

The Bloomfield Times.

Tuesday, February 7, 1871.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

OUR TERMS

Are One Dollar a Year in Advance!

CORRESPONDENTS will please bear in mind that letters received later than Saturday evening...

"Rail Reader" we shall be glad to hear from you whenever you feel disposed to send an item.

Insane.—A man named John Lahley, and his wife, Mary, were arrested one day last week, in Harrisburg, charged with disorderly conduct.

The woman hailed originally from Perry county, and became insane through religious excitement. He was struck on the head some years ago, which effected his mind and has since rendered him a desperate and dangerous character.

Record of the Weather for January.—Average of the thermometer at 8 o'clock, A. M., 24 deg. 10 min.

Average of the greatest heat, 37 deg. Average of the greatest degree of cold 16 deg. 46 min.

The coldest day was Tuesday the 10th—1 degree below zero.

There fell during the month, 1 inch and five-tenths of rain, and 3 1/2 inches of snow.

The wind blew from the north-west nine days; from the north four days; from the north-east six days; from the west nine days; from the south-west two days.

County Expenses.—The expenditures of the county for the past year according to the Treasurer's accounts are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Expense Category and Amount. Includes Court Expenses, Roads and Bridges, Poor House, etc.

Mush and Milk Festival.—The ladies of the Presbyterian church of Newport will hold a festival on St. Valentine's day, the 14th inst., in the afternoon and evening.

Burned to Death.—On Friday last, about 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the dwelling house of Mrs. Eve Nipple, an old lady residing in Licking Creek Valley about seven miles from this place, caught fire and when it was discovered the house was wrapped in flames.

Using a Wrong Bottle.—Last Sabbath morning a lady residing in the lower portion of the city, while attiring her children for church, picked from the bureau a bottle she supposed to be hair grease.

A Case of Fraud.—The "Ledger" says that Samuel A. Savidge, a member of the bar of Notherumberland county, has been bound over by United States Commissioner, Craig Biddle on the charge of passing forged or altered obligations of the United States, with intent to defraud.

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On Friday Feb., 24, Fickes & Smith at Millford will sell one good mare, buggy, spring wagon, sleigh etc.

On Wednesday March 1st, J. M. Stambaugh at his residence near Green Park will sell a fine lot of pigs and a sow, of pure chester breed, besides horses, cattle, harness, and a variety of farming implements.

Duncannon Items.—Our correspondent at Duncannon sends us the following: The mixed train going west on Thursday, due here at 6 p. m., struck an old man who was wandering on the track a mile west of the Cove station throwing him across south track; the train was stopped, the man taken on, and brought to this place, with a broken leg, and a number of ugly cuts and bruises about his person.

A large number of names are about being presented, in the shape of a petition to the P. R. R. Co., to move their depot at this place, up town, to their new warehouse; it will probably be removed, in spite of the heavy remonstrance, of the lower end, as the Co. own several lots there.

Sad Death.—Yesterday George McClees, apparently 60 or 70 years of age, came from his home, at Waynesburg, Chester county, to meet his daughter in this city, and escort her to his home.

The lady lives at Princess Ann, Md., and arrived at the Philadelphia, Wilmington, Baltimore railroad, by the Delaware train, accompanied by her two children. She sat down in the waiting-room, and shortly after Mr. McClees came in and joyfully greeted them. The words of greeting were scarcely spoken, when he suddenly tottered, and then sunk down to the floor, and without a struggle, almost instantly died.

The scene, as he lay there, the daughter stricken with grief and terror bending over him, and the little children sobbing as if their childish hearts would break, was indescribably sad, and awakened the profoundest sympathy of all who witnessed it.

The grief-stricken daughter and her children were taken to the United States hotel, and Coroner Woodward took charge of the body. Dr. Askew was called in, and pronounced the case enlargement of the heart, and the Coroner's jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the facts.

Mr. Gordon, at the depot, took the most thoughtful care of the family, and had Mr. Mitchell furnish a coffin, and this morning he sent the mother and children to the Reading depot, and also made arrangements to send the body forward in the same train.—Harrisburg State Journal.

Barned to Death.—On Friday last, about 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the dwelling house of Mrs. Eve Nipple, an old lady residing in Licking Creek Valley about seven miles from this place, caught fire and when it was discovered the house was wrapped in flames. The neighbors gathered immediately, when the old lady was observed lying dead inside the door, her limbs having been entirely burned off, and her body a charred mass. Through the exertions of those present her remains were taken from the burning building, placed in a box, and were buried the same day near where the house stood. The house and contents were entirely consumed. Mrs. Nipple was an eccentric old lady living on a small farm which she owned, with only a little dog for a companion. Mr. McCahan informs us that for the past ten years she has been unable to do any housework, his family doing the baking, etc., for her, and visiting her house daily. She was over one hundred years of age, but how much older is not known. It was generally supposed that she had in her possession a considerable amount of money. After the fire was over, search was made among the debris, when the clasp of a pocket-book, a five-dollar gold piece, and ten cents in silver, was found, the gold piece not having been injured in the least by the fiery ordeal through which it had passed. The origin of the fire is unknown.—Millintown Independent.

