

Home Affairs.

THE LEVEL OF THE LAKES.—Mr. Benjamin Wheat, who owns a farm on the west side of Lake St. Clair, having seen the notice in the *Advertiser*, of Professor Dewey's theory concerning the rise of water in the lakes, writes to that paper his views of the matter, and gives the opinion that the rise is altogether attributable to the obstructions that have been built near the head of the Niagara river. He has lost by the high water over twenty acres of a very valuable and productive farm, worth one hundred dollars per acre. The starting point of his boundary line, as indicated in his deed, is now covered by six feet of water, and is seven rods from shore, although a few years ago it was dry ground. The water commenced rising five years ago, and went up about two feet. This year it has risen about two feet more. The Lake Shore Road, in its vicinity has been impassable since the spring, and valuable orchards have suffered immense damage from the same cause. Many farmers, he says, are entirely ruined.

But a few short weeks have elapsed, since we were in the midst of golden Autumn, and now we have all the symptoms of dreary winter crowding upon us, clouds and rain and storm and gloom, darken and disfigure the face of nature, while their sadness pervades almost as well as human life. But there is consolation in the reflection that spring in all its verdant beauty and fragrance, is as certain to succeed rugged winter as Autumn is sure to follow summer.

Au English Lady's Experience in America.

A traveled London lady gives the following incident, among others, to a circle of admiring friends, on her return from America:

"I was dinin' aboard a first-class steamboat, on the Hossiegh river. The gentleman next me, on my right, was a southerner, and the gentleman on my left was a northerner. Well, they gets into a kind of discussion on the hubbub question, at court is very limited, owing to the fact that we are to have two weeks court, and the first being devoted to the trial of civil causes only.

The Quarter Sessions next week will doubtless bring its usual crowds of ankles visitors, as several important criminal cases are pending.

Judge Fisher.—This able jurist and accomplished gentleman, President Judge of the judicial district composed of the counties of York and Adams, presided at our court this week in the trial of special causes. These being disposed of, Judge Burnside resumed his place on the bench. The number of persons in attendance at court is very limited, owing to the fact that we are to have two weeks court, and the first being devoted to the trial of civil causes only.

"Went do it," said the northerner.

"Pay me an," said the southerner, "will you be the goodness to lean back in your chair?"

"With the greatest pleasure," said I, not knowin' what was a comin'. When what does my gentleman do but whips out a pistol, as long as my arm, and shoots my left- and neighbor dead! But that wasn't half, for the bullet, comin' out of the left temple, wounded a lady in the side. She uttered an 'orrifick scream.'

"Pon my word, no man," said the southerner, "you needn't make so much noise about it, for I did it by mistake."

"And was justice done her?" asked a horrified listener.

"Instantly, dear madam," answered Miss, I.—"The cabin passengers set right to work and lynched 'im. They 'ung 'im in the lamp chains, right over the dinin'-table, and then finished their dessert. But for my part, it quite spoiled my appetite!"

POWER OF STEAM.—"Is it staine?" said an Irishman. "By the saintly St. Patrick, but it's a mighty great thing, entirely, for drivin' things! It put me through nine States in a day! Divil a word o'lie in it!"

"Nine States?" exclaimed a dozen in astonishment.

"Yes, nine o' them, be jakers! as nice as a cat 'ud lick her ear." D'ye see, now, I got married in New York in the mornin' and went wid my Biddy to Baltimore the same day—hould your whisk, now and count the States. There was a state of matrimony which I entered from a single state, in a sober state, in the State of New York, and I wint through New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Dilawar, into Maryland where I arrived in a most beautiful state of jollification! There is nine, by the hooley pokers! count 'em if ye like! Och! but stame's a serouser."

N. P. WILLIS gives the following impression of a recent trip from Boston to Springfield.—The collections of tidy pill boxes on the way—each town with its sprinkling of painfully clean and square houses set up like stools of repentance in the middle of the close-shaved farms—looked as agonizingly virtuous as they used to do when I saw them from the windows of the stage coach on my way to college. The worldly railroad, as yet, had let in no corruptions of milder paint and more varied architecture. To go over the same plow ground so much faster was the only wonder. How is it that the held up forefingers of Massachusetts, those awfully white meeting house steeples, give no monotony shake as sinners go by at such a profane whipped-up-itude of speed—threethreadlong miles an hour, instead of the well-considered five?

EBO A BOY was caught in the act of stealing dried berries in front of a store, the other day, and was locked up in a dark closet by the grocer. The boy commenced begging most pathetically to be released, and after using all the persuasion that his young imagination could invent, proposed, "Now, if you'll let me out, and send for my daddy, he'll pay for them, and *lock me besides!*" This appeal was too much for the grocer to stand against.

Davy Crockett happened to be present at an exhibition of animals in the city of Washington, where a monkey seemed to attract his attention, and he observed: "If that fellow had on a pair of spectacles he would look like Major Wright of Ohio." The Major happened to be just behind Crockett, and tapped Davy's shoulder. Turning around, Davy formally remarked: "I'll behanged, Major, if I know whose pardon to ask, yours or the monkey's."

What of them was of earth, sleeps side by side in the silent grave. What was immortal has flown to realms beyond the sky.

List of Jurors, November Term—Commencing Third Monday, 15th day.

