

THE GAZETTE.

LEWISTOWN, PA. Thursday, May 28, 1857.

American Republican Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR: DAVID WILMOT, of Bradford county. FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER: WILLIAM MILLWARD, of Philadelphia.

Notices of New Advertisements.

An Administration Notice—two Auditor's Notices—Notice of a Dividend—a new supply at the Bee Hive Drug Store—a Bank Advertisement by Dr. Hunter—and a notice of interest to all tavernkeepers, will be found in our columns to-day.

In view of a projected expedition to the woods by several young admirers of Leatherstocking, wherein we are expected to act as guide and general superintendent, the Gazette is issued half a day earlier than usual, namely, on Wednesday afternoon.

State Fairs for 1857.—The following State Agricultural Societies have designated the time for holding their Exhibitions:

Pennsylvania, Sept. 29, 30 and Oct. 1, 2. New York, at Buffalo, Oct. 6, 7, 8, 9. Ohio, at Cincinnati, Sept. 15, 16, 17, 18. Canada East, at Montreal, Sept. 16, 17, 18. East Tennessee, at Knoxville, Oct. 20, 21, 22, 23.

State Senate.—The term of the following Senators expired with the close of the present session:

David Taggart, Am. Rep., Northumberland Co. James M. Sellers, Am. Rep., Juniata.

The April receipts of the Pennsylvania Railroad are large, though not equal to those of April last year. The following is the statement:

From freight, \$328,360 77. From passengers, 163,745 89. Total, \$492,106 56.

The receipts of sugar and molasses from the West Indies, at all the ports of this country, are very large at the present time.

The St. Louis Murder.—The St. Louis Republican, of May 10th, says: The passengers on the steamer Rocket, after the dreadful occurrence of the murder of Robert M. Webb, of Lewistown, Pa., on Wednesday night last, met on board that vessel, and passed a series of resolutions on the subject.

The Mormon Elder Pratt was killed on the 14th instant, near Van Buren, Arkansas, by Hector H. McLean, of New Orleans, whose wife was deluded into going to Utah with a party of Mormons, taking with her her children.

A man named Aaron Bedbug, of Kentucky, intends petitioning the Legislature to change his name, because his sweetheart, whose name is Olivia, is unwilling that he should be called A. Bedbug, she O. Bedbug, and the little ones little Bedbugs.

At Pittsburgh, Judge McClure has stricken the names of three persons from the list of members of the bar, viz: C. O. Loomis, D. H. Hazen and Anthony Harts, for want of fidelity to their clients and the Court.

Destruction of Caterpillars.—In Andover, Mass., last year, \$5 were offered as a reward to the boy who would destroy the largest number of caterpillars' nests—in consequence of which, over 20,000 nests were destroyed.

The New Apportionment Bill.

The bill, as agreed upon by the Committee of Conference, and as it passed both Houses, is as follows:

Table with columns for SENATORIAL DISTRICTS and REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS, listing various counties and their representatives.

Query?—Why do the weathercocks on the Lutheran and Presbyterian church steeples so seldom agree as to the direction of the wind—they generally differing several points?

A young woman named Cummings was sadly mutilated at Millgrove, Canada, on the 14th, in a very singular manner. She was looking at the operation of a shingle machine when the strings of her bonnet accidentally became entangled in the machinery.

Rats, Roaches, Bed-Bugs, Insects, &c. New York, April 12, 1856.—Mr. HENRY R. COSTAR, No. 388 Broadway.—Dear Sir: Having a great many Rats around my stable and shop, I thought I would try your Rat Extirminator, and bought one of your boxes, and my man fixed it according to your directions.

From Mexico.—We dates from Mexico to the 5th inst. There is no official information of the execution of Col. Crabb and his filibusters, but the former accounts of the utter route of the invaders are confirmed.

Another conspiracy to revolutionize Mexico was discovered on the 25th ult. The plan was to seize the person of President Comonfort and then attack the city. Capt. Noguera, a protegee of Comonfort's, was to plunge a dagger into his patron's breast, and his death was to be the signal for the attack.

From Nicaragua.—A letter from a Washington correspondent of the New York Times indicates that active movements are on foot to relieve Gen. Walker from his position in Nicaragua, or if it be too late for this, to take possession of the Transit route.

There are ninety-five persons, firms, or corporations in Baltimore, whose city taxes exceed \$1000 each. The Baltimore Savings Bank pays the highest, \$15,092; the Merchants Bank \$10,303; Western Bank \$5,073; George Brown \$4,500; Johns Hopkins \$7,302; John S. Gittings \$4,800, and quite a number two and three thousand.

Found Guilty.—In the case of the State against Sam Green, (free negro,) who was tried at the April term of the Circuit Court for Dorchester county, Md. for having in his possession abolition pamphlets, among which was "Uncle Tom's Cabin," the court has adjudged him guilty and sentenced him to the penitentiary for the term of ten years!

