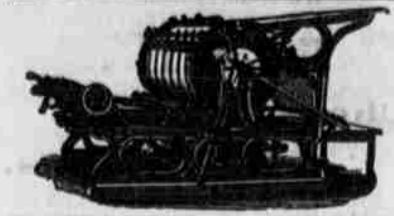


The Bloomfield Times



Tuesday, August 29, 1871.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

OUR TERMS

Are \$1 25 a Year in Advance.

Henry Ritter, a noted horse-thief, escaped from York county jail last week, by digging through the wall. He is five feet seven inches high, dark complexion. A reward of one hundred dollars is offered by the sheriff for his arrest.

Again Open.—The Academy in this borough began its fall session yesterday. Prof. W. H. Dill has charge of the educational departments, which is a guarantee that the pupils will be thoroughly instructed in all branches, necessary to fit them for admission to any college in the land. Additions have been made to the building for the accommodation of the students, so that more can be provided for, and there is no danger of their comfort being neglected while Mr. Grier has supervision of the institution. For gentlemen or young ladies this academy offers superior inducements.

Adams County Fair.—The ninth annual exhibition of the Adams County Agricultural Society will be held, at Gettysburg, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the 26th, 27th and 28th days of September next, with Monday, the 25th, as entrance day. The grounds, buildings, stalls, track, &c. (among the best in the State), are in thoroughly good condition; and the premium list is liberal. An unusually full and interesting exhibition is expected.

Threshing Machine Accident.—On Wednesday afternoon last, while threshing at the residence of Cornelius Graff, Wilson Shearer, a young man 20 years of age and son of John Shearer of Centre twp., was caught by the shaft and terribly injured. It appears that he was going to oil the machine while it was running and with his left hand was trying to remove the cap, when the bolt on the tumbling shaft caught in the coat sleeve of his arm breaking the bone in the shoulder socket, tearing away the skin and muscles, severing the arteries, and making a terrible wound. Dr. Strickler was summoned as soon as possible and Dr. Rutherford of Harrisburg was also sent for. As upon consultation it was thought impossible to save the life of the young man if the arm was amputated, the medical men thought best to try and dress the wounds and take the chances of his recovery, without amputation. The next day the young man was brought to this borough where he could have more prompt medical attendance, in case the arteries should again begin to bleed, and some hopes of his recovery are now entertained.

Curious Horse Case.—The Carliste Volunteer says: About a year ago, a horse was stolen from the farm of John Wolf, of South Middleton township, and although every effort was made to recover the animal all trace of it was lost. Last week, while the sale was in progress on the farm of the late John Noble, Mr. Wolf discovered the missing horse tied to a fence, and at once laid claim to him. The horse was also claimed by Mr. John Rife, residing below Boiling Springs, who stated that last spring he had obtained the horse from a gipsy in a trade, and had driven up to the sale, never suspecting any difficulty as to the ownership of the horse. It was agreed between the parties that the sheriff should take possession of the horse, and if Wolf proved property the horse was to be given up. Wolf came to town on Saturday last, proved that the horse was his beyond question, and took the animal home with him. Of course Rife will "go for" the gipsy, if he can discover his whereabouts. The probability is the gipsies purchased the horse from the original thief, else they would scarcely have brought it back into the very locality whence it was stolen.

On Last Tuesday evening a boy named Watson Rea was sitting with a companion in front of Molloy's plumbing establishment, on Eleventh avenue, and while endeavoring to explain to the latter the workings of a loaded revolver, which he had in his hand, the weapon was discharged, the ball entering Rea's right knee. Dr. Fay was summoned and the lodging place of the cartridge soon discovered, after which Rea was assisted to his home in East Altoona. An incision will be made and the ball extracted this morning if the wounded boy will permit it to be done. We have often told the boys of our city that there is danger in carrying loaded revolvers, but they appear to think different.—Altoona Tribune.

The Sign of the Times.—"Wanamaker & Brown, Oak Hall."

The County Sunday School Convention.

