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LOCAL AND PERSONAL. Brief Mention—Home-made and Stolen.

Send us local items. The roads are muddy. Gas bills are growing.

Report your mammoth logs. Buy from those who advertise.

Sausage mills are running lively. Splendid weather for raising ducks.

Buy your cigars at the JOURNAL Store. The year 1878 is fast drawing to a close.

Almanacs for 1879 for sale at the JOURNAL Store.

An occasional tramp asks for lodgings in the lock up.

A full supply of school stationery at the JOURNAL Store.

Motives for the million just received at the JOURNAL Store.

Purses, for carrying coin, at the JOURNAL Store, for 10 cents.

The coming Teachers' Institute promises to be largely attended.

Navigation on the "raging canal" is about over for this season.

The best and cheapest school ink in town at the JOURNAL Store.

Judge Curtis, of Bellefonte, presided in the Cambria courts last week.

Crawford's Holiday Good Things promises to be a success. Hope it may.

A violent typhoid fever prevails in some sections of Clearfield county.

Only twelve days until Christmas. Buy your presents at the JOURNAL Store.

Tell the public what you have for sale through the columns of the JOURNAL.

Some very handsome and very cheap inkstands just received at the JOURNAL Store.

A cold, drizzling rain, interspersed with an occasional snow squall, fell all day Monday.

Santa Claus is about to establish his headquarters at the JOURNAL Store. Drop in and see him.

Our streets were not liberally patronized by promenaders during the inclement weather of this week.

Patent election stickers a specialty at the JOURNAL office. Call and see them and leave your orders.

Blank articles of agreement between Directors and teachers just printed and for sale at the JOURNAL Store.

An interesting religious revival, conducted by Rev. Knapp, has been in progress for some time at Three Springs.

The handsome paper, for making wall papers, in town, all colors and styles, just received at the JOURNAL Store.

Troops of happy children devote their spare time to viewing the Holiday goods displayed in the windows of our dealers.

The damage done to the property of D. W. Woods, esq., of Lewistown, by fire, on Sunday morning a week ago, amounts to \$2,000.

If you want to make the hearts of the little ones glad, buy some of the handsome juvenile books for sale at the JOURNAL Store.

We had a lively sprinkling of the "beautiful" on Saturday evening, sufficient to cover the ground and make things very wintry.

The new Fountain Pen, to be had at the JOURNAL Store, is just the thing for persons to use who have much writing to do. Only 25 cents.

The action of Council, on Monday night, in regard to the penitentiary project, is denounced by nine-tenths of the citizens of the borough.

Henry & Co., are off to New York for the fifth and last invoice of New Goods before the Holidays. The goods will begin to arrive the last of this week.

The Lewistown Democrat is making sport of the new bell recently put in place on the court house in that town. That paper says "it might do for a farm bell."

The Sunday School Convention, under the auspices of the Huntingdon Presbytery, as we announced a week or two ago, will be held at Clearfield on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

The Holiday goods now opening at the JOURNAL Store are both useful and ornamental. Call in and see them, make your selections, and we will put them aside for you until needed.

Maj. Johnston has entered upon his duties as sealer of weights and measures, and some dealers, when called upon to pay the fees for such labors, use language more forcible than polite.

John Tomlinson, he of Greenback newspaper fame in Altoona, has shook the dust of the Mountain City from his No. 12's, and gone to Scranton to accept a position on the Times of that city.

We have just received a large lot of very superior envelopes which we are prepared to furnish, with a neat card printed on them, for a mere song. Give us your order for a thousand or two.

Old Boreas held high carnival on Tuesday night, and during his reign one of the maple trees in the rear of the court house was blown down and numberless shutters and small signs were torn from their fastenings.

Some writer asserts that the excessive use of tobacco will produce delirium tremens.—We don't believe a word of it. If it did we have in our mind's eye several persons who would have been snakes long ago.

Neal & Long, the popular Penn street dealers, know a thing or two, as is evidenced by their advertisement in another column of "the hand-somest and best paper in the county." If you want customers, go and do likewise.

According to the Altoona Tribune, Spruce Creek is entitled to the "blue ribbon" for raising mammoth swine, Geo. Bessall, of that place, having slaughtered two the other day, which weighed respectively 550 and 621 pounds.

