

W. L. FOULK, Agent of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia Press Association.

SALE REGISTER.—Bills for the following public sales have been printed at the Journal Office.

THURSDAY, MARCH 20.—Frank Grucis, agent for Mrs. Grucis, will sell on the above day at 10 o'clock, a. m., in Brady township, 3 miles from Mill Creek, 2 horses, 1 three-year-old colt, 3 cows, 2 young cattle, 3 shoats, and a lot of farming implements.

TUESDAY, MARCH 18.—Rochell L. Leffard, Porter township, two miles from Alexandria, at 9 o'clock, a. m., will sell four work horses, including 1 family horse, 2 colts, three years old in the spring, 3 cows, 2 steers, 3 young calves, 1 brood sow, 6 hogs, besides many other farming utensils.

FRIDAY, MARCH 21.—W. B. Wakefield, Brady township, two miles west of Allegheny, at 9 o'clock, a. m., will sell 10 head of cattle, including 1 family horse, 2 colts, three years old in the spring, 3 cows, 2 steers, 3 young calves, 1 brood sow, 6 hogs, besides many other farming utensils.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Full moon. Spring-time. Oh! the mud. Loafers to the fore.

Drummers are numerous. Shad flies; Spring is here. Subscribe for the Journal.

The crop of mud is prolific. Diaries at the Journal Store. All live business men advertise.

Has Huntingdon a woman-catcher? Don't discard your winter clothing. The best segars at the Journal Store.

Buy your cigars at the Journal Store. The robins have put in an appearance. Read new advertisements in to-day's Journal.

Handsome school satchels at the Journal Store. Western-bound emigrants crowd almost every train.

Altoona's railroad depot is to be lighted by electric lights. The News entered upon its sixth year with Monday's issue.

A full supply of school stationery at the Journal Store. Motives for the million just received at the Journal Store.

The elegant drawing paper just received at the Journal Store. The best segars in town can be had at the Journal Store.

Blank leases for renting houses for sale at the Journal Store. Purses, for carrying coin, at the Journal Store, for 10 cents.

If you want full value of your money advertise in the Journal. Several cases of Spring fever were developed in this place on Monday.

The best and cheapest school ink in town at the Journal Store. The best segars in this market are to be had at the Journal Store.

Promiory, judgment and exemption note for sale at the Journal Store. A nice assortment of Dominos, all prices, just received at the Journal Store.

The name of Sarah post-office, in Blair county, has been changed to Clayburg. The Good Templars organized on Monday night with a membership of thirty-four.

Commercial printing a specialty at the Journal Office. Give us your orders. Sammy March has flung a flashy sign to the breeze at his new quarters in the Diamond.

He "parts it sissy" with "they say" of a young man who parts his hair in the middle. The cheapest and handsomest Toilet Sets in the county can be had at the Journal Store.

Handsome chessmen, manufactured of either bone or boxwood, for sale at the Journal Store. Apples of a very superior quality are offered in this market at \$1 per bushel, but they are few buyers.

The wound of Frank Smithberger, the young man who attempted to catch Fisher's wife, is entirely well. Blank articles of agreement between Directors and teachers just printed and for sale at the Journal Store.

A Bitch wove around the county roads last fall would have saved many a hard pull through this Spring. The professional loafer could be seen at the street corners basking in the warm sunshine of the past few days.

Jake Zilins, who has been a year and more in Fort Irwin, was released from that bastille on Thursday of last week. The handsomest paper, for making wall pockets, in town, all colors and styles, just received at the Journal Store.

The President has settled the worry of the Chinese question, but then here the house cleaning season is at hand. "Squire Murray's smoke-house caught fire on Friday evening, but the fire was extinguished before any damage was done.

"Golden Years are Passing By," the latest and most popular piece of music out, can be had at the Journal Store for 35 cents. Fine cutlery has just been added to the varied assortment of articles to be found at the Journal Store. Ladies' knives specialty.

Handsome pen knives, and so cheap, at the Journal Store. Knives as low as 15 cents, and the best dollar knife ever offered in this market. 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.

