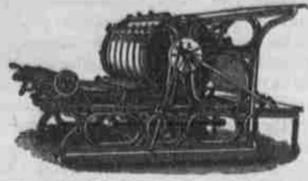


The Bloomfield Times.

NEW BLOOMFIELD, PENN'A. Tuesday, June 16, 1874.



Laws Relating to Newspaper Subscriptions

The following is the law relating to newspaper subscriptions... 1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary, are considered willing to continue their subscription.

A Remarkable Will.

Marin O. Walker, one of the oldest and wealthiest citizens of Chicago, died last week. His will is a most extraordinary document. It places all his property in the hands of four trustees; directs that they shall pay each of his two sons annuities which shall not be less than \$800 nor more than \$5,000, but within these limits gives absolute discretion to the trustees; provides that the estate shall be divided among the grand-children of the testator upon the death of his sons, and failing issue from the sons, that it shall be kept intact for twenty-one years, and then be used for benevolent purposes, according as the trustees may direct.

Town Blown Away.

Tampico, Ills., June 7.—A terrible tornado passed over this village last night, making a complete wreck of it. Wonderful to say, no lives were lost, though a number of persons were injured—several seriously. Twenty-one dwellings were destroyed, and every house in the town was more or less damaged. The elevator, of Glass, Horn & Bryant, containing 12,000 bushels of grain, and that of Black, containing 5000 bushels, were totally demolished. The depot of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad was badly damaged. The most serious casualties are Mrs. J. G. Gates, leg broken in two places, Maria Banes, jaw broken and dangerously injured in the head, recovery doubtful; another Mrs. Gates, seriously bruised; Mrs. Pearson, badly injured; Mrs. Gale, shoulder broken; Granville Conner, badly hurt about the head; J. G. Gates, bruised seriously. A number of others were injured, none seriously. Cannot estimate the amount of damage yet. The people are hunting up and gathering together what little the storm has left them. The tornado struck us at 11:10, and was accompanied by rain and severe thunder and lightning. The storm came from the West and lasted but a few minutes. As soon as information of the calamity reached the officers of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad, they volunteered a special train, which has just arrived, bringing Dis. Edwards and Cook from Mendota to our assistance.

Sad Death by Lightning.

A sad case of death by lightning occurred near Worthington, Minn., on Saturday last, the particulars of which are thus given in the St. Paul Press: A house on Ocheeda lake was struck by a current of the disastrous fluid, and both ends of the house blown out by the explosion, causing the roof to fall. The house was occupied by a man, his wife and two children.

The woman escaped from the ruins with her babe, and the other child succeeded in saving himself. The father was stunned by the lightning, which struck him upon the hand, and was firmly held in the ruins by the timbers falling upon him. The light lumber quickly ignited, and despite the almost superhuman exertions of the mother and child to drag his body forth, the body of the unfortunate man was burned.

On Monday evening during the prevalence of a storm at Johnstown, a son of Henry Shaffer, aged 15 years, of Kernville, while standing on the pavement, fell dead. A vivid flash of lightning occurred just at the time; but there appeared no evidence to indicate that he had been killed by the lightning.

A Terrible Situation.

A few days ago a laboring man started to walk from Port Huron to Detroit. He laid by during the heat of the day, and was walking in the evening to make it up. While crossing the track where a switch leads down along the main track he got his foot caught in a "frog," and his efforts to extricate it were of no avail. He had on a stout boot, and it fitted so closely over the instep that he could not draw his foot out. In fact, the boot was wedged in the "frog" so closely that the man's toes were severely pinched. He pulled this way and that, wrenched and twisted, but the "frog" held the foot like a vise.

At length he could hardly move his leg for the pain, and he found that he must either be run over by the next train or make some one understand his situation.—He shouted himself hoarse, but no one came. The nearest house was half a mile away, and if the farmer heard the wild calls he gave them no attention. After the man had been a prisoner for upward of an hour he heard the whistle of a down freight train. It was yet a long way off, and he had a little time to think. He had a match-box in his pocket, papers in his bundle, and the idea came to him to signal the train. Tearing the paper off his bundle and getting at a number of letters, he rolled them into a heap, and for fear the flame would die out too suddenly, he added two flannel shirts from the bundle. The bundle was then made fast to the end of his walking stick, matches produced, and he waited until the head-light of the locomotive should appear up the track.

