

THE GLOBE.

Huntingdon, Wednesday, June 6, 1860.

LOCAL & PERSONAL.

AN IMPROVEMENT.—A movement is on foot to have the fence in front of the Court House, set back ten feet, or just inside the row of trees fronting the Court House, so that the pavement at the point will be twenty feet wide, for the purpose of making a promenade.

An Encampment will be held in this place beginning on the 24th of September, and to continue for one week. We learn that four hundred dollars have already been subscribed by our citizens, to help defray the expenses which will necessarily be incurred in getting it up.

Good.—The spirit of patriotism having pervaded the hearts of some of our old ladies, they gave vent to their pent up feelings by baking themselves a lot of "ye good cakes" and sick like, and on Thursday evening last, repaired to McCahan's Grove, where, we learn they had a gal-orious time.

SEND US THE NEWS.—We hope our subscribers in different sections will tell us occasionally of things happening in their localities. It is surprising what an interesting sheet a paper can be made when friends help us in this way.

A son of Peter C. Swoope, while endeavoring to climb to the top of a tree near Roman's store, on Monday evening last, lost his hold, and fell with his back on the curb-stone; but sustaining no other injury than a severe shock, and rendering him insensible for a few moments. It was, indeed, surprising that his neck was not broken.

SLIGHT FIRE.—One day last week, the roof of the jail was discovered to be on fire, but before making much headway, it was fortunately extinguished. We understand there is movement on foot to repair the above mentioned "institution." A good idea, that; but would it not be better to tear it down and erect a new one.

Rev. O. O. McLean, of Iowa, Iowa City, formerly pastor of the Presbyterian Church of this place, passed through here on Wednesday last, on his way east, to see his friends. Hope he will stop to see us on his way home.

A colored woman from Liberia, preached in the colored church, on the corner of Mifflin and Bath streets, on Tuesday evening last.

On Wednesday evening, another colored woman lectured on Liberia. We did not hear either of them, but those who did, speak in high terms of their productions.

On Monday last, we had quite a "refreshing" thunder shower, accompanied by a slight fall of hail. It was of short duration, however, and immediately after, the sun came out in all its glory.

Sunday School and family Libraries and all other books published by the American Sunday School Union, furnished to order on application at Lewis' Book Store, where catalogues of Books can be seen.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—On Saturday last, a young man named James Dean, of Mapleton, this county, fell off a swing at that place, and was instantly killed. His funeral took place on Monday last.

CONCERT.—Prof. Coyle is preparing his classes of the piano and violin, for a concert, which is to come off in the Court House, on the evenings of the 23rd and 29th of June, inst.

Imlay and Bicknell's Bank note Detector, for June is on our table. It gives full description of all the latest counterfeits.

A School Exhibition will take place at the M. E. Church, of this place, on Tuesday evening next.

A SECOND TELL, IN THE SHOOTING LINE.—Mr. Fred. Whitehead, of St. Louis, is astonishing the sharpshooters with his marksmanship. A few days since, Mr. T. F. Lennox stationed himself off at the distance of ten paces, and placed a common-sized lemon on the top of his head. Mr. Whitehead took a pistol and popped away at the lemon. The ball entered fairly in the centre and cut the lemon in two.

SINGULAR DEATH OF A TELEGRAPH OPERATOR.—The Marietta, Ohio, papers announce the death of George L. Slocomb, a telegraphic operator at that place. A short time since, while he was sitting at his instrument in his office, during the prevalence of a heavy storm, the lightning ran in upon the wires and completely stunned him. A few days developed the fact that his limbs were paralyzed, and his muscles totally deprived of action. The paralysis gradually extended over the body, and a death ended his affliction.

The Rope-Walking Mania.

De Lave Crosses the Patterson Falls on a tight Rope.

Mons. De Lave, who following in the wake of Blondin, at Niagara, achieved some notoriety by his feats at Rochester in crossing Genesee Falls on a tight rope, yesterday gave a similar exhibition at Patterson, N. J., which was witnessed by many thousands of persons.

The place selected for the "Grand Ascent" was below the Falls, where the river passes through a gorge at least six hundred feet in width, and nearly two hundred feet deep. The rope, which was of Manila, and of the size of an ordinary hawser, was stretched across this chasm from near "The Cottage on the Cliff" to the top of "Morris Mountain."

Everything being in readiness, De Lave made his appearance shortly after 4 o'clock, and mounted the ladder which led to the starting-point on the rope. He was greeted with cheers, which he acknowledged by taking off his cap and waving it to the multitude below.

Prolonged cheers now greeted him from both sides of the fearful chasm over which he had passed. Here De Lave passed among the crowd, receiving what each one would throw into his cap, by which, it is said, he realized a handsome sum.