Bob Westbrook, an amateur hunter of our town, has succeeded in gobbling several foxes during the winter. He caught a large one on Friday last week. Every housekeeper should have a bottle of "Van Stan's Strataena Cement." It is the best in the market, and costs only 25 cents at the Journal Store.

A Good Templar's lodge will soon be in working order in this place. We wish it God speed, and that much good may result from its establishment. We understand the school board adopted Mr. Williams' plan for the new school house. Never having seen the drawing we can say nothing of its merits.

Several of our Greenback friends, inform us that they are rejoiced at the death of the Nationalist, and affirm that the paper did their party more harm than good. A large book-case, of unique and beautiful design, has been placed in position, in a room in the court house, in Hollidaysburg, to hold the law library of Blair county.

When you want any job printing—not counting the Journal Job Rooms—the place to go to is the Journal Job Rooms, at low rates is our motto. Give us an order.

A copy of our quarterly, thirty-two in number, supposed to have died of starvation, were found underneath a pile of railroad ties near the old water station, Greensburg.

The citizens of Huntingdon are not a showy people, as is proven by the empty benches at the different entertainments which held forth here during the winter.

The Altoona City Band, one of the best in the State, will number twenty-four members during the coming summer. Altoonians have reason to feel proud of their bands.

An attempt was made a few nights ago to burglarize the Osceola post-office, but the would-be burglar was frightened away before he succeeded in gaining an entrance.

During the coming season the Cambria Iron Company propose to erect over one hundred houses in Johnstown. Wish Huntingdon had a Cambria Iron Company within her borders.

Almost every other man, woman and child you meet now-a-days wants to raise a "pay school" during the building of the new school house. There is too much of the good thing.

Commercial printing, in the finest style of the art, done at the Journal Job Rooms, at Philadelphia prices. Give us your order and see how handsome a job we can make for you.

"The Electric" is a new cigar manufactured expressly for the Journal trade, it is the best in the market, and lovers of the weed are laud in its praise. Everybody smokes it, and they love it.

A pleasant and cheerful room is essential to the health of the baby, and the usual pains and ills of the young ones soon vanish after the use of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. - Price 25 cents.

Some four or five of the prisoners now in our jail have their wrists adorned by "bracelets." Owing to the dilapidated and insecure condition of the prison this precaution is necessary.

A trio of drunken rowdies disturbed the quiet of our neighboring town of Smithfield, on Sunday afternoon, by exhibitions of brutality towards a poor old horse they were driving.

The large steam flouring mill of Anderson & Metzger, situated in the vicinity of Broad Avenue and Nineteenth street, Altoona, was totally destroyed by fire at an early hour on Saturday morning.

The Commissioner of Pensions has so arranged for the payment of the arrears of pensions that clerks agents will have nothing to do in the matter. The Bureau pays direct to the claimant.

Over in Bellefonte, within the last ten days, some fifteen or twenty dogs have been sent to the bow-wows by a dose of "cold pills," administered by the hand of some hater of the canine race.

The several sessions of the Women's Foreign Mission Society, held in the Presbyterian church, in this place, last week, were largely attended, and the exercises were highly interesting and instructive.

That North Carolina editor expresses our opinion exactly when he says that "the man who will read a newspaper three or four years without paying for it will pasture a goat on the grave of his grandmother."

If you want to get the worth of your money by your segars at the Journal Store, where none but the best in market are kept for sale. The two-for-five sold here are equal to half the five-cent segars in the market.

As only a couple of weeks intervene before the time for the legal taking of trout arrives, those disciples of old Isak Walton who look to trail for the "speckled beauties" can look about them and gather up their tackle.

A couple of Altoona's soiled doves were captured by the police, the other night, and caged in the lock-up, but when morning came the doves were invisible, having flown back to their cot in the west of the sma' hours.

Our old Teutonic fellow-citizen, Henry Hueston, who has been living at the almshouse for some time past, died at that institution on Monday, aged about 80 years. His remains were interred in this place on Wednesday.