It finally greeted his vision, looking like a bright white star, as it glistered far up the track. The rumble of the train grew louder, the star grew larger and brighter. He struck his match, the flame blazed up brightly, but as he moved it toward the bundle a little gust of wind blew it out.—Was there time yet? Up the track he could hear the thunder of a hundred heavy wheels, and the great light of the locomotive glared at him like the fiery eye of some wild beast. Another match, an instant of fear and doubt, and then the paper blazed up and curled over and around the bundle and swayed right and left with the night wind. He waved the signal of fire back and forth, and just when he was ready to believe that death under the wheels was certain heard the whistle for brakes.

He could hear the wheels grinding and groaning, the hiss of steam as the engineer threw back his lever, and then the heavy train came to a stop with the great light shining down upon him, paling his dying signal. He was saved, but the engine had only thirty feet more to go to crush him.—The fireman came forward, got a crowbar and released him, and he was taken back to the caboose. The train men were kind to him, and he found acquaintances who arranged for his board until he will be able to work. His foot is badly swelled and very tender, and it will be several days before he will be able to walk.

A Remarkable Escape.

An escape from death as wonderful as any ever related by the pen of fiction was made by an individual on the Detroit and Milwaukee Road a few nights ago, as chronicled by the Free Press of the former city. It seems that an unknown man was permitted to ride on top of a freight train on his representation that he had no money to pay his way to Grand Rapids, and was willing to do anything he was called on to do in compensation. The brakeman forgot to tell him of the several low bridges on the route; and about midnight when the engineer, having discovered cattle on the road, whistled "down brakes," the stranger was the first up from the caboose. In running forward over the cars, he suddenly observed the dark form of a bridge close above. There was scarcely time to think, and as by instinct he sprang off when within a foot of the over-hanging structure, and striking a sloping embankment, fell down and rolled to the track, where one of the wheels caught his boot heel, crushing it off close to the sole, and whirled him around so that the next wheel sheared off the rim of his hat. When the train was stopped he climbed into his caboose entirely uninjured in person, but with some such feeling as he may have who has arisen from the lightning stroke which has tumbled the house about his ears, but left himself uninjured.

A Liberal Donation.

James Lick of San Francisco, has made a most remarkable gift to the public. He donated \$700,000 to the construction of the largest and the best telescope in the world for the observatory at Lake Tahoe; \$420,000 for public monuments; \$150,000 for public baths in that city; \$100,000 for the Old Ladies' Home; \$10,000 to the Society for the Prevention of Animals; \$25,000 to the Ladies' Protection Relief Society; 10,000 to the Mechanics' Library; \$25,000 to the Protestant Orphan Asylum; \$25,000 to the city of San Jose for an Orphans' Asylum; \$150,000 for the erection of a bronze monument to the author of Star Spangled Banner in the Golden Gate Park; \$30,000 for the endowment of a school of mechanical arts in California, and the residue in excess of \$70,000 to the Pioneers' Society. He makes ample provisions for his relatives, and reserves the homestead and \$25,000 per annum for himself.

Singular Robbery.

Charles Anderson, a retired Swedish sea captain, lately married a lady of New York. Being possessed of uncut diamonds of considerable value, he decided to dispose of some of them, and make a bridal tour to Europe. He left his apartments at Sweeney's hotel on Monday, June 1, to go to a diamond broker's on Broadway. While in the broker's building, he was accosted by a confidence man, who soon learned of his business. The confidence man pretended to be a clerk of the diamond broker, and said the latter was out, but if Anderson would call in a few hours he would find him. Anderson, on repeating his visit was again met by the same person, who had an elegantly dressed lady with him. He invited Anderson to accompany him to see the lady home, then they would go to the broker's office together. In Broadway the lady handed Anderson a lozenge and gave another to her companion and took one herself. Anderson unsuspectingly ate it and grew dizzy and semi-unconscious. The woman held her handkerchief to his nose, and he sank insensible. When next conscious he was alone in a dark room, when he was bound and gagged, chloroformed, and put in a coach, again unconscious. When next conscious he was in Spruce street; his diamonds, watch, and diamond studs were gone. The whole amount of property taken was worth \$16,000. Private detectives are working up the case.

Captain Charles Anderson, the victim of the diamond robbery, says he has been rendered almost penniless by the loss he has maintained. The robbery was committed in Houston street, near Broadway. No clue has yet been found to the robbers.

Terrific Storms.