Judge Carmon is reported to have killed the fattest hog of the season, on Tuesday. For several weeks past his eyes were entirely concealed from view by the huge rolls of fat about his head, and those persons who went to see it report it as a curiosity.

The Altoona Mirror, since it changed hands, has been made considerably smaller, but the great improvement in the typographical appearance of the paper will amply atone for its decrease in size. It is handsomely printed now, and should be liberally supported.

Mr. Pike, of the Freeman, promises to increase the dimensions of his paper and dress it up in a new suit at the end of the present volume, which will close in four or five weeks. Glad to hear that our witty contemporary has the necessary amount of usufact to do these things.

The Sunbury Democrat comes to this conclusion: Tread on a man's corns through a newspaper, and how quick you will hear from him, but do him a good turn in the same way, and he will thank you for it, and earnestly remember it even a fortnight. Such is newspaper experience. Such has been our experience.

Our young friend Charles Crumley, formerly of the Beach House, this place, now of the Leister House, Huntingdon, is a man of business, and attends to his business well, too—at least we judge so by the frequency of his visits to Bellefonte. When we last saw him he had three Bellefonte beautes in tow, and still looked happy.—Centre Herald.

Our old preceptor and esteemed friend, "Dad" Lewis, made a telling speech before Council, on Monday night, in favor of the body helping to purchase the site for the penitentiary; but his remarks had no effect on the fog members, and all but three of them voted no. Messrs. Lewis, Taylor and Matern are progressive gentlemen and voted yes.

The employees of the Middle Division of the P. R., on Saturday last, at Harrisburg, presented the late Superintendent, James M'Vea, with a handsome and costly watch and chain. Mr. M'Vea returned to Jersey City, on Monday last, and the men so long under his employ took this occasion and this way of testifying their esteem and respect for their late popular Superintendent.

A slightly demented woman by the name of Ross threatened to shoot Judge Mayer, of Clearfield, a few days since, because he declined to issue an order to restore a child to her possession that had been bound out to a family in the county. She came into court, when the sheriff approached her and found a loaded revolver in her lap. He took the weapon from her.

Chairman Eck is "as cross as a bear with a sore head," because we reminded him, through the columns of the JOURNAL, that he was indebted to us in the amount of \$5 for publishing his announcement when a candidate for sheriff, and a "hog" for not in regular fashion engaged since last summer in hunting up the genealogy of the Jenningses, and for raising funds to further prosecute the claim. Being in Philadelphia at the time we concluded to cross over the river and attend this meeting of the expectant heirs, and learn what we could respecting the chances of their securing the colossal fortune now locked in the vaults of English banks awaiting legitimate owners.

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certain and speedy cure for hog cholera. The best way to make a pile of corn on the cobs, effectually scorch it and then give the affected hogs free access to it. This remedy was discovered by accident by E. E. Locky, esq., at the time his distillery was burned in this county, together with a large lot of stored corn which was so much injured as to be unfit for use, was hauled out and greedily eaten by the hogs, several of which were dying daily. After the second day not a single hog was lost and the disease entirely disappeared.—The remedy has been tried since in a number of cases and has never failed.

In a case of riot, tried in Cambria county last week, in which the strongest kind of evidence was produced as to the guilt of the prisoners, the jury rendered a verdict of "not guilty." Judge Orvis, who presided during the trial, jumped to his feet and said that he was "perfectly amazed." He did not understand how a jury composed of rational beings could deliver such a verdict, in the face of the overwhelming evidence adduced by the prosecution. The witnesses of both sides had practically agreed upon all essential points. It was made clear by the testimony that a mob had descended upon the prosecutor's dwelling, and, in the midst of a din that was heard a quarter of a mile away, had dragged him out into the night and brutally handled him. The defense had even confessed itself guilty of assault and battery, and yet the jury, with sublime obstinacy, wrangled a whole day before coming to a conclusion, and then gave in a verdict which would shame any honest man.

