Christy, Franklin, Vanpelt, Douglass and others and the cube root explained by Supt. Aiken, of Lawrence county. After a short recess Mrs. Randall again took up the subject of reading, giving instructions on teaching the same until the hour of adjournment.

On Thursday evening an entertainment was given to a crowded audience in Concert Hall, by Mrs. Randall, in select readings, highly pleasing to all who were so fortunate as to hear her on the occasion.

On Friday morning the following subjects were discussed in a very interesting manner by the following named persons: Geography by S. P. Vanpelt, M. Gantz, Fields, Douglass and others. Mrs. Randall then spent the remaining part of the morning in giving methods for teaching reading in all grades, to which there was the most marked attention given by all the members of the Institute.

The school directors from the following named districts which were present during the sessions of the Institute were elected honorary members. John R. Brown of Economy tp., Sec'y., Abner Morton of Brighton tp., the directors of Raccoon tp., and Thos. Russell of Bridgewater.

The committee on permanent certificates organized by electing S. P. Vanpelt Chairman, and T. H. Douglass Sec'y. It was resolved to meet on the last Saturday of January at 9 a. m., in the high school room of the New Brighton public school for the purpose of examining any and all persons who may desire to get the permanent certificates. Any information that may be wanted by any person wanting to apply for the certificate will be given by addressing the Sec'y. of Committee at Rochester, Pa. Blank certificates to be signed by board or boards of directors will be furnished by the County Superintendent—Mr. Fields.

The following named persons were appointed an executive committee to act in conjunction with the County Superintendent to make necessary preparation for the County Institute for 1870: Chairman—James Whitham of Hanover tp. T. H. Douglas of Bridgewater, J. F. Culbertson, Benj. Franklin, S. P. Vanpelt, Miss Martha Boyd, Miss E. A. McConnel, Miss A. Reid, Joanna Spalding, E. A. McMillan of Darlington tp.

Resolved, That we, the Teachers of Beaver county, encouraged by the annual interchange of thoughts and experience, and strengthened by the information here received from those who are riper in experience, will return to our posts with a better appreciation of our duties, and with a fuller confidence and a higher resolve in the discharge of the duties of the school room.

Resolved, That the instructions given by Prof. Cooper and Mrs. Randall, and the lectures given by Prof. Jacobus, Revs. James Mills, A. G. Wallace, S. F. Crowther and —— Critchlow, have been to us both pleasant and profitable, and that the most hearty thanks of the Institute are due to each of them.

Resolved, That in our County Superintendent we recognize a true and faithful officer, an energetic and efficient worker, a firm and true friend of the teacher; and that we, as teachers, will labor more efficiently to assist him in his great and noble work.

Resolved, That the cordial hospitality extended to the members of the Institute by the citizens of New Brighton and vicinity well deserves the encomiums of all the Teachers of the county, who were so happy as to attend the sessions of our Institute.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Institute are hereby tendered to the School Directors for the use of the School Hall.

Resolved, That we tender our most hearty and sincere thanks to Prof. Rupp for the elegant music furnished by his orchestra band at the entertainment on Thursday evening; also to the New Brighton Cornet Band.

Resolved, That the Secretary be instructed to furnish a copy of the resolutions and an abstract of the minutes of the Institute for publication.

[Signed by Committee and adopted by the Institute].

There were one hundred and forty-three actual teachers in the county enrolled during the sessions of the Institute, and an average daily attendance of one hundred and four, which we think argues well for the teachers of the county; and we hope the day is not far distant when every teacher and director of the county will be found in their place in our Institutes, giving their aid in promoting the great cause of education; and we have only to say to our brother teachers who did not attend our Institute, that they missed the greatest educational feast ever given in Beaver county, and hope that they will be so hungry and thirsty, for not having attended, that they will resolve not to do so any more. Adjourned at 3 p. m., Friday Oct. 29, 1869. T. H. DOUGLASS, Sec'y.

Indian Summer.—A correspondent of the Pittsburgh *Gazette*, writing over the signature of "G. A.," says inquiries have been made if we should have Indian Summer; we are near the end of its allotted space, the 11th inst. When forests were permitted to stand, the Indian Summer came on the 2d, and continued to the 11th of November. In latter days it does not develop itself within that time, but shows itself in patches, sometimes in October, early and later in November. It began its development in full earnest this season, at its allotted season, the 2d, continued on the 3d and 4th, with heavy, white frosts, smoky and dark mornings, and a real pleasant midday and a red setting sun. On the 5th signs of a great storm appeared in the West and North West, with a depreciation of the temperature of the thermometer, and a partial rise of the barometer, and then a fall of the same, which has been verified in the last few days by snow storms, the leaves and debris covered and rendered inert, and the Indian Summer annihilated.

