

The Bloomfield Times.

Tuesday, July 15, 1873.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

Notices of Marriages and Deaths not exceeding four lines, will be inserted free, and continue throughout the county are requested to send such notices in.

Duncannon, Bloomfield & Leysville R. R.

This Company now being duly organized is prepared to receive subscriptions to the Capital Stock. Subscription blanks can be had at the Perry County Bank, or of either of the officers of the Company at Bloomfield, or of W. H. Swartz, at Duncannon.

The Directors of the Company urge upon the citizens of the County, the importance of prompt action so that the work of grading the road can be commenced this season.

Swallowed a Needle.—A little girl, daughter of Mr. Peter Stouffer, of this borough, swallowed a needle which she was holding in her mouth, on Saturday evening.

Duncan's Island Bridge.—The recent bridge letting across the Juniata, appears to have stirred up the bile of some parties. There do seem to be some things that need some explanation, but we suppose the officials interested can easily show that everything was regular.

Died in the Cars.—A gentleman named J. B. Penfield, died on Tuesday morning in one of the palace cars attached to the fast line going east, just as the train was entering Harrisburg.

Suffocated.—On Thursday night a man named Perry Hippel, was found dead in the fillers room at the Newport Furnace. From the position in which the body was found, it is supposed he was overcome by the gas, and fell with his neck across a bench which strangled him, and caused his death.

Fatally Burned.—Between 4 and 5 o'clock on Saturday afternoon an accident happened to a child of Frank Rohm's, in Centre twp., which proved fatal. The mother had gone out for water leaving a little girl aged about 4 years in the room alone.

Attempt to Kill.—Last Saturday evening week, an Irishman by the name of McQueen went to his brother-in-law's house, in Lykens with the avowed purpose of killing him. His sister seeing him coming closed the door, and fastened it, but as he tried to break it in, she opened it, and endeavored to get him home.

Snyder County Ticket.—The following is the ticket nominated by the Republicans of Snyder county: For Senator—Dr. B. F. Wagenseller, of Selingsgrove, subject to decision of District Conference.

For Assembly—G. Alfred Schoch, of Middleburg, subject to the decision of District Conference. For Associate Judge—Benjamin L. Raubenush, of Beaver Springs.

Sugars.—Now is the time to buy your Sugars for preserving. Prices are lower than they have been for ten years. Call at F. MORTIMER'S, and examine the quality and bear the price.

Our Mineral Wealth.—A gentleman who was recently prospecting throughout Perry county, for iron ore, gives the result of his search in a lengthy communication to the Harrisburg Telegraph, the following portion of which we copy:

"New Bloomfield is located on a level plat, and is surrounded by as good limestone land as can be found anywhere. As to the inhabitants, we, from our brief acquaintance, are inclined to the belief that few places in our State can boast of so much general intelligence, refinement and sociability as are found in the county seat of Perry county.

While here we had a chat with Frank Mortimer, president of the proposed Duncannon, Bloomfield and Leysville railroad (also editor of the Bloomfield Times), whose exertion in its final completion we hope may be crowned with success. The route extends through a country groaning with iron ore and other minerals, and Perry county awaits but the completion of this road to enable it to make rapid strides in prosperity excelled by no county in the annals of our State.

Were the road to be extended to Newton Hamilton, a town on the P. R. R., almost an hour's time could be saved to passengers going westward by this route. For proof of this assertion take a map of our State and trace the P. R. R., from Duncannon to Newton Hamilton—then the new route across the country.

We were to see a body of fossil ore developed within one week on the farm of Mr. Lackey, and found it to be from 2 1/2 to 3 feet in depth, and extending a distance of three miles in length and something near one-fourth of a mile in width. Vast beds of various species of ores have within a few weeks been discovered, which will yield thousands of tons of metal.

We returned from Perry highly delighted, and advise all pleasure and health seekers to visit old Perry, and feel confident that one week's snuffing of its healthy air will be worth to them all its costs.

Protection against Moths:—Many of our housekeepers will be glad to know of a remedy for the great loss and trouble caused in our houses every season by the ravages of moths. A German inspector of passenger cars states, that a single stem of hemp, with the leaves and blossoms, mixed with the stuffing of a car seat, will protect it from moths for years, and that hemp for this purpose should be gathered just when in blossom, dried rapidly in the shade, and kept in covered wooden vessels in a dry place.

Is Your Wife Fretful? This is certainly very wrong of her. No doubt she will plead her thousand and one cares, but all that gives her no right to disturb her lord's peace. Let me whisper in your ear. I think I can suggest a scheme that will make her ashamed of this irritability. Try upon her the tenderness of the honeymoon. Don't think to make her happy with a dress; but when you come home bring with you a "Singer" sewing machine—show her that she is in all your thoughts. This is the medicine that will cure her. It is specific for many of the worst complaints among our wives.

