

THE GAZETTE.

LEWISTOWN, PA. Thursday, July 15, 1858.

Notices of New Advertisements.

A. Felix invites attention to the advertisement of his Grocery, Provision and Fish Store, corner of Valley and Mill streets.

THE STATE CONTEST.

The interest everywhere manifested in the People's convention, says the North American, is auspicious of the result, as it betrays the depth to which the popular heart of the good old Commonwealth has been stirred.

From all appearance the State Convention will reflect with fidelity the varied segments of the great People's party. As the initial step in the organization of a movement which is destined to sweep the Union sooner or later, it will possess an importance beyond what ordinarily attaches to a State Convention.

It is clear, then, that whatever may be done at the State Convention, will be regarded with general interest all over the country. There are many who despair of the ultimate success of the Union organization, being unable to perceive on what basis the various sections of the Opposition can meet and harmonize.

See advertisement of Dr. Sanford's LIVER INVIGORATOR in another column. A weekly paper called "The Woman's Advocate," is published in Philadelphia by Anne E. McDowell at \$2 per annum.

The Leavenworth Daily Ledger of the 2d inst., announces the acquittal of General Lane of the charge of killing Jenkins. The Ledger remarks, editorially:

The Court were unanimous in their opinion, and we feel fully justified in saying that the evidence adduced for and against the prisoner warranted them in arriving at the conclusion they did. We have read the entire testimony carefully and impartially, and arrived at the same conclusion several days since.

The testimony proves conclusively that Col. Jenkins was the aggressor, accompanied by three friends, all armed; and that the party were closing in on General Lane, and actually shot at him twice ere he showed signs of self protection.

How the "Ten Cent System" Works.—The Miners' Journal says out of the twenty one furnaces in the valley of the Schuylkill, only four or five are in blast, and one or two of those propose stopping, unless the demand for iron improves.

Resale of the Delaware Division.

On Saturday last, the Sunbury and Erie Railroad Company, to whom the Legislature at its late session conveyed all the State canals, resold the Delaware Division to a company of ten or twelve of our leading capitalists, namely, J. V. Williamson, A. S. & G. Roberts, A. G. Fell, E. W. Clarke & Co., Wm. Longstreth, the Messrs. Borie, Chas. Henry Fisher, Judge Hepburne, Ephraim Marsh, of New Jersey, and some others.

This bargain, on Saturday afternoon, was approved by the Governor, and is of course complete. The cash payment of \$75,000 was made, and the purchasers organized into a company, under the title of the Delaware division of Pennsylvania Canal Company, and elected Jay Cook, Esq., President.

The RICH MAN.—The desire of nearly all is to be rich in this world's goods, fancying that therein consists human happiness, yet what poor man that has noted those with "mammon" imprinted on their foreheads, their thoughts bent alone on money even while one foot is tottering over the grave, would exchange his lot for such a life?

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The Lycorning Gazette (democratic) contains a communication signed "Douglas," recommending that the name of Mr. White be dropped as a candidate, as there is "no hope of his election."

Pulmonary Consumption.—The greatest scourge of our northern climate is disarmed of half its terrors since we have a remedy so singularly efficacious as Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. It is performing many wonderful cures.

For a quarter of a century the remains of James Monroe, the fifth President of this Republic, have reposed in an obscure graveyard in New York.

Dreadful Accident by Lightning.—A young man by the name of Rudolf Cotton was killed by a stroke of lightning, on last Saturday, at the house of widow McKay, in Indiana, opposite Carrollton, Kentucky.

Belford Springs.—Visitors are arriving daily at the Springs, and there are now more than there has ever been before at this season of the year. Everything bids fair that the present will be the gayest and most thronged season that we ever had.

The Latest Fashion for Coats.—Mr. Bennett Fowler, the man who made money at pearl fishing last year made his appearance in Concord, N. H., a few days ago, inside of a lady's skeleton skirt, over which hung loosely a calico robe depending from his neck, and open at the front, for the purpose of securing a good circulation.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

PUBLIC MEETING.

