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JUSTICES AND CONSTABLES FREE BILL.—Justices and constables can procure copies of free bill under the act of 1883.

GOOD OPENING

For active lady or gentleman acquainted with neighborhood. Compensation \$4 to \$10 weekly.

Sales.

MAY 4. Moses McHenry, executor of John Reinard deceased, will sell valuable real estate in Fishing Creek township at one o'clock p. m.

MAY 22.—John Andes, administrator of Jacob Andes, dec'd., will sell on the premises in Hemlock twp. at 2 o'clock, valuable real estate, consisting of 38 acres of land, frame dwelling house, barn, etc.

For Rent.

A new building with a coach shop and blacksmith shop combined, in Orangeville. Inquire of David C. Gray, Orangeville.

Shad and all kind of fresh fish at C. B. Chrisman's daily.

Boarding

And furnished rooms to rent on Main street. Steam, gas, hot and cold water and bath. Apply to Mrs. M. M. Phillips, at Phillips' Cafe.

A MONUMENT TO KEY.

Tardy Honor for the Author of "The Star Spangled Banner."

Governor Brown, of Maryland, on Friday last, sent to the Governors of the other 43 States the following:

"Permit me to call the attention of the schools, patriotic societies and citizens of your State to Flag Day, June 14, the 118th anniversary of our flag's adoption by Congress.

"The National hymn, 'Star Spangled Banner,' is always sung at Flag day exercises, which are now being generally held by the schools; but few yield its author the reverence his memory deserves.

"No one has ever written anything that has done more to awaken true patriotism, and yet the ashes of Francis Scott Key have lain for many years unhonored by his countrymen, beneath the soil of his native country, in the cemetery of Frederick City, Md.

"I take this method of commending to you the work and object of the Key Monument Association, of Frederick City, Md., which was organized and incorporated last year, for the purpose of collecting funds to erect a suitable monument to his memory, and thus to redeem the nation from the disgrace of over half a century of ungrateful neglect.

"They have already raised about \$2000 from their own town; but every American who is proud of our beautiful flag and its position among nations should have a share in erecting this monument.

"Please urge the children to give their pennies and the citizens their larger coins on Flag day, or before. The names of all donors will be placed in the crypt of the monument, and will also be published in a pamphlet when the work is completed.

"Funds should be forwarded to the Key Monument Association at Frederick City, Md."

SHAD.

The shad begin to appear in the rivers about the 15th of March, and they continue to arrive until the middle of June. It is a remarkable fact that each colony is invariably divided into three grand divisions, which arrive at different times, thus making three successive shoals, or, as the fishermen call them, "runs."

A few days after these skirmishes have passed up the river the second or great run begins, and continues three or four weeks. After the fish appear, nothing will disturb their constant upward progress except cold weather, which, inopportunely arriving, will cause them to seek the protection of the mud at the bottom of the river, where they remain until the chill has left the water.

CRAP DIE HARD.

A Philipsburg fish vender received a barrel of German carp from a Baltimore house, on Monday. They were all packed in ice, but when he had laid them out on his selling tables the sun began to shine on them and they thawed out.

Death.

Hartman—Died in Fishing Creek Township of consumption on April 21, Mrs. Addie Hartman, age 36 years, 1 month and 1 day.

Harrison—Died in Fishing Creek Township of scarlet fever on April 29, Walter Alwood, infant son of T. W. Harrison, age 10 months and 29 days.



Is there anything more wholesome, more beautiful, more completely pleasing than a womanly woman? Such a woman is even tempered, intelligent, strong and healthy.

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THE REVOLUTION IN CUBA.

The revolution or insurrection in Cuba has never assumed the proportions ascribed to it by its friends and sympathizers in this country, and it has never been sufficiently widespread or uncontrollable to make necessary the presence of General Martinez Campos, who was received in Cuba with great enthusiasm.

All recent news from the seat of war—to dignify it temporarily—is to the effect that the revolution is one in name only. There has not been a battle with more than forty or fifty insurgents at any one time. There are no "armies" of revolutionists and very few patriots. Many of these bands of guerrillas are composed altogether of negroes and bandits.

Nearly everybody believes Spain has been squeezing the life out of Cuba, and that the Cubans are taxed to death and generally maltreated. This does not appear to be the case. In fact, so far as taxation goes, it is said on good authority that Cuba is a burden to Spain.

Cuba is of no use to Spain and some time will be independent. But there seems to be little reason for inflicting unwelcome sentiment upon her, or of believing everything that is said about the revolution, as both sides are untruthful.—Patriot.

THE GROW COUNTY SURVEY.

The Actual Field Work Shows An Increase of Territory.

Two engineer corps are now making the survey of the Grow county line. The ten-mile limit from the county seat was completed last Friday and the stake driven in Newport township, the line running between Glen Lyon and Nanticoke, nearly a mile East of the former place.

There is no doubt that the actual survey will show more than the required territory. The line thus far run shows a considerable increase over that upon which the estimates for the petition were based. This is gratifying

to the friends of the measure and shows that the plans although hastily laid out are developing satisfactorily. The commissioners are doing their work conscientiously and faithfully.

The legislature has been in session 119 days. Both bodies have apparently worked hard and yet they have enacted no important legislation, except to create new offices and increase salaries.

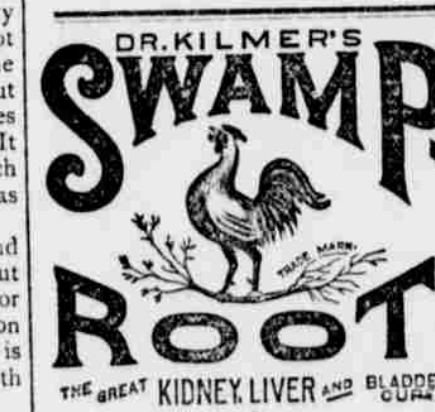
There is nothing but the hardest kind of work for the state lawmakers, especially members of the house, from now until the close of the session. The committees are working day and night to get rid of bills not yet considered so that the members may be free to give all their attention to the general calendar of bills.

A congressional apportionment bill will be brought out this week by the house committee. Chairman Lawrence has prepared a bill which he will submit to the committee at a meeting to-morrow morning.

THE ROTHSCHILDS' FORTUNE.

At Present it is Said to Foot Up to Ten Thousand Millions.

The fortune of the Rothschilds has often been mentioned in print, but the Paris Signal gives some new and interesting information about it. According to this authority, the total wealth of the Rothschild family at the present time amounts to 10,000,000,000 francs, of which the French branch possesses 1,000,000,000.



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