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LODGE MEETINGS.

CENTER HALL LODGE, No. 895, I. O. of O. F., meets every Saturday evening in the Odd Fellows Hall.
G. L. GOODHART, Sec'y. W. R. FROM, N. G.

OLD FORT LODGE, No. 537, F. & A. M., meets on Monday evening on or before each full moon in the Masonic Hall.
C. P. HEELACHER, Sect. J. J. ARNEY, W. M.

PROGRESS GRANGE, No. 96, P of H, meets at their Hall, Centre Hall on the Saturday on or before full moon at 2 P. M. and every two weeks after. Jas. A. Keller Master. LEONARD RHONE, Sect.

LOCAL ITEMS.

—For bargains call at the Bee Hive.

—West Susquehanna Clasis of the Reformed church will meet in Rebersburg on the 19th of May.

—Fine straw hats, ties, shirts &c., very low at the Bee Hive.

—We advise all persons to call in at Dinges' and see his large stock of dry goods. Prices low.

—Potatoes are unusually plenty in our county this spring and sell for 20 to 25 cts. per bushel. Don't talk about starving yet.

—The attendance from this county at the democratic state convention at Harrisburg last week was not very large, owing no doubt to its being court week. There were present our delegates Messrs. Cassanova and Kurtz, also Foster of the Democrat, Meek of the Watchman, and Messrs. Bower, Gephart, Leathers and P. Musser.

—There is considerable amount of work being done at present on the pike between this place and the Old Fort.

In Lock Haven there is at present not a single dwelling house in the course of erection.

—A fine assortment of boots and shoes at bottom prices at the Bee Hive.

—Mr. J. D. Murray showed us specimens of ore found upon the Murray farm above Linden Hall which seem to have a good percentage of iron. He informs us that there are abundant surface indications upon the place.

—You save money when you go to the City Boot and Shoe store in the Conrad House building for boots and shoes, they give you good, solid, warranted goods at the very lowest possible figures. If you want some of those cheap shoddy goods that are advertised at $1,00 & $1,25 they have them but will not warrant them as good goods. The finest stitch boots and gaiters made to order. Opposite the Brockerhoff House.

—A. S. Kerlin is doing a large business at his stand at the Stone Mill. He has secured Edward Miller of this place for clerk.

—Last week Cyrus B. Stover, and family, of Aaronsburg, left for Pleasant Valley, Ks.

—Get your suits measured at Bauland & Newman's Bee Hive.

—Wolf's new goods have come on, it is a stock worth mentioning and worth seeing, and we're safe in saying is second to none in the county. Mr. Wolf is known to purchase none but reliable goods always, which makes his store one of the safest for purchasers. Dress goods in all styles; his assortment of dry-goods is complete, while in notions, queensware, groceries, &c., you find everything No. 1. Call at the reliable old stand, for bargains and for fair dealing.

Another cave-in occurred at Mahonoy one day last week. The hamlet will be swallowed up one of these days. Many trunks of pitch-pine trees are being shipped from Pennsvalley to Mahonoy to prop up that and other undermined towns in the coal regions.

—Just opened at Dinges' new store, a general assortment of dry goods, notions, groceries, &c., at prices to suit all.

—Last Friday evening we had quite a snow squall with cold and sharp air next day, ½ inch of ice. Sunday and Monday, however were warm and spring-like. We do not think the fruit crop was damaged any by the freeze referred to.

—A choice selection of carpets at very low prices at the Bee Hive.

WANTED—Good Rock Oak bark at the Centre Hall tanyard, for which the highest market price will be paid by.
C. H. SIEFFLER.

—The corner stone for the new Reformed church at Madisonburg was laid last Sabbath. There were a number of ministers present and quite a large gathering of people.

—The place for good goods and low prices is at C. Dinges' store, where a full line of dry goods, groceries, &c., will be found.

—The property at sheriff's sale in this valley was sold as follows:

Timberland of Daniel Durst situate in Harris township, in the warrantee name of George Fox, sold to Aaron and Alfred Durst for $185.

Lot of ground situate in Centre Hall, the property of John H. Miller,—bought by J. L. Spangler, Esq., for 550.

