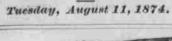
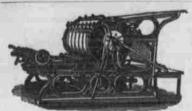
The Bloomfield Gimes.

NEW BLOOMFIELD, PENN'A.





Mn. GEORGE BERGNER, editor and proprietor of the Harrisburg Telegraph and the Postmaster of the City of Harrisburg, died between eleven and twelve o'clock on Wednesday morning after a brief illness.

THE President Judges of the State are issuing orders, fixing the time for holding courts in the several districts.

In Cumberland county they will be held as follows:

One Term to commence on the Fourth Monday in August, and continue one

One Term to commence on the Second Monday in November, and continue two One Term to commence on the Second

Monday in January, and continue two One Term to commence on the Second

Monday in April, and continue two weeks.

In Franklin county, each Term is to continue two weeks, and will be held at the following times: February Term-On Fourth Monday of

February.

May Term—On Fourth Monday of May.

September Term—On First Monday of

December Term-On First Monday of December.

Steamboat Disaster.

The steamboat Pat Rogers, was burned near Aurora, on the Ohio river, on Wednes. day morning last, causing quite a loss of life. The engineer of the boat has arrived in Cincinnati, and gives the following account of the disaster :

"It was about six o'clock when I noticed a bright light among some bales of cotton in the after part of the boat. I hastened to the spot and found the cotton burning rapidly and beyond any possibility of being immediately extinguished. I hurried on deck and gave the alarm to the pilot and told him to run 'bout ashore.

She had just turned her head to the shore when she became unmanageable. The pilot thinks the tiller rope had been cut. From this fact it is thought the fire was the work of an incendiary. Another theory is that one of the deck passengers, while smoking, dropped a spark from his pipe into the cotton. When the boat became unmanageable she drifted on to a saudbar and there grounded.

The flames instead of spreading along the lower decks at once shot up to the cabins and pilot house, and then swept across the hurricane deck. The passengers were all aroused and boats lowered and many carried ashore, but others in their fright jumped into the water, and those who were not drowned reached a safe landing place after drifting a long time with the current.

There were nearly one hundred people ing were seen on shore after the disaster.

Who can Account for It?

The Schenectady Union says "a similar difficulty to that on the Athens Road has now broken out about a half mile west of Hoffman's, except that there is an almost unaccountable lifting up of the track. For some time back, says the Union, about 100 feet of the road-bed has been gradually rising, at times making the passage of trains more or less difficult. The soil has been taken off at various times as fast as it rose, in order to keep the track down where it should, be, but still men are kept at the place at night to watch it. The occurrence is a curious one. It is difficult enough to account for land sinking, but to find a veason for lifting itself up is still more so. It is said, however, that the hardpan nearthe surface is underlaid by quicksand unknown depth, and that unusual currents of water from the highlands above flowing down upon the quicksand element, and being unable to escape by the ordinary channels, creates such a pressure that the hard-pan above is forced up, carrying the track with it. The remedy that is being tried is to dig a deep ditch on the upperside of the road, with a view of catching the water from the hill and conducting it off in underground pipes, so that it will not reach the quicksand under the road-bed.

A Baby Found Alive in a Crib.

A baby was found in a crib floating in the Ohio river at the head of Montgomery Island, thirty-two miles below Pittsburg last week, and was received by Mr. Allen, who lives near the island. The child was living, but has not been identified. In the Sawmill run district there is but little chance of any additional bodies being found. It is probable that the remaining missing ones lost by the Pittsburg flood were carried into the Ohio river.

Miscellaneous News Items.

Another old pioneer gone. He lived at Troy, and he "goned" with \$6,000 which did not belong to him, and took along the hired girl to comfort his old age.

Ferdinand Hammell was found in a cemetery near Jersey City, trying to bury himself in an open grave. When remonstrated with he insisted that the grave had been prepared for him, and he would be buried whether or no.

Aaron W. Hanes, of Yorktown, some time since possessed a remarkable hen. The fowl did not lay and was very large and ungainly in shape. On being killed ten full sized ordinary bard-shelled eggs were found in the body of the hen.

North Platte, Neb., was once a virtuous and happy town; not a swear was ever heard there, and the people just spent their time in preparing for Heaven, Now all is changed. In an evil moment a brass band was organized.