Delegates of various Sabbath Schools of this county met for the first time, according to the published call, at Loysville, last Thursday, August 24th, at 10 o'clock, to form a county Sunday school convention. After being temporarily organized and officered, the following permanent officers were elected: President, Rev. S. E. Herring, of Blain; Vice-Presidents, Revs. H. C. Cheston, R. McPherson, L. H. Secrist, Seibert, and Selheimer; Secretaries, Rev. D. Sell and J. L. Diven; Treasurer, J. H. Hoberacker. A constitution was then prepared and adopted during the morning session. At the afternoon session forty delegates reported, and an enthusiastic audience filled the entire church to hear the regular business of the convention. Three topics only were reached. 1st. The proper work of a convention. 2d. How to reach the destitute places of the county. 3d. Should schools be opened all the year round? on which last, the convention was unanimously affirmative. Other topics were postponed to a future meeting in Bloomfield, on Nov. 13th. The executive committee appointed, consisted of Messrs. McClure and Shoemaker, and Revs. Cheston, Secrist, and J. Edgar, Chairman. A pleasant feature of the convention was the attendance and singing of the Loysville Orphan School. Rev. McPherson addressed the closing evening session of the convention.

Adjourned Court.

The following is a report of the proceedings held at the adjourned court on Friday last: Jacob Tyson vs. Nathan Colyer. Application for a new trial, overruled. Judgment directed to be entered. McIntire and Barnett for plaintiffs, Sponsler and Potter for defendants. The application to set aside the report of the auditors of the accounts of Tuscarora township was granted, and the account was referred back to them with directions to again audit, and report in accordance with the act of Assembly. In the matter of the Juniata township accounts, the same action was taken. Annie M. Boyd, by her next friend, Robert J. Beaty, vs. Thos. Boyd. Application for divorce, granted. A vote was ordered to be taken on the 31st of October next, upon the question of removing the place for holding elections in the borough of Marysville. An order was issued by the court, changing the place of holding the elections in Howe township, to the school-house known as Marshall's No. 2.

Coal Oil Accident.

The following are the particulars of the accident which recently happened near Kittanning Point: Mrs. Brown, eldest daughter of Mr. McGarvey, with three sisters, two of them grown and the other about 12 years old, and a younger brother, were in the room on the first floor of the house, when Mrs. Brown proceeded to fill a coal oil lamp. The lamp was out, and the only light in the room was some distance off. The oil can holding near a half gallon, together with the lamp she was filling, both exploded, saturating her clothing and that of her sister standing near, which at once ignited and enveloped them in flames. Mrs. Brown instantly ran up stairs to her husband, who had already retired. He sprang from the bed and threw a comfort about her to smother the flames, but was unsuccessful. The girl was taken out of the house by an elder sister, her clothing on fire. Both died in the course of three hours afterward. Mr. Brown, in endeavoring to save his wife, was terribly burned, and lingered in great misery until Saturday evening when he died. Three others of the family were also burned, but not dangerously. The three victims of this heart-rending accident were buried at Fairview Cemetery.

A Burglar Killed.

On Monday night a burglar attempted to rob the store at Martha Furnace, on the Bald Eagle Valley railroad, kept by a man named Thompson, by attempting to effect an entrance through the transom over the door. Mr. Thompson heard the noise, and fired one shot out of his revolver, intending to frighten the burglar away. On opening the door the next morning, he discovered the burglar lying dead, shot through the head. He seemed to have been standing upon a barrel, with his head in position to receive the shot. A letter directed to Miss Anna Robinson, Pittsburg, was found upon his person, but nothing to identify him.—Blair Co. Radical.

Newspaper Borrowers.

Of all things contemptible, a man who will read a paper at his neighbor's expense is the most despicable; especially if that man esteems it his duty to lower papers collectively, and editors generally. They always meet the carrier first, snatch the paper, and greedily devouring every morsel of news it contains, throw it aside, saying, with a contemptuous curl of the lip: "What trash; it is really fit for nothing but waste paper." And yet week after week they seem as anxious to gain possession of the paper, and seem as disappointed at its non-arrival as the good paying subscriber, who ever welcomes it as a pleasant visitor. Strange world this.—Ez.

Cucumber Wood Pumps for wells of any depth can be had of F. Mortimer, & Co. A supply now on hand.

Jimmy Heffelfinger Now Fearful.

