The Clearfield Republican.

WEDNESDAY JULY 2nd, 1862.

SAD ACCIDENT.—On the 28th ultimo John Klob of Goshen township, while attempting to climb a tree with a gun in his hand for the purpose of watching a deer-lick, the gun went off, the whole charge, an ounce ball, five buckshot and a piece of ramrod, entering his hip passing up about 15 inches and lodged in his left side just below the ribs.

Dr. Potter was immediately summoned, and succeeded in taking out the contents above mentioned, besides a large wad.—The wound is a very severe one but it is thought Mr. Klob will survive it.

RAIL ROAD MEETING.—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the "Western Central Rail-road co., held today, it was resolved to commence the survey of the road between Philipsburg & Clearfield immediately and we learn that the Engineers will be at work on Monday next.—The company have determined to prosecute the work without delay. A portion of it will be put under contract as soon as the Sunberry is completed. This is good news for Clearfield.

EXCITING NEWS.—Daring attempt to recapture Fort Flunker—The Goshen brigade led the attack—The Union troops compelled to retire.

—A gallant though an successful attempt to recover this important "possish" was made on the night of the 19th ult, by the Goshen Brigade under command of Gen. E. R. Goodliver. Adjutant Barger, led the advance of this gallant brigade by the light of a two-penny dip, encased in a tin lantern. It was confidently expected that the garrison would be taken by surprise and their *valuable stores* captured; but as history inform us that the cackling of a goose saved Rome, so the grunting of a gentleman hog saved Fort Flunker. Marshal T. Graham failed to bring forward his forces, and remained idling his time in Camp Colburn. Much blame was attached to him, for had he came promptly to the relief of the Union force, blood (or lager) would have flowed freely, and the glorious old flag, of Lager beer and pretzels again wave in triumph over Fort Flunker. Gen. Goodliver was wounded in the left hind heel by a *dornick* while making time down the hill.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Court called on Monday the 16th at 2 o'clock P. M., present, Hons. Jas. Bloom, and J. D. Thomson, after receiving the Constables returns and calling the names of the Jurors, Court adjourned until Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, at which time his Honor Judge Linn appeared and took his seat. Below we give a synopsis of the proceedings of the first week of the Term.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

Commonwealth vs. John Lancaster.—Indictment—Cutting Timber, True Bill. Deft. found guilty. Wallace & Test for Com.; R. J. Wallace for Deft.

Commonwealth vs. Westley Nevling.—Indictment—Cutting Timber. True Bill. Recognizance forfeited and respite granted to next Term. Test for Com.; McEnally for Deft.

Commonwealth vs. David Flegal & Ash. Flegal.—Indictment—Malicious Mischief. True Bill. Jury find Defts. *not guilty*. Jacob Dinding Pros., and David Flegal, each to pay half the costs. Wallace & Test for Com.; Swoope for Deft.

Commonwealth vs. Albert Snyder.—Indictment—Larceny. True Bill. Jury find Deft. not guilty, because insane at the time of committing the offence. Test for Com.; Swoope for Deft.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. Evans & Thos. Evans.—Indictment—Larceny. True Bill. Verdict not guilty. Wallace & Test for Com.; Swoope for Deft.

Commonwealth vs. Hezekiah Lounsberry.—Indictment—Forgery. True Bill. Verdict, not guilty, but Deft. to pay all costs. McCullough & McEnally for Com.; W. A. Wallace for Deft.

Com. vs B. D. Schoonover.—Indictment—Forgery. Three counts. Verdict, guilty on the first and second—not guilty on the third. Test & Wallace for Com.; McEnally & Swoope for Deft.

Sentenced to pay a fine of $5—pay the costs of prosecution, "and undergo a servitude in the Western Penitentiary by solitary confinement at labor, for the term of one year and eight months, to be computed from the 21st of June, 1862.

Com. vs John Kline & John Graham.—Indictment—Assault and battery. Recognizance, forfeited and respited until next term.

Com. vs. Geo. Murphy.—Indictment—Assault and Battery. Bench warrant awarded. Test for Com.; Swoope for Deft.

Com. vs. Jacob Kuntz, et al.—Indictment—Riot. Bench warrant awarded.

The following named Constables, elected last spring, appeared and were duly qualified: John Bergy, Covington; Robt. Flegal, Goshen; Patrick Gilligan, Jordan; George Morton, New Washington. Those elected for Huston and Bloom townships, failing to appear and qualify themselves, the Court appointed Wm. M. Bundy, Constable of the former, and Samuel Irwin Constable of the latter.

COMMON PLEAS.