Glass Jars.—The best styles of Glass Fruit Jars, at low prices can be had of F. MORTIMER.

Wants What is Due Him. Mr. Editor.—As the interesting bounty case was decided in New Jersey in favor of the soldiers, why should the Government not pay the \$33.33 with interest from the time we were discharged? We claim that the Government has as good right to pay her debts as any body else.

Now if there are any willing to go in to collect this claim let us hear from them. A DOZEN OF US.

Absent Minded. Mr. Editor.—There is a man near this town so absent minded, that when he goes to town on horse-back, he forgets all about his horse and walks home without him, and only remembers of having ridden to town when he reaches home and prepares to retire.

A very severe rain storm passed over this county at an early hour on Friday morning. Several buildings in the lower end of this county and in Dauphin county were injured by lightning.

The Highest Bidder Wins!

The Legislature passed an act making an appropriation of eighteen thousand dollars, for the erection of a bridge across the mouth of the Juniata River, to be borne jointly by Dauphin and Perry county. Now that the Bridge has been let for the full amount of the appropriation, we as a tax payer, desire to know the manner, and the means of said letting.

This is only one of the strange features of this strange affair. The whole matter is slightly obscured. Now we desire to know if this was a Ring affair? and if so who received the consideration?

That there were other responsible bidders is not doubted for a moment. Bidders to within a few dollars of \$18,000. Tobias Bichel's bid was for \$17,500. J. R. Dunbar & Co., \$17,285.00. The Iron Bridge Co., \$17,400.00. H. Heikel, \$17,700. All these bids were made by responsible parties. One of the flimsy pretenses as given by the parties connected with this questionable transaction is that Christian Heikel, the highest and successful bidder agreed to exonerate the Commissioners from any trouble in regard to the stone.

We also demand an investigation, and the exposure of any person guilty of irregularities, be they Commissioners, clerks, or anybody else connected with a matter that is of so much importance to the people we would also like to know if there is anything in the law prohibiting a Commissioner from being superintendent of the work after insisting in an eloquent speech, that the highest bidder should have the bridge to build?

Cumberland County.—From the Cumberland County papers of last week, we copy the following: Mr. Tobias Seitz, of West Pennsborough township, is fattening a steer, which weighs 3,200 pounds. It is his intention to keep the same until sometime during the holidays, and then dispose of him.

Charles Taylor, who was shot through mistake a few weeks since is recovering, and will soon be able to resume work. The ball has not yet been extracted and still remains in the back part of his neck. A valuable sorrel stallion belonging to Mr. Wm. M. Henderson, broke his leg in some manner on Monday. The horse will undoubtedly have to be shot, as it is the opinion of many persons that he cannot recover.

Mr. Mich. Rider, who lives about two miles north east of Dry Run, had a very valuable roan mare killed by lightning on the morning of the 4th. She was found dead in the field at the root of a locust tree, with a piece of the bark of the tree in her mouth. There was a strip of hair shingled off her neck and breast. The lightning then forked and passed down her legs.

Thursday afternoon the mail coach, belonging to H. C. Rice, which runs between Shippensburg, and Dickinson, narrowly escaped being converted into a pile of oven wood. Mr. Rice had left his team standing in front of the post office, while he went for the mail pouch, and during his absence the team started at full speed up the street. One of the animals being blind, not knowing where she was going, ran the pole of the coach against the large post on the side walk in front of Ruby & Co.'s drug store, where the vehicle was brought to a sudden stand. There were two occupants in the coach, both ladies, who were speedily removed, having suffered no injuries, but apparently badly frightened.

Mr. George Eppley has been appointed postmaster at Marysville, this week. A conductor named Wm. Gillard, employed on a ballast train, was injured at Perdix station on Monday of last week.

The Republican Delegate elections will be held on Saturday, July 26th and the county Convention will be held on the Monday following. A cow belonging to Mrs. Mary M. Cupples, of Brown tp., Millin co., gave birth to twin calves last week. This cow has had four calves within a year—twins twice.

Nearly one half of all the sewing machines sold last year in the United States were Singer machines, showing the appreciation the public have of their merits. So far we have found among our list of subscribers, two 'ten cent men,' that is two men who refused to pay ten cents postage on their paper for the next six months. Poor fellows!

Van Amburg's Show on Monday of last week gave unusual satisfaction to those who visited it. The men were the most quiet and orderly of any set of show men we ever saw.

The benefits of "local option" were plainly to be seen during the visit of the show last week. Though the crowd on the streets was very great, no drunkenness was to be seen, and the town was remarkably orderly.

The Central Pennsylvania Conference of the "Evangelical Association," at their late session, held in the borough of Lewisburg, located a mission along the Juniata river, at and between the points, Thompsonstown and Lewistown, and have appointed the Rev. S. W. Seibert, of this place, missionary on said field of labor.