GRANDE JURORS.

Buccaria, James Free, Israel Coopar, Boggs, Francis Campbell, Robert Litz, Brady, George Wilson, Uriah Honery Bradford, Alexander Livingston, Chest, William McGarvey, Clearfield, William F. Irvin, Curwensville, Joshua E. Baker, Ferguson, John B. Furgerson, George Williams, Fox, D. N. Heath, Girard, Jacob Shope, Chas. Mignot, Goshen, Thompson Reed, Graham, Clarke Dale, Jordan, John Wilson, Kauthaus, Jacob Michaelis, Jr., Lawrence, E. Guichet, T. Rowles, H. F. Rowles,

TRAVERSE JURORS.

Buccaria, Theodore Weld, John Dillon, John L. McCullough, Bell, James Looker, Henry Wetzell, Boggs, James H. Farmer, John Adams, Wm. Robinson, Brady, John Dale, Fred Hollopeter, Eli Fry, John McKinney, Beppi Carson, Bradford, James Albert, Washington Graham, John Shirley, Jr., Burnside, Isaac Lee, Henry Neff, Joseph Wall, David McCullough, Chest, Andrew Frally, Anthony McGarvey, Clefield, Wm. Alexander, Covington, Michael Reiter, William Smith, Curwensville, William McBride, Deacon, John Gross, Fox, Harley Matteson, Girard, Abraham Kyler, Goshen, James E. Graham, Graham, M. V. Cathernan, David McDevell, Jordan, H. F. Shoening, Kauthaus, Benjamin Guncaulus, Knox, James Holey, Lawrence, J. B. Caldwell, Wm. Shover, Abraham Reams, John Daugherty, Jr., John Fulton, S. B. Jordan, Morris, George Hooyer, Penn, Geo. W. Walters, Isaac Kirk, Pike, Michael Hise, Garner Bloom, James Brown, Woodward, Joseph Fiscus.

Trial List for Adjourned Court and Regular Term for Nov. 1859.

H. C. Pennington vs John Bicker, Catherine Pennington vs Vodder & Bicker, Same vs Same Patchin vs Lamborn, McFarlin vs Best, Hegarty vs Matthes, Drucker, vs Harthorn, Schindl's heirs, vs Julian Bease, Cadbury & wife, vs Adams, Powell et al Mitchell, et al, Welch & Snyder, Pasmore, & Marsh, McKee, Best, Conford, Riddle, Curtin, Taggart, Irvin, Spalding & Fulton, vs Armstrong & Gamble B. D. Hall & Co., Long, Seehler, Patchen, Morgan, Kerlins, Shell, Lord, Merrell, Wilson, Long, M'Brade & Wright, vs Michaels & Worrell, Gilliland, Patton, Hoover, Hollopeter, Craven, Spencer, Brubaker, Mulson, Langdon, Logon, Thompson, Thompson, Groe, Dunlap, Lutz, Fiscus, Beoms, Irvin, Barmoy, McCrackin & Paulhamus vs Gibbons, Wood, Bacon & Co., vs Montelius & Co.

The first forty causes on the above list comprise the trial list for the adjourned court commencing Nov. 8th, and the balance to be for the regular term commencing on the 15th, including all causes not tried at the adjourned court.

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WHEREAS, The Honorable JAMES BURNETT, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, at the Twenty-fifth Judicial circuit, comprised of the counties of Clearfield, Clinton, and Clinton, and the Honorable W. M. MOORE and REX HONAN, Associate Judges in Clearfield county, have set the 15th day to be adjourned, for the holding of a court of Common Pleas, before the Court of Common Pleas, Court of Common Pleas, and Court of Common Just Policy, at Clearfield, to be held on Wednesday next, being the 1st day of the month

Notice is therefore hereby given, to the Coroners, Justices of the Peace, and Sheriff, to appear by their respective persons, with the Books, Records, Instruments, Examinations, and other Remembrances, to do those things which their officers, and in their behalf, are to do, and the Sheriff, and Writmen are required to be held and there attending, and not to depart until leave at their peril.

GIVEN under my hand at Clearfield, the 12th day of Oct., in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty eight, and record of American Independence.

J. R. REED, Sheriff.

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on Tuesday the 23d November.

Cameron township—

at the house of Jacob

Heights, on Wednesday, Nov. 24th.

Carroll township—

at the house of John D. Hall,

on Thursday, Nov. 25th.

Clinton township—

at the house of John Wilson,

on Friday, Nov. 26th.

Clinton township—

at the house of John D. Hall,

on Saturday, Nov. 27th.

Clinton township—

at the house of John Wilson,

on Sunday, Nov. 28th.

Clinton township—

at the house of John Wilson,

on Monday, Nov. 29th.

Clinton township—

at the house of John Wilson,

on Tuesday, Nov. 30th.

Clinton township—

at the house of John Wilson,

on Wednesday, Nov. 31st.

Clinton township—

at the house of John Wilson,

on Thursday, Dec. 1st.

Clinton township—

at the house of John Wilson,

on Friday, Dec. 2nd.

Clinton township—

at the house of John Wilson,

on Saturday, Dec. 3rd.

Clinton township—

at the house of John Wilson,

on Sunday, Dec. 4th.

Clinton township—

at the house of