

GEO. P. BIBLE, Local Editor and Business Manager.

Local Department.

NOTICE.—Mr. George H. Knieley, is our only authorized collector for the DEMOCRAT.

—India Lawn from 8c up—Garman's. —Pure worsted Jersey 95c.—Garman's

—Read our Agricultural Department this week. —25c for our Linen bosom shirts at —Garman's.

—The attendance at court this week has been large. —Men's nobby hats in Straws, Pearls and Nutria.—Garman's.

—A new hardwood desk is the latest acquisition of the Commissioners office. —The cost of building the glass works at Evert, Bedford county is estimated at \$8,208.

—The Philipsburg Journal has gotten over the "pink eye" and is again looking healthy. —Col. Bain the popular lecturer will address the people of Bellefonte on the 7th of May.

—On Monday of last week 1,893 emigrants arrived in Pittsburg by the Pennsylvania railroad. —Every day we see large strings of trout and suckers that are being caught in the streams near town.

—A little boy by the name of Jordan, living in the Loop accidentally broke his leg, last week one day. —Feed for cattle among the farmers is very scarce. Make hay while the sun shines this year if there is any to make.

—Town is alive with people attending court this week some as jurors, others as witnesses and a few as subject of contention. —Always read our business locals on the inside page. We do not deceive our readers by mixing them all through our local page.

—Hon. L. A. Mackey was re-elected President of the Bald Eagle Valley Railroad, at a meeting of the stockholders in Philadelphia last week. —At the dedication of the Lutheran church on Sunday the 19th at Madisonburg, \$850 was raised. This amount almost liquidates the debt.

—Mud city, is the name of a new town recently started in the Western part of the state. We suppose there will be a goodly quantity of it thrown. —Arbor Day had its effect here, trees being planted either before or since. A nice lot of maple trees were planted along the race west of the Bush House.

—The vault in the Commissioners office has been undergoing some necessary repairs. Doors have been put on the open cupboards, and every case nicely painted. —It is said that during the months of February, March and April, over 40,000 sheep have died in Greene county; scarcity of feed and the severe winter are the principal causes.

—A little 5 year old son of Mr. John McDivitt, fell into the creek, near the mill at Roland, and when found life was almost extinct, but by proper treatment and constant rubbing life was restored. —The Salvation Armies have utterly disgusted the citizen of Wilkes-barre. The Park commission of Asbury Park N. J. have pronounced them a nuisance, and they dealt with accordingly.

—The gas on the streets was turned off on Monday. The moon will continue to light the streets from time to time, until the electric light is properly put up to assist Luna when her quarter has a hole in. —Sufficient amount of money has been subscribed to procure the right away for the new railroad, and Mr. Collins has been telegraphed for. Work will be commenced as soon as he arrives and makes the necessary arrangements.

—The Snow Shoe railroad will undergo some necessary repairs during the summer, in order to better facilitate the heavy shipment of freight and coal, before the Lehigh Valley Coal & Iron Company take possession of the coal property in that vicinity. —On Thursday evening at the meeting of the board trade General Beater read a letter received from Philip Collins the railroad contractor offering to begin work on the new railroad as soon as the right of way for it is secured. Between \$10,000 and \$12,000 were subscribed for this purpose last year, and at present the prospects are bright.

—The spelling bee in the Presbyterian Chapel on Friday evening was quite well attended; about thirty took part in the contest; Col. Keller, E. C. Haines, Gen. Beaver, W. Geppert, T. M. Magee Mrs. J. P. Hughes, Chas. Hewes, Will Gray, Chas. Gates, Mr. J. P. Hughes, Miss Lizzie Shortledge, Miss Emma Humes, Mr. Henry Keller, and others were among the expert spellers.

—Go to John Beezer's meat market if you want a good choice roast. —Farmers are improving their time, now, and are working early and late in the fields.

—Mr. Bob Forniger of Marsh Creek got his foot hurt by a stick of timber falling upon it. —Monday was General Grant's birthday. We hope that he may see more birthdays and happier ones.

