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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, JULY 8, 1892.

Lost.—On July 4th afternoon or evening, in Bloomsburg, a gold bead necklace. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to this office.

Sterners Withdraws.

Since announcing my name as a democratic candidate for the legislature I have become so situated that I believe it to be my duty to respectfully withdraw.

G. W. STERNER.

F. M. Hess of Stillwater was one of the early farmers this year. He cut some of his grain last Saturday July 2.

Mountain Grove Camp Meeting will open on August 3rd and continue until the 10th.

Mrs. Norman has about completed the addition to her dwelling on Centre street. The lot is now being graded, preparatory to putting down a granolithic pavement.

The largest eel we have seen for some time was brought to town, Tuesday. It was caught at the lock at Lime Ridge by Mr. Clinton Brobst, and weighed eight pounds, measuring four feet long.

Jno. J. McHenry of Benton was at the county seat Saturday last attending to some important business. He reports that there were some very large trout caught this year; but that they are getting more scarce every year.

A large window over the door of Lowenberg's clothing store at the side entrance was blown out on the Fourth by the explosion of a cannon fire cracker. It was due to the concussion on account of the narrow alley.

Ayer's Pills promptly remove the causes of sick and nervous headaches. These Pills speedily correct irregularities of the stomach, liver, and bowels, and are the mildest and most reliable cathartic in use. No one should be without them.

SCHOOL BOARD.

A special meeting of the school board was held Tuesday evening July 5th. Mr. E. W. Romberger, was elected principal of the third street school at a salary of \$50. per month, and Rev. Rolandus Kocher as first assistant principal of the High School, salary \$65. per month. At this same time the bids were opened for the proposed addition to the Fifth Street building.

MORE FACTS

Is the title of a very handsomely illustrated fifty page pamphlet just issued by the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway company. Every voter in the seventeenth congressional district of Pennsylvania should have a copy of it. Sent free to any address on application to George H. Heafford, general Passenger agent, Chicago, Ill., or to John R. Pott, district passenger agent, Williamsport, Pa. Write at once for one of them.

The Editor Isn't In It.

A newspaper man has no business to aspire to or seek office, anywhere. It's his business to try and get office for the other fellows. To sound the praises of the candidate and keep quiet about his failings; to whoop'er up for his man and let his man forget all about him after he gets elected; to defend his candidates against the unjust attacks of the opposition and then to see whatever favors his candidates have to bestow, go to the other fellow. It's his business to boom up his town for all it is worth month after month and to see \$100 worth of job printing go out of town a month because a dollar or two can be saved by so doing. It is the business of the newspaper to give every local enterprise enthusiastic and frequent send offs and than to catch shoel because he failed to record that a prominent man has his delivery wagon newly painted. To subscribe liberally to every public, charitable and church enterprise, advertise them for nothing, pay their own way to everything and then be called prejudiced and mean spirited because a column is not devoted to that particular affair. Do you wonder there are so many cranks in the newspaper business? It is bound to make either a crank or a philosopher out of a man.—Etc.

Clearing out Light Suits; a few left at Lowenberg's

THE DOG AND THE LAW

Dogs are animals wild by nature, and like some others, as the horse and ox, may be tamed and domesticated, but unlike them, can never be made useful. They are a nuisance to the owner and to all his neighbors and are a constant menace to the community. "Is thy servant a dog that he should do this thing?" sufficiently indicates the characteristics of this pestiferous animal. A few anecdotes and incidents in the history of the race are not sufficient to redeem it from general condemnation. The baying and howling of dogs in the night time is to many persons intolerable, and nervous and sick people and children are greatly disturbed by such discordant noises.

Various statutes have been passed restraining and endeavoring to regulate the nuisance. In 1851, Purdon, 11th Ed. page 203, Boroughs were authorized to prohibit and regulate the running at large of dogs and other animals, and in the 57 Sec. of the Act, "To authorize and direct the killing of dogs running at large contrary to the regulations of the borough."

Under the above Act, the town of Bloomsburg by Ordinance No. 1, passed May 13-1870, provided that:

1. All dogs owned or kept by any person within the town limits shall be taxed in the following manner: One dollar for the first dog and two dollars, for each and every dog above that number so owned or kept, and to be collected in like manner as taxes are recoverable by law, for the use of the town.

2. Every bitch owned by any person shall be taxed three dollars, and further, shall not at any time be permitted to run at large within the limits of the town. And in case any one is found running at large it shall be the duty of the constable to kill, or have the same killed as soon as practicable, for which service he shall receive a compensation of one dollar from the town.