Using a Wrong Bottle.—Last Sabbath morning a lady residing in the lower portion of the city, while attiring her children for church, picked from the bureau a bottle she supposed to be hair grease. With this she anointed their heads and sent them to attend their religious duties. Yesterday morning, to her astonishment, their heads and faces were found to be swollen and inflamed. It appears that by a mistake, she had got hold of a wrong bottle, and administered a preparation of croton-oil, highly scented like ordinary hair grease, which had been prescribed by a physician for a lady patient in the house, to be used externally. The consequence is that the children are badly, though not dangerously poisoned by the mistake. A physician was summoned, and the sufferers are now receiving medical treatment. This is the second case of a similar kind that has lately come under his observation. It should prove a caution to pharmacutists and medical men in preparations of this kind not to use flavoring material.—State Journal.

Sale Bills.—All orders for sale bills by mail, will be promptly attended to.

For The Bloomfield Times. Mr. Editor.—Allow me to state through your columns, that in my judgment, if the citizens of Bloomfield and vicinity permit the feelings they now have in favor of the D. B. & B. T. Railroad to pass by stifled and smothered, that their day of recovery from old foggyism will be past for this generation.

The people who are deeply interested in this road put me in mind of "Betsy and the Bear," they want some one to build the road and they will look on and say have we not built a nice road. Or they put me in mind of the man who became "defecto tipsy" and was found one morning by parson B, standing propped up against the corner of the church across the way and when asked by the parson whether he belonged to that church replied, no but I le-a-n that way.

The officers who were elected to take charge of these things are about as good as wooden men. A change would be well. They who are interested say keep quiet we don't want a railroad here and people begin to think the reason is that they fear it might bring another bank. It is time the people awake to their own interest.

A Centre Twp., Railroad Man.

A Geographical Enigma.

I am composed of twelve letters. My 8, 4, 2 and 12 is a county in Florida, My 11, 1, 4, and 9 is a town in Russia, My 3, 4, 5, 12 and 4 is a town in Switzerland:

My 11, 3, and 4, is a river in Europe, My 6, 2, and 1, is a mount in Asia, My 7, 8, 9, 6, 2, and 12, is a county in Georgia, My 10, 5, 4, 12, and 6, is a town in Austria, My whole is the name of a noted Inventor. Answer next week.

Railroad Meeting.—A meeting of the friends of the Duncannon, Bloomfield & Broad Top Railroad will be held in the court house in this borough on next Saturday at 1 o'clock. Those who have previously subscribed to the stock, will have a chance to increase their subscriptions, and subscriptions will be solicited. It is hoped there will be a full attendance.

Two Fine Farms for Sale.—Two good farms located near a growing town, convenient to the Pa. R. R. The farms are in a high state of cultivation, and will be sold on reasonable terms. For further particulars call at this office.

Church Notices.

Presbyterian preaching in the Court-room next Sunday at 11 in the morning, and at 6 in the evening. Prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday evening in the same place.

In the Lutheran Church, preaching on Sunday at 2 1/2 o'clock p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening.

Vacuum Oil is the best oil you can apply to harness or leather of any kind. It makes it soft and black, will not gum and renders leather water proof. Try it, and if not satisfactory, your money will be refunded. For sale by F. Mortimer & Co.

Wanted.—From 50 to 100 bushels of good Charcoal. For further particulars, inquire at this office.

Local Briefs.

The triplets recently born near Ickesburg have all died.

Attention is called to the advertisement of "A Non-explosive Lamp," in another column.

The ore mines at Millerstown will soon commence operations again.

The heavy body of snow caused the roofs of several barns in the county, and Peale's bark-sheds in this borough to fall in. Very many had their roofs cleared off on Tuesday last.

The next annual session of the Central Pennsylvania conference of the Methodist church will be held in Carlisle, commencing on the 8th of March, and continuing about eight days.

A company has been formed for the purpose of ascertaining whether there is coal or not in Spring twp. It is determined to spend \$500 in the search.

Rohrer's Lung Balsam will cure coughs, and is pleasant to take.

It appears to be a fact that wolves are infesting portions of this county. Two were seen only a few nights since, near the residence of Wm. Sloop, in Rye twp.

