

For the Lewistown Gazette. "Fuss and Feathers."

At Lundy's Lane the person tall Of Scott seen too 'ring 'bove them all, Afforded a conspicuous mark For British balls aim'd at the heart.

The fav'rite plume well deck'd and high, And quite conspicuous to the eye, On Scott, the tallest of the tall, Was stricken off by British ball.

Twice shot himself—two horses dead— His plume knock'd off—he rushed ahead, So fiercely that John Bull, the pursy, Alarmed, thought Scott a little fussy.

Our hero rush'd his men to lead, Against our foes with daring speed, Until he saw the battle gain'd; Then Scott they "Fuss and Feathers" nam'd.

Lundy's Lane Scott Meeting. There has been a general desire manifested in New York, Ohio and Michigan, to unite in a grand mass meeting in commemoration of the brilliant achievements of WINFIELD SCOTT on the bloody field at Lundy's Lane.

"The world has witnessed mightier armies," says Mansfield, in his account of that battle, "moved over more memorable fields, and followed by louder notes of the far sounding trumpet of fame; but a bloodier scene for those engaged, a severer trial of courage and of discipline, the world has not seen."

It was an awful night. Hand to hand, and bayonet to bayonet, these men struggled, bled and died with the gloomy horrors of the night for their shroud, and the roar of the cannon and of battle for their requiem.

The difficulties with the Nizam are still unsettled. The Calcutta Englishman hints that the Nizam has been treated with injustice, and that he owes the British nothing.

MURDER. A most shocking and cold blooded murder was perpetrated on Shaver's Creek, on Thursday last.

ROBBERY. Mr. Henry Harbison, of Woodberry Township, in this county, was robbed of \$400, on Thursday night last, while going from Williamsburg to his own home in the country.

FOREIGN NEWS. New York, July 11.—The American mail steamship Arctic arrived here, to day, from Liverpool, at 2 o'clock, A. M.

IRELAND.—The Commissioners appointed to inquire into the relative merits of Galway and Foynes for packet stations are proceeding diligently in the business.

ITALY.—Information has been received that the Mather affair, which made so much noise recently, has been settled through the instrumentality of Sir H. Bulwer.

SWITZERLAND.—The five powers have formally called on the Federal Government of Switzerland to recognize the right of Prussia to Neuchâtel.

AUSTRIA.—Austria has summoned the States of the Zollverein to a conference at Vienna, to negotiate a customs league against Prussia.

It is rumored that an attempt was made to assassinate the Emperor, at Grosswarden, near Pesth. The report states, that the assassin having missed his aim, immediately blew out his own brains.

BELGIUM.—An extra session of the Chambers will probably be convoked about the middle of July. The Commercial treaty with France expires early in August, and it is necessary that the sanction of the Chambers should be had to its renewal.

CENTRAL EUROPE. The Zollverein Congress had another sitting on Friday, but no business of importance was done.

It is rumored that a Conference of the Darmstadt States will be opened at Vienna for consultation, at which Austria will offer her guarantees to her confederates, for the loss of revenue they must sustain by an actual secession from the Zollverein.

INDIA. Bombay dates of 22nd May had reached France. It is generally understood that nothing more will be done in Burma till after the rains. The whole force will remain in the country, and the war will be resumed with vigor the moment the season permits.

A Voice from a descendant of General Washington in favor of General Scott. Letter from the Hon. George C. Washington.

I have seen in the prints the proceedings of the American National Convention, which assembled at Trenton, New Jersey, on the 5th instant, from which it appears that I was nominated for the office of Vice President of the United States.

The Baltimore Whig Convention has presented to the nation, as candidates for the same offices, the names of Winfield Scott and Wm. A. Graham. These nominations received my cordial assent, as they will my zealous support.

I have been on terms of friendly intercourse with Gen. Scott for twenty years, and esteem him for his spotless character, and his frank, manly, and courteous bearing.

Mr. Graham is wholly unexceptionable, being respected for his talents and esteemed for his virtues by all who know him.

During the celebration of the National anniversary at Two Rivers, Wisconsin, some thirty or forty cartridges, prepared for a six-pounder, exploded, dreadfully burning sixteen boys who were standing near the gun.

A NICE SPECULATION.—Mr. Robert Stewart, of Canoe Valley, in this county, last week sold a horse in the Philadelphia market for the round sum of \$1400!

A farmer named Warren Skinner, at work in the field, in Earlville, Onondaga county, was struck by lightning and killed, on Wednesday last.

GEN. SCOTT AND FATHER RITCHIE.—Some of the Whigs and part of the Democrats, too, may like to hear what was said by their old opponent, "Father Ritchie," in regard to their Whig nominee for President.

Lewistown Academy. THE Male and Female Departments of this Institution, under the management of the subscriber, will open on MONDAY, April 5th.

R. C. ROSS, A. M., Principal. Lewistown, March 12, 1852.

AT THE LEWISTOWN CHEAP GINET WARE-ROOM is the place for all that want cheap furniture.

Office of Discount and Deposit, LEWISTOWN, PA. WILLIAM RUSSELL, SUCCESSOR TO Longenecker, Grubb & Co.

Cheap China, Glass, &c. TYNDALE & MITCHELL, No. 219, Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

LEWISTOWN MILLS, The subscribers have taken the Lewistown Mills and formed a co-partnership under the firm of JOHN STERRETT & CO.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given to the members of the "Cumberland Valley Mutual Protection Company," of Dickinson township, Cumberland county, Penna.

TO BUILDERS. PROPOSALS will be received at the house of Wm. Brothers, in Reedsville, on SATURDAY, the 7th day of August next, for the erection of a DWELLING HOUSE at Mrs. Sloan's gate.

Register's Notice. THE following accounts have been examined and passed by me, and remain filed in this office, for inspection of heirs, legatees, creditors and others in any way interested.

The account of Robert M. Kinsloe, administrator of James A. Sample, deceased.

THE MIFFLIN COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY will meet in Lewistown on July 19th, 1852.

SHERIFF'S SALES. BY virtue of sundry writs of Levavi Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Mifflin county, and to me directed, will be exposed at public sale, at the Court House, in the Borough of Lewistown, on SATURDAY, July 31, 1852.

WALTER & CO., Flour and General Produce COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

TEACHERS WANTED. THE Board of School Directors of the Borough of Lewistown will receive proposals until the ninth day of August next, for FIVE MALE AND SEVEN FEMALE TEACHERS.

WILLIAM LIND, Fashionable Tailor, East Market st., Lewistown, a few doors above Blymeyer's store.

JONAS DINGES, Has opened a shop in East Market street, Lewistown, adjoining Montgomery's boot and shoe manufactory.

THE undersigned continues to manufacture celebrated Quilted and French calf Boots, together with all articles connected with his business.

WILLIAM SHIMP, Sheriff, SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Lewistown, July 9, 1852.—3t

GEO. W. ELDER, Attorney at Law, OFFICE in West Marketstreet, opposite Eisen-ber's Hotel.

VALUABLE Real Estate at Public Sale. THE undersigned Executors of JOHN HOFFMAN, late of Granville township, Mifflin county, deceased, will expose to public sale, at the Court House, in the Borough of Lewistown, on SATURDAY, July 31, 1852.

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WILLIAM SHIMP, Sheriff. N. B. Purchasers at the above sheriff's sales are hereby notified that the amount of the sales will be required to be paid, in all cases, immediately on the property being knocked down, or it will be forthwith resold to the highest bidder.

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