Samuel Stiles, a respectable farmer of Milford, Wis., stabbed himself to the heart with a hay fork, a few days since. His nephew, George Stiles, shot himself a little while before, in the same town. Spiritualism is said to have caused the suicides.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

MEETING OF INNKEEPERS. A meeting of the public licensed Innkeepers was held at the public house of J. A. Murray, in Lewistown, on Saturday, the 23d May, for the purpose of establishing a uniform price to be charged hereafter by the tavernkeepers for Boarding, Lodging, Meals, &c.

On motion, JOHN BROWN was appointed Chairman, and J. A. MURRAY Secretary. The object of the meeting was stated by the Chair. The following resolutions were then adopted:

Resolved, That the object of this meeting is to give a general invitation to all Tavernkeepers in Mifflin, Centre, Huntingdon and Union counties, and to all others throughout this State that may think proper to come and act with us in this matter.

Resolved, That this meeting adjourn to meet at Millroy, Mifflin county, on Saturday, 30th inst., at which time and place all friendly to this measure will please attend, as there will be matters of much importance before the meeting.

Resolved, That the weather for some days has been quite warm, giving a strong impetus to vegetation generally, and forcibly reminding one of the comforts of Cubbison's ice.

DEATH BY DROWNING.—Adam Kanapp, of Armagh township, was drowned in Kishacoquillas creek on Saturday morning last, in attempting to ford it below McFarland's mill. The current carried him off his feet, and although every effort was made by two persons in company to save him, he was swept away. A strong force was out on Saturday, after the unfortunate occurrence, hunting his body.

The proprietor of the Bee Hive Drug Store has returned from the city and is now opening a large stock of fresh Drugs, Oils, Paints, Varnishes, Dye-stuffs, and articles generally kept by Druggists. See advertisement.

ICE CREAM SALOONS.—Mrs. R. D. Smith has opened an ice cream saloon in the building formerly known as Blymyer's Hall, where lovers of that luxury can procure it every evening during the week, flavored to their taste. The saloons are up stairs, and the handsomest in town, and as Mrs. S. has made arrangements for being furnished with real cream, visitors may rely upon getting a taste of that (now) rare article.

HAM.—John Kennedy has at present a lot of the best Ham and dried Beef that has been in this market for some years—at least so all declared at our table last week when enjoying themselves over the choice meats spoken of. The Hams are superbly cured, and should any of our readers lack an appetite in these days of scarcity, we recommend them by all means at once to call on Kennedy and procure one or more, (according to the state of their pockets,) as we feel confident a trial of it will prove a more efficacious dose than any physician could recommend or give.

For the Lewistown Gazette. BROAD TOP COAL.

Notwithstanding there are individuals interested in and owning large tracts or bodies of coal lands in the Broad Top country, they have never made it appear to our blacksmiths that a bituminous coal which produces the most coke per bushel is cheaper than the Allegheny coal previously and still used, which does not by fifteen per cent. produce the same amount of coke. I should like to hear from some of these gentlemen why Broad Top coal is not more extensively used here for smelting purposes instead of Allegheny.

A shawl was lately sold in Philadelphia for \$1,425. In the same city women make shirts for six cents each.

A little girl died recently at Rome, N. Y., from the effects of over-exertion in jumping a rope.

James Burns, Esq., who lately had another severe attack of rheumatism, is slowly recovering.

The representative to the Grand Lodge we perceive has returned in excellent health, and is again performing his accustomed duties on the bench.

The defeat of the Sunbury and Erie Railroad bill, guaranteeing \$3,000,000 by the State, is considered a righteous act. Had that sum been sufficient to complete the work, there would have been little objection to its passage, but the almost certainty that next winter there would be another hungry maw to fill had its effect.

Holloway's Ointment and Pills are the finest remedies for Bad Legs.—Francis Thompson, of Ottawa, Michigan, had the misfortune, six years ago, to break his leg, which was imperfectly set by the doctor. The consequence was that it formed itself into an angry wound, and despite of the various remedies he tried he could not get anything to cause it to heal, and it was feared by all who knew him that he would be lame all his life.

Married.

On the 25th March, by Rev. C. M. Klink, ALFRED DEAN, of Juniata county, to Miss JEMIMA CARNEY, of Clearfield county.

On the 9th of April, by the same, DAVID NORRIS to Miss HELEN SMITH, both of Lewistown.

On the 26th of May, by the same, J. S. McKEE to Miss KATE LEOPOLD, both of Bratton township.

On the 14th inst., by the Rev. James S. Woods, D. D., HARRISON AURAND to Miss MARY E. FOSTER, both of Granville township.

Died.