Near Chelsen, Ind., a few days ago, a man was trying to scare his nephew into being "good" by wrapping a sheet about him and coming towards the boy with a gun. In going through a door the gun was exploded, a charge of buckshot going into the boy's abdomen, killing him in-

A gentleman at Troy recently attended the funeral of a deceased relative .-Just as the coffin was about to be lowered in the grave he stepped out from the crowd of mourners, deliberately opened a pen knife, clipped a splinter from the rough pine box in which the coffin was encased, and cooily proceeded to whittle out a tooth-

Mr. Ephraim Ganser an ostler, at a hotel in Boylestown, Berks co., lost or mislaid a pocket book containing about \$400, in the barn, about four years ago. A short time ago a lad was engaged in cleaning a box in a horse stable in which he found the pocket book with the \$400, all in good condition. The money was sent to Mr. Ganser, now residing in Reading.

the While E. J. Thompson, of Plymouth Hill, Conn., was returning from Wolcottville, the other evening, he saw a ball of fire fall and strike the ground, and bounding along finally go out. He found it to be a large, round stone, weighing about fifteen pounds, carried it home and discovered that it was composed of different kinds of stores, of various colors, and looked as if it had been melted in a hot

237 Joseph Taylor, a laborer living near Trenton, went home on Thursday evening under the influence of liquor. He took his four children into an outbuilding and, after seating himself, he cut his throat from ear to ear with a razor. The wound was not deep enough to produce instant death, and the children ran terrified into the house and gave the alarm. He died the next morning. This was the fourth attempt he had made upon his life, each one being produced by excessive drink.

章 A short time since an engine on the New Jersey Midland rail road had been fitted up with a smoke-burning arrangement in the fire box. On one of the early trips of the engine, as the fireman opened the furnace door to throw in a shovelful of coal, the gas burst out with such volume on board, but what proportion of this num- and force as to throw him entirely off the ber is actually lost is not known at engine. In falling he struck on his head in a culvert and was killed. Another fireman was put on in his place, and in a short time he had his face badly burned. One would suppose it would now be rather difficult to find a fireman for that engine.

One night recently, Mr. Gibson Taylor, of Davies county, Ky., was called out of bed by seven or eight men, who demanded bacon of him, saying they would not steal, and had no employment, money, food for their families, or credit, and were almost starving. After a peremptory demand for meat, Mr. Taylor gave up the keys of the meat house. The parties took but a small quantity, declaring they only wanted enough to drive starvation from their doors, and again locked the house and left the premises.

Otto Waltersdorff, a mill proprietor in Spring Lake, Mich., fell into dis-favor with his workmen by failing to pay their wages. They caught him in consultation with his lawyer, and waited to lynch him when he came forth. They saw the lawyer go in and out several times, but they held to their post until about 8 o'clock in the morning. Then the lawyer appeared with a gorgeously-attired female hanging on hisarm. This was Mr. Waltersdorff in disguise, and the discovery was not made until he had escaped.

A flock of very valuable sheep, be longing to Captain Jeremiah Weaner, of Oley township, Berks county, and intended by him for exhibition at the centennial, were attacked by a strange dog some days ago. Three of the sheep were found dead and two have died since. Among those killed was a young ram valued at \$500, weighing 200 pounds. Another young ram, also valued at \$500, was so seriously hurt that it may die yet. An important ram valued at \$3,000 was bitten about the head and legs, and a number of other sheep of less value show marks of having been

A rather singular story in reference to General Grant's financial management is narrated in the N. Y. Sun. It appears that, when Jay Cooke's First National Bank failed in Washington there was a general belief that the President was largely its creditor. His salary had always been drawn by the bank, and it was supposed that he must lose something considerable by the failure. When the statement of the bank receiver came to be made, however, it was found that the bank owed him nothing; and then came a report that he had been privately notified before the failure in time to draw out his deposits. This again was contradicted, and it appears that the case was quite different. During the recent examination of members of the bankrupt firm of Jay Cooke & Co. before the United States Court in Philadelphia, Henry D. Cooke swore that at the time of the suspension the individual account of Ulysses S. Grant was overdrawn to the amount of \$2,506,78. So that instead of the bank owing him he was actually in debt to the bank. It is a funny circumstance and shows how much public rumor may sometimes err in figures.