Hartford, Conn., June 8.—The heavy showers of Sunday night and Monday morning caused a freshet in Mud river at Winstead, washing the streets back, and causing considerable damage. The dam of Lathrop's cutlery works gave way. The Naugatuck and Farmington rivers are very high. The dam of the Washine Mills, Salisbury, gave way on Saturday.

Albany, June 8.—The track of the Susquehanna Railroad was washed away at several points by the storm of yesterday. At East Worcester, several houses and barns were carried off by giving way of dams. No lives lost.

Kemptonville, Ontario, June 8.—A whirlwind passed over this place yesterday, unroofing a number of houses and leveling several buildings. A large amount of property was destroyed, and several persons injured, but no lives lost.

Damage to Crops by Hail in Maryland.

Baltimore, June 10.—A dispatch received from Frederick says: One of the most extraordinary and destructive hail storms ever experienced in this section of the country passed over the northeastern portion of this county about seven o'clock on Monday evening. Much damage was done to buildings, and hundreds of acres of splendid growing crops of wheat, corn and hay were utterly destroyed. Of one hundred and ten acres of fine wheat, owned by Mrs. Jessie Wright, near Monrovia station, Baltimore and Ohio railroad, scarcely a bushel will be gathered.

Summer Polonaises.

Lovely summer polonaises are made of white organdie and fine French needlework, or Valenciennes lace. The bodies and entire fronts are made of alternate puffings and insertions, and these also form the sleeves and are carried up on the back of the skirt to the depth of several rows, the draping being gracefully effected by some pale faint shade of blue or rose-ribbon, and trails of roses.

Another charming style is made in a new and delicate material, grenadine, batiste, with a soft silken stripe of the same ecru tint. It is unlined, and the trimming is ecru lace and insertion to match, with bows, or silk-covered buttons, and sash of doubled silk matching the stripe.—From Demorest's Monthly for July.

The Fastest Railroad Train in America.

The newspaper train on the New Jersey Division Pennsylvania railroad now carries a passenger coach. It starts from Jersey City 4:10 A. M., and arrives at West Philadelphia at 8:57. The section between New Brunswick and Trenton is run at the rate of a mile a minute. The train has been in operation about a year, and has met with but one accident, when it struck a carriage, killing two persons. When the train was first put on it was manned by an engineer, fireman, and two men to handle the papers. They were volunteers, and signed a paper releasing the company from all responsibility in case of accident.

A pretty young woman of Louisville named Pauline Leinsky, noted for the beauty of her hair, which had reached the unusual length of 5 feet, a few nights ago was awakened about 2 o'clock in the morning, experiencing a sensation as if some one was combing her hair, which was loose about her shoulders. As she awoke she saw two men leave the room. When consciousness returned she aroused the family. Her mother on entering smelt chloroform, and found that her daughter's hair had been cut from the right side of her head, that in the left side being neatly combed.

Miscellaneous News Items.

The governor has vetoed about fifty bills passed by the last legislature.

Two men were found in the lake, at Chicago, last week, tied together with a rope, and a heavy weight attached. Foul play is suspected.

A car containing live oysters and lobsters arrived at Odgen, Utah, last week and an attempt will be made to propagate them in Great Salt Lake.

The unfortunate painter who was carried near the falls at Niagara recently, was rescued when nearly exhausted, by a brave fellow named Tom Conroy, a guide at the Cave of Winds, who swam to him with a rope.

Dispatches received at Buffalo, N. Y., last week, confirm the report that the schooner Exile was blown up in Lake Superior, and all on board lost. She had among her cargo nitro-glycerine, which exploded. Seven men were killed.

New Orleans, June 8.—Justice of the Peace Conners, and police sergeant Chapman were shot in St. Bernard's parish yesterday by Francis Antieta, with buck shot from a double barreled shot gun. Their wounds are dangerous.

Shreveport, La., June 13.—A thousand pounds of nitro-glycerine in a government magazine, four miles above this city, exploded to-day with terrific force. The concussion was so great here that the whole population rushed into the streets. The houses were shaken and windows broken. No lives lost.

Williamsport, June 8.—The following parties have been arrested and lodged in jail, having confessed to the burning of nearly all the property (over \$1,000,000) destroyed by fire in this city since the great fire of August, 1871. Elijah Beale, James Parker, Robert Tinsman, William Shultz and Frank Kalbfleish. All are members of the volunteer fire department.