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TEACHERS' COUNTY INSTITUTE.—The Huntingdon County Teachers' Institute will convene in the Court House, Huntingdon, Pa., Monday, December 16th, at 1:30 p. m., and continue in session until the 20th inclusive. Dr. E. Brooks, Prof. D. M. Sensing and Miss L. E. Patridge will be with us, and will give instructions on a variety of subjects, some of which are the following:

- 1. Grammar—Analysis, Parsing, Correction of Sentences, Use of Capital Letters, &c. Mathematics, Physical culture, Reading and Elocution, School Discipline.—How to Teach a Little Child? Manners and Morals, Methods of arousing interest in the School Work. The Kindergarten Method, &c.
- 2. Prof. W. H. Schuyler, of Lewistown Academy, will visit us on Tuesday forenoon, and favor us with a very interesting and instructive exercise in Anglo Saxon. Our usual corps of local instructors, including our former Superintendent, Prof. R. M. McNeal, will also assist in the work, and the members of the faculty of the Brethren's Normal (West Huntingdon) have been invited to join us.

- Duties have been assigned to a large number of teachers, as follows: 1. Orthography and spelling match.—W. H. Kindergarten Method, &c.
- 2. Geography.—M. T. Lightner.
- 3. A method of teaching History.—W. H. Barnett.
- 4. Report on a course of study for ungraded schools.—J. R. Baker.
- 5. Should intelligence be one of the legal qualifications requisite to the right of suffrage?—H. H. Waite, J. G. Bearer, B. McDevitt.
- 6. Moral training.—D. M. Giles, J. E. Devor.
- 7. What kind of an education is necessary to make good American citizens?—S. B. Taylor, R. S. Heederson.
- 8. The necessity of more thorough teaching.—To tell the audience what he knew about the Jenningses, and, judging from the history he gave of their genealogy, one would be led to believe that he "knew it all." He told them that so far as the genealogy of the Jenningses in this country was concerned, he was confident that he had it all perfect, without one missing link, and was satisfied that the three hundred millions of dollars rightfully belonged to him; but in order to obtain the million it would be necessary to go over to England and hunt up the genealogy of the Jenningses there, but he saw no difficulty in the way, as he had a starting point which could not fail to result in success, and that was the account of the Jenningses, who connected the American Jenningses with the English Jenningses the proof would be ample and the fortune would be forthcoming.

- 9. To what extent may money be properly expended in adorning the school room?—J. M. Drake, E. French.
- 10. Report on the examinations.—G. E. Taylor, J. D. Goodman.
- 11. Public school exhibitions.—J. A. Thompson, G. E. Mierly.
- 12. What attention should teachers devote to forming and cultivating in their pupils correct personal habits?—P. V. King, Wm. Stewart.
- 13. Is it necessary for a teacher to know more of a subject than he is required to teach?—J. H. Nale, H. C. Tussey.
- 14. Literary exercises in public school.—N. P. Corbin, J. S. Fouse.
- 15. Should pupils be permitted to use the book in reciting mental arithmetic.—A. W. McNeal, D. M. Miller.
- 16. The use of text-books.—T. J. Chilcote, J. B. Cutsball.
- 17. Merits of map drawing.—C. Grafius, R. F. Shultz.
- 18. Should the principles of civil government be taught in our common schools?—S. Weight, H. H. Swoope.
- 19. General information.—B. S. Haughawout, J. H. Waite, J. G. Bearer, B. McDevitt.
- 20. What shall we teach?—H. McKibben, John Goodman.
- 21. Concert recitations.
- 22. To what extent may science lessons be properly imparted?

We have taken the liberty to assign duties to teachers employed in the public schools without having any expression from them on the subject. If any desire to exchange subjects, or if any wish to employ substitutes, we are perfectly satisfied for such arrangements to be made. We only insist that somebody in each case be prepared to open the discussion, but we will be glad to hear from anybody who desires to participate freely.