A party in this county are engaged in the business of selling Chromos, which they purchase in Boston. They travel all over this State as well as other States, and when they run out of any kind they write home and request the wife to order. Last week they ran out of an interesting picture called "The Twins." One of them wrote to his wife to telegraph at once to the firm at Boston, to "Send them all the twins in Boston." The dispatch was sent by way of another place, where it happens there is a female operator. It read: "Send all the twins in Boston." She was nonplussed, and at once asked the other operator whether he telegraphed "twins." answered "twins." Not satisfied with an order that asked for "all the twins in Boston," she repeated her question whether he meant twins-and to be sure, she spelt out the word t-w-i-n-s. He answered that was what he meant. She asked no more questions, but has no doubt been in a quandary, ever since, why any one should order all the twins in Boston!

There was an old couple at the central depot the other day waiting to go through to the West, and they seemed loving enough until the old man went out and returned smoking a five-cent cigar and his hat slanting over his left ear. The wife looked at him twice before she could recognize him, and then opened her mouth and said : "What'd I tell ye, Philetus Remington, before we left New Jersey? Didn't I say you'd go and make a fool of yourself the first chance you got?" He tried to pacify her by saying that the cigar only cost five-cents, but she shouted : "You teased and teased till I let you git your boots blacked; then you wanted some soda water; then you bought apples on the train, and here's another five-cents thrown away ! It all counts up, and if you don't die in the poor-house then my name hain't Sary !"-Detroit Free Press.

A western paper tells of a man who sat down to one of the eating stands in the market and called for seventy-five cents worth of "the best in the house." It was handed to him, and it made people's eyes hang out to see him eat. He was about half an hour at it, and when he got up remarked that he had forgotten his pocket book. The woman grabbed a butcher knife and started for him, but instead of running away he laid his hand on her shoulder and whispered :-" Be calm, and above all, don't excite me. My fit comes on regularly every day at this hour, and then I get wild, kick, bite, yell, and tip over things. I feel it coming now. If there's a policeman in the market go and get him, and let him take me to the station right away before I kill some one!" She ran to get an officer, and the man ran the other way.

How the farmers of Wright county, Iowa, drove away the grasshoppers is revealed by the local paper. The crops of the county were abundant, and anxious husbandmen were in hopes that these destructive pests would not appear till after harvest. At once they came, in clouds that darkened the sun. By a preconcerted plan the farmers set fire to piles of dry straw on the borders of the wheat fields, and smothered the blaze with green hav. That caused volumes of smoke to roll over the fields. The grasshoppers didn't relish the procedure at all. They rose with such a multudinous hum of wings as to deepen into a roar like distant thunder, and fled the county. In that way the Wright county farmers have a fair prospect of saving

137 The Scientific American publishes a full description of the new post office in New York, which illustrates the great progress made in the postal business of the government. Among other improvements introduced are the pneumatic tubes running from all the daily newspaper offices to the paper mailing rooms, a great advantage to both the newspapers and the post office. Railway postal cars will soon run from the Forty-second street depot to basement of the post office building over the track of the Broadway underground railway. The American adds that every improvement that invention can suggest will be introduced in the different departments to make the New York post office a model of its kind.

Bursting of a Reservoir.

Trenton August 8 .- The main reservoir which supplies the city with water gave way this afternoon, and sent about thirty million gallons of water over the city and down Pennington avenue with a mighty rush, filling the cellars of most of the houses for a quarter of a mile distant .-The chasm in the south end is about twenty-five feet in extent at the top. No serious damage aside from filling of cellars, drowning chickens and carrying away of fences. It was caused by a leakage around an old pipe, which had been left embedded in the soil ever since the new reservoir was built. One thousand dollars will pay all damage aside from that done in filling cellars.

of Menallen township, Fayette county, was found hanging lifeless to a window in Hugh Johnson's residence recently. The child attempted to climb out the window, when the stick that kept it hoisted was knocked out, and the sash fell upon her neck breaking it and pinning her body fast till found several hours afterwards by members of the family. The little girl was aged about ten years. The mother has become insane over the result of the accident. Two children have been drowned and one smothered for the same family.

A Bismarck (Dak.) paper of recent date says: "Last night's train was behind time, owing to the grasshoppers on the eastern end of the division, which were so thick as to grease the rail, and compelled the engineer to double the road for fifteen miles, taking half the train each trip."

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