The property of Eliza M. Carter in Ferguson township—sold to Robert Meek, of Stormstown, for $200.

Farm in Potter township belonging to Benjamin Bitner—sold to Mr. John Ross, of Petersburg, Huntington county, for $5,105.

Farm situate in Potter township and belonging to Mr. George Durst—sold to Hiram Durst, for $6,000.

In Gregg township—Farm of Geo. Durst,—sold to Philip Durst, for $1,705.

In Potter township, farm of Geo. Durst, —sold to Major Reynolds and John Wagner, for $1,530.

The property of J. E. and Sarah A. Roush, of Rebersburg—sold to John Reifsnyder, of Millheim, for $650.

The Osceola *Reveille* says: The shipment of coal from the region as reported for last week, shows an output equal to more than one-fourth of the amount shipped before the strike. This week the output will be larger, and will reach as high as 200 cars per day, making the product equal to about one-half of the weekly shipments before the strike. Some of the old miners are still leaving and it is expected the Swedes will take their place.

—All in search of dry goods should not fail to call at the Bee Hive.

A sudden death occurred at Hublersburg, the particulars of which are given us by Mr. Gramley as follows: A sudden death took place yesterday morning, 27, at Jer. Swartz's, near Hublersburg. His uncle, Michael Swartz, a tanner by trade, working for Miller at Clintondale, who came up to remain a few weeks. He was subject to heart disease. On the morning aforesaid Mr. J. Swartz went out to stake some fence. Michael walked along, dug a few holes and talked very pleasantly, but soon remarked that he did not feel well. Mr. Swartz advised him to go to the house, which he did and sat down on a chair talking rationally and remarked to Mrs. Swartz that he had been out where the fence was being made, and looking away he saw the graveyard, and was wishing he was in it too; not one minute after this he dropped over the chair dead, without speaking another word. He was a brother of George Swartz dec'd, of Millheim.

—Have you seen the handsome new room added to the Bee Hive?

—Now is your time to get yourself fine stylish suits, Lewins has just received a fine line of gents clothing, made of the finest fabrics, and trimmed with the finest trimmings, he has now $25,000 worth of clothing on hand, to be sold at the lowest market prices, the firm is determined to do a large business, and Lewins with the assistance of his Aide-de-Camp Sternberg will see it done; therefore this is a rare chance to get a fine suit for little money, see for yourself, they are determined, and will sell at a low figure, Philad. Branch.

—Fiedler & Runkle are dealing out goods at the farmer's store at a wonderful rate. They have a splendid stock and are selling very low. Haines twp. is lucky in having such a store.

THE FISH LAW.

The following is a supplement to an act to prevent the distruction of fish in Spring creek and Logan branch, approved February 11th, 1865.

SEC. 1. "Be it enacted by the Senate "and House of Representatives of the Com"monwealth of Pennsylvania in general "assembly met, and it is hereby enacted "by the authority of same: That from and "after the passage of this act, it shall not "be lawful for any person or persons to "take, catch or kill any fish in or from the "waters of Spring creek or Logan branch "in the county of Centre, by means of any "set nets, dip nets, scoop nets, or any oth"er device, except by hook and line.

SEC. 2. "Every person or persons vio"lating the first section of this act shall be "subjected to the penalties imposed in the "second section of this act to which this is "a supplement, to be sued, collected and "imposed as is therein provided. Ap"proved April 11, 1866."

—Monday was very warm.

—Mr. John Musser an aged and well known citizen of Spring township, was found dead in bed on 29 ult.

—Any thing a man or boy needs to wear can be had cheaper at the Standard clothing hall than elsewhere.

—The real estate of Henry Hess, dec'd, near Woodward, was sold to Luther Kramer for $2553.

—It would hardly be possible for men to go and pay double the price for clothing when you can buy it for one half, give the Philad. Branch a trial.

—Mr. Joseph Green of Milesburg, father of F. P. Green, died on last Sabbath, aged about 85 years.

—The Philad. Branch is the head quarters for fine clothing.

Gen. Heintzleman died in Washington 1st, aged 75. He was born in Lancaster.

—Goldman of the Standard Clothing hall is determined not to be outgeneraled in offering bargains in good as well as cheap clothing. Thus far he keeps far ahead of all opposition. Call on him if you need a suit.