On Monday of last week a young man driving a dark gray horse attached to a buggy was thrown out just beyond Broneman's blacksmith shop, while trying to pass another vehicle. The young lady with him proved the "best man" of the two, as she stuck to the buggy. It took about half an hour to repair damages and get under way again, and we much fear he did not get a chance to drive past the other vehicle after all.

AGENTS WANTED. In every county of each State, for a new National Book: (THE LIVES AND PORTRAITS OF THE PRESIDENTS) with facsimile copy of the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution of the United States, and Washington's Farewell Address, with 19 fine steel plates. For Circulars and Terms address Johnson Wilson & Co., 27 Beekman Street, N. Y. 27 4 ta lmo

County Price Current. BLOOMFIELD, July 14, 1873. Flax Seed, 1 60. Potatoes, 75. Butter # pound, 15 cents. Eggs # dozen, 16 "

NEWPORT MARKETS. [Corrected Weekly by Kough, Snyder & Co.] DEALERS IN GRAIN & PRODUCE. NEWPORT, July 13, 1873.

Flour, Extra, 87 00. Super, 5 00. White Wheat # bu., 1 70. Red Wheat, 1 50 @ 1 50. Rye, 70. Corn, 45 @ 45. Oats # 32 pounds, 35. Barley, 75. Clover Seed, 48 @ 50. Timothy Seed, 2 50. Flax Seed, 1 50. Potatoes, 60. Ground Alum Salt, 2 00. Limeburner's Coal, 2 40. Stove Coal, 4 50 @ 5 50. Pea Coal, 3 00. Smith Coal, 25 cts. # bus. Cross Ties, 3/4 feet long, 50 @ 50 cents. Bacon, 7 @ 12.

FISH, SALT, LIME AND COAL. Of all kinds always on hand and for sale at the Lowest Market Rates. Five per cent off for Cash.

CARLISLE PRODUCE MARKET. COLLECTED WEEKLY. Carlisle, July 11, 1873. Family Flour, 49 00. Superfine Flour, 5 50. Superfine Rye Flour, 4 50. White Wheat, 1 45. Red Wheat, 1 35. Rye, 60. Corn, 40. Oats, 35. Cloverseed, 4 75. Timothy seed, 3 50. Flaxseed, 1 80. G. A. Salt, 1 80.

Philadelphia Price Current. [CORRECTED WEEKLY BY] J. C. McNaughton, Jas. Eichelman, W. D. Eichelman. J. C. McNaughton & Co., (Established 1867.) (Successors to Postlethwaite, McNaughton & Co.) General Commission Merchants, No. 264 South Front St. Consignments of Lumber, Grain, Fruit, Poultry, Butter, Eggs, Game, &c., solicited.

PHILADELPHIA, July 10, 1873. Flour—Superfine, 4 50 @ 5 00. Extra, 6 00 @ 7 00. Fancy, 10 00 @ 11 00. White Wheat, 2 00 @ 2 00. Red Wheat, 1 50 @ 1 50. Rye, 75 @ 75. Cloverseed, 7 @ 8 per 5. Timothy Seed, 3 00 @ 3 50 bush. Corn, 55 @ 57. Oats, white, 45 @ 47. Oats, mixed, 39 @ 41. Land country, 8 @ 9 per 5. Onions, red and yellow, 6 00 @ 7 00 per bbl. Eggs, 22 @ 23. Butter—prime roll, 14 @ 15. common, 10 @ 12. Wool—washed, 45 @ 50 per lb. unwashed, 25 @ 30 per lb. Spring Chickens, 21 @ 25. Live, 15 @ 17. Feathers—Live Geese—prime, 70 @ 75. inferior, 25 @ 35.

DEATHS. FRITZ.—On Thursday, July 10th, 1873, at Mt. Joy, Lancaster county, Pa., Benjamin J. Fritz, infant son of Geo. W. and Ada Fritz, aged 1 year, 11 months and 5 days. DUNBAR.—On Monday, July 7th, 1873, at Port Royal, Juniata county, Pa., Frank C. Dunbar, infant son of John and Ella Dunbar, aged 3 years and 6 months. "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

New Advertisements. ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the estate of Frederick Flemming, late of Carroll township, Perry county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the subscriber 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 MARGARET FLEMMING, Administrator. July 14, 1873—44

SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of sundry writs of Venditioni Exponas and a writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of the court of Common Pleas of Perry county, and to me directed, I will expose to public sale, at the Court House, in the Borough of Bloomfield, said county, on THURSDAY, JULY 24, 1873, at one o'clock p. m., of said day, the following described real estate, to wit:

A Lot of Ground, in Jackson township, Perry county, Pa., in the village of Blain, being 60 feet front by 150 feet deep, bounded on the East by an alley, on the South by lot of Thomas Segar, on the North by lot of Daniel Sheaffer, and on the West by Main Street, having thereon erected a two story brick house, shoemaker shop, frame stable, and other outbuildings; as the property of John Harman.