At a meeting held in the Town Hall on Monday evening, July 12, 1858, WM. BROTHERS of Reedsville, was called to the chair, Col. Wm. BUTLER appointed Vice President, and Geo. W. Patton, Secretary.

Resolved, That the interference of the General government in the Territorial affairs of Kansas in order to introduce slavery against the expressed wishes of a large majority of its resident citizens, was an act of flagrant wrong and glaring injustice; at war with the spirit of our institutions; unworthy of the rulers of a free people, and deserving a stern rebuke at the ballot-box from all who are opposed to centralizing monarchical power in the hands of one who, instead of being the servant of the people, has assumed prerogatives that belong only to a monarch.

Resolved, That as an evidence of the fallacy of encouraging foreign workshops in preference to our own, we point to the indisputable fact that the wages of labor are retrograding towards the European standard; that our iron and other manufacturing establishments no longer afford employment to the thousands of families formerly employed in, and supported by them; and that, as a natural consequence, all so formerly employed are now in competition with other labor.

Resolved, That the true doctrine of a Protective Tariff is to admit all products and manufactures, which we cannot raise or manufacture ourselves, duty free; and to encourage the industrial pursuits of all others by an imposition of duties sufficient to protect them against the pauper labor of Europe—leaving to our own people to bring and keep down the prices of all such articles by that spirit of competition which has so signally manifested itself in every department, from the manufacture of a pin to a seed-drill, reaping machine, &c.

Resolved, That we shall hail with unfeigned satisfaction a manifestation on the part of the People's Convention, (to assemble at Harrisburg on Wednesday next,) to avoid everything calculated to engender ill feelings by reference to past issues; fully believing that the present corrupt, extravagant and monarchical administration of James Buchanan, are broad enough and important enough to merit the united opposition of all who favor free thought, free speech, and free labor; of all who desire to rebuke pledges and promises made in the campaign of 1856 but to be broken as soon as power was attained; and of all who hold to the principle that the less we are entangled with foreign alliances and foreign influence the better for our future welfare.

Resolved, That the course of Gen. Simon Cameron in the U. S. Senate meets with our approbation in about the same degree that we despise the trucking and imbecility of William Bigler, who misrepresents all parties in Pennsylvania save the cormorants who are plundering the U. S. Treasury.

Resolved, That SAMUEL S. WOODS be and is hereby appointed Representative Delegate to the People's Convention to meet at Harrisburg on the 14th inst.

Resolved, That we recommend JAMES M. SELLERS, Esq., of Juniata, as Senatorial Delegate to said convention.

The committee reported the representative delegate in blank, and the name of Mr. Woods was inserted by the meeting.

DESTRUCTION OF WILD FRUIT TREES.—In some of our rambles over the hills and through the woods, we notice that the villainous practice of destroying mulberry and other trees in order to obtain their fruit, is still practised. On the ridge several fine mulberry trees, among them one noted for bearing remarkably large ones, were torn down limb by limb, instead of shaking or going to a little pains to pick them, and thus rendered useless hereafter.

The discharge of fire arms is also beginning to be heard in the neighborhood of town, and many a poor bird, perhaps with half-fledged young dependent on it for life, has no doubt been ruthlessly shot down by those who will exercise this cruel "sport" for the sake merely of shooting. Cannot an association be formed for carrying into effect the bird law? A simple rule pledging each member to give information, and the payment of a small sum annually to employ a proper person to prosecute all such cases, is all that is needed.

AGRICULTURAL MEETING.—The Mifflin county Agricultural Society, at its last annual meeting, designated some meetings for discussion, among which the following are yet to come off: At Belleville, Thursday, July 22d.—Subjects for discussion—Rotation of Crops and Improvement of Stock generally.