—The cheapest buggies are very often the dearest in the end, so let every one who needs a buggy or spring-wagon go to Murray's Coach shop to buy, not so much for low prices as for good work.

—At Lee's Centre Hall coach shops is the place to get handsome and durable buggies. Lee understands the business and puts up no rigs to deceive. He gives you the worth of your money always.

—I know how to save money, said one man to another the other day How? Why I go to the Standard Clothing hall, opposite the Brockerhoff, for my clothing, and save money in every suit I buy.

—Try your luck, you'll win sure, every time you buy a suit at the Standard Clothing Hall, where is kept the largest and best assortment of clothing outside of Philadelphia.

—For a fine trunk go to the Philad. Branch.

High Priced Butter. Dairymen often wonder how their more favored competitors get such high prices for their butter the year round. It is by always having a uniform gilt edged article. To put the 'gilt edge' on, when the pastures do not do it, they use Wells, Richardson & Co's Perfected Butter Color. Every butter maker can do the same. Sold everywhere and warranted as harmless as salt, and perfect in operation.

—For a fine hat at the Philad. Branch.

—Should you be in need of a new tie, go to the Philad. Branch.

—For a square deal go to Lewins, Philad. Branch, their motto, one price to all.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against traveling over the farm of J. G. Evans especially in the direction from a point on the road to Spring Mills, near Cooperstown and leading to Georges' Valley church. All persons not heeding this notice will be dealt with according to law.
2t. J. W. EVANS.

A special despatch from Rochester regarding the crop prospects in Western New York says that fruit promises a great abundance. There is an unusual wheat acreage and a large aggregate yield. Hay and clover look poor, and the clover-worm is doing much damage.

—Remember you can always tell yourself what goods is worth, at Lewins' Philad. Branch, as his goods are marked in plain figures.

POINT PLEASANT, N. J., April 30.—Much damage was done to the peach, apple, cherry and other trees by the severe southerly rain-storm last night. The apple trees, which were in bloom, suffered the most. A strong westerly gale to-day, blowing at the rate of fifty miles an hour, is completing the havoc done by the storm last night to the fruit trees. It is almost impossible for a person to keep on his feet, and this attributed to the wind.

—There is plenty shoddy, but not in Lewins' store, give him a trial.

We witnessed on Monday the work of a grain binder in front of the court-house The machine is drawn by one horse and binds the sheaves as perfectly as can be desired, with a wire band. One of these binders will do all the binding for a reaper, and is a wonderful addition to agricultural implements. This binder belongs to the agricultural implement store of Alexander and Co., of which Mr. Wm. Shortlidge has the general management. A large number of farmers witnessed the work of the binder and all pronounced it perfect. We direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Alexander and Co., in another column.

—There is no use of talking, Lewins has the largest, the most select, and best trimmed stock of clothing in Bellefonte.

—Mr. J. C. Kemp, writing from Duke Centre, M'Kean County, Pa., says: Oil is low but still lots of drilling; from where I live I can count from 75 to 100 wells drilling and down, and cant see a half mile any one way; it is just alive with people all busy. The operations are all in the mountains. The wells all flow no pumping here after drilled and tubed; they all flow from 10 to 200bbls, we are just starting a well near the house, that will be down in about 20 days, 1350 feet in depth.

—Maj. J. B. Fisher, of Penn Hall, will arrive with a large stock of spring and summer goods, purchased in Philadelphia. He will have a grand opnening on Thursday, to-day. His stock consists of Dry Goods, Notions, Hardware, Queensware, Wood and Willow ware Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Ladies' trimmed Hats, ready-made Clothing, all of which will be sold as cheap as in any other part of Centre Co. He always makes his selections personally and with the greatest care, and you can be sure to get the best goods. Give him a call before purchasing elsewhere and you will be astonished at his low prices.

MEETING OF THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The stated quarterly meeting of the Agricultural Society of Centre county was held in the Court House Monday evening, President B. W. Hale in the chair, and Maj. R. H. Foster secretary, *pro tem.* Clement Dale, chairman of the executive committee, stated that a change had been made in the superintendency of the fair grounds, by which it was expected some revenue would be derived from house rent.

