



MIFFLINTOWN, Wednesday Morning, June 7, 1871.

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READING MATTER ON EVERY PAGE. "The Ring," "The Ring Candidates."

Democratic journals and politicians have, since the State nominations by the respective parties, entered the political arena with a whoop and wild flourish that assures all who have observed their movements, that they are determined to make the campaign of 1871 as vigorous as they possibly can.

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FALLING INTO LINE.—The Democrats of this county are falling into line with the Wallace and McMullin platform in their hands, under the lash of the master and the ring.

THE NEW ARCTIC EXPEDITION.

Captain Hall Nearly Ready to Sail.—Description of His Vessel—The Crew—Joe and Hannah—Food—Plan of the Voyage.—From the Washington Patriot.

The Polar, formerly the Periwinkle, is a vessel belonging to the Government, but rebuilt and fitted for this expedition in such a manner as almost to be a new and very superior craft.

As to those who are going to be the principals in this adventurous and dangerous expedition, they are, all told, twenty-nine men.

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On the morning of the 1st inst. Col. McFarland formally surrendered the orphan school department to Col. J. P. Wickesham, in accordance with the provision of the appropriation bill.

Jeff. Davis.

Jeff. Davis is on a tour through the Southern States, making speeches and talking about the lost cause, and endeavoring to keep alive the hope that the cause is not dead.

The common opinion among persons who have looked for the origin of the Sunday School, is that a man named Robert Raikes, of Gloucester, England, opened one in Gloucester, in the year 1781.

These excommunicated brethren formed a Church of their own views at Ephrata, not far from Mill Creek, and now on the Reading and Columbia Railroad.

An exchange says, the Philadelphia Swallow Mercury, which we believe has the reputation of being a sound Democratic paper, after quoting comments of Press and the New York Evening Post on the 9th resolution of the recent Democratic State Convention, says:

The Pennsylvania School Journal for June, the last number of the current volume, is now upon our table. Among the articles of note is one by the editor, Hon. J. P. Wickesham, upon "Future Educational Development—Shall we drive or shall we draw?"

The New York Evening Post says the house of Rothschild, of Paris, has made a proposition to the city of New York to take the consolidated debt of the city as it shall be issued, and pay off all loans as they fall due.

NEWS DESPATCHES.

Fatal Shooting Affair in Baltimore. BALTIMORE, June 1.—This afternoon a difficulty occurred between Washington and Tom Goodrich, brokers, at the corner of Fayette and Calvert streets.

The Incoming Wheat Crop. SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—The incoming wheat crop is now estimated at one third higher than the estimate of two weeks ago.

California Amusements—Indians. SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—The police are endeavoring to arrest a gang of boys who stoned to death an inoffensive Chinaman, on Fourth street, yesterday afternoon.

A Sad Accident. LOUISVILLE, June 4.—The Rev. Mr. Sutton, Methodist minister, on leaving the house of a Mr. Ellingsworth, to-day, handed his (Sutton's) coat to Miss Ellingsworth when a pistol fell from the pocket.

Queer Proceeding of a Murderer. George Walcott, of Louisville, who killed a soldier at Frankfort, and for whose arrest Governor Leslie offered \$500 reward, had himself arrested last week by a friend, who drew the reward and gave the money to the widow of his victim.

Another Dealer Captured.—The Chase After Him and How He was at Last Caught—Committed to Jail. The dealers in counterfeit money who annoyed our people last winter with their operations are gradually falling into line.

He with others was here last fall and flooded the country with spurious notes on the Farmers and Mechanics' National Bank of Pittsburg.

EVERY SATURDAY for this week comes to its readers with a new claim to favor. Every copy is trimmed, neatly pasted so as not to disfigure the paper, and held together as securely as if stitched.

STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.—The Seventh Annual Convention of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Association will be held at Allentown, Penn'a., on the 13th, 14th and 15th of June.

AMERICAN SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKER.—The June number of this Magazine, published by J. W. McIntyre, St. Louis, Mo., contains its usual variety and value.

Just as We Found Them.

A loving wife at Long Branch said: "Horrid rust makes me keep my mouth shut." Sarcastic husband: "Take some of it home with you."

As a lady was looking at a burning building, in Brookville, Canada, a few evenings ago, she fancied that she saw a man fall through the roof into the flames, and so greatly was she shocked that she fell to the sidewalk dead.

