

The Bloomfield Times.

Tuesday, June 14, 1870.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

OUR TERMS

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CORRESPONDENTS will please bear in mind that letters received later than Saturday evening, or the down mail on Monday morning have to lay over until the following week.

AUGUST, BLAIN—Your communication is on a subject that cannot well be inserted in a family paper.

A Fishing Party.—Our foreman and his boys, with some outside assistance, went a fishing last Wednesday. They report that they caught between one and two hundred.

Preaching.—Elder Jacob Rodenbaugh will preach at Sulphur Springs' Church, on Saturday evening and Sunday morning, and in the Court House in this borough, on Sunday afternoon next, at 3 o'clock.

Recovering.—Rev. Wm. Schriber, one of Methodist ministers on this circuit, who has been in poor health is improving. His many friends in this county will be glad to hear this, as it is a contradiction of the painful rumor of his death, that was in circulation.

A Fall.—On Wednesday evening last, a little son of Mr. J. A. Magee's fell down stairs in the office of the Democrat, receiving some injuries on the head. It was a severe fall for the little fellow and he was fortunate in escaping with so little injury.

Horse Stolen.—Some time during Sunday night last, an iron gray horse, four years old, with saddle and bridle, was stolen from the stable of John Beard, in Centre township. A reward of fifty dollars is offered for the recovery of the property and arrest of the thief.

Stung by Bees.—On Tuesday of last week, Will Meek, a son of George Meek, residing in Centre township, while scapeing bees was badly stung around the head, causing his face to swell so as to render him entirely blind for a time. Medical aid was called, and the remedies applied relieved his sufferings.

Fine Strawberries.—We had last week, some of the finest strawberries we ever saw. They were received from Mr. Samuel Rice, of this borough, who is hard to beat in raising strawberries and grapes. He furnishes plants of all the choicest varieties of these vines, so that all who are not already provided, can procure them.

Accident.—On last Tuesday Morning a freight train was wrecked near Wilmore station, and a brakeman named Hunter instantly killed, and a man named Brown, who it is supposed was stealing his passage on the train, was severely injured; he had been discharged from the county almshouse but a short time since.

A Mouse Story.—The Altoona Tribune says:—One or more till robbers have been victimizing Harry Bell, East side, for some time past. The last haul attracted attention, from the fact that a \$5 bill was missing. By "laying" for the depredators, Mr. B. discovered that they inhabited a niche in the wall, near the drawer, and were none others than a family of mice. From their nest was extracted the \$5 bill and currency sufficient to run up their cash in hand to about \$14. The police have made no arrests to date.

Dedication.—On Saturday afternoon last, the order of American Mechanics, who have been fitting up a fine room in the bank building, dedicated their new hall with appropriate ceremonies. The heavy rains of the preceding days, had interfered with travel to such an extent as to prevent many from coming who would otherwise probably have been present, and the afternoon being showery interfered somewhat with the pleasure of those who did join in the parade.

The Newport band enlivened the occasion with some excellent music; thereby gratifying not only the members of the order, but all who had the opportunity of hearing them.

A Splendid Assortment of Shoes for Men, Women and Children has just been received by F. MORTIMER & Co.

Almost a Flood.—A terrible rain has again visited this county. On Tuesday evening last, a severe thunder shower, accompanied in some sections of the county by hail, did considerable damage to the crops. In Raccoon Valley oats and wheat were badly injured by the rain and hail.

The worst rain, however, came about noon on Thursday, when we had as severe a shower as we ever saw. In an incredible short time the small streams were swollen so that they swept everything before them. Between this borough and Duncannon the road was nearly impassable, owing to injuries to bridges—nearly all of them having the planks carried away.

Mill dams and other property was also damaged to a considerable amount. The dam belonging to the saw-mills of Henry Ayle and J. B. Owen were torn out; and Stone's mill, near Delville, was nearly demolished, the wheels being torn out and left in the meadow. The Little Buffalo, and Sherman's Creek rose to an alarming height, but we have yet had no report of damages done along these streams.

In this vicinity the damage to crops has been very great; all the grain fields being washed and flooded.

It is a little singular that the terrible rain and freshet of last summer, which occurred on the 4th of June was preceded on the 1st inst., by a storm similar to the one of last Tuesday night, which is now followed by a destructive storm similar to the one of the 4th of last June.

Justice's Court.—On Saturday last a case of assault was tried before John C. McGinnis, Esq., and six jurors, in Centre School house, in Buffalo township. The Jury found the defendant not guilty, but directed that he should pay all the costs. The Commonwealth was represented by Lewis Potter, Esq., of Bloomfield, and the defendant by S. P. Auchmuty, Esq., of Millersburg, Dauphin county. A large crowd was present to hear the trial.

This difficulty arose out of a misapprehension in regard to the law in reference to cattle trespassing on uninclosed woodland. The prosecutrix, Mary Albright sent her little daughter to drive her cows to the Half Fall mountain, where she owned uninclosed woodland. The defendant, Abraham Good, owned uninclosed woodland adjoining that of the prosecutrix. He held that her cows had no right to trespass on his woodland, and accordingly stoned the cows back along the public road, to a point near the house of the prosecutrix, and frightened the little girl very much.