The citizens of the lower part of the county are improving themselves by holding debates at the Keystone School house every Thursday evening. The question for this week is, "Which brings the most sorrow among mankind—war or intemperance."

Mrs. Peter Smith, of Juniata township, broke her arm last week by slipping on the ice on the sidewalk at Newport.

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On Friday March 3d Messrs Shaffer & Co., in Rye twp., 4 1/2 miles west of Duncannon will sell 9 head of mules, horses, cows, wagon gears, tools, a large quantity of lumber and many other articles. W. C. Houser, Auctioneer.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c.

Parties wishing the prescription will please address Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON, No. 42 Cedar St., New York. 1y 4 41, a.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and direction for making and using the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 1y 4 41, a. No. 42 Cedar St., N. Y.

County Price Current.

Table listing prices for various commodities in Bloomfield, Pa., February 6, 1871. Includes Flour, Extra, Rye, Corn, etc.

Philadelphia Price Current.

Table listing prices for various commodities in Philadelphia, Pa., February 4, 1870. Includes White Wheat, Red Wheat, Rye, Corn, etc.

MARRIAGES.

CLEGG-STULTZ.—In Bloomfield, January 31st, 1871, at the M. E. Parsonage, by Rev. G. W. Bouse, Mr. Christian T. Clegg of this borough to Miss Jennie E. Stultz, formerly of Adams county, Pa. Gettysburg papers please copy.

DEATHS.

CLOUSER.—At her residence in Rockton, Clearfield Co., on the 27th of January Mrs. Susannah Clouser, consort of Geo. Clouser, aged 73 years, 8 months, and 18 days. Newport News please copy.

GIBSON.—On the 5th inst., Miss Harriet Gibson, of Carroll township.

A Perfectly Non-Explosive Lamp!

PERKINS & HOUSE'S PATENT LAMPS are the only Lamp that Gives Perfect Safety with all kinds of oil. They are made of brass, and will last a lifetime, making them the CHEAPEST LAMP IN THE WORLD.

APPEALS.

Notice is hereby given, that the Commissioners of Perry County, will hold the Triennial Appeals for the year 1871, for the townships and boroughs in said county, for the purpose of hearing all persons who may apply for redress, and to grant such relief to them as may appear just and reasonable. Appeals to commence at 9 o'clock in the morning and end at 3 in the afternoon of each day to wit:

At Shermansdale, for the township of Carroll, on Tuesday the 7th of February 1871.

At Centre School House, for the twp. of Wheatfield on Wednesday the 8th day of February 1871.

At Duncannon, for that borough and the township of Penn, on Thursday the 9th of February.

At Marysville for the bor. of Marysville and the twp. of Rye, on Friday the 10th day of February.

At Millerstown, for the bor. of Millerstown and township of Greenwood on Monday the 13th day of February 1871.

At Liverpool, for the bor. of Liverpool and the twp. of Liverpool, on Tuesday the 14th day of Feb., 1871.

At Montgomerie Ferry, for the twp. of Buffalo on Wednesday the 15th day of Feb. 1871.

At New Buffalo, for the bor. of New Buffalo and Watts twp. on the 16 day of Feb., 1871.

At Newport, for the bor. of Newport and Oliver twp., on Friday the 17th day of Feb., 1871.

At Newport, for the townships of Howe and Miller on Saturday the 18th day of Feb., 1871.

JOHN STEVENS, ZACHARIAH RICE, J. A. LINAWEAVER, } Commissioners. JOHN B. SULLER, Clerk. Jan. 17, 1871.

Two Valuable Farms

LOCATED IN JUNIATA COUNTY, PA., At Private Sale.

ONE of the farms contains 230 ACRES of well-improved land, with good buildings, and good water near the door, with fine fruit, and many other improvements. Stores, Mill, and Churches within sight.

The other contains 150 ACRES of well-improved land, good buildings, fine Spring of water near the door, and excellent fruit of many varieties. The land is in a high state of cultivation, and of the best quality. These are desirable farms and will be sold. For further particulars call on or address "TIMES OFFICE," New Bloomfield, Perry co., Pa. 4 41

ORPHANS' COURT SALE

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

ON SATURDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1871, to be sold on the premises, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following Real Estate, to wit: A Farm containing

1-44 Acres and 7 Perches, (strict measure), situate in Juniata township, Perry county, Pa., about two miles west of Newport, with weatherboard

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, Spring House, Wash House, and a great variety of other improvements; with fences in good order and a large new

FRAME BANK BARN. There is running water, excellent spring and sulphur water. The land is nearly all cleared, and in good cultivation, with meadows and other advantages. This farm was the residence of John Kough, deceased, who died seized thereof; Saw Mill, Foundry, Orchard, &c., and on the whole is a very desirable property.