Not one of the constables or policemen performs his duty in this regard or pretends to. Hundreds of the animals spoken of in the 2nd Section are running the town every day, in a more or less excitable condition, but the ordinance is as useless as the officer, and the people are obliged to put up with three nuisances rolled into one. Is this to continue? Has the public no rights as against these marauders?

In many parts of the town citizens are endeavoring to beautify their grounds—they are setting out shrubbery—they are cultivating flowers—they are removing their fences; and they are apt to find in the morning that what they so carefully planted in the evening has been torn out by the dogs and destroyed, during the night. The lawn is scratched up, the flower beds rolled over and other depredations committed.

There are perhaps one thousand dogs in the town of Bloomsburg—there are two hundred and nineteen returned for taxation and five are registered under the act of 1878. What sufficient answer have the assessors to make to such a state of facts? How have they performed the duty incumbent upon them? They are to be classed with the constables in this matter and are equally remiss. Two or three thousand dollars ought to be raised by dog tax in this town, and to enforce the law would be a double relief. For if the dogs which are not returned have no owner, they should be at once killed, and the streets and sidewalks be relieved of lazy, snapping curs. For although the Act of 1889 makes all dogs personal property, yet personal property must have an owner or keeper, and if not, then no man can complain of the killing or asportation of any of the tribe. When during the August days some rabid dog invades the town and bites all the curs and pugs which attempt to hold conversation with him, perhaps the public will be aroused to a sense of the danger, unless it thinks more of its dogs than it does of its children.

In 1847, in Lycoming county, before Judge Anthony was tried the case of Kline vs. King, 6 Pa. 318.

Kline brought an action against King to recover damages for killing a dog belonging to the plaintiff. King pleaded not guilty, and specially that the dog came into his garden and enclosed premises for the purposes of plunder and depredation and was actually engaged therein, and that the time defendant killed him. It was also alleged that the dog was vicious and ferocious, but that is not important here. Anthony instructed the jury to find for Plaintiff, and upon the verdict and judgment the defendant took a writ of error to the Supreme Court. The case was argued by Henry D. Ellis for Plaintiff in error and by James Armstrong for defendant in error. The opinion of the Court re-

versing the court below was delivered by Couiter J. Another branch of defense was that the dog was in the act of committing a trespass in the garden of the defendant at the time she was killed, and had committed a trespass therein a few hours before, by taking fish a few hours before, from the wall, which his wife had hung up to dry, as is usual among women. The defendant's wife had an undoubted right to hang up the fish to dry in his own enclosure convenient to the kitchen, or against the kitchen wall. And he had a right to protect and preserve that convenient use of his property. His garden was well fenced; and his property whether meat or fish, in his cellar, in his kitchen or in his yard, it was lawful for him to preserve against any man's dog, and if he could not otherwise protect it, he might kill the dog when caught on his premises in the act of destruction. In Mason vs. Keeling, Lord Raymond, 608, Chief Justice Holt says, "That if a dog breaks his neighbor's close, his owner will not be subject to an action."

And are such animals to be chartered for the annoyance and discomfort of people? But if the owner were responsible, who can detect and bear witness against the nocturnal depredations and thieves? A dog is a useful animal; but he must be taught: useful qualities and innocent habits by his master, except when defending his master's property, or his person, or that of the family, and then he may be as courageous and ferocious as he pleases. A dog is not to be kept for the purpose of destroying the property of neighbors. And if this man King, found it necessary for the preservation of his property, he was justified in killing the dog, when found in the act of destruction on his ground and within his own enclosure. This was adjudged a good plea of justification, that the dog was in the warren of defendant, pursuing conies, and that defendant killed him: Cro. J. mes, 44. So it is, if a dog runs after deer in a park. Barrington vs. Turner, 3 Lev. 28. And a man's garden here is equally protected. It is somewhat peculiarly within the law's guardianship, as being immediately connected with his domestic arrangements, and almost always, as in this case, attached to his castle or dwelling.

The question of a fence is not important and never was, as the hounds sail over it without touching it, and the curs and pugs crawl under. But, in addition, it is submitted that in the present state of the law, no fence is needed, and open grounds and gardens and kitchen walls, and culinary tables are protected. This case has never been controverted—it is the law—and every dog in town is subject to killing, for they all scratch, steal, trample, destroy, commit nuisance and trespass upon the private grounds of others.