R. B. C. Chase vs Isaac Haines, et al.—Summons in Ejectment, Verdict for Defts. Crans for Plff.; Wallace for Deft.

George Dixon vs Francis Pearce. Action to recover penalty of Justice, for marrying minor son. Plff takes nonsuit. Crans for Plff.; R. J. Wallace for Deft.

S. P. & C. Shoff vs. Jos. Best jr.—Replevin, Verdict for Plff. $5. Test for Plff.; Swoope for Deft.

W. H. Robertson vs. Stacy W. Thompson.—Summons, Case upon promises, Verdict for Plff. for $161.96. Swoope for Plff.; Crans for Deft.

Isaac Goss vs. A. D. Goss & Thos. Henderson.—Summons. Case upon promise, Verdict for the Defts. McEnally for Plff.; Wallace for Defts.

Isaac Goss vs. Thos. & Samuel Henderson and John Coutler.—Summons in assumpsit. Verdict for Plff. $55.62. McEnally for Plff.; Wallace for Deft.

Martin Van Buren Owens vs. John W. & Peter A. Owens.—Plea, Non assumpsit and payment with leave. Verdict for Plff., $37.50. Swoope for Plff.; Wallace & Test for Defts.

Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church of Brady township vs. C. Korb, et al. Plea, "*Trespass Quare Clausum Fregit.*" Verdict for Plff., for $6 dollars and costs. Wallace for Plff.; Swoope for Deft.

☞ GEN. SHIELDS, who had been nominated as a Maj. General, has been rejected by the Senate. This was to be expected, as he is an experienced soldier, and no Abolitionist.

☞ Congress has been compelled to pass an act disfranchising every member who engages in a Government contract. Some members having realized as much as $20,000, in a single contract.

THE NEWS.

The news from Richmond are to the effect that two divisions of the rebel army attacked about 6000 Union troops, on the 26ult near Fair Oaks, in which our loss is said to be 80 killed and 200 wounded. The Union troops were under the command of Gen. Hooker. Gen McClellan was however on the ground after the engagement commenced, and with Gen. Hentzelman gave orders in person.

The fatal result of the engagement near Charleston is undoubtedly attributable to the great attention paid to negroes and negro schools, with which the commander Gen. Hunter is consuming most of his time.

The negro hobby is still on exhibition in Congress, that body haveing done but little pertaining to the general good. The tax bill has at length became a law, we will publish a synopsis of the bill in our next.

The greatest victory yet attained is that of "old Abe's over Fremont, and General Abolition.

Below we give the latest we have received up to Monday night.

ALTOONA, June 29, '62.

Dear Sir: We can get no news from Richmond. The Department refuses to answer questions. The latest we have is from White House, Thursday afternoon (26th.) Then it was reported there that Jackson had got in the rear of McClellan's right wing and cut it off. The hospitals, &c., at White House, were being laid with straw preparatory to being burned—the sick and wounded having been hastily removed to the boats. The Reserve Corps was in the right wing. Col. Black is known to be among the killed, and his Lieut. Col. wounded.

The most fearful apprehensions prevail. I will keep this open till morning and send you the latest.

TYRONE, June 30.

Jolly has a dispatch this morning from Altoona, saying, "We have just received information that Richmond is ours." No particulars are given.

Last Night's Mail

By last night's mail we learn that Gen. McClelland had changed his base of operations from the White House on the Chickahominy to the James river side of the Peninsula.

Fighting had been kept up all through Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday on the right wing, commanded by Gen. Porter, who finally withdrew, under orders, when the White House, Railroad and telegraph, fell into the hands of the enemy, and communications cut off.

The position of McClellan is now said to be much stronger, and that Richmond must fall. But few particulars are given. Company K. (Bucktail regiment) Capt. Irvin of this county, was captured while on picket duty. The report says that Capt. Irwin was wounded and taken prisoner, but made his escape. Lieutenants Welch and Hartshorn are both reported wounded and prisoners.

The following dispatch contains the very latest:

PHILADELPHIA, July 1 1862.

To D. W. Moore.—The news of yesterday was received. The morning papers do not claim that Richmond has been taken. I see no Clearfield names among the killed and wounded except, Captain Irvin's company. It was on picket duty when taken. WM. BIGLER.

Democratic Committees of Vigilance.

According to previous notice the Democratic Standing Committee of Clearfield county assembled in the Register's Office on Tuesday evening the 17th of June.—The number of members present exceeded that of any similar meeting ever held in the county. It was a perfect "Wide Awake" demonstration—excepting the absence of capes, lamps, and Abolitionists. After disposing of some preliminary business, the Committee selected the following named persons to act as a Committee of Vigilance in the several Boroughs and Townships in the county, to hold the primary elections to be held on the 2d day of August next, and to superintend the affairs of the party in the several districts

Clearfield—J. W. Shugert, F. Short, Israel Test.