At 10.30, on the same day, at 2 p. m., will be sold by public outcry, on the premises, another

FINE FARM, containing 132 ACRES and 81 perches, (strict measure); greater part cleared and in a good state of cultivation, with meadows, &c., with good weatherboard

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, also, a tenant house thereon, and

Frame Bank Barn, and numerous other improvements, with good fences, springs of water, apple orchards, etc. This farm adjoins one of the first described, and is still nearer to Newport. It is a very desirable property. Titles to both unexceptionable.

TERMS.—One-third and one-sixth of two-thirds, after deducting costs of proceeding in part thereof to remain in the premises, the interest thereof to be paid annually, by Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Kough, widow of said John Kough, deceased, during the time of her natural life, and upon her decease the principle shall be paid to the heirs of the said John Kough, or their legal representatives; to be secured by recognizances in the Orphans' Court of said county. That one-half of the balance of said purchase money be paid on confirmation of the sale; and the remainder in two equal annual payments with interest; to be secured by judgment bonds and mortgages.

JACOB E. KOUGH, MARY E. KOUGH, Trustees, appointed by the Court to sell the above Real Estate.

January 31, 1871.—ts

CARSON'S

Stellar Oil!

The alarming increase in the number of frightful accidents, resulting in terrible deaths and the destruction of valuable property, caused by the indiscriminate use of oils, known under the name of petroleum, prompts us to call your special attention to an article which will, wherever used, remove the CAUSE of such accidents.—We allude to

Carson's Stellar Oil

FOR ILLUMINATING PURPOSES.

The proprietor of this Oil has for several years felt the necessity of providing for, and presenting to the public, as a substitute for the dangerous compounds which are sent broadcast over the country, an oil that is SAFE and BRILLIANT, and entirely reliable. After a long series of laborious and costly experiments, he has succeeded in providing, and now offers to the public, such a substitute in "CARSON'S STELLAR OIL." It should be used by every family,—

1ST, Because it is safe beyond a question. The primary purpose in the preparation of STELLAR OIL has been to make it PERFECTLY SAFE, thus insuring the lives and property of those who use it.

2D, Because it is the most BRILLIANT liquid illuminator now known.

3D, Because it is more economical, in the long run, than any of the dangerous oils and fluids now in too common use.

4TH, Because it is intensely BRILLIANT, and therefore economical, giving the greatest possible light at the least expenditure to the consumer. Its present standard of SAFETY AND BRILLIANCY will always be maintained,—for upon this the proprietor depends for sustaining the high reputation the STELLAR OIL now enjoys.

To prevent the adulteration of this with the explosive compounds now known under the name of kerosene, &c., &c., it is put up for family use in Five Gallon cans, each can being sealed, and stamped with the trade-mark of the proprietor; it cannot be tampered with between the manufacturer and consumer. None is genuine without the TRADE-MARK.

STELLAR OIL is sold only by weight, each can containing five gallons of six and a line more each, thus securing to every purchaser full measure. It is the duty and interest of all dealers and consumers of illuminating oil to use the STELLAR OIL only, because it alone is known to be safe and reliable.

All orders should be addressed to

JARDEN & CO.,

WHOLESALE AGENTS, 130 South Front Street, Philadelphia.

A New

Leather, Harness and Oil Store

At Duncannon, Penn'a.

The subscriber has just opened in Duncannon, Perry county, Pa., opposite the National Hotel, a large and splendid assortment of

LEATHER, SADDLERY, OILS, TRUNKS, SHOE-FINDINGS, &c.

He is prepared to fill orders at the shortest notice and in the best manner. A number of the best workmen are employed, and repairing is done without delay and on the most reasonable terms. REFINED OIL—fire test—by the barrel, or in larger lots.

LUBRICATING and other OILS of the best quality, in lots to suit purchasers.

The CASH paid for Hides and Skins of any marketable kinds.

Please call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Duncannon, 54 H. JOS. M. HAWLEY.

AGENTS WANTED

FOR

Palace and Hovel;

OR,

Phases of London Life.

By D. J. Kirwan, the well-known Journalist.

The Very Largest Commissions Paid

This book is a beautiful Octavo of 665 pages, embellished with 200 Engravings, and a finely executed map of London designed and executed expressly for this work by eminent artists. It contains a full, graphic, and truthful statement of the Sights, Secrets, and Sensations of the great Metropolis of the World. Its pictures are from real life and yet so vivid and romantic that it almost brings one's recollection. It displays in bold relief the appalling misery of the poor, and the reckless luxury of the rich. The most saleable book in market. Circulars and sample pages sent free. Address BELKNAP & BLISS, 51

Hartford, Conn.