If a wagon drives along the street, if the young ladies are out horseback riding, at every corner a half dozen many curs are barking and snapping at the horses heels, and danger to life and limb is imminent; but no one cares so long as the precious dog is safe, and his yelping and howling and barking contribute to swell the volume of musical noises of the night.

NISI PRIUS.

LAFAYETTE MELANGE.

We are greatly indebted to Mr. Frank E. Miller for a copy of *The Melange* published by the secret society-men of the class of '03 of Lafayette College at Easton. It is a book of nearly 200 pages, handsomely printed and well bound. Mr. Miller is a member of the Chi Phi Fraternity of the Lambda Chi class society, of the Ninety three Society of Juggeruants of the Young Men's Christian Association, Vice-President of the Base Ball Association, short stop in his class baseball team, one of the Business Managers of *The Melange*, piccolo player in the College Band, flute player in the Mandolin and Guitar club, and College Orchestra, Banjo-Mandolin in the Banjo Club, Member of the Engineering Society, member of the Whist club, chairman of refreshment committee of Junior Hop, first bars in the Quartette club, and one of the actors in the Calculus Play. Frank seems to be right "in it" at Lafayette. He is a son of C. W. Miller Esq.

A Good appar.

Considerable expense accompanied the organizing of the vested choir at St. Paul's church. The chancel furniture and the material for the vestments, new books and all cost money. A room has been set apart for the use of the choir in the Parish House, which has been appropriately furnished, and this, too, cost money. In order to pay for these necessary things the members of the choir, assisted by the ladies of the Parish, will give a supper in the Parish House on Saturday evening, beginning at 5 o'clock. It will cost but 15 cents for a substantial supper, and ice cream and cake will be served for 15 cents extra. The new gas fixtures are expected to be in place, and the choir room will be open for inspection. Everybody is cordially invited. A photograph of the Rector and choir in vestments has been taken, and the boys will offer copies for sale during the evening. They ask and deserve a liberal patronage.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

MILLVILLE.

The Rev. Whitney of Lightstreet gave us a visit last Saturday. He was invited here for the purpose of speaking in the grove at the Festival held by the Y. & L. T. L.

Millard Kester and wife of Highland spent a few days in town this week with friends and relatives.

A game of Base Ball was played at this place on last Saturday afternoon, between Millville and Greenwood nines. The score stood at the end of the 7th inning seven scores apiece, when the game closed.

W. B. German is driving a new horse to his sewing machine wagon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Getty of Central spent Sunday in town.

Rachel S. and Mary Eves, employees at Swathmore College, are home on a visit.

V. P. Eves and Henrie purchased a fine team of four year old bay colts last week of Alex. Bilmlyre near Washingtonville.

The farmers are now busy in their hay and harvest. Both crops are good in this section.

Several of our townfolks took the advantage of the excursion on the Rail Roads and took a day off on the Fourth, going to various places. Some went to Benton, some to Williamsport, and quite a number to Bloomsburg.

Geo. Henrie is quite an expert on the bicycle for a boy of his age.

With Ely's Cream Balm a child can be treated without pain and with perfect safety. It cures catarrh, hay fever and colds in the head. It is easily applied into the nostrils and gives immediate relief. Price 50 cents.

My CATARRH was very bad. For thirty years I have been troubled with it—have tried a number of remedies without relief. A druggist advised Ely's Cream Balm. I have used only one bottle and can say I feel like a new man. I make this voluntary statement that others may know of the Balm. J. W. MATHERSON, (Lawyer), Pawtucket, R. I. 7-8-2t.

BASE BALL.

Two games of ball were played at Athletic Park on the 4th, between Hazleton and Bloomsburg nines. Hazleton won the first game by a score of 4 to 3. In the afternoon at the end of the sixth inning the score stood 8 to 7 in favor of Hazleton, when they refused to play any more, and the game was declared forfeited to Bloomsburg 9 to 0 under the rules.

What Your Great Grandmother Did.

She hatched the flax and carded the wool, and wove the linen, and spun the tow, and made the clothes for her husband and ten children. She made butter and cheese, she dipped tallow candles, to light the house at night, and she cooked all the food for her household by an open fireplace and a brick oven. Yes; and when she was forty years of age, she was already an old lady whose best days were over. Her shoulders were bent and her joints enlarged by hard work, and she wore spectacles and a cap. Her great grand daughter, with all the modern conveniences for comfort, refinement and luxury, may be as charming and attractive at forty-five as at twenty. Especially is this true if she preserves her health and beauty by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which wards off all female ailments irregularities, cures them if they already exist, keeps the life current healthful and vigorous, and enables the women of middle age to retain the freshness of girlhood upon brow and cheeks, the light of youth in her eyes, and its elasticity in her step. Sold by all druggists.