Capt. Geo. M. Boal, Capt. John A. Hunter and Wm. Shortlidge were chosen delegates to attend the annual meeting at the State College to elect trustees.

Mr. Shortledge addressed the meeting at some length on the apparent lack of interest of the farmers of our county in not attending the meetings, who thought it entirely proper that they should do so occasionally, at least, and make known their views on the subject of progsessive agriculture.

John Rishel, Esq., Capt Geo. M. Boal, of Potter, and Albert Owen, of Philipsburg, also addressed the meeting. The executive committee was requested to hold meetings between now and the fair, after which the meeting adjourned.

TWENTY-FOUR YEARS IN HER CRADLE.

The Lock Haven *Journal*, in its issue of the 23d inst., gives the following account of a young lady at Wolfs Store this county, who has been confined to her cradle since birth, a period of twenty-four years.

At Wolf's Store, Centre county, resides a family named Minich, which has for a member a young lady now aged 24 years who has never been able to sit up a minute. From her infancy she was afflicted with a remarkable growth of the head, the other parts of the body remaining slender and powerless. Instead of the pericial bones uniting at the top they separated, and the "soft spot" common to children under one year, remains yet, while the entire head is elongated and has a circumference about as large as that of a common peck measure. She is about five feet in length and has spent all her days in the cradle. It is impossible for her to raise her head by any muscular exertion, and she requires the same attention that was necessay when a mere baby. She is quite sensible and converses with members of her own family, but is exceedingly averse to strangers. The eye of curiosity so often obtained upon unfortunate beings of this class, causes her to wince and blush and give signs of uneasiness, showing a native sensitiveness She seems to bide her wearisome situation with a resignation seldom found in the human kind.

MR. TROUT AND THE GYPSY.
HOW SHE OBTAINED A PACKAGE OF $10,000 TO CONJURE WITH.

Condensed from the New York Sun of 5.

David S. Trout is a rich planter of Roanoke county, Virginia, a strict church member and one of the most successful men in this county. He has several farms and lives on the line of the Virginia and Tennessee Railroad, close to Salem Post Office and near the Roanoke river. Yesterday, accompanied by Detective JohnWeen, of Richmond, and Chief Police Donovan, of Newark, he visited Brooklin and identified Matilda Worton, the gypsy fortune-teller, who is in Raymond street jail on charge of robbing him of a package containing $10,000 in greenbacks, leaving in its stead a similar package that contained strips of newspaper cut into the shape of bank notes. Mr. Trout says that in February, 1875, he received a note, signed D. T. Worton, saying that there was a natural deposit of silver on his farm. In 1876 Mrs. Worton, the gypsy woman, called on him. "She said," continued Mr. Trout, "that close to my house there was a deposit of silver containing about a million of dollars; that the mass of it was in a crude state, but that a large amount of the metal had already been mined. The silver she said, was first discovered, many years ago, by two Indian chiefs, named Curry and Mesh, who, on shifting their habitation, buried their fortunes there and put a spell over the mine, which it required a superhuman gift to break. The hiding place was sealed by a secret, and she alone could charm it away and open the mine for my benefit. I told her that if she could show me where the mine was I would give her one-half of the proceeds, but she said that she needed a package of $12,000 to handle, always in my presence, so that she could work out the secret. I didn't have so much money at hand, and I told her that I could not get it. She came to see me a number of times, and at length she said she could extract the secret of the hiding place of the mine if she could handle $10,000, but she promised that the money should never go out of my sight. At length I got the $10,000 together in bank notes and the gypsy began her incantations She counted the money, sprinkled it with earth, muttered over it and said prayers without number. When she had finished she went away, leaving the money in my hands, tied up in brown paper, and as she cautioned me not to touch it for fear I would undo her work, I put it up and kept it in fact until she returned again. She paid me several visits, and each time took out the money, examined it carefully and prayed over it. I held it for a time while she prayed and then she held it and prayed. This was done several times. At length, on May 7, 1877, she said that all of her plans were working so well that in one more visit she would charm the spell that bound the secret of the mine, and would, she thought, be able to lead me directly to it. She again took the money, and prayed over it and asked me to count it, so that I could see it was all there. 'I don't want you to think,' she said to me, 'that I would steal any of it,' I said: 'If you took that money or fooled me, I would kill you' I saw that all of my money was in the package, just as I had given it to her, and then she carefully tied it up and put a string about it. 'Now,' she said, 'the spell is broken, and in one more visit it will be cast aside. But,' she added 'no one must touch this package' I promised to lock it up, but she said she wanted me to swear to it upon the Bible. I turned to get the Bible, and the money was hardly out of my sight amoment. I turned again, and she had the package extended toward me. I swore upon the Bible that I would not open it or allow any one else to do so, and took the package. I wrote 'D. D. Trout' upon the back and made marks upon it wherever there was a fold of the paper, so that I could tell if any one disturbed it. Then I put it away. As she did not return and as my time was up when I was obliged to return the money where I had obtained it, I opened the package and found that it contained strips of newspaper cut to the size of bank notes, and that there wasn't a penny of my $10,000 left."