A case is reported in 5th Smith, in which the Supreme Court of Penn'a decided that no trespass can be committed by cattle on uninclosed ground. If therefore the cattle of the prosecutrix had strayed on defendant's uninclosed ground, it would not have been in violation of any law.

Drowned.—Mr. William Kehl, who keeps a lager beer saloon, at the corner of North and Filbert streets, having last night missed his son, a boy but six years old, made information of the fact to officer Moses Fleck, who at once proceeded to search for the missing child. About ten o'clock this morning, Mr. Graham found the body of the boy Kehl, at the bottom of the canal, at Mr. Tunis, coal yard, about fifty yards from the pivot bridge crossing to the furnace at the foot of North street. The lad had fallen into the canal sometime yesterday, but how, or from what cause, it is impossible to determine, as no one appears to have witnessed the accident. Upon the discovery of the body, Coroner James Potter was notified, who repaired to the spot and summoned a jury.—Harrisburg Topic of the 10th inst.

Mad Dogs have made their appearance in our vicinity. On Thursday last, a dog belonging to Henry Ayle in Centre twp., began to attract attention by his peculiar actions, but before they could get the gun to shoot him he left for one of the neighboring houses.

There was no man at home, and the women folks seeing him coming, shut the doors, and after snapping around a few minutes at the gate post and corner of the house, the dog left. On his way across the field, he got into the creek, which was very high from the shower of a few hours previous and was drowned, before the persons who had followed with the intention of shooting him arrived, and before he had done any damage.

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For The Bloomfield Times. MARKELVILLE, Pa., June 8, 1870.

Mr. EDITOR.—It was my privilege to visit the Juniata Valley Normal School, Millersburg, Pa., on Friday eve., May 27, this being the time of celebrating the third anniversary of the Normal Echo Literary Society. At 7 1/2 p. m., the procession entered the hall. First came the teachers of the school; next the officers and representatives of the society, followed by the members and pupils. The members were readily distinguished by their badges of red, white and blue, and a glittering white star, emblematic of the society. Notwithstanding the unfavorable state of the weather, long before the time for opening, the streets leading to the building were a moving panorama of umbrellas. The anniversary exercises were held in the new school hall, estimated to comfortably seat 600 persons. The room was well lighted with gasoline lamps and the entire arrangement reflected credit upon those interested. The Millersburg Zouave Band discoursed music at intervals during the exercises of the whole evening. This band, we afterward learned, play for all the public occasions of the town, free of charge. The President's gavel called to order, when the first exercise was announced, music by the Society Glee Club, led by Mr. S. B. Fahnestock. The exercises of the evening were enlivened by the club alternating with the band. This was followed by the President's salutatory, "Our History," George W. Wedder giving the history of the early foundation of the society, the opposition it met with and the precedent for anniversaries. The speaker was loudly applauded. An oration, "The World Moves," E. G. Sheaffer. This was an able production well delivered. An essay, "Discipline," Miss Ellie Thompson, which was elegant in sentiment and forcibly read. A recitation—"Angels of Buena Vista," Maggie Lauver, well rendered, showing careful elocutionary training. Next a debate—"Resolved, that foreign emigration to America should be encouraged." The affirmative was sustained by Messrs. J. R. Runyan and F. M. Reeder. The negative by Messrs. W. A. Morrison and Jos. E. Smiley. The discussion was able and logical. The decision was given in favor of the affirmative. A rendition by the boys—"Little Jack Horner for grown people," was well given. A selection—"No Sect in Heaven," Myra E. Keely, was rendered in a clear, forcible and elegant manner. We have seldom heard an elocutionist who with less seeming effort could be so distinctly understood. Graceful in her bearing and rich in the intonations of her voice, Miss K's effort was the master performance of the evening. An original poem—"Change"—S. B. Fahnestock, was a happy effort, containing a sensible hit on Woman's Rights. Next was the "Juniata Miscellany," read by O. P. Wright, editor, containing the usual variety of humorous and sentimental pieces contributed by the members. The roll was then called, when the members responded with beautiful and appropriate sentiments. The meeting then adjourned, each one we think, going away fully satisfied with the entire proceedings. The society as well as the school with which it is inseparably connected, have our best wishes for their success. M. M. A.

Church Notices. In the Presbyterian Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Preaching on next Sabbath as usual. In the Reformed Church prayer meeting on Thursday evening. Preaching next Sabbath at 2 1/2 o'clock p. m. In the Methodist church, prayer-meeting Thursday evening. Preaching Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, by Rev. George W. Bouse.