Any hard steel tool (says the Boston Journal of Chemistry) will cut glass with great facility when kept wet with camphor dissolved in turpentine.

A beggar applied for food and lodging at the Schenaday poor-house and was given a cold meal. He refused it and abused the keeper's wife shamefully.

Another new meat-preserving process, said to be very successful, is described in the Monitor Scientific. It consists in the immersion of the meat in a solution of perfectly pure carbolic acid in water.

There was a wild scene at a fire in Findlay, Ohio, a few nights ago, when it became known that there were three kegs of powder in one of the burning buildings; but a young man, Henry Erb by name, rushed in, brought out two of them, and then returning, found that the fire was already charring the keg that still remained.

A Candidate for the prize of twenty thousand dollars offered by the late M. Breat for a cure for the cholera, sends to the Paris Academy of Science an account of what he believes to be the true cure.

The Easton Free Press says: A family in the upper part of our county, near Catasauqua, imagined a roll of butter which they had in their cellar to be bewitched and "old Grechen" thought she really saw the tracks of the witch.

Money borrowers must have rather a tough time of it in Kansas, where they succeed in getting a loan or not—in the first place, the legal rate of interest is 12 per cent. per annum, which is about as much as any man in ordinary times would care to carry.

A good deal is said about General Grant accepting little tokens of the respect and esteem in which he is held, although he did not originate the custom.

Farming operations are carried on in the West on a colossal scale. Mr. Thompson, who lives near the town of Wells in Minnesota, has 1,400 acres of wheat, 1,240 of flax, 800 of oats, and 400 of corn.

A gentleman in Lynn, Mass., while passing a pond in that city a few mornings since, witnessed a singular scene, which he describes as follows: Around the margin of the pond, in the water, there were a large collection of common toads, close beside them was an equally large gathering of bullfrogs, and a battle between the two was in progress.

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CANDIDATE'S CARD.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE. The office of Associate Judge, though not lucrative, is one of the most important in the county. We have frequently heard the name of Dr. J. W. BEAS, of the borough of Perryville, mentioned as a suitable candidate for this position.

For Sale. NEAR MILLERSTOWN, a fine Farm of 723 Acres, on the Penna. Central Railroad.

CAUTION.—Whereas my wife, Fianna Margaret, has left my bed and board without any just cause or provocation, I hereby caution all persons against harboring or trusting her on my account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting.

Disolution of Partnership. THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the shoe-making business, in the borough of Mifflintown, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

Notice to Tax Payers. ALL persons paying to Collectors like State, A. County, and Militia Tax in full for 1871 on or before the 29th of July, 1871, will be allowed an abatement of 10 per cent.

S. B. LOUDON, MERCHANT TAILOR. WOULD respectfully inform the public that he has removed his Tailoring Establishment to a room in Major Nevin's new building, on the Park lot, on Bridge street, Mifflintown, and has opened out a

CUSTOM WORK. On reasonable terms. By strict attention to business, he hopes to receive a liberal share of public patronage.

Boot and Shoe Shop. THE undersigned, fashionable Boot and Shoemaker, hereby respectfully informs the public that he has located in the borough of Patterson, where he is prepared to accommodate the most fastidious in

LADIES' WEAR. Gents' Fine and Coarse Boots, Brogans, CHILDREN'S WEAR, &c., &c.

Great Excitement at the Mifflin Chair Works! WHY is it that everybody goes to WM. F. SNYDER when they are in need of any kind of Chairs?

Canoe Seat and Windsor Chairs, of all descriptions, before purchasing elsewhere. Having lately started in business, he is determined to do the very best he can as regards durability and cheapness.

NEW BOOT & SHOE SHOP. In Nevin's New Building on BRIDGE STREET, MIFFLINTOWN.

Ready-made Work, of all kinds, for men, women and children. ALL WORK WARRANTED. Give me a call, for I feel confident that I can furnish you with any kind of work you may desire.

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Miscellaneous.

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Nevin's New Building, Bridge Street, Mifflintown. This way for Bargains!!

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THE undersigned takes this method of informing the public that he has just received at his residence on Third Street, Mifflintown, a large assortment of

WALL PAPER. Rally to the Place where you can buy your Wall Paper Cheap.

CHOICE BEEF every TUESDAY and SATURDAY mornings, and with

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