AN ATTEMPT TO SHOOT A DAUGHTER.

ALLENTOWN, Pa, April 27.—Peter Steiner, a contractor, of Hanover township, was arrested to-day on a charge of shooting at his daughter, with intent to kill. The daughter, Queen Stein, presided over a large boarding-house of her father's, but eloped some time ago with one of her father's employees, and when she returned her father tried to shoot her. Her husband, Henry Leiby, swore out the information.

COLLISION OF FREIGHT TRAINS.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., April 27.—A freight train on the Chesapeake and Ohio ran into the rear end of a freight train going west, last night, at Waynesboro, badly wrecking an engine and fifteen cars, killing Mark Wood, a fireman, and dangerously wounding Lorenzo Smith. The west bound train, owing to the collision, was delayed seven hours.

GREAT MORTALITY AMONG HOGS.

CHICAGO, May 3.—In consequence of the hot weather and overcrowding of cars there has been a remarkable mortality among the hogs arriving here to-day It is stated that 20 car loads of dead hogs came in this morning. One car containing 101 hogs had 57 dead, 30 crippled and only 14 in good condition. Cases of 20 to 30 dead were numerous.

HOTEL BURNED.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., April 27.—Geo. Rennings' Lehigh Mountain hotel, at South Bethlehem, was destroyed by fire to-day. Loss $5,000.

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and economies enforced by the democratic party, since its advent to power in congress, have saved to the people many millions of dollars, and we believe that a like result would follow its restoration to power in the state of Pennsylvania.

Eighth. That the democratic party being the natural friend of the workingman and having throughout its history, stood between him and oppression, renews its expression of sympathy for labor and its promise of protection to its rights.

Ninth. That we look with alarm and apprehension upon the pretentions of the great transportation companies to be above the fundamental law of this commonwealth which governs all else within our borders, and until they accept the constitution of 1873 in good faith, they should remain objects of the utmost vigilance and jealousy by both legislature and people.

Tenth. That the recent attempt under the personal direction of ruling republican leaders to debauch the legislature by wholesale bribery and corruption (and take from the commonwealth four millions of dollars, for which its liability had never been ascertained, is a fresh and alarming evidence of the aggressiveness of political rings), and should receive the signal condemnation of the people at the polls.

Eleventh. That the great fraud of 1876-77, by which, upon a false count of the electoral votes of three states, the candidate defeated at the polls was seated in the presidential chair, and for the first time in American history, the will of the people was set aside, under a threat of military force, was the most deadly blow ever aimed at our system of representative government To preserve the country from the horrors of a second civil war, the democratic party submitted for the time, in firm and patriotic faith that the people would peacefully redress the great wrong and signally rebuke the dark crime when they should come to vote in 1880. "That issue proceeds and dwarfs every other. It imposes a more sacred duty upon the people of the Union than ever addressed the conciences of a nation of freemen.

Twelfth. That this convention is opposed to the abrogation of the two thirds rule in the national convention of the democratic party.

The selection of four delegates at large to the national convention was next in order.

Mr. Vaux named Hons. W. S. Stenger, of Franklin, and W. L. Scott, of Erie.