At Lewistown, Wednesday, August 4th. Subject—How to interest Agriculturists in their profession. Members of the Society and all others interested in agricultural affairs are invited to attend these meetings, so well calculated to impart useful information respecting the crops, different modes of tillage, &c.

We were in error last week in stating that Holland had escaped from the jail; it was the colored boy Ike who had secreted himself about the furnace, and then got out. Holland is still in.

LEWISTOWN ACADEMY.—The connection of Mr. Warner with this institution will cease on Saturday next, he having resigned some time ago to take effect on that day.

Under his charge the Academy has been in a good condition, and both Trustees and scholars part with him and Miss Mabbett with regret. Several applications are before the Board to fill the vacancy, so that the institution will again open at its regular term.

The attention of those about to engage in teaching is called to the advertisement in to-day's paper of a Normal Class. In no place now do we more need trained and competent men than in our schools. Such teachers can only be produced by a course of study and preparation. In this the Class promises to aid them. The success of the principal in this can be fully endorsed by those who have already attended. We hope to see a full turnout from all parts of the county.

THE CROPS.—From personal observation in this vicinity and authentic information from different parts of the county, we are satisfied that there will not be more than half a crop of wheat. The weevil has injured it severely, and most of that which ripened is not so full and plump as was expected. There are exceptional fields of early Mediterranean where the wheat is excellent.

The delegate elections of the democracy will be held on Saturday, July 31st, and the convention assemble in annual pow-wow on Monday. We noticed Dr. Bower in town the other day, anxious we suppose to pocket another \$200 extorpy.

APPRENTICES LITERARY SOCIETY.—The following gentlemen were elected officers of this society for the ensuing six months on Saturday evening, the 26th ultimo:— President—H. J. Walters. Vice President—T. F. McCoy. Recording Secretary—J. A. McKee. Corresponding Secretary—I. R. Alexander. Treasurer—R. W. Patton. Librarian—J. B. Belford. Assistant Librarian—C. E. Thomas. Editor of the Banner—T. M. Uttley.

ODD FELLOWS' HALL COMPANY.—The following gentlemen were recently elected Managers of the Odd Fellows Hall Company, and organized as follows, for the ensuing year: H. J. Walters, President; John Hamilton, Secretary; Geo. W. Soult, Treasurer; David Bloom, John Evans, Samuel Comfort, Thomas Mayes, Henry Zerbe.

The New York Seventh Regiment lately made an excursion to Richmond, Va., Washington City, &c. One of the privates, a grandson of Alexander Hamilton, was accidentally drowned at Richmond.

Holloway's Ointment and Pills.—A protection against counterfeits exists in the water mark, "Holloway, New York and London," which appears in some transparent letters in every leaf of the book of directions. If this is not seen when the paper is held to the light the same is spurious. Unlike the mineral preparations that drive the virus of eruptions and sores into the vital organs, this marvelous Ointment discharges the poison before it reaches the blood. The Pills inevitably cure dyspepsia and all bilious disorders, purifying and vitalizing the blood, &c.

Cured by Wistar's Balsam. Read the following from the Kinderhook (N. Y.) Sentinel, dated July 31:—"A remarkable cure of consumption has recently been effected by this medicine, in the town of Chatham, in this county, and which was related to us by Dr. Herriek, an eminent physician of that town, to whom we have permission to refer. A young lady who had long labored under an affection of the lungs, was considered by her friends as beyond the reach of medicine, and she was informed by her medical attendant that she must die. She was induced to send for a bottle of Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry as a last resort. The young lady experienced great relief, and two more bottles were successively procured and administered. She is now happy in the restoration of health." None genuine unless signed I. BURTS on the wrapper.

SETH W. FOWLE & Co., 135 Washington St., Boston, Proprietors. Sold by Chas. Ritz, Lewistown, and by their agents everywhere.