The contract for building the addition to Fifth street school house has been awarded to B. W. Jury. The work will be commenced at once and will be completed by the time of the opening of the school. When done there will be eight rooms in the entire building, with a seating capacity of sixty in a room. The building will be heated by the Smead, Wills & Co. system of heating and ventilation. The dry closets will be in the basement. Mr. Jury the contractor has had experience in putting in the Smead, Wills & Co. system and will see that it is properly constructed.

There will be about three hundred and fifty scholars to occupy the building at the opening of the schools. The new addition will make provision for the growth of the town for about five years, when, at the rate of the increase of population in the last five years, still further improvements must be made. When that time arrives the Third street building can be remodeled at a small cost.

BRISTOL H.

is a young stallion, two years old, owned by C. E. Hower of Bloomsburg. He was sired by the celebrated trotter, Frank M., some of whose colts have made great records. His dam is a Morgan mare with three minute record. Bristol H. will stand for the season of 1892 at the stable of C. E. Hower, Bloomsburg. Terms \$25.00 tf.

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DR. KILMER'S SWAMP ROOT

Kidney, Liver and Bladder Cure.

Rheumatism, Lumbago, pain in joints or back, brick dust in urine, frequent calls, irritation, inflammation, gravel, ulceration or catarrh of bladder.

Disordered Liver, Impaired digestion, gout, biliousness, headache, SWAMP ROOT cures kidney difficulties, La Grippe, urinary trouble, bright's disease.

Impure Blood, Scrofula, malaria, gen'l weakness or debility. Guaranteed—The contents of One Bottle, if not benefited, Druggists will refund the price paid. At Druggists, 50c. Size, \$1.00 Size. "Traveler's Guide to Health"—Consultation free. DR. KILMER & CO., BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

MUSIC LESSONS.

Chas. P. Elwell, for the past three years a student in Boston, is giving lessons on piano and violin. Both taught in the best methods, piano in New England Conservatory method, violin according to the German school.

Children's Day at Millville.

Children's Day was very appropriately observed in this place, last Sunday June 26th. The programme chosen for the occasion was, "The League of Honor," and these were the planks proposed for its platform, "Honor Yourself," "Honor the Bible," "Honor the Church," "Honor the Sabbath," "Honor Temperance," "Honor your Parents," "Honor Truth," "Honor Knowledge," "Honor Christ." The several speakers who addressed us on these most interesting topics, gave evidence of very thorough preparation. They spoke with considerable force, and commended the most respectful attention on the part of the audience. The same can be said of the recitations and songs given by the smaller scholars.

The music consisted of anthems, solos, and a duet by the choir, and choice songs by the Sunday School. Only one wholly destitute of the musical sense, would fail to appreciate the fine manner in which these well selected songs and music were rendered. We are justly proud of this fine array of home talent, and hope to see it more fully developed in the future. The collection was something over twenty-seven dollars.

Children's Day was also observed at Mainville, on Saturday evening, June 25th. Miss Ida Johns trained the children at this place, and made it a complete success. The house was crowded, and well it might be, for it was a very joyous occasion. We enjoyed the songs and recitations, and had a good hearty laugh with the children. The collection was about eight dollars. The day was also observed at Fowlersville, on Sunday evening, June 5th. A great storm gathered up just at the time we were gathering for the service; which not only kept many away, but greatly delayed the exercises, and caused more or less em'arrassment. Yet, notwithstanding all this, there was a very good congregation. "Crowning the Cross," was the programme chosen, and its instructions were beautifully carried out. The collection was about nine dollars. These amounts added to that of Lime Ridge, gives a total of \$85.00

E. WHITE.

[The above came too late for publication last week. All articles to insure publication must be received not later than Wednesday morning.—Eds.]

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Specker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at C. A. Klein's Drug store.

SOCIETY CARDS.

Members of any of the orders in town can obtain appropriate cards at THE COLUMBIAN office. Samples in great variety can be seen.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became a Girl, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Nice lace straws for ladies and children, 37 cts. at Stohner's. Wall paper and window curtains at W. H. Brooke & Co.