Music for the day sessions, from "Silver Carols," the best collection of day school music we have ever seen. The book is worth 50 cents, but if we can be supported, from any source, in getting 100 copies or more, they can be had for 35 cents. Teachers desiring copies of this book should drop us a postal. We will send "Anniversary Song," page 70 of this book, at the beginning of the exercises.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.—Miss Jessie E. Wilson, of Woodbury, Subject—"The New Bonanza." Miss Wilson is a graduate of Wesleyan University, of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, and is said to be the youngest, handsomest and most brilliant lady lecturer in the field. It is claimed that she already exceeds Miss Anna Dickinson in her brightest days. The lecture, new, novel, interesting and instructive is just calculated to please everybody.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.—Wallace Bruce, Subject—"Robert Burns." Mr. Bruce pleased the people so well at our last Institute that we are obliged to gratify public sentiment we were obliged to employ him again. The lecture is considered his best effort.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.—L. E. Patridge, of West Philadelphia, Subject—"Our Girls." No one can afford to miss hearing it. Friday Evening.—Dr. E. Brooks, of Millersville, Pa. Subject—"Science and the Bible." All who would hear the truth, philosophically demonstrated, and embellished with all the grandeur of eloquence, should make it a point to be present.

Tickets.—For the course \$1. Single lecture 35 cents. A suitable reduction to teachers and directors.

RAILROAD ARRANGEMENTS.—The Institute will have been made by which teachers and directors desiring to attend can get excursion tickets, at the usual rates, good until Saturday, Dec. 21.

Card orders for excursion tickets on the H. & B. T. R., can be had by applying to any of the following named persons: W. H. Barnett, Dudley; W. S. Eoyeat, Saxton; M. L. Shultz, Coffey Run; Mr. Grove, (merchant) Marklesburg Station; or J. S. Grove, Grafton.

On the Penna. Central, or W. H. Waite, Warriorsburg; G. W. Owens, Birmingham; C. Grafius, Alexandria; J. H. Nale, Petersburg; R. S. Henderson, Mapleton; and J. R. Kibler, at this office, Monday forenoon, Dec. 16th; after that, at the Post Office.

LOCAL CLIPPINGS.—We clip the following items from Our Paper, published at Three Springs: Mr. Samuel Stem has sold his farm in Clay township, to S. M'Vitty Esq., price paid was \$6000. Andrew Swoope is preparing to build a house, on a lot which he bought from D. M. Heck.

Post Master W. J. Hampson, has appointed Dr. Stever as his deputy. The office will be continued at the old stand. The thriving villager who for sometime has been burning other people's fence rails, when he cannot find wood already chopped to steal from wood piles, is notified that he is known, and if he persists in his petty thieving, the law will be enforced against him, to its full extent.

David B. Heck is engaged in carrying a drift to the vein of fossil ore, found sometime since on the land of Daniel M. Heck, in this borough. This is the same vein of ore that is now being worked by Mr. Brewer, on the land of K. L. Greene. The vein on Mr. Greene's land averages 15 inches. But where the opening has been made on Mr. Heck's land, it measures 23 inches. The ore is pronounced to be of an excellent quality.

These from the Mt. Union Times of last week. On Wednesday night the family of Mr. Derrick Shaver, of Shirley township, about two miles southwest of this place, were attending a funeral, his corn crop and wagon-bred were entirely consumed by fire. It is only a few weeks since Mr. Shaver's barn was destroyed by fire. Both fires are supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. Punishment could not be too severe for any one so despicable enough to fire the buildings of a fellow citizen. We hope the guilty parties will be brought to justice.

ANOTHER MISFORTUNE.—We learn that a boy named William Daniels, aged about fifteen years, residing in our sister town, Newton Hamilton, while attempting to board a freight train on Monday morning for the purpose of coming to this place, missed his calculation, slipped and fell under the moving train, the wheels passed over his right leg just above the ankle, crushing it in a terrible manner. The leg was subsequently amputated below the knee. His sufferings are intense, as he has received some injury to his side. This is another sad warning against jumping on moving trains, and yet there is very little impression made on the mind of the daring thoughtless onlookers accident.

"A STRIKE!"—On Tuesday morning the East Broad Top railroad company reduced the wages of the yard and trackmen at this place to seventy-two cents a day. The yardmen protested against this reduction, and stopped work immediately. As this would leave the company "in a fix," they agreed to give them the same wages they had been receiving, and the men returned to work again. We are not in favor of strikes, and yet we think these men did perfectly right in refusing to work for this reduction. They were only receiving eighty-one cents a day before, and the idea of putting the wages down to seventy-two cents is absurd. They have the hardest kind of labor to perform and should be well paid for it. Instead of a reduction their wages should be increased. The reduction should be from those who are receiving big salaries, and could better afford it. That would be policy.