DEAR SIR:—Doubtless your readers have marvelled at my silence during the past week, but it was unavoidable. Sir Walter Scott observed nearly one hundred years ago, that the ordinary disappointments, troubles and ills of life simply served to rouse and irritate, but great calamities render men voiceless. Never before did I so fully experience this truth. The blinding snow drives of the Alps, stagger and annoy the tourist, but the leap of the Avalanche carries him at a single swoop into the gorge of Death. It is even said that the human voice amid the glaciers of Mont Blanc becomes an executioner, loosening by its vibratory wave the white mountains of death. What the Avalanche is to the traveler high upon the frozen Jura, has been the action of the people of Perry on Monday last, in placing by acclamation one of her own citizens in the field for the Judgeship, and that too with a vim and enthusiasm unprecedented in her history, and worst of all, and most to be deplored, with a unanimity of purpose so vehemently expressed as to render the act absolutely appalling; no one dissenting and none crying aloud. It was expected that the stones of Jerusalem were to say something at the proper moment, and I hoped from the similitude of the situation that the hoop poles of Perry would at least protest, but they did not, so far as I have been informed. Is it any wonder that I was silent?—Nay, I was prostrated and with a mustard plaster on my head and a decoction of peach blossoms on my feet, I am now barely able to take the field against this great crime. Even now I only do so to warn our friends in Cumberland, that as in the ancient apologue, it is the purpose of the electors of this county to kill the lawful heir and seize upon the inheritance. Place no reliance upon anything being done in this county to thwart this conspiracy, for although a few of us will raise our voices and use our presses as we have done in years past to stint the aspirations of our own citizens within the narrow bounds prescribed by a just appreciation of your superiority, still it will not avail and well may Old Mother Cumberland cry out like the frantic sear "Oh how sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to have a thankless child." I am troubled on every side, I am perplexed but have not yielded to despair. I have a hope, for a prophet is not without honor save in his own country. It is true the result of my labor in Perry has been not only fruitless but disastrous, and I now turn my eyes with trembling to the fair county of Juniata where I still expect we can make a stand and check the bold conspirators of Perry. Should this fail, alas! nothing is sure, then all is lost. Concentrate then on Juniata—make her blue waters vocal with the eloquence of right "Thrice doubly armed is he who hath his quarrel just." I have dispatched Cliffentaffer to see McGarranahan who is said to be roaring like a bull of Baashan at the result in Perry, whose report will be given you next week. Finally I would have our friends in Carlisle remember that Troy was only lost when the statue of Minerva (which fell from Heaven) was captured by the assailants and with this example before them I close by repeating the axiom "A word to the wise is sufficient."

Yours with fear and trembling,
JIM HEFFELFINGER.

Who in view of this great calamity feels indifferent about his mere personal interests.

[COMMUNICATED.]
A Remarkable Hunt.

MR. EDITOR—The "New Bloomfield Fur Company" is in a prosperous condition. Having recently taken in two new members, who owned dogs they commenced operations for the season one night last week, under the leadership of their noble captain.—"Reddy the Blacksmith" No. 2. They had got about two miles from home when one of the dogs found some game, or rather the game found him, for he was bitten by a snake. The members of the company at once began a hunt for some sweet milk which having been found after much search, they administered some to the dog, and in a short time he was so nearly convalescent that he was able to be brought home on a wheelbarrow, all the members working well in the shafts, each taking a turn. The next hunt of the company will be for some one who will take home the wheelbarrow, unless some one will volunteer for that duty.
A MEMBER.

For The Bloomfield Times.

MR. EDITOR:—Having concluded a visit to your town, we feel that we can not better express our appreciation of the kindness received, than through the medium of your paper. Our thanks are due to the unvarying courtesy of your citizens; especially to Mr. Sutch, Proprietor of the Perry House, who so kindly entertained us.
H. W. M. P.
Philadelphia, Aug. 25th, 1871.

Local Briefs.

Previous to the rain of Thursday night the ground in many places was too dry to plow. The heavy showers which have fallen since make it too wet now.

Work at the Presbyterian church was begun again last week, and an attempt is now being made to finish the building before winter.

A valuable horse belonging to Adam Earnest near Patterson recently dropped dead from the heat, while plowing.

Markelville is getting up a military company with good prospects of success. Dr. VanCamp is the prime mover in the enterprise.

The camp meeting in Stambaugh's woods near Green Park was brought to a close on Wednesday evening. The attendance had been good and the weather favorable, and all who attended expressed themselves much pleased.