Van Stan's Strataena Cement at the Journal Store. The best in the market for mending all kinds of articles, from the tiniest piece of china to a set of harness. Only 25 cts. per bottle. Every family should have a bottle.

Two or three prisoners who escaped from the Fulton county jail, on Sunday morning a week ago, were recaptured and lodged in their old quarters. The horses stolen by them, to facilitate their escape, have been recovered.

The M'Veytown Journal entered upon its seventh volume last week, and "Coony" is proud of the success of his enterprise since its ascent into the world of newspaperdom. My its future prosperity be all that its editor could desire.

PERSONAL.—Should this meet the eye of the individual who created a disturbance in church last Sunday by his continued coughing, he will confer a favor on the congregation by procuring a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, which will cure him.

Mr. Samuel Kosker, residing half way between Freedom and Clayburg, in Blair county, was found dead in his bed on Friday morning. He deceased was aged 70 years, and when he retired to bed the previous evening was enjoying apparent good health.

Our friend "Coony" of the M'Veytown Journal, has gone to the trouble of counting noses in the old maids, widows and bachelors who reside in that town, and he gives the result of his labors as follows: Old maids, 29; widows, 37; old bachelors, 16.

The Philadelphia Express, on Saturday night, snuffed a steel rail in twin, opposite the Shes Factory, as though it had been a pipe-stem, but fortunately no harm resulted from the accident. The rail was replaced by a good one on Sunday morning.

The rowdy element of our town will save themselves a peck of trouble by mending their ways henceforth. Officer Westbrook has put the lock-up in excellent repair, and we understand that it is his intention to arrest and confine all persons caught misbehaving.

We hear that the room above the post-office has been leased for school purposes during the coming summer. We hope the rumor is unfounded. The acquisition of fifty or sixty school children is not a very desirable addition to the population of any locality.

Daniel Keller, of Williamsburg, Blair county, who had been employed as a freight brakeman on the mountain division of the P. R. R., fell under the wheels, on Friday last, and was ground into a shameless mass, almost beyond the recognition of his most intimate friends.

The little daughter of Mrs. Lizzie Schall, of Coudersport, has been lost, and the mother gives a reward of \$200 for information that will lead to her recovery. The child has light complexion, blue eyes and light hair, with a slight disfigurement of the neck on either side.

Men in official position should "play the game fair" with those who were largely instrumental in securing them place; and they should also remember that their lease of office will not last forever. To use a popular phrase of Col. Bob Allen, "Play the game fair, Hogmire."

Col. Bob Allen launched his row-bow on the placid waters of the "ragging canal" a day or two ago, and from this time on he can make up his mind to be annoyed by fellows wanting it "just to take a little ride." And Bob's so clever that he can't find it in his heart to refuse them.

We learn that our friend, and former owner, Howard Carmon, who went to Fort Worth, Texas, last summer, is engaged in buying and selling cattle, shipping them from Fort Worth to New Orleans. We are pleased to know that "Tucker" is meeting with success in his new home in the Lone Star State.

The copy of the Orbisiana Leader which reached us last week must have been printed with a very inferior quality of apple-brut. We were not able to read more than half a dozen items in the paper, and guess we could not have deciphered those had we not written the same items for the Journal the week previous.

Last week some jokers started the story that five hundred Chinese laborers were being shipped here to work on the penitentiary reservoir, and there were any number of people silly enough to give credence to the report.

It was really amusing to listen to the different views expressed in regard to the matter.

We see by the programme of exercises of the approaching M. E. Conference, published in another column of to-day's JOURNAL, that our fellow-townsmen, Rev. F. R. Riddle, has been selected to preach the Annual Missionary Sermon on Friday, March 21, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Mr. Riddle is fully competent to discharge the duty assigned him.

Down in York county, the other evening, the members of the A. M. E. Zion church, in that vicinity added a new feature to a church festival being held under their auspices. It was the slaying of a lamb in presence of the audience.