The "Elixir" prepared by Dr. James Williams, for the cure of Dyspepsia, and nothing but Dyspepsia, (as advertised in another column,) has by its own merits obtained for itself so high a reputation in Philadelphia, that physicians acquainted with its properties are using it themselves and prescribing it to their patients, convinced by observation of its great efficacy in restoring the disordered digestive organs to a healthy function. Numerous cases of dyspepsia of the most aggravated character, which were abandoned as incurable by some of the medical faculty, have by the use of this Elixir been restored to perfect health, as attested certificates testify. For sale by Charles Ritz, Lewistown.

A CARD TO THE LADIES. DR. DUPONCEAU'S GOLDEN FEMALE PILLS are infallible in removing stoppages or irregularities of the menses. These pills are nothing new, but have been used by the Doctor for many years, both in France and America, with unparalleled success in every case, and he is urged by many ladies who have used them to make these pills public for the alleviation of those suffering from any irregularities whatever, as well as preventing to those ladies whose health will not permit an increase of family. Pregnant females, or those supposing themselves so, are cautioned against using these pills, as the proprietor assumes no responsibility after the above admonition, although their mildness would prevent any injury to health; otherwise these pills are recommended. Directions accompany each box. Price \$1. Sold wholesale and retail by F. A. HARBET & CO., General Agents for Lewistown, Mifflin county, Pa., and also agents for Belleville, Milroy, Reedsville, Allentown, &c. They will supply dealers at the proprietor's prices, and send the pills to ladies (confidentially) by return mail to any part of city or country, on receipt of \$1 through the Lewistown post office. For particulars get circular of agents. 25-cent each box has my signature. J. DUPONCEAU, 1539 Broadway post office, New York.

From the Union Democrat.

FREEBURG ACADEMY. Mr. Editor:—The semi-annual examination and exhibition, in this institution of learning, took place on the fourth June, and reflected much credit on the Principal, Mr. McFarland, and his assistants, Mr. Galbraith and Miss Annie S. Christ, as also on the students under their care. All the various branches of an English education, together with vocal and instrumental music, drawing, and the French, Latin and Greek Languages are taught in this Academy.

Its healthy location in the town of Freeburg, which is situated in a beautiful valley, five miles from the Susquehanna river, and the same distance south west from the flourishing town of Selin's Grove, affords unusual advantages. To parents and wards who are under the necessity of placing their children abroad, this institution presents inducements seldom to be met with. Those desiring not only the intellectual, but also the moral and religious culture of their children, will not be disappointed by finding a place for them at this institution.

The examination, already referred to, rendered more than usual satisfaction to parents and others who take an interest in the proper culture of the rising generation; and the exhibition on the evening of the day named, which consisted mostly in original compositions by the students, was not less satisfactory. These compositions evinced clearly, that this important branch of learning had received due attention. I am confident that some of the essays read on this occasion would have been received with favor, if they had been presented by members of a class in a College. OBSERVER.

McKee Acquitted.—On Saturday morning last, the jury in the case of James McKee, indicted for the murder of Prof. Baer, returned a verdict of "not guilty," after being out some forty-eight hours. The Pittsburgh Chronicle describes the prisoner when he entered the Court room as being ashy pale, while his whole appearance told plainly of the mental suffering of which for the last two days previous he had been suffering.

Married. On the 12th inst., by Rev. H. Baker, Maj. DANIEL EISENBISE to Miss REBECCA PENNE, both of this place.

At the Lutheran Parsonage, Middletown, Md., on the 6th inst., by Rev. C. M. Kink, CHRISTIAN BOLINGER, Esq., of Middletown, to Miss RACHEL CRAWFORD, formerly of this place. [Centre county papers please copy.]

Died. In this borough, on the 29th ult., SAMUEL H., infant son of William T. and Anna Mary Burns, aged 3 months.

In Granville township, on the 1st inst., JESSE R. CRAWFORD, son of James and Eliza Crawford, aged 12 years, 7 months and 22 days.