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Hats trimmed free of charge this month at Stohner's.

Russet shoe polish at Dentler's 20 cents.

Female Weakness Positive cure TO THE EDITORS—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the thousand and one ills which arise from deranged female organs. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any lady if they will send their Express and P. O. address. Your respectfully, Dr. W. B. MARCHESI, 90 GENESEE ST., UTICA, N. Y.

TO THE PUBLIC.

B. W. Jury, a practical builder of many years experience, has located in Bloomsburg, and is now ready to make estimates and take contracts for the erection of buildings either large or small. Office in Columbian Building, 3rd floor, in S. Neyhard's room. 5-20-3m.

Straw hats, and Flowers all reduced at Stohner's.

Lace straws for 25 cts. at Stohner's

Mrs. Stohner has just returned from Phila. with the latest novelty in Summer Millinery.

Mens' shoes in great variety at Dentler's.

For Wall Paper and Window Shades go to Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

A full stock of ladies, and childrens, Oxford ties at Dentler's.

Get a cheap and stylish hat now at Stohner's. No charge for trimming.

Shoes in fine and medium grades in prices to suit all at Dentler's.

Some very choice wall paper remnants this week large enough to cover rooms 12x14x9. Suitable for all rooms. Decided bargains if they fit your rooms at W. H. Brooke & Co.

A Full line of Children's and Misses' shoes at popular prices at Dentler's.

For a full line of Ladies' Oxford Ties, call at Dentler's.

Deeds, single and double acknowledgment, at the COLUMBIAN office. tf.

Fifty dozen window curtains just opened on Monday—prices from 25c. to \$1.50 each at W. H. Brooke & Co.

A fine crayon portrait given with every \$10 worth of goods purchased at J. A. Hess, the shoe dealer.

Window curtains continue to go. Prices from 25c. to \$1.50

Are you going to paper your rooms? If so perhaps you can deal better with us than any where else. At least we can tell you what we can do if you give us a chance. W. H. Brooke & Co.

Don't fail to call at J. A. Hess, and examine his fine line of shoes for summer wear, Oxford Ties, etc., before purchasing elsewhere.

No old goods, all new styles. When we secure a bargain our customers have the benefit.

See our large hats for children, only 25 cts., at Stohner's.

Glasses fitted free of charge at J. G. Wells. All work guaranteed.

Clerical coats in Alpaca etc., at Lowenberg's.

Russet shoes, dark and light, high and low, \$3 to \$5. at F. D. Dentler's

Pretty straws for children at Lowenberg's.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale by C. A. Klein.

PURE OLD RYE AND WHEAT WHISKEY.

We formerly had bonded warehouse room sufficient to store 8,000 gallons of whiskey, which we considered a stock sufficient to meet our trade, but we found however, the demand for our whiskey such, that for us to be able to get a larger stock of old whiskey, we were compelled to increase our storage room and have just completed an ironclad bonded warehouse with a capacity sufficient to store 20,000 gallons of whiskey.

We aim to sell no whiskey less than one year old and from that on up to the oldest we have in stock except in original packages, thereby giving our patrons the benefit of the age.

What we claim over a great many other distillers: FIRST: Briarcreek being a rich fertile valley, we are able to get a superior quality of grain to manufacture our whiskey from.

SECOND: Having our flooring mill in connection with our distillery we clean all our grain for distillation over a rigid process of the smelter, thereby making it as clean as the grain that is ground into flour.

THIRD: We hand mash, double distill our whiskey and then re-distill on a copper still.

FOURTH: We touch our whiskey well thereby getting out the full oil and all impurities, which new whiskey contains.

FIFTH: We use no second-hand barrels, our whiskey is all put in new, clean, Indiana White Oak barrels which is considered the best barrel in the market.

SIXTH: It is a known fact that the hotter whiskey is kept the faster it will age, therefore, we heat our bonded warehouse with steam so the thermometer will register 70 degrees, when the temperature is at zero.

We have never distilled any corn, and do hereby guarantee all our whiskey positively pure rye or wheat and for purity and quality we defy competition, and to any person who will find any poisonous drug in our whiskey, put in by us, as it leaves our distillery or sales-room we will forfeit \$600.00.

ASH & BRO., BRIAARCREEK, COL. CO., PA.

Like Some People.

From the Detroit Free Press. Dimling. "It is said that Kangaroos can develop more anger than any other animal." Mrs. Dimling. "You don't say!" Dimling. "Yes, they get hojping mad."