—Mr. Thos. DeLong of Romola has power of Attorney to transact all business for his father James DeLong. —Examine advertisement of R. G. Chase & Co. in another column. It is of importance to those seeking employment as canvassers.

—On Sunday May 3d the M. E. Church in Aaronburg will be reopened. Services in the morning, and also in the evening: Rev. J. B. Polsgrove from Milton will be present. The Railway Age publishes a list of 20 railroads that have been placed in the hands of receivers from January 1 to March 31, 1885. The total capital stock and bonds of these corporations aggregate \$275,289,000.

—The injunction in the case of the Tyrone and Clearfield railroad vs. the Beech Creek, Clearfield and Southwestern Railroad has been dissolved and the latter is granted the privilege of a grade crossing to Philipsburg. —Two schools are now in successful operation in Rebersburg. Prof. Gramley opened in the Schoolroom proper, with thirty eight, and now has forty two. Prof. Weber in the old store room with thirty, and now has an attendance of thirty five.

—Samuel Campbell a young and enterprising merchant of Millheim, was united in marriage to Miss Hart, daughter of Wm. Harter of Aaronburg, on April 22d, at the brides parents. Accept our congratulations and best wishes. —John Gardner, the man who killed his father-in-law, Mr. George Warfel, in Huntingdon county, was found guilty of murder in the second degree, and sentenced by Judge Furst to twelve years solitary confinement in the Western penitentiary.

—Mr. S. B. Row, Proprietor of the Lloyd House Philipsburg was in town the early part of the week, looking after his business interests. Mr. Row was formerly editor and proprietor of the Rayftman Journal, and is a very pleasant and affable gentleman. —On last Saturday evening Mr. Harry Teats' grocery store was thronged with customers anxious to try the new groceries Harry gave them bargains and this together with his well kept stock of goods, will of course be an inducement for them to return. Mr. Teats is not going to advertise anything but what is good, and at any time you read his locals you can rely upon the price and quality of goods. We are pleased to see our neighbor do so well.

—Monday evening Miles Saylor son of Harvey Saylor, aged about 4 years, who resides on Valentine street, this place, was playing on a coal or freight car at Valentine's Forge, when some one, or by some accident, the brake was loosened and the car started, throwing the lad from the bumper, crushing his leg and breaking the thigh. He was snatched from the track before the car passed over his body. At this writing, the little fellow is suffering intense pain. —Mr. Robert Hunter, the artist, son of Hon. Benj. F. Hunter of Jenner township, is meeting with decided success, at the Academy of Fine Arts in Philadelphia. He took what is known as an "E," a mark of honor conferred upon the student who makes the best progress. There are only four given each year, and out of the four hundred students, Robert was one of the successful contestants and a Mr. Bridge of Clearfield county a room-mate of Mr. Hunter's, took one also. Centre and Clearfield ahead. Can't the wilds of Centre and Clearfield, turn out natural born Artists? Does this not speak well for our boys?

—Perhaps the largest congregation ever assembled in the Episcopal church in this place, was that of last Sunday night, when members of all denominations, and the citizens in general, thronged the church to listen to the eloquent farewell sermon of Rev. John Hewitt, the faithful and efficient rector of St. John's Episcopal Church. His sermon was very appropriate, and his closing remarks in which he summed up his work during the past 5 years, brought tears to many eyes. Rev. Hewitt, has baptised over one hundred children, and presented for confirmation fifty, and preached the funeral sermons over the remains of fifty or more of his own congregation, and their children, and has married twenty five couples. He studied very nicely to his wife who stands and has stood faithfully by him in sharing all his troubles and joys, and assured the people that her thanks of gratitude for the love and kindness shown them, was even greater than his own. He gave an opportunity to those who desired to bid him farewell to come forward and do so. His departure is universally regretted by the citizens especially. The 5 p. m. train conveyed him and his family westward to his new home in Fremont, Nebraska.

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