Many theories have been sent forth: what is the origin and cause of Indian Summer? The most plausible we have examined, and drawn a conclusion from, is, that the Indian Summer does not exist until after the October frosts; when the leaves fall with the debris of nature, we have heats, ferments and thence a smoke and an equilibrium in the atmosphere, which prevents a rapid condensation of vapor by an extreme contrast. During the prevalence of Indian Summer there is a variation at morning, noon and night, with but little difference in the thermometer, at these particular periods, which maintains a regular equilibrium in the atmosphere. In Indian Summer the thermometer may be thirty to forty degrees in the morning, fifty five to sixty at noon, thirty eight to forty at night, and hold so throughout the term, while in other parts of the year it is not so limited as it were by rule. For illustration, in March, April or December, or any of the winter months, one or two white frosts will surely produce rain within twenty four to seventy two hours. The thermometer may range at 12 o'clock a. m. at sixty degrees, night at thirty five, morning twenty, and you may be sure of a storm in forty eight to seventy two hours. It is the great contrast by sudden changes that produces immediate storms. Every morning in the Indian Summer may develope white frosts, and even freezing, yet not produce storms from the regular order of the atmosphere. Usually, after a regular Indian Summer, the accumulated condensation of vapors result in a long rain or snow storm, commonly called Squaw Winter. You may look at the thermometer to-night and you find it at 45 deg.; to-morrow evening you find it 20 to 30; the next morning it may be 30 to 35; the next 40 to 50; next 25 to 65, and on that day the storm may develope. Sudden changes, with great contrasts in the thermometer, are the beginning of the generating of storms, varying from January to May, from two days to four, before the atmosphere acquires the consistency to discharge the condensed vapors; from May to September it takes a longer time; from September to October 20th, six to twelve days, but will surely come, and the longer the signs the longer or more copious the storm. From November to May the storms are more rapid and generating.

The seasons of the year have been systematic in an order which indicates a regular cold winter. The present lunar month indicates a cold, stormy month, snow storms, more or less in discharge, being more prevalent, and fears that there will not be a navigable river for a practical use, unless a south wind should prevail for three or four days. In former years, a freezing November has preceded a warm December and January, but from the remarkable character of the year, for unusual phenomena, we should predict a long, cold winter.

Record from Oct. 5th to Nov. 3d: Seventeen cloudy and variable, of which nine were rain and two of snow; twelve of sunshine, seventeen frost and freezing, one thunder storm, day. Daily average of thermometer, 43 8-12; river 2 feet 8 inches; rain fall, 2 of an inch which nearly accord.

Indications—very cold, began on the 5th inst.—from Nov. 3d to Dec. 3d: twenty cloudy and variable, sixteen of which storm, chiefly snow, nine sunshine days, and a cool, squally month. Mercury, 1869, 43 8-12; do 1868, 39, same days. Winds—1869, northwest, 21; east, 4, southwest, 4; 1868, northwest, 7, northeast, 7, east, 7, north 4, south, southwest 3.

There is an old gentleman named Jonathan Allison, living on a farm near East Liverpool, who was born on the 14th day of June, 1776, twenty days before the Declaration of Independence. He is stouter and more active than most men at fifty years of age. In his ninety second year he was elected Assessor of his township, and performed the duties of that office faithfully. Longevity seems to be a family complaint. His father was buried on his hundredth birthday.

The Woman Suffragists of New Lisbon, held a convention at that place on last Friday night. In their deliberations they decided that "man was a brute and a tyrant, and not worthy to wear the breeches." After this important decision was declared, the convention adjourned, and its august members returned to their homes where—we suppose—the indulgent husbands were tending the babies.

Married.

WATTERSON—McGAFFICK—At the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. J. C. Evans, Mr. Andrew Watterson and Miss Maggie McGaffick, all of Beaver Co., Pa.

"But they, the happiest of their kind,
Whom gentler stars unite, and in one fate
Their hearts, their fortunes and their beings blend
'Tis not the coarser tie of human laws,
Unnatural oft, and foreign to the mind,
That binds their peace, but harmony itself,
Attuning all their passions into love.
Where friendship full exerts her softest power,
Perfect esteem enlivened by desire
Ineffable, and sympathy of soul;
Thought meeting thought and will preventing will,
With boundless confidence: for nought but love
Can answer love, and render bliss secure."

THOMAS—RISINGER.—Nov. 11th, at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. James R. Mills, Mr. Samuel C. Thomas and Miss Josephine Risinger, all of Beaver county, Pa.