My DAUGHTER aged 14 years was attacked by Diphtheria in its very worst form. I employed the most prominent physician in my town, Vermont, who pronounced it a very bad type of that disease. With the doctor's consent, we used Gile's Lignin Iodide Ammonia with rapid and speedy results. Applied externally and as a gargle, diluted with water. It appeared to me as though it neutralized the poison in her system.

Gile's Lignin Iodide Ammonia, N. Y. Sold by all druggists. Send for pamphlet. Dr. Gile, 125 West Broadway, N. Y. Trial bottles 25 cents. For sale by John Reed & Sons.

TWO MEN KILLED.—The Fast Line car, on Wednesday morning last, which was some four or five hours behind time, and reached this place about six o'clock, ran over an infant who had been playing in the street, and Henry & Co's crossing, a man named Michael Gorman, whose residence was Philadelphia, and whether he was bound at the time of the accident. His companion said the deceased was a butcher by trade and had been to Texas. They were walking on the south track and discovering a train approaching them from the rear the deceased stepped to the north track to avoid it, but just as he did so the Fast Line came thundering along and struck him, throwing him upon the track in such a position that the entire train passed over him. His remains were taken to the old depot building, corner of Third and Allegheny streets, where a ten cent trial pack of Dr. Heasley's Victor Headache Powders, or Dr. Heasley's Headache Cure, N. Y., will relieve them most pain. A single powder actually cures the most distressing cases in ten minutes. It is purely vegetable, entirely harmless, a pleasant and healthy and happy.

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Gen's Kid gloves at Montgomery's—something new in that line—suitable for Christmas presents. [Dec. 13-21.]

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THE POSTAL BUSINESS.—Very few persons have any idea of the amount of postal business done on the railroad route between Huntingdon via Bedford, to Cumberland, Md. One of the agents, Mr. John B. Helm, informs us that for the month of November, they handled on the line, 1,692 packages of letters aggregating 101,520 letters, and 310 sets of newspapers aggregating 62,000 newspapers and magazines. In this connection we might introduce here, WHAT CAN BE SENT BY MAIL.—Under the postal regulations concerning third-class mail, about thirty kinds of goods can be forwarded through the mails at one cent per ounce, provided that the packages do not exceed four pounds in weight or four feet in length. Among the category are prints, chromos, rods and balls, samples of ore, metals and minerals, and general merchandise. Under this classification a bulky package, such as a loosely-folded silk dress, a broad brimmed straw hat, a bird-cage, a box of toys, can, provided the stipulated weight is observed, be forwarded through the mails. This matter can also be registered, and enjoy all the safety that will insure. With these arrangements the mail can be often used advantageously in place of express companies, and in many cases at great saving for transportation.—Bedford Inquirer.

GRAND EXCURSION!—An excursion for Kansas and Nebraska will leave Mt. Union, and all intermediate stations, on Tuesday, January 7, 1879. For further information call on or address R. M. HARRISON, Mt. Union, Pa. Nov. 22 if.

REFLECT that in every cemetery of the silent tenants are the victims of neglected graves, and cold, and if you are one of the afflicted order your lot by resorting at once to Hale's Gleaner of Household and Farm, an immediate, agreeable, and certain means of cure. Sold by all Druggists. Price 25 cents. Bottle Drops cure in 1 minute. [Dec. 1-1m.]

Book stationery, straps, superior black writing ink, books of all kinds, and a full line of school stationery for sale at the JOURNAL Store, as cheap as the cheapest.

SPORTING NOTES.—A party of hunters spent Saturday on Warrior Ridge, but no deer repaid them for their weary tramp. C. F. Fisher, esq., on Saturday last, during a six hours hunt, killed ten partridges and two pheasants.

Robert the opening of the turkey season has shot men wild turkeys. Deer must not be shot after Monday next, 16th inst. Our Nimrods will please remember this bit of information. There has not been a good "tracking" snow fall since the deer season opened, and the prospects for one before its close are not very flattering.

A party of Altoona hunters, with a pack of hounds, according to the Tribune, ran a fox on a tree. The first time we ever heard of a fox climbing a tree. An occasional wild