Tuesday of last week Aaron Ireland, of East Hanover township, Adams county, disappeared from his home. On Tuesday last his dead body was discovered hanging to a fallen tree in a secluded locality, about half a mile below Israel Early's mill. His face was much discolored and his body decomposed. The suicide was the result of depression caused by financial shortcomings.

A violin that cost \$1,000 was sold by auction at an executor's sale in Providence, a day or two since, for \$50. It is stated that a New York lady who knew its value forwarded \$600 to an agent there to procure it, but no one at the auction suspected that the dingy, one-stringed old fiddle had such marvellous possibilities of old, and the agent secured it for what the crowd regarded as a fancy price.

A law case is pending in the Supreme Court at Jackson, Tenn., in which the sole question to be determined is whether a certain letter in a promissory note for \$5,000 is "I." or "J."—whether the said note was made payable to "I. Blanckensee" or "J. Blanckensee"—to "Isaac" or to "Julius," the representatives of each party claiming the money. As usually written, "I" and "J" are nearly identical.

Wanted.—A girl to do general house work. Wages \$1.75 per week. Apply at Perry County Bank.

For Sale or Rent.—Mr. John Gotwalt offers for sale or rent a valuable house and lot situate in this borough. The house contains a hall, 3 rooms and kitchen on the first floor, and 3 rooms on the second. Call on or address John Gotwalt, N. Bloomfield.

Notice.—All persons owing me, are requested to promptly settle their indebtedness, as in consequence of the loss of my stock and tools, by the fire on Friday last, I need money badly. By paying now you can greatly aid me. A. P. NICKLE. April 13, 1874.

The New Hay Rake.—Persons who want a good hay rake should examine the Patent Steel Tooth Grain and Hay Rake, "Welcome." A specimen can be seen at the residence of Samuel Kepperly, in Carroll twp., where orders can be left which will be promptly filled. Or orders may be sent by mail to I. C. Thompson, Gap, Lancaster county, Pa.

Stone and Earthen Ware.—The subscribers, proprietors of the Juniata Pottery, near Newport, desires to give notice that they are keeping up a full variety of stone and earthen ware, and are prepared to promptly fill orders for all goods in their line at low prices. Post office address, Newport, Perry co., Pa. M. & T. MILLER.

At thirty-five the Average American discovers that he has an "Infernal Stomach," and goes into the hands of the doctors for the remnant of his life. Prevention is better than cure, but Dr. Walker's Vinegar Bitters will both cure and prevent dyspepsia, diseases of the skin, liver, kidneys, and bladder, and all disorders arising from an "infernal stomach."

Caution to Purchasers of the Peruvian Syrup (a protected solution of the protoxide of iron). Beware of being deceived by any of preparations of Peruvian Bark, or Bark and Iron, which may be offered to you. Every bottle of genuine has Peruvian Syrup (not Peruvian Bark) blown in the glass. Examine the bottle before purchasing.

Tooth ache proceeds from ague in the face, operating upon the exposed nerve of a decayed tooth. Rub the gum thoroughly with the finger, wet with Johnson's Anodyne Lincture, heat the face well, and lay a flannel wet with the lincture on the face, also put a little of the lincture into the cavity of the tooth on cotton.

Thirty Years' Experience of an old Nurse.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is the prescription of one of the best Female Physicians and Nurses in the United States, and has been used for thirty years with never failing safety and success, by millions of mothers and children, from the feeble infant of one week old to the adult. It corrects acidity of the stomach, relieves wind colic, regulates the bowels, and gives rest, health and comfort to mother and child. We believe it to be the Best and Surest Remedy in the World in all cases of DYSENTERY and DIARRHOEA IN CHILDREN, whether it arises from Teething or from any other cause. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. None Genuine unless the fac-simile of CURTIS & PEKINS is on the outside wrapper. Sold by all Medicine Dealers. 27 b 1yr

Tape Worm! Tape Worm!

Removed in a few hours with harmless Vegetable Medicine. No fee asked until the entire worm, with head, passes. Refer those afflicted to residents of the city whom I have cured, that had been unsuccessfully treated at the Jefferson Medical College, on Tenth Street; had taken in vain tartracanth, the so-called specifics, and all known remedies. Dr. E. F. KUNKEL, No. 229 North Ninth Street, Philadelphia. The Doctor has been in business for over twenty-five years, and is perfectly reliable. Call and see. Advice free. Removed Tape-worm from a child six years old, measuring 20 feet. At his office can be seen specimens, some of them over forty feet in length, which have been removed in less than three hours, by taking one dose of his medicine. Dr. Kunkel's treatment is simple, safe, and perfectly reliable, and no fee until the worm, with head, passes. Dr. E. F. Kunkel, 229 North Ninth St., Philadelphia. Consultation at office or by mail free. 38 b52t

HOUSEHOLD Why Will You Suffer?