At his residence in Woodward township, Clearfield county, on the 30th June, REED ALEXANDER, in the 53d year of his age. The deceased was the eldest son of William Alexander, who fifty years ago emigrated to this county from Kishacoquillas valley, Mifflin county, with his son, then a child, and settled on the Clearfield creek, where he still lives, surrounded by his children, of whom he raised twelve, the subject of this notice being the eldest. His early life was identified with all the hardships and romance of the early settlements of this county. He was a man of rare moral worth. His industry, benevolence, honesty and many virtues made him friends wherever he was known, for enemies he had none. In him, society has lost one of its choicest members, and his friends are left to mourn an irreparable loss.—Clearfield Republican.

In Piney township, Clarion county, Pa., on the 26th May, ANDREW MAGEE, in the 83d year of his age. Mr. Magee was born March 3d, 1776, near Maytown, Lancaster county, and about 1795 removed to Mifflin county with his mother, she being then a widow; and in the following year he was united in marriage to Rachel Cochran, daughter of John A. Cochran, of the latter place. In the year 1800 he removed to Alexandria, in Huntingdon county, in 1820 to Indiana county, and subsequently to Armstrong, now Clarion county.

THE MARKETS.

Lewistown, July 15, 1858. Butter, good, @ lb. 12 Eggs, @ dozen, 9 New Potatoes are retailing at \$1 00 per bushel. Spring Chickens are selling at 10a 15c apiece. Our millers are paying from 50 to 90 cts. for Wheat; Rye 50; Corn 55; Oats 28.

Philadelphia Market.

MONDAY, July 12, 1858. The arrivals of Beef Cattle during this week continue to show a slight diminution in number. The market continued dull, and the cattle looked rather the worse for wear. The hot weather militates very much against the drovers. At Wardell's Avenue Yard the following were disposed of in lots, according to quality:—891 head arrived during the week, and were disposed of at prices ranging from 7, 7 1/2, 8 and 9 cents per lb., and the market dull. Sheep—7000 Sheep were in the market, and sales were made at \$2 to \$4 per head. Cows—200 Cows arrived and were sold during the week. Good fresh Cows, \$30 to \$45; dry Cows, \$15 to \$25. Hogs—The arrivals and sales at Phillips' Union Drive Yard, for the past week, amount to 900 Hogs, which sold at prices ranging from \$5 25 to \$6 per 100 lbs., nett, according to quality. The market has been dull, notwithstanding the material falling off in the receipts, as compared with those of last week.—Daily News.

Flour—The trade are buying moderately at from \$4 25 up to 5a, for common to extra brands. Rye Flour is quiet at \$3 31 1/2 per barrel. Corn Meal is rather more inquired for; 1000 bbls Penna. sold at \$3 37 1/2 per bbl. Grain—There is not much Wheat offering and buyers and sellers are apart in their views. 1200 bushels old Wheat sold in small lots at \$1 05 per bushel for fair to good Red, and 1 13 for White. New Red is held at 1 03 to 1 10, without sales. 500 bushels new White sold at 1 15 to 1 20 for fair to good lots. Rye is firm; sales at 70c. Corn continues in request and very scarce. Some small lots of damaged have been sold at 80a82c, and a cargo of prime Southern Yellow, to arrive, at 85c, which establishes an advance. Oats are also wanted at 41c for Penna. Some small lots are reported at something more. Sales of 1200 bushels prime at 42c in store.

From Utah.—The New York Times has correspondence from Utah to June 13, connected with the army up to that date. Active preparations were on foot for the march on Salt Lake City, Colonel Hoffman having arrived at Fort Scott with ample supplies of provisions, and Captain Matry having also reached the camp from New Mexico, with over six hundred mules and about one hundred horse, making an aggregate of over five thousand animals of all kinds suitable for transportation purposes. On the 11th General Johnson issued a general order directing the movements towards the Valley. The route to be pursued of course is not designated, that being kept from publication from motives of military prudence. It was not expected, however, that the army would reach the city before the first of July.

