

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Brief Mention—Home-Made and Stolen.

The boating season is over. Subscribers for the JOURNAL.

Altoona merchants want a stay law. Don't borrow your neighbor's paper.

Drugs have a downward tendency. Plug tags are popular with the juniors.

The shooting, on Thursday, was very poor. Judge Summers will open a new brick yard in the Spring.

We will announce the Poor House appointments next week. David Metzger has had quite a sick horse during the last week.

Will Maynard carried off the "Plug Hat" at the Fair. Good boy.

Rev. Mr. Dole's Thanksgiving Sermon was universally praised. Adams carried off the "Silver Conductor's Lamp." He feels happy.

Lager beer is in demand, on Thanksgiving day, among the thrifty. Our friend, Hugh T. Johnston, reports business brisk at Petersburg.

Mr. Wm. Long, of this borough, has killed seven wild turkeys this fall.

James A. Brown is putting up a very handsome front fence on Washington street.

Next week comes the festive school teacher and the stately school marm. Welcome!

Sheriff Zeigler has completed his new Steam Mill, at Grafon. It is in operation.

A crowd of drunken rowdies disturbed the slumbers of our citizens on Thursday night. Constable Edwards, we understand, is looking after the violators of the local option law.

Another issue will conclude the story entitled the New Constitution. Don't fail to read it.

Business was generally suspended on Thanksgiving. Everything passed off very quietly.

Thanksgiving day was a sad day to many a pig. The railroad never made a more terrible slaughter.

It is said the Simpsons, of Mill Creek, killed three deer last week, one of which weighed 192 pounds.

The War spirit ran high, at Bedford, a week or ten days ago, but we are glad to announce no body was hurt.

The shooting match was a fizzle on Thanksgiving Day. The why and the wherefore no one understands.

A party at the Fair took twenty-four chances out of twenty-five, in an article, and the twenty-fifth chance won.

It will take a lively preacher to keep the congregation awake, in the new Presbyterian church, on a gloomy day.

A jet d'eau is what the editor of the Mt. Union Times wants. It would be a good thing to have in the family, no doubt.

We hear of two Democratic candidates for Congress in this county, for the next term. Its too early, gentlemen. Be shy!

Measles, Showalter, Straight and Reed killed a large deer near Benningham's on the Branch, on Thanksgiving.

The ladies organized a Relief Society on Tuesday last week. We expect to lay their proceedings before our readers.

An ardent admirer—our cat. He will set for hours and gaze at our bird. He likes it so well that he could really eat it!

The Mount Union people are determined to turn their town into a summer resort. There are few places that have finer facilities.

Mrs. Joseph Watson drew the China dinner set and George W. Strickler the tea set at the Hook and Ladder Company's Fair.

The tightness of the times does not appear to affect our friend Heffright. He goes forward building houses after house without end.

George A. Port, esq., he of the Fifth street meat market, is all smiles and the proudest man in this neck to woods. It's a boy!

The Pilgrim Almanac, for 1874, has come to hand. It has a great deal of matter of interest to members of the Brethren Church.

The Newton Hamilton Bridge is almost ready for the passage of vehicles, the weather having delayed its completion a few days.

Thirty-seven pounds of wild turkey, at what George Friedley, esq., brought down, at one shot, one day last week. Two, by George!

Because a Hook and Ladder Company is being organized is no reason why some boys should "hook" everything they get their hands on.

King, on his homestead, charging upon the New Constitution, cut rather a ridiculous figure. It is the old wind mill fight over again.

The Foreman of our Job office went to the country to Russ-ticate on Thanksgiving Day. We hope he helped to "gobble up" a fat young gobbler.

The Johnstown Daily Voice is heard no more in the land. It has gone and what the banks appeared to have a monopoly of—Suspended!

The water was let out of the canal on Monday. Suppose we were to have a fire now in the eastern portion of town, what would be the result?

It is said that a number of citizens of Bedford have purchased the Bank of Wm. M. Lloyd, at that place, and intend establishing a Bank of their own.

Martin Rilling, of West Huntingdon, lost a new black leather pocket book, containing from \$25 to \$70 in cash, on the street on Saturday evening last.