A large number of pickpockets were on the ground, and one man, Israel Monson, a butcher doing business on Main street, lost his pocket-book, containing the avails of his week's business—about \$115.—N. Y. Times.

Our Pennsylvania Yanceys.

The Democratic papers of this State, in their general condemnation of the course of the disunion bolters at Charleston, appear to forget that we had some Yanceytes in our own delegation who should not be lost sight of. Those are they who, under the lead of Senator Bigler, were willing to leave the Convention and join the fire-eating factionists of the South, and even offered inducements to get delegates from other States to go out also.

When Yancey and other avowed disunion men made their most ultra speeches in the Convention, denouncing the Democratic Convention as false to its pledges among other things, Bigler and friends were the first to congratulate them, and otherwise out-herod Herod in catering to their extreme views.

These are facts mortifying and humiliating; and how they are likely to effect the Whig and American party in Illinois, Indiana, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Delaware, Connecticut and New York, remains to be seen.

Parson Brownlow says of the late speech of Senator Douglas: "In the Senate, this day, at one o'clock, Senator Douglas commenced his reply to the speech of Jeff. Davis, and his exposure of Democratic Senatorial caucus resolution, repudiating squatter sovereignty. In order to secure a seat in the gallery, I repaired thither one hour and a half before the Senate was called to order. The immense galleries were crowded with ladies and gentlemen, and all the vacant space on the floor of the Senate was occupied with foreign ministers and members of the House. Douglas spoke three hours and five minutes, and then gave way to a motion to adjourn, and will conclude to-morrow. The speech was an able and powerful one, and convincing, for, as a debator, I doubt whether he has a superior in American public life."

The Japanese Embassy and suite are expected in Philadelphia on or about the 7th inst.

The Prospects of the Growing Crops.

Generally, the intelligence in regard to the crops is very encouraging. The long drought which threatened a famine in the Northwest has been broken by copious rains. The fields are green, the fruit trees are in bloom, already verdure has commenced luxuriant growth, and all nature looks refreshed and invigorated.

The Michigan papers speak of the wheat crop as looking remarkably well. A late number of the Detroit Advertiser notices some fine specimens of wheat and rye. The rye was fully four feet in height, and was headed out; the wheat was at least three feet, and would probably have exhibited heads in a week's time.

The St. Paul (Minnesota) Pioneer is informed by a gentleman, who has travelled over large portions of Minnesota, that all sorts of crops are in a better condition than ever before known at this season of year, and more than double the amount of ground is under cultivation than last year.

Grain and fruit promise well in Pennsylvania. The Pittsburgh Journal thinks the fruit crop in the western section of the State will be unprecedented. Pears, plums, cherries, apples, all promise an abundant crop.

The St. Louis News, an organ of Edward Bates, a Free-soil American sheet, thus gives vent to its feelings of disgust at the manner the Americans were treated at Chicago. It says: "The result has not vindicated the assurances of Republican liberty to the Southern States that were struggling for emancipation from the dominion of National Democracy."

DEATH OF BYRON'S WIDOW.—The death of Byron's widow is announced. This lady, who was born in 1794, was the only daughter and heir of Sir Ralph Milbanke Noel, by the sister and co-heir of the second Viscount and ninth Baron Wentworth. On the death of the other co-heir, Lord Scarsdale, in 1856, she succeeded to the barony of Wentworth by writ, the viscountcy becoming extinct.

IN THE STOMACH OF A DEAD COW at Double Springs, Ky., were found eighty-two balls of hair, varying in size from four to ten inches. They were almost hard, and perfectly compact. For a number of years past, during the hog slaughtering season, the hair had been caught and spread on the ground to rot. Where this hair was spread last season, the grass grew up in the Spring. The cow, in eating the grass must have swallowed the hair, forming the various balls.

MARRIED, On the 31st ult., by Rev. S. H. Reid, Mr. JOHN BARRICK to Miss JENNIE S. HOFFMAN, both of this place. We are placed under obligations to the bride and groom for the generous supply of CAKE sent us, which, by the way, was delicious, (for Jenny cannot be excelled in baking cakes) and take this opportunity of returning our thanks, and offering our congratulations. We wish the happy couple a long and prosperous life, and hope that they may never be brought to realize any of the numerous ill-fits which this world is heir to. May a beautiful profession of some-shine ever gladden their hearts in their new and pleasant relation of life, and we sincerely hope that they may ever share the pleasing consciousness of a printer's blessing.

DIED, On the 29th ult., at the residence of her parents, in Pine Grove, Centre county, KATE M., daughter of Robert P. and Harriet N. Craig, in the 17th year of her age, after a protracted illness, which she bore with christian fortitude and resignation, and her death will long be remembered from the solemn circumstances connected with it; for the very Sabbath on which she was expected to join the church militant, she joined the church triumphant in Heaven. W. C. L.