Died.

LEMMON—At New Brighton, on Wednesday the 11th inst., Mrs. Jane Lemmon, wife of W. B. Lemmon, aged 55 years, 7 months, and 7 days.

Butler papers please copy.

To Consumptives.

THE advertiser having been restored to health in a few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE FOR CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, etc. The object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable; and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Parties wishing the prescription will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.
May13:1y

Errors of Youth.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence,

JOHN B. OGDEN,
No. 42 Cedar street, New York
may12:1y

TO THE WORKING CLASS.—We are now prepared to furnish all classes with constant employment at home, the whole of the time or for the spare moments. Business new, light and profitable. Persons of either sex easily earn from 50 cts. to $5 per evening, and a proportional sum by devoting their whole time to the business. Boys and girls earn nearly as much as men. That all who see this may send their address and test the business, we make this unparalleled offer: To such as are not well satisfied, we will send $1 dollar to pay for the trouble of writing. Full particulars, a valuable sample, which will do to commence work on, and a copy of *The People's Literary Companion*—one of the largest and best family newspapers published—all sent free by mail. Reader, if you want permanent, profitable work, address

E. C. ALLEN & Co., *Augusta, Me.*
oct17:3m.

New Advertisements.

CASH OR TRADE

At market prices for

2000 BUSHELS OF OATS,

1000 BUSHELS OF RYE.

1000 BUSHELS OF CORN

BY

JAMES DUNCAN,

Fallston, Beaver Co., Pa.

Who has just received one of the largest and most complete stocks ever brought to Beaver county, consisting of

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

DRY-GOODS

Hats, Caps & Furs,

BOOTS & SHOES,

CLOTHING,

Carpets and Oil Cloths,

Hardware,

QUEENSWARE,

GROCERIES, &C.

Barred Flannels 25 cts. and upward,

Gold Jeans, 20 cts. and upward,

Tartan Plaid Alpacas 25 cts and upward,

Plain Alpacas, 20 cts. and upward,

PRINTS 6¼ AND 12½ CENTS.

Muslins 10 cts. and upward,

Domestic Ginghams 12½ cts. and upward.

nov 17:3m.

SIX CENTS REWARD.—Ran away from the subscriber in Industry township, Beaver county, Pa., on the 5th of October, a boy named Henry Rimbelling, aged 17 years. Said boy was indentured, and left without any knowledge or consent. The above reward will be paid for his return, and the public is hereby notified that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by him. [nov12:3t JAMES HANBY.

Markets.

PITTSBURGH MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTS. GAZETTE, MONDAY, Nov. 15, 1869.

SALT.—Allegheny River brands are quoted by the car load, at $1.85.

APPLES—In better supply but steady with a continued fair demand, at $1.50@2.50 per bbl for common to choice.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Sales at 5 cents.

BUTTER—Is in good supply and dull with a drooping tendency; we continue to quote good to prime roll at 30@33 and choice at 35c.

CHEESE—Market firm and prices well maintained. Sales of Western Reserve at 16@17; Factory at 17@17½; Ohio Goshen 18@19½ and N. Y. Goshen 19cts.

CHESTNUTS—Cannot be quoted above $5.50 per bush.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples are quoted at 8@10 cts per pound, and Peaches at 10 cts for bright quarters and 12@14 cts for bright halves.

EGGS—Have still further advanced, and we now quote at 30 cts.

FLOUR—The receipts of western flour continue light, though the supply is fully equal to the demand, as the mills here appear to have the "lion's share" of the retail trade, and take the retail trade away and there is nothing left. The mills, we understand, are supplying the trade with standard winter wheat flour at about $6.50, and medium grades at $6@6.25; good western flour cannot be sold for any less——that is, and afford a margin to the dealer. Spring wheat flours, to use a common phrase, are about "played out" in this market.

GRAIN—Wheat is weak and drooping, with considerable offering from the West; we are cognizant of one of our mills having bought 5,000 bushels prime red at $1.23, and it may be fairly quoted at $1.20@1.33. Choice white will bring $1.30. Oats in rather better demand but unchanged—47@48 on wharf and track, and 50 in store. Rye is dull and nominally unchanged at $@1.05, cash. Prime ear corn is wanted for feeding and will bring $1, but shelled, notwithstanding the stock in this market is light, is dull and tending downward. Barley is quiet and unsettled, $1.20@1.30, as to quality.

Miscellaneous.

CLOSING OUT SALE.

Owing to the death of the senior partner, Mr. J. M. Burchfield,