Mr T. J. Barger, of Philadelphia, named Hons. Lewis C. Cassidy, of Philadelphia, and R. Milton Speer, of Huntington.

There being no others named these gentlemen were declared the choice of the convention at large.

Hon. S. R. Peale has been chosen a member of the Dem. State Central committee for this district.

For electors at large Hons. Robert E. Monaghan, of Chester, and W. H. Playford, of Fayette, were named.

A delegate then named Mr. James P Barr, of Pittsburg Mr. Monaghan attempted to withdraw but he was not permitted to do so, and was unanimously elected.

The ayes and nays were then called for the remaining elector at large, and Mr. Playford was elected by a vote of 133 to 110½.

The following named gentlemen were placed in nomination for the supreme bench: Hons. Geo. A. Jenks, of Jefferson, Pearson Church, Crawford, E. J. Fox, Northampton; James Bredin, Butler. The vote announced stood:

Fox	77	Church	9
Jenks	137	Bredin	5

The chair announced that Hon. Geo. A. Jenks, of Jefferson, is the nominee of the democratic party for supreme judge.

Mr. Robert A. Packer, of Bradford, then placed the name of Edward Herrick, esq., of Bradford county, in nomination for auditor general.

Mr. Richard Vaux nominated Col. R. P. Dechert, of Philadelphia. The roll was called and the vote stood:

Dechert	133½
Herrick	83½

Mr. James of Northampton, said that as a fitting close to the work of peace and harmony, he moved that Hon Andrew H. Dill be named as the chairman of the state committee. Mr. Dill was elected by acclamation.

After the chairman had requested that the names of the state committee be handed in to the secetaries the convention adjourned *sine die.*

RAIN AND WIND.

Particu ars of the Storm in Mississipi, Sunday Night.

Meridian, Miss., April 27.—The cyclone which wrought such destruction of life and property at Macon, Miss., Sunday night struck the railroad depot and houses in that locality about 8 30 o'clock and had its origin a short distance from the principal scene of the disaster, and extending, as far as has been heard, ten miles from Macon, blowing down a number of negro cabins on the Reed place, but injuring no one. The path of the cyclone was one hundred and fifty yards wide. Mrs Hordon was decapitated and her head was not found at last accounts. One family took refuge in a cellar and all escaped except a negro girl, who was killed before reaching it. A car standing on the railroad track was blown through a house occupied by J. Blackwell and family, injuring all, but not dangerously. A number of animals were killed.

CUBA.

Havana, April, 26, 1880.—According to advices received at the headquarters of the army since April 1, the insurgents have lost 42 killed, 14 wounded and 49 taken prisoners. In addition to these, 227, of whom 124 were armed, have surrendered, with their families, to the authorities The Spanish troops in the same time have lost 21 killed and 29 wounded.

OVER LOUISVILLE FALLS.

A PASSENGER STEAMER SWEPT OVER THE DAM AND DASHED TO PIECES IN THE RAPIDS.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 28.—The steamer Alice, en route for St. Louis from Pittsburg, met with an accident here this morning, on the falls of the Ohio. The Alice was laden to the guards with freight and passengers. She moved out from the foot of the wharf at nine a. m., and it was discovered a few moments later that her machinery had broken. The pilots whistled for help, but before responce could be given the current, which is fearfully swift above the falls, caught the boat and swept her with lightning rapidity over the government dam that separates canal and falls at this point. The craft was unable to help herself, and amid the greatest excitement on board, and on shore, was danced along toward the Kentucky and Indiana bridge. Her side struck a pier, and swinging around so that she almost overturned, the boat whirled swiftly over the rocks, bounding up and down like a ball. She drifted down the river and sunk just above Tarascou's mill, two miles below with the water on her cabin floor. When she was let go her chimneys were carried overboard by the network of the bridge. She is badly broken and will proablyprove a total loss. The passongers were taken off. No lives were lost.

THE EXPLOSION IN THE WINTER PALACE.

LONDON, April 28.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg to the *Daily News* says; The workman Shevitch, arrested for causing the explosion in the Winter Palace on the 17th of February, and who is reported to have confessed the deed, left the St. Petersburg University in 1870. He was known there as entertaining visionary schemes. After leaving the University he associated himself with the revolutionists, and in accordance with their frequent habit learned a trade in order to more readily influence the working class. He was known at the palace as a clever carpenter, and has been recognized by some of the officers of the palace for whom he worked.