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DUNCANNON STATION. On and after Sunday, May 29th, 1870, trains will leave Duncannon, as follows: EASTWARD. Fast Line (Flag) 4.35 A. M., daily except Monday. Harrisburg Accom. 12.04 P. M., daily. Sunday Mail, 8.28 P. M., daily. WESTWARD. Way Passenger, 8.33 A. M., daily except Monday. Mail, 1.40 P. M., daily except Sunday. WM. C. KING, Agent.

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County Price Current. BLOOMFIELD, June 13, 1870.

Flax-Seed, \$2 00. Potatoes, 60 cents. Butter per pound, 16. Eggs per dozen, 15. Dried Apples per pound, 6. Dried Peaches, 8 @ 10 cts. Pealed Peaches, 15 @ 18 cts. Cherries, 4 @ 5 cts. Pitted, 15 @ 18 cts. Blackberries, 8 @ 10 cts. Onions per bushel, 10.

White Wheat, \$1 15. Red Wheat, 1 05. Rye, 75. Corn, 80. Oats, 32 pounds new, 45. Ground Alum Salt per Sack, 2 70. Limeburner's Coal, 6 50. Stove Coal, 22 cts. Iron per Cwt., 4 50. Nails per Keg, 5 00.

Philadelphia Price Current. Corrected Weekly by Janney & Andrews, No. 123 MARKET STREET. PHILADELPHIA, June 11, 1870. White Wheat, \$1 35 @ 1 41. Red Wheat, 1 33 @ 1 38. Rye, 1 08 @ 1 10. Corn, 1 08 @ 1 11. Oats, 61 @ 63. Clover Seed, 6 75 @ 7 50. Timothy Seed, 5 50 @ 7 50. Flax Seed, 2 35 @ 2 40. Country Lard, 14 @ 17. Eggs, 23 @ 24. Turkeys, 25 @ 25. Butter, sold in blis., 13 @ 13 1/2.

MARRIAGES. SEIBERT—HEIGES.—On Thursday the 9th instant, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Dillsburg, Pa., by Rev. S. W. Seibert, Wm. N. Seibert, Esq., of New Bloomfield, Pa., to Miss Lizzie A. Heiges. No cards. BURKEPILE—LONG.—At the Lutheran Parsonage, in this borough on the 9th inst., by Rev. S. A. Hedges, Mr. Geo. W. Burkepile to Miss Kate E. Long, both of this county.

DEATHS. CLOUSER.—In Juniata twp., on the 9th inst., John Emanuel, son of Wm. H., and Jane Clouser, aged 1 year, 9 months and 20 days. MCKEE.—In this borough on Friday evening, the 10th inst., Miss Clara J. daughter of Wilson and Martha M. McKee, aged 17 years and 7 months.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned, Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Perry county, to make distribution of the balance in the hands of Darius J. Long, Executor of the last will, &c., of George Long, late of Juniata township, deceased, among the creditors and others entitled to receive the same, hereby gives notice that he will meet for the purpose of his appointment, at his office in Bloomfield, on WEDNESDAY, the 29th day of June, 1870, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all interested, may attend, if they see proper so to do. CHAS. A. BARNETT, Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration have been granted by the Register of Perry county, on the estate of Margaret H. Jacobs, late of Juniata township, Perry county, Pa., to Nicholas Jacobs, residing in Tuscarora township, Perry county, Pa. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate, will please make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement. NICHOLAS JACOBS, Administrator. LEWIS POTTER, Atty for Adm'r.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the estate of Catharine Singer, late of Buffalo township, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned residing in the same township. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against it, will present them duly authenticated for settlement. JEREMIAH S. ANDERSON, Administrator.

Decree of Incorporation. IN THE MATTER of the Petition of Christ's Reformed Church at Duncannon, Pa., the following proceedings were had to wit: 2d May, 1870, the petition of Rev. W. D. C. Rodrock, C. D. Gehlach, F. Wahl, L. Sumner and others, citizens of the Commonwealth of Pa., accompanied by the articles of Association, was presented to the Court praying for a decree of Incorporation, whereupon the following decree was made: And now to wit: May 23, 1870, Notice is hereby directed to be given in two newspapers printed in the county of Perry, for the period of four weeks before the first day of the next term of this court, of the within application. By the Court, CHARLES H. SMILEY, Prothonotary.

Prothonotary's Office, Bloomfield, May 11, 1870. LEWIS POTTER, Attorney for Petitioners.

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Decree of Incorporation.

IN THE MATTER of the petition of the Trinity Reformed Church of Marysville, Pa., the following proceedings were had, to wit: May 7th, 1870—the petition of Rev. W. D. C. Rodrock, D. T. Everhart, G. W. Reisinger, Wm. M. Schools and other citizens of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, accompanied by the articles of Association, was presented to the Court praying for a decree of Incorporation, whereupon the following decree was made, "and now to wit: May 7th, 1870, Notice is hereby directed to be given in two newspapers printed in the county of Perry, for the period of four weeks before the first day of the next term of this Court, of the within application. By the Court, CHARLES H. SMILEY, Prothonotary.

LEWIS POTTER, Attorney for Petitioners. Bloomfield, May 11, 1870.

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