On Tuesday last, in this place, CLARA M. STONE, aged about 16 years.

On the 1st inst., at his residence, in Huntingdon county, Major SAMUEL CALDWELL, in the 64th year of his age.

At Cedar Springs, Cumberland county, on the 22d inst., JOHN WITMER, aged 87 yrs. Lancaster papers please copy.

On the 24th of April, MARY, infant daughter of Jackson and Julia Steinberger, aged 10 months.

O, weep not, parents, for your child, For peaceful is her rest; Her spirit now, in sweetest bliss, Sleeps calm on Jesus' breast. From earthly care and sorrow now She is forever free; And lo! her infant voice is heard In songs of Heavenly glee. A few more years and you shall meet Your child at God's right hand, Where new her blest and happy soul Joins with the angel band. M. A. C.

THE MARKETS.

Table with columns for various commodities like Flour, Superfine, Freedom, Barley, Rye, Oats, Corn, Cloverseed, Timothy, Butter, Eggs, New Potatoes, and Pork, with their respective prices.

At the Associated Butchers' and Drovers' Yard the arrivals for the week are 640 head. The prices ranged from 12 cents for inferior, to 14 for the best—the average over 13 cents. The market was extremely animated, and the stock was all sold out by 12 o'clock. Tendency still upward.

At the Avenue Drive Yard, there were sold 350 cattle at from 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 lbs. 10 head of superb cattle were sold by Daniel Eckerman, at 1 1/2 lbs. The balance were sold in small lots. 5000 sheep were brought in over the Penna. R. during the week and sold at from \$4 to 7 a head; dressed, from \$12 to \$15 a head; 100 hogs were sold at from 7 1/2 to 8 1/2 c; 150 cows were brought over the Pa. R. R., and sold at from \$50 to 60 a head; milk cows from \$80 to 90 a head; and dry cows from \$20 to 30. 100 head of horses.—Sales dull.

The arrivals at Singer's Union Drive Yard, for the week ending May 25, 1857, were 1200 hogs and about 50 horses. Hogs sold every brisk at from \$9 to 9 50 lb 100 lbs net; all sold, and not a full supply for the demand.

The receipts of Cloverseed continue trifling, and it is taken on arrival at \$7 3/4 lbs. The flour market continues quiet, but prices are well maintained in consequence of the continued light receipts and limited amount offering. A sale of superfine City Mills was made at \$7 3/4 lb bbl. There is rather more inquiry for the supply of the trade from this figure up to \$8 50 for common and fancy brands, according to quality. Of Rye flour and Corn Meal the market is nearly bare—100 bbls of the former sold at \$4, and 400 of the latter at 3 7/8 lb bbl.

The inspections for the week ending May 21 were 9929 bbls flour, 1069 bbls rye flour, and 506 bbls corn meal. Grain.—The receipts of Wheat continue small, but the demand for it is limited. Sales of good Penna red at 175, and white at 180c, afloat. 1000 bu Rye sold at 110c, but this rate cannot be realized. Corn continues in good demand, and further sales yellow were made at 90c, afloat, damaged at 86c. A sale of 5000 bu yellow, in the cars, at 89c. Oats are in fair request, and 3000 bu Penna sold at 61c @ 62c bu, principally at the latter figure, in store.

Provisions continue to look up. Small sales of mess pork at \$24 50 lb bbl. 120 casks dry salted Shoulders sold at 10 1/4c, and 60 casks Sides (smoked) at 13 1/4c, 60 days.

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It is also considered that about 100,000 persons are afflicted with the disease of Syphilis, especially the Seminal Weakness, Nervous Debility, and the various maladies which spring directly from the impure curial passages and secret excretions of Nature.

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JUNIATA ICE.

To the Citizens of Lewistown and Vicinity. The subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has stored a quantity of pure ice, which he proposes to serve to all who desire it, on the most reasonable terms that can be afforded. The reasons for its delivery commence serving customers on SATURDAY, May 16, 1857. The ice will be furnished at the following rates:

Table with columns for quantities of ice and their prices per day or per week.

Persons desiring larger quantities can be furnished at 62 1/2 cents per hundred pounds. Terms cash, unless otherwise specified. To be supplied will please hand in their names in advance, and they will be punctually attended to. JOHN CURBISON, may28-3t

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Chicago is now the greatest grain market of the world, and the facility and economy with which the products of these lands can be transported to that market make them much more profitable, at the prices asked, than those remote at government rates, as the cost of transportation is a perpetual tax on the farmer, whose price he receives for his grain, is reduced by the facilities afforded by the railroads. The Title is Perfect, and when the final payments are made, Deeds are executed by Trustees appointed by the State, and in whose title is vested, to the purchasers, which convey to them absolute titles in Fee Simple, and clear of every encumbrance, lien, or mortgage.

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