Stephen Pillsbury, who was found almost decapitated in his father's barn, at Chelsea, Mass., suicided in a peculier manner. The instrument of death was a perfectly executed guillotine, which the ingenious suicide had probably spent a month in manufacturing The machine consisted of two perpendicular pieces of joist about two feet apart and reaching from the floor to the roof of the barn. About six feet from the floor had been adjusted in a piece of wood a large, sharp axe, so that it moved up and down in a groove. This axe was held in its place by a water-pot filled with water, attached to a lever, which in turn was made to support the axe. A hole had been made in the water-pot, so that when sufficient water had leaked from it to overcome the leverage above the axe would fall. When all arrangements had been made the young man got upon his knees, with ether to his mouth, and awaited death.

DEATH FROM FRIGHT.

MONTREAL, April 30, 1880.—A singular fatality occured at McDougall's Foundry this afternoon. A moulder named Couvrette fell into a boiler full of molten iron, and his brother, working near by, went to his assistance, and both were probably fatally burned. They were badly disfigured before they could be rescued, and presented a terrible spectacle as they were carried to the hospital. Mrs. Tourville was standing at her door and saw them pass. She was holding a child in her arms, and hastily handing it to a neighbor exclaimed:—Take my child! My eyes are turning yellow." She fell to the earth and was dead from fright in half an hour afterward.

Tular Lake bed in Hanford, Cal., is five miles from where it was four years ago. On the land reclaimed by the change are found the remains of a corral and cabin, and irrigating ditches can be traced running in straight lines. Wheat is now growing on the bed of the old lake.

Six hundred barrels of whiskey were lost by the sinking of the steamer Arabian in the Missouri River twenty-two years ago. All attempts to raise it failed; but now the course of the river has changed, and the whiskey, which now lies forty feet under the sand, is to be dug for.

MARKETS.

Philadelphia, May 2,—Wheat $1.25.

Spring Mills Market.

Wheat No1 $1.12
Rye, 65c
Corn, ears, per bu. new, .38c
Corn old. 45c.
Oats, 30c.
Buckwheat, 50c.
Cloverseed, $3.00 to $3.75
Plaster, ground per ton, $10.00
Flour, per bbl $6.00
Potatoes per bu. 20c
Butter, 20c.
Tallow, 6c.
Lard, 6c.
Ham, 10c
Shoulders, 7c.
Bacon or side, 7c.
Eggs per doz., 10c.
Corrected weekly by I. J. Grenoble.

NEW ENTERPRISE.

A LEXANDER & CO.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENT
—AND—
SEED STORE.
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They mean by this all the name imports, that is, to deal in and to furnish to farmers at the lowest possible price everything in the shape of an agricultural implement that farmers use, including SEEDS of all kinds

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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of Joseph Shirk late of Potter twp., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them, duly authenticated by law for settlement.

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GREENE DECKER.
SUSAN DECKER.
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Tribute of Respect.

At the regular meeting of the Centre County Medical Society held in Bellefonte, April 28th, 1880, Dr. Thomas R. Hayes reported the death of Dr. P. D. Neff, of Centre Hall, and moved that a committee of three be appointed to draft suitable resolutions and also prepare a biographical sketch of our deceased brother, to be published in the "Transaction" of the State Medical Society. The committee prepared the following report, which on motion was received:

WHEREAS, Death has again suddenly visited our society and taken away one of the oldest of our members:

Resolved, That while we bew in humble submission to this dispensation of Divine will in removing from our midst our late associate in medicine and honored member of this society, we feel that his death is sincerely mourned by the entire community to whom he had devoted a long and active life of usefulness.

Resolved, That we offer the members of his bereaved family our sympathy and condolence in their great sorrow and affliction.

Resolved, That the secretary forward a copy of these proceedings to the family of the deceased and also to the county papers for publication. Signed,

J D SMITH, M. D.
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W. A. JACOBS, M. D.

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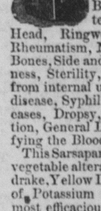

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