A Tract of Land, situate in Wexford township, Perry county, Pa., containing 12 acres, more or less, about 9 acres cleared, bounded by lands of Henry Derbaugh, John Cook, Kinks heirs, and others, having thereon erected a two story house, frame stable and outbuildings; as the property of Benard Gratte.

A Tract of Land, situate in Rye township, Perry county, Pa., containing 118 acres, more or less, bounded by lands of Duncannon Iron Company, Henry Seiser, Pierce & Guleley, David Collier, Smece & Emsminger, Jacob Emsminger, A. S. Loy, and others, having thereon erected 2 two story frame weatherboarded houses, bank barn, saw mill, wagon shed, blacksmith shop, and other outbuildings; as the property of Hathaway & Robinson.

A Lot of Ground, situated in Carroll township, Perry county, Pa., containing 6 acres, more or less, bounded by lands of A. M. Fleck, John Smith, W. H. Ward, and others, having thereon erected a two story pebble-dashed house, with basement, frame grist-mill, saw-mill, cider-mill, stable, and other outbuildings; Also, Defendants interest in

A Tract of Land, situated in Carroll township, said county, and State, containing 6 acres, more or less, bounded by lands of John Smith, John Jones, John Smiley, W. H. Ward, and others; as the property of Henry Brown.

A Tract of Land, situated in Saville township, Perry county, Pa., containing 117 acres, more or less, about 40 acres cleared, bounded by lands of Stiles K. Boden, Davidson Miller, and others, having thereon erected a two story log house, log barn, and other outbuildings; as the property of Jacob H. Klechner.

A Lot of Ground, situate in the borough of Bloomfield, Perry county, Pa., bounded on the North by an alley, on the West by lot of Charles H. Smiley, on the South by Main street, and on the East by lot of Hanson Pennell, having thereon erected a two story log and plastered house, with back building attached, a stable and other improvements; as the property of David Mickey.

All sized and taken in execution and to be sold by D. M. RINESMITH, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Bloomfield, July 2, 1873. NOTE.—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid when the property is stricken down and the balance on Monday of the August court, 1873.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE!

BY virtue of a deed of voluntary assignment for the benefit of creditors, by Andrew Schaubla, of Chambersburg, Franklin county, Pa., dated the 14th day of March, 1873, I will sell at public sale, in front of the COURT HOUSE,

IN CARLISLE, On Wednesday, August 6, 1873, At 10 1/2 o'clock, A. M., of said day, the following described Real Estate, to wit: No. 1.—A FARM in Middlesex township, Cumberland county, Pa., about two and a half miles North East of Carlisle, containing FIFTY ACRES

more or less. The improvements are a Two Story Log and Weatherboarded DWELLING HOUSE, And a BARN, part Log and part Frame. A well of excellent water near the door of the dwelling. A good Apple Orchard, and a variety of choice Fruit trees. This is a very desirable property to any person wishing a good investment and a pleasant home.

No. 2.—All the right, title, and interest of the said Assignor to and in that certain TRACT OF MOUNTAIN LAND, situate in Carroll township, Perry county, Pa., conveyed by Jacob H. Smiley and wife to the said Andrew Schaubla, by deed, dated the 13th day of March, 1860, and bounded by lands of Nathan Jones, John F. Sailor, James White, and others, containing THIRTY-FIVE ACRES and One Hundred and Twenty-Nine Perches, more or less.

Terms made known on day of sale. For further information call on or address the subscriber at Carlisle, Pa. J. W. SMILEY, Assignee of ANDREW SCHAUBLA.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE At Private Sale.

The undersigned will sell at private sale his valuable farm situate in Juniata township, Perry county, Pa., adjoining lands of George Tizell, George Ickes and others, containing 91 ACRES, of Red State land, about 75 Acres are cleared, and in a high state of cultivation. The balance is well set with timber. The improvements are a good two story Log and Weatherboarded

DWELLING HOUSE, LARGE BANK BARN, TENANT HOUSE, CARRIAGE HOUSE, NEW LOG PEN and WOOD HOUSE. There is also a Well of good water near the house. There are also TWO GOOD APPLE ORCHARDS on this farm, with a variety of other fruit trees. This property is near the village of Markleville in a good neighborhood. Any person desiring to purchase a home, should see this property before making a final investment. Price—\$5,000; payments, \$2,000 on the 1st of April, 1874, at which time a deed will be delivered, and possession given. The balance to be paid in three equal annual payments, with interest, to be secured by judgment bonds. Call on or address JACOB KLINE, Markleville, Perry co., Pa. or LEWIS POTTER, New Bloomfield, Perry co., Pa.