PANACEA To all persons suffering from Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cramp in the limbs or stomach, Bilious Colic, Pain in the back, bowels or side, we would say, THE HOUSEHOLD AND FAMILY LINIMENT is of all others the remedy you want for internal and external use. It has cured the above complaints in thousands of cases. There is no mistake about it. Try it. Sold by all Druggists. 27 b 1y

Children often look Pale and Sick

from no other cause than having worms in the stomach. BROWN'S VERMIFUGE COMBITS will destroy Worms without injury to the child, being perfectly WHITE, and free from all coloring or other injurious ingredients usually used in worm preparations. CURTIS & BROWN, Proprietors, No. 215 Fulton Street, New York. Sold by Druggists and Chemists, and dealers in Medicines at TWENTY-FIVE CENTS a Box. 27bly.

HORTER'S BRONCHIO LARYNGEAL TROCHES.

For the cure of Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, for the use of Singers. Price 25c. One Trial sure Friends. Prepared only by A. R. HORTER, S. E. Corner of 20th & Green Streets. 46th PHILADELPHIA. For sale by F. MORTIMER, New Bloomfield, Perry county, Pa.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, 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 the writer has found a cure for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c. Parties wishing the prescription will please address, Rev. E. A. WILSON, 51a 6th. 194 Penn St. Williamsburgh, N. York.

OBSTACLES TO MARRIAGE.

Happy Relief for Young Men from the effects of Errors and Abuses in Early Life, Manhood Restored. Impediments to Marriage removed. New method of treatment. New and remarkable remedies. Books and circulars sent free in sealed envelopes. Address, HOWARD ASSOCIATION, No. 2 South Ninth St., Philadelphia, Pa.—An institution having a high reputation for honorable conduct and professional skill. 43 p 1y.

The system frequently gets out of order and should be at once regulated, else other troubles will ensue; when a cure is needed take Parsons' Purgative Pills; they are a safe, whole, some, and natural medicine.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the partnership heretofore existing between S. B. Smith and John C. Smith, trading as Smith & Bro., at Shermansdale, Perry County Pa., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by John C. Smith, who will collect and settle all outstanding accounts. SMITH & BRO. May 21, 1874—6t

LATH LATH! Plastering Lath—white and yellow pine—for sale at reasonable rates. Also, JOB SAWING done by GEO. A. LIGGETT, Ickesburg, Perry co., Pa. 6 30

NOTICE.—All persons are hereby warned not to trust my wife Caroline Sheldy, on my account, as she has left my bed and board without just provocation, and I will pay no bills of her contracting. J. COB SHELDY. Spring twp., May 18, 1874—6t

Office of the People's Freight Railway Company.

No. 186 North Third St., Philadelphia, Pa. June 1, 1874. THE third installment of five dollars per share on the subscriptions to the preferred stock of the People's Freight Railway Co. is due, and payable at the office of the Company. By order of the board of Directors. ROBERT COBURN, TREASURER. N. B. Payment may be made to Dr. D. B. MILLIKEN, assistant treasurer, Landisburg, Pa.

WEST STREET HOTEL.

Nos. 41, 43, 45 & 47 West St., NEW YORK. A TEMPERANCE HOUSE, ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN. ROOMS 50 and 75 cents per day. Charges very MODERATE. The best food and vegetables in the market. BEST BEER in the City. 8 17 1y. B. T. BABBITT, Proprietor.

Notice.

The interest of Wm. H. Miller, of Carlisle, in the Perry County Bank, of Sponaler, Junkin & Co., has been purchased by W. A. Sponaler & B. F. Junkin, and from this date April 26th, 1874, said Miller is no longer a member of said firm, but the firm consists of W. A. Sponaler & B. F. Junkin. Banking as Sponaler Junkin & Co., who will continue to do business in the same mode and manner as has been done hitherto, with the full assurance that our course has met the approbation and thus gained the confidence of the people. W. A. SPONALER, B. F. JUNKIN. April 20, 1874.