The members of the bar, of this place, almost unanimously favor the adoption of the New Constitution. So does the great majority of our business men.

We hear of quite a number of sanguine mothers who are willing to enter their babies at a baby show. When shall it come off? Now is your time, Lolla!

The Sibby Minstrels distributed thirty-two forty-nine pound sacks of flour among the poor of the town, on Thanksgiving day. It was a very praiseworthy act.

Our genial young friend, Frank Higgins, esq., late of the Johnstown Voice, left us on Saturday last to localize on the Pittsburg Brethren Lodging. Success to you, friend!

When one bad little boy is told of a few dirty tricks by Bill Jones, the bad little boy blubbers out: "You are as bad as I am! Boohoo!" And this justifies himself!

"A Beautiful Silver Conductor's Lamp" was one of the curiosities chance off at the Fair. Who was the "Silver Conductor," pray? The girls want to know. They want to go for him.

Some of our people are in favor of a Stay Law, while others strenuously oppose it. We have been paying off and it don't make much difference to us whether there is a Stay Law or not.

We are prepared to elab with the leading periodicals of the country except the *Aldine*. If you want cheap and good literature, in connection with the JOURNAL, we are prepared to furnish it.

Turkeys, geese, ducks and chickens must be plenty up the Broad Top. The Express has a number of these birds for sale, but it takes Bedford water to lay us out, don't it, Charley?

The Enterprise Transfer Company have made their headquarters at the Franklin House, where the "Best" will be quartered, and Mr. Wood will run it in the future. Mr. Straight having hauled off.

Read the advertisements of the *Patriot* and *Independent* in today's paper. The *Patriot* is by far the best newspaper in the interior of the State. But its politics must be taken with considerable allowance.

The walnut doors, of the new Presbyterian church, are shrinking so much that the audience will soon be able to pass in and out between them without opening them. It will be decidedly convenient.

Rev. Dole's tribute to the press, on Thanksgiving, was a very high compliment. We wish we had the extract we would publish it for the benefit of those who need to have their appreciation of the press worked up.

Judging by what we hear there is a probability of Mr. Lloyd securing the time he has asked to settle up with his creditors. We think that would be a good thing for all parties concerned. We hope the time will be given.

The most happy time of the period, in the Daily *Graphic*, is public or by Grey Parker. His interesting in public and often atrociously tell fearfully from their respective standpoints. His pencil depicts life as it really is.

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Friends, make an effort to increase the circulation of the *Journal*. We will send you three months for fifty cents or six months for a dollar. Everything depends upon the circulation of wholesome intellectual food. We want to increase our circulation to two thousand. An increase of four newspapers at such postage in the country will do this. Help us to raise the number. Come, now, give us a helping hand!

It is strange how many persons want to figure in the newspapers, and yet how comparatively few want to pay for the notoriety. It is such a luxury to have your name read and re-read, a thousand times, but you don't like to pay for the luxury. Remember that we make our living by publishing a paper, and you by the notoriety it gives you in business and otherwise. Then don't hesitate to act manly with that which benefits you. Return value for value.

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CHURCH DEDICATION.—From a communication, under the signature of "Foreman," in the *Tyrone Herald*, of last week, we take the following account of the erection and dedication of a neat and commodious new Methodist Church, at Birmingham, on Sunday last. The writer says:

Among the leading men of Birmingham, in the persons of J. R. Thompson, Dr. Owens and others, proposed to pull down the old church and build a new one on the same site, they disregarding the difficult and discouraging circumstances that seemed to fringe the surrounding, and bravely "carried the battle to the enemy's gate." The result was a large delegation of Indians, belonging to the Cheyenne and Arapahoe tribes, who had been on a visit to the "Great Father," at Washington, passed over the Penna. Railroad, on Thursday morning last, towards the setting sun.

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It is strange how many persons want to figure in the newspapers, and yet how comparatively few want to pay for the notoriety. It is such a luxury to have your name read and re-read, a thousand times, but you don't like to pay for the luxury. Remember that we make our living by publishing a paper, and you by the notoriety it gives you in business and otherwise. Then don't hesitate to act manly with that which benefits you. Return value for value.