On Thursday night about midnight, one of the heaviest showers of the season visited this borough. The lightning was almost continuous, and the thunder made the windows rattle. On Friday night we had a similar visitation.

The attendance at Carlisle on Saturday a week when the soldiers monument was unveiled was quite large and the services were interesting. Quite a number from this place were present on the occasion.

Newport Items.

Our correspondent from Newport sends the following items:

We were visited by a terrific storm on Friday night, the thunder and lightning being without intermission.

Potatoes are a drug in our town at 35 cents per bushel. Sweet potatoes are selling for 40 cents per peck.

The Juniata is rapidly rising from the effects of the late rains.

The slaters have finished the roof of Singer's building, and it looks finely.

Dearing & Bro. have been awarded the contract for furnishing eleven hundred perches of stone to the new furnace at \$1.20 per perch. The railroad siding to the ground where the furnace is to be located, is completed.

Rapid Sale will be found the coming season, for the celebrated "York Boots" manufactured by M. B. Spahr at York Pa. Merchants who sell them can guarantee their quality to their customers.

A want has been felt and expressed by physicians for a safe and reliable purgative.—Such a one is now supplied in Parsons' Purgative Pills.

Public Sales.—We call attention to the following sales, bills for which have been printed at this office.

On Saturday Sept., 2d, Mr. Andrew B. Smiley from his residence in Carroll twp., near the Shallow Fording will sell horses, colts, young cattle and shotes.

On Saturday Sept., 23, the assignees of Henry Comp of Tuscarora twp., will sell at his farm in said township, horses, bulls, cows, farming implements &c. And also will offer for sale a lot in Millertown Pa. having dwelling house and other buildings thereon.

Henry K. Bond, of Jefferson, Maine, was cured of spitting blood, soreness and weakness of the stomach, by the use of Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

A Live Home Journal.—Notable Change.

Last October, *Health and Home* passed into the hands of Messrs. Orange Judd & Co., of 245 Broadway, New York, the well known publishers of the *American Agriculturist*—a journal long without a rival in sterling value and circulation. The marked improvements then expected to appear in *Health and Home* have been fully realized, and it is now one of the choicest illustrated journals anywhere issued for the family circle—adapted to both the juvenile and adult people, and meeting the special wants of the housekeeper. Besides it supplies very useful chapters for the garden and farm, and an important News sheet, giving a valuable resume of the news for a week, up to the moment of issue. From \$500 to \$800 worth of very fine engravings beautifully each weekly number. We notice now a still further mark of enterprise on the part of the publishers; they have secured the exclusive editorial services of Edward Eggleston, so widely and favorably known by his writings in *Seribner's Monthly*, and many other Magazines and Journals, and especially as the chief superintending Editor of the *New York Independent* for some time past. With this notable addition to the previously large and strong editorial force, *Health and Home* cannot fail to merit and command a prominent place in every household, in city, village, and country. Specimen copies can doubtless be obtained of the publishers, as above. Terms only \$3 a year. Single numbers 8 cents. *Health and Home* and *American Agriculturist* together, \$4 a year. Better add one or both of them to your supply of reading; they are each worth infinitely more than the small cost.

Choice Reading.—Wanamaker & Brown's Fall Advertisement.

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County Price Current.

Table listing various agricultural products and their prices in Bloomfield, August 28, 1871. Items include Flax Seed, Potatoes, Butter, Eggs, Dried Apples, Dried Peaches, Pealed Peaches, Cherries, Pitted, Blackberries, Onions, and various other goods.

NEWPORT MARKETS.

Table listing various agricultural products and their prices in Newport, August 25, 1871. Items include Flour, Extra, Red Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Timothy Seed, Flax Seed, Potatoes, Ground Alum Salt, Limeburner's Coal, Stone Coal, Pea Coal, Smith Coal, Cross Ties, Fish, Salt, Lime and Coal.

Philadelphia Price Current.

Table listing various agricultural products and their prices in Philadelphia, August 26, 1871. Items include Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Timothy Seed, Flax Seed, Potatoes, Country Lard, Eggs, Butter, Washed Wool.

New Advertisements.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that letters of administration on the estate of Esther Kell, deceased, late of Sayville township, Perry county, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, residing in said township. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement to HENRY KELL, Administrator.

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