A NORMAL CLASS

WILL be opened in Lewistown AUGUST THIRD, and continue six weeks. The object of the Class will be to afford to all desiring to become Teachers an opportunity to acquire a practical knowledge of the branches taught in our public schools. In addition, regular lectures will be delivered on the theory and practice of teaching. The services of a competent Assistant have been secured, thus affording more time for general instruction. Terms: \$5.00 per week. For further information address A. D. HAWN, Co. Supt., Lewistown, Pa. July 15

List of Causes

Table with 3 columns: Case Name, Date, and Location. Includes cases like Fichtner vs. McClintock & Charwell, David W. McCormick vs. Peter Alford, etc.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the following applications for license to sell liquors have been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Mifflin county in obedience to the Act of Assembly in such case made, and provided, and the said Court have appointed, by a standing order, FRIDAY, the 6th day of August next, "a time at which applications for said licenses shall be heard, at which time all persons applying, or making objections to applications for licenses, may be heard by evidence, petition, remonstrance or counsel:— Jacob Lotz, Tavern, Granville twp. J. G. McGlaughlin, " " Lewistown. Levi Sultzbaugh, Liquors, " " McVeytown. Alfred Wilson, " " Decatur twp. H. J. WALTERS, Clerk. Clerk's Office, Lewistown, July 15, 1858.

NOTICE

Licenses Granted in 1858.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Keepers of Hotels, Restaurants or Eating Houses within the county of Mifflin, that they are required to make payment to the County Treasurer, and lift their licenses within fifteen days after the same have been granted, under penalty of forfeiture of said license, and in addition thereto the amounts of license will be placed in the hands of Justices for collection. And all persons knowing themselves subject to pay MERCANTILE LICENSE will be required to pay the same before the first day of August next, for after that they will positively be left in the hands of Justices for collection, when there will be an addition of ten per cent. of costs added. JOHN B. SELHEIMER, Co. Treas. Treasurer's Office, July 14, 1858. j15

FREEBURG ACADEMY

AND Snyder County Normal School, FREEBURG, PA.

THE next session of this Institution commences on the 27th of JULY, and continues six weeks. Encouraged by past success, increased efforts will be made to enable students to acquire a sound mental, moral and physical education. The Academic Department embraces all the branches constituting a thorough English, Classical, Mathematical and Scientific Education, together with Music, Drawing, Painting and French.

A NORMAL DEPARTMENT

has been established and heretofore well attended, in which Teachers, and those wishing to become such, can prepare themselves for the profession. Terms—Half in Advance. For Board, Tuition, Room, &c., per session of 22 weeks, \$32 to \$50. Tuition alone, per quarter of 11 weeks, \$4 to \$6. Music, Drawing, Painting and French at usual charges. Students can enter at any time. For catalogues, &c., address July 15 GEO. F. McFARLAND, Principal.

TAKE NOTICE

Felix's New Grocery, Provision and Fish Store,

On Point of Valley, Mill and Dorcas Sts. If you want Shad, Mackerel and Herring, go to Felix's. If you want Salt by the sack, Ham, Shoulder and Side, go to Felix's. If you want Crockery Ware of the best quality, best and cheapest Groceries, best of Tea, Spices, Soaps, Perfumery, and Fancy Articles, such as Ladies' Baskets, Brushes, Combs, Pins, &c., &c., go to Felix's Cheap Cash Grocery. If you want Confectioneries, Toys, Dried Fruit, all kinds of Crackers, Biscuits, Cakes or Ice Cream, go to Felix's.

VARIETY STORE

For Farmers and others having all kinds of Produce to sell will please give me a call, as I will pay cash for Butter, Eggs, Lard, Smoked Meat, Dried Fruit, Poultry, Potatoes, &c., in a per centage off for Groceries or any goods in my line at cash prices. If you want Furniture for which you can be taken in exchange, give me a call, as I still carry on the Furniture and Undertaking business. Call and examine my stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere. July 15 A. FELIX.