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Mr. Jackson Lamberson had entered into a contract with the Commissioners of Millin county to furnish material and erect the pier and wharves of the county bridge at the west end of Lewisburg borough, and to Jenkins and Joseph R. Carmon, George A. Port, Thomas W. Montgomery, William L. Bricker, and David Mingle, the plaintiffs in this case, he and the defendants entered into a contract for the pier and wharves of the bridge spanning the Juniata at Lewisburg. In lieu of what they might say in giving a history of the case we copy the following from the Juniata Tribune of last week:

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A case that should be well advertised is thus reported in the Agitator of Wellsboro: A subscriber informs us that at the recent commissioners' sales a valuable farm, owned by a sharp business man, was sold to another person for \$50, the man holding the title not knowing that it was offered for sale. When a neighbor expressed surprise that the owner didn't look after it, and asked him if he hadn't sent it advertised in the paper, he said no; he hadn't spent a dollar for newspapers since he was of age. This being the case, of course newspaper men are not called upon to waste any regrets over this sharp business man's loss.

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HUNTINGDON AND BROAD TOP RAILROAD.—Report of Coal Shipped: 7038 For week ending March 8, 1879. 6237 Same time last year. 7761 Increase for week. 3566 Decrease for week. 7924 Total amount shipped to date. 50024 Same date last year. 48223 Increase for year 1878. 11701 Decrease. 11701

A GOOD HOUSEWIFE.—The good housewife, when she is giving her house its spring renovating, should bear in mind that the dirt inmates of her house are more precious than many houses, and that their removal is a necessary part of the renovating. The stomach and bowels to prevent and cure the diseases arising from spring malaria and miasma, and the most known and best is nothing that will do so perfectly and surely as Hop Bitters, the purest and best of medicines. See other column. [mch-7]

I SUFFERED fearfully with swollen joints, went on crutches, tried every remedy without success; Giles' Liniment cured me. THOMAS McDONNELL, 178 Wellington St., Montreal.

Sold by all druggists. Send for pamphlet. Dr. Giles, 125 West Broadway, N. Y. Trial bottles 25 cents. For sale by John Leard & Sons.

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ARCHITECTS and school boys having maps and plans to draw find Lemon's Dyes the most convenient form of colors. They are put up by Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt. These Dyes are the best to be had for general use. Druggists have them.

SEWERS' FIRST STRIPS FIRST.—For heat-fitting, good style, well made suits, made to order, go to HON. GIBBS'S. He has the largest and best line of samples of spring and summer suits outside of Philadelphia. He takes measures, guarantees good fits, and adapts his suits to the peculiar requirements of his customers. Store nearly opposite the post office. [mch-14-21]

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WHAT OUR CORRESPONDENTS SAY. A GREENBACKER IN AFFLICTION.

MOSTY SHERIDAN, March 9, 1879. Ma. NASH—Dear Sir.—You may wonder at me addressing a letter to you, but when afflictions come and we see even our enemies in trouble it is a hard heart that will not forgive and forget. In the past he has been a good man, but now he is a poor man, and I think that it is sound and humane to be fighting every thing for the poor man's sake, and showing a kinder way to get an office, than by the usual way. We may be together again as we used to be, I don't know, but I don't think that I should be a selfish man, or something like that. I don't think that I should be a selfish man, or something like that. I don't think that I should be a selfish man, or something like that.

And when our extreme grief was just subsiding a letter, our beloved original, Nationalist, failed to come to time. another blow, seemed to rest upon our devoted heads, and I tried to comfort our friends and told them that I thought I might get a little appropriation, or something turn up for the poor thing yet.

But oh! I remember our felicity, when we heard your Paper last Friday, and their saw it was dead. And I just thought Sheridan School House, where we had such good meetings last year, a suitable place to be held, and I thought I would send you to our friends in respect to meet us there to pass resolutions, &c. of course under the afflicting circumstances the meeting was small, and I did not see a great many eyes in the House. I tried to be as composed as I could, and red the hymn, "Hark from the tombs a doleful sound," &c., and responded to the prayer, and I thought I did not do so well. I just wondered if his father was well as he must feel.

How, as all seemed too much for me, it was impossible for me to