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THE HALF-HANGED HIGHWAYMAN.—One would naturally suppose that a man who had suffered all the horrors of hanging, just short of actual death, would never risk the gallows again; but such, in one case at least, was not the result. A house-breaker named Smith was hanged at Tyburn, Dec. 24, 1705, and when he had hung nearly fifteen minutes, the people shouted "a reprieve!" He was cut down, bled, and recovered!

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NOVEL MARRIAGE.—A couple were married by Justice Purdy yesterday, says the Detroit Free Press, of the 26th ult., one of whom was a female, aged fifty-eight, and the other a verdant-looking young man, who had apparently reached the mature age of about eighteen. He maintained, and stuck to it, that he was thirty-seven years old, and in order to make up the deficiency, she brought her years down to forty-five. The dodge did not work, and upon being informed that they must make oaths to the facts, they declined, and requested to be united without any questioning. The young fellow said he had no particular objection to telling his age, but the lady was captious, and refused to divulge until she was informed that she must give up all hope of possessing the youngster as a penalty. She said he didn't amount to much as a man, but then he would be handy to have around, and she thought she might as well know what to do with, and wanted somebody to spend it. The bridegroom looked as if he might fulfil the duty with a little judicious training.

AN AWFUL WARNING.—The Baltimore Clipper, of Thursday, says we heard yesterday, from an entirely reliable and responsible source, the particulars of an occurrence, which can only be looked upon as an instance of Divine retribution for taking the name of the Almighty in justification of a falsehood. We refrain from mentioning names through consideration of the parties, residing in the south-western section of the city. It appears that a few days since the aunt of a young girl about eighteen years of age, accused her of having been guilty of some misconduct, which she positively denied, and on being again accused, she called upon God to strike her blind if she was not telling the truth. In a moment after, according to her own statement, a film seemed to pass before her eyes, and in the course of five minutes, she was totally blind, and has continued sightless ever since. The afflicted victim of her own impiety, confessed that she had called upon her Maker to justify her in what was a falsehood. May not this be considered as a terrible instance of Divine wrath, and may not the thoughtless take warning?

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Huntingdon county, to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of Andrew G. Neff, Executor of the last will and testament of Abraham Zimmerman, deceased, amongst the persons entitled thereto, hereby gives notice to all persons interested in said balance, that he will attend for the purpose of making said distribution, on FRIDAY, the 13th day of July next, at his office, in the borough of Huntingdon, at 2 o'clock, P. M. of said day, when and where all persons having claims upon said fund are requested to present them to the auditor or be thereafter barred from claiming any part of said balance. JOHN REID, Auditor. June 6, 1860—4t.

COME TO THE NEW STORE FOR CHEAP BARGAINS. WALLACE & CLEMENT. Respectfully inform the public that they have opened a beautiful assortment of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, QUEENSWARE, & C., in the store room at the south-east corner of the Diamond in the borough of Huntingdon, lately occupied as a Jewelry Store.

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SOLE LEATHER, CALF SKINS, MOROCCO, LASTS, and SHOES—FINDINGS generally. Thankful for past favors, a continuance of the same is respectfully solicited. N. B.—Boots and Shoes for Ladies and Gentlemen, repaired and made to order. Huntingdon, May 9, 1860.

NEW EATING HOUSE, OPPOSITE THE EXCHANGE HOTEL. C. SCHEIDER. Is in his new room, opposite the Exchange Hotel, where his friends are requested to call. He will be prepared all the times to feed the hungry and quench the thirst of the thirsty. Huntingdon, May 2, 1860.

NEW GROCERY AND CONFECTIONERY. C. LONG. Informs the citizens of Huntingdon and vicinity, that he has opened a new Grocery and Confectionery Store in the basement, under Gutman & Co.'s Clothing Store, in the Diamond, and would most respectfully request a share of public patronage. His stock consists of all kinds of the BEST GROCERIES.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAIL ROAD. TIME OF LEAVING OF TRAINS. Table with columns for WESTWARD and EASTWARD, listing stations and departure times.

HUNTINGDON & BROAD TOP RAILROAD—Passenger Trains arrive and depart as follows: MORNING TRAIN For HERRWELL & Intermediate Stations, leaves at 9:00 A. M. Returning, arrives at HUNTINGDON at 12:15 P. M.

1860. SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS. FISHER & SON are now opening the largest and best selected Stock of Goods ever offered in this county.

It comprises a full line of Fashionable Dress Goods, suitable for SPRING & SUMMER, such as Black and Fancy Silks, French Foulards, (China Figures), Merinos, Triclings, Jaconets, Valenciennes, English Chintzes, Gingham, Lustras, Prints, & C.

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