Beccaria—John Shoff, W. R. Dickenson, J. W. Lull.

Bell—James Savage, Thos. Sunderlin, Wm. T. Gilbert.

Boggs—Jacob Dimling, Andrew Cross, J. W. Kyler.

Bradford—David Wilson, J. J. Kyler, Adam Gearhart.

Brady—Daniel Rishel, David Heberling, Lever Flegal.

Bloom—Erastus Luther, Gainer Bloom, Samuel Irwin.

Burnside—Daniel Gorman, Jno. Brown, Jos. L. Neff.

Curwensville—A. J. Gates, J. A. Faust, James Thompson.

Chest—Geo. Holes, John Wood, G. S. Tozer.

Covington—Arnold Schearer, F. F. Comdriet, jr., Solomon Maury.

Decatur—Cyrene Howe, R. Hughes, John Thompson.

Ferguson—Wm. McCracken, J. P. Hoyt J. D. Miller.

Fox—James McClellan, N. M. Brockway, John Butler.

Goshen—Abram Kyler, J. A. L. Flegal, A. B. Shaw.

Girard—Justin J. Pee, Wm. T. McCorkle, James McClellan.

Graham—Patrick Curley, Isaac Kyler, Samuel Spitler.

Gulich—Joseph Fry, Benjamin Stevens, John Jordan.

Huston—Philip Hevener, Andrew Apker, David Tyler.

Jordan—Robt. Petterson, Jas. McGheehan, Peter Bloom.

Karthaus—B. D. Hall, R. J. Haines, Wm. Hoffer.

Knox—P. A. Rowles, Phillip Erhart, Geo. Mays.

Lawrence—J. J. Read, Andrew Addleman, R. Shaw, jr.

Lumber City—Anthony Hile, John McDivett, A. T. Robison.

Morris—J. N. Fulmer, J. H Jones, W. L. Merrell.

N. Washington—Jos. H. Steth, Jno. Faith, David Logan.

Penn—J. H. Rowles, J. B. Rafferty, Wm. P. Johnson.

Pike—D. D. Ritter, John J. Bloom, Hugh Mullen.

Union—H. Whitehead, H. A. Cortney, J. P. Dale.

Woodward—T. Henderson, D. Turner, John Mathers.

R. V. WILSON, Pres't.

G. B. GOODLANDER, Sec'y.

PRIMARY ELECTION.

The Democratic Primary Election to be held the First Saturday, being the 2d day of August, 1862.

ASSEMBLY.

WE are authorised to announce Dr. T. J. BOYER, of Brady township, as a candidate for the Legislature in the district composed of the counties of Clearfield, Elk, Jefferson and McKean, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce ROBERT MEHAFFY, of Bell township, as a candidate for the Legislature in the district composed of the counties of Clearfield, Elk, Jefferson and McKean, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

PROTHONOTARY, &c.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN L. CUTTLE, of the borough of Clearfield, as a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, &c., subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce ELI BLOOM of Pike towaship, as a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, &c., subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce WM. P. CHAMBERS of the borough of Curwensville, as a candidate for Prothonotary, &c., subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce AARON C. TATE, of Lawrence township, as a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, &c., subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce DAVID F. ETZWEILER, of Clearfield, as a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, &c., subject to the rules of the Democratic party

REGISTER & RECORDER.

WE are authorized to announce J. B. SHAW, of Lawrence township as a candidate for Register & Recorder, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce the name of WM. S. BRADLEY, of Clearfield, as a candidate for Register & Recorder, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

WE are authorized to announce AMOS READ, sen., of Lawrence township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce SOLOMON HAMMERSCHLAUGH, of Decatur township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce THOMAS DAUGHERTY, of Penn township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce WM. L. RISHEL, of Lawrence township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce CONRAD BAKER, of Knox township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

COUNTY AUDITOR.

WE are authorized to announce F. F. COURTRIGHT, of Covington township, as a candidate for County Auditor, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

MARRIED—On the 26th day of June last, by P. Curley, Esq., Mr. David B. Mains of Bradford township, to Miss Louise Russet of Karthaus township.

On the 26th ult., by the Rev. T. D. Gotwalt, J. L. Cook of New Washington, to Miss M. J. Fullerton of Lawrence township.

On the 1st inst., by Rev. T. D. Gotwalt, Mr. Wm. V. Wright to Miss Mary Foley, both of Clearfield.

☞ Accompanying the above notice we received a large "chunk" of the staff of life in the shape of a delicious cake, large enough to supply the whole concern, and will feast our children for years to come.

May the twain enjoy life and its comforts in a multiplicity of ways, for which they have our ...

DIED—On the 28th inst., in Pike township, DAVID BLOOM, aged 45 years.

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