

Notes.

—Potato-digging time has come. —Grapes are in the market at 8@10c. a pound. —We publish the court proceedings in another column. —The sidewalk at the east side of the big bridge is in a dangerous condition. —A large pile of wood at one's door makes the appearance of the winter's storms less to be dreaded. —The festival in the basement of the M. E. Church, for the benefit of Rev. H. V. Talbot, was a decided success. —The deer-hunting season commences on the 1st day of October, and closes on the 16th day of December. —Frost the middle of May and last of September don't leave very much margin for "garden sass." Let's not count this year. —For a chap looking for Osterhout's tannery on a dark night, these telephone poles are very useful as half-way houses, so to speak. —We were shown some fine plank at Hyde & Ross' planning mill the other day; one, in particular, two inches thick, measured thirty-two inches. —The Gazette, official Democratic organ of Elk county, publishes a card from J. L. Brown, in which he thanks his friends for their support, and urges them to work for the success of the ticket nominated. —Call and examine the new Fall samples at the Wanamaker Agency. No trouble to show them, whether you purchase or not. Compare prices before buying. —On Sunday night the first frost of the season performed at this place, and a heavy old freeze it was. Tomatoes looked sick, and all other kinds of vegetation needed bracing up. Winter is on us in dead earnest; but let it come, we don't care a cent, if Uriah Rogers brings our coal before we are out. —The grand jury failed, by a large majority, to condemn the old court house, but were in favor of making a few repairs. Perhaps another shingle would make the old thing last until the next centennial. In the eyes of all men, the old rats' nest is already condemned. The ways of grand jurors are past finding out, all the same. —Pay that little bill of subscription you owe us. After having worn a boot on one foot and a shoe on the other all summer, and as the shoe needs mending, perhaps those chaps who have been receiving this sheet for near eight years, and who have never paid a cent, will feel inclined to chip up a few cents. We'll wagger our boot to an empty eddy barrel that these same non-paying chaps are the greatest grumblers about the manner the paper is conducted. —As the Elk Democrat has ceased to be of any use to the party it pretends to represent, it might, as well turn Republican now as any time. The mass of Democrats in Elk county place no more dependence in that patent-medicine sheet than they do in a last year's almanac. This fact is evident from the way its puny editor (?) abuses the ADVOCATE editor in retaliation for the subscribers who have transferred their patronage from him to us. His rapidly decreasing list cautions him to howl. —One hundred new Fall Samples, and the new Fall styles Fashion Plate just received from Wanamaker's at the West End Store. Suits cheaper than ever. A new feature introduced this season is the prepayment by W. & B. of the express charges upon all suits costing \$20 and upwards, where the money accompanies the order, thus giving our citizens goods at Philadelphia prices. Among the rules of this house: —One Price. Cash Payment. Full Guarantee. Money Returned. —Sheriff's Sale, Sept. term, '78. Fifty acres in Benzing township, property of Michael Heindel estate, to Maurice M. Shultz, for \$270.00. One hundred acres of land in Benzenette township, property of William K. Winslow, sold to Levi Hicks, et al. for \$2200. Fifty acres in Jay and Benzenette townships, property of M. Chase estate, to J. K. P. Hall, for \$785. House and lot in Ridgway township, property of Fannie Francis Olmstead, to Carrie D. Willis, for \$1655. Olmstead shop lot, Ridgway, and Franklin Showers' property, Kersey, not sold because they did not bring two-thirds of the appraised value. —Bear Hunt. Mr. William Pierce, while crossing through a piece of woods at the head of Brockport pond, and just as he emerged into a small clearing used for picnic parties, on Tuesday morning last, suddenly walked into a herd of six bears, two old and two young ones. Not appreciating their company, he turned back, and went to the Brockport store and reported the find. Jack Short and Lon, and W. H. Horton, and some others, took their guns and started for the spot where the bears had been seen. Jack Short and W. H. Horton each succeeded in killing their bear, and, with the aid of dogs, cornered another, which Mr. Hezekiah Horton dispatched. On Wednesday morning still another bear was killed, making four in all. We expect any moment to hear of the death of the remaining two. The sight of bears in droves is a little unusual in this county at present, and these must have missed their reckoning, or they would not have been seen.

Personal Notes.

—Martin Sowers was in town this week. —D. S. Luther is working for J. S. Hyde on Toby. —Mrs. D. S. Luther has been sick for several days. —The bridge on the Osterhout road is now open to the public. —John L. Murphy, and two sons, of Wilcox, were in to see us this week. —Postmaster Hagerly has almost recovered from his recent sick spell. —Cass. Kime has been clerking in Powell & Kime's store for several days. —Lon. Morrison, an old-time typesetter on the Democrat visited us this week. —W. W. Ames, Republican candidate for Representative, called in to see us last week. —Mike Sheehan is digging his potatoes on Powell's flats, and is getting about half a crop. —Billy Sheehan accidentally broke a pane of glass in Maginnis' front door on Monday evening. —Doctor Earley's vault in the cemetery is now finished complete, and is an ornament to the place. —Jim. Rhines is again home, after an absence of several weeks. He brought a fine setter dog with him. —Capt. Woodward seems to be disposing of his stock rapidly. We are sorry to see the Captain go out of business. —Judge Andrews had the job of repairing the State road, between Ridgway and Portland. He has done his work well. —John VanOrsdall has traded his house and lot on Centre street to Capt. P. R. Smith for the Gulnack farm. Mr. VanOrsdall will move to the farm in the Spring. —C. B. Gould, of the Cameron Press, and W. R. Johns, of the Clarion Republican, called at this office last week. We shall be pleased to see these gentlemen at all times. —Doctor D. B. Day has commenced the erection of a building east of the Hyde House, 22x32, two stories high. The lower story is to be used for a drug store, and the upper story for a dwelling. —B. P. Mercer shot a large bald-headed eagle near this place on Monday evening. The bird measured five feet three inches from tip to tip of its wings. Bev. says its glory enough for one day. —A big time they had on last Friday putting that tree in place opposite the site of Doctor Day's new drug store. About twenty men it took to place the tree, and then twenty drinks placed the men. We wanted to help, but the boss wouldn't let us, and now ye editor is a drink out. It makes us mad enough to attend the State fair on our free pass. —Some people have accumulated wealth attending to their own business. The editor (?) of the Democrat has never tried the recipe long enough at one time to know how it works. Having utterly failed to make his own business pay, he tries in his puny way to put stumbling stones in the way of his more successful opponents. A few years ago he abused Brandon, but to day Brandon publishes the official paper of the Democracy, and the only one they place any dependence in. The next step in the way of the little editor (?) will be for him to get some new corset strings, and then go West, where he can grow up with the country, and, in time, marry some rich man's child, if he should run across a man of wealth with an idiotic daughter. Or falling in this, he could borrow a few hundred of a friend to live on until something turned up. The money would not need to be paid back, as he could devise other means beside taking the bankrupt law to defraud his friend, as he did before. His days of usefulness are ended here as now the small boys will not allow him to play ball with them. "Holy cats!"

Ugly Customers.

Sheriff Oyster and Deputy Wensel started from this place on mail west last Friday with Goodman and Dailey, the two prisoners which Judge Wetmore booked for the Penitentiary at the recent term of court. They were handcuffed together, and as Sheriff Oyster had had considerable trouble with the chaps before, he exercised more than usual watchfulness, being determined to take the prisoners to their destination, dead or alive. At Warren the party laid over three hours and a half, there being a jail where the convicts could be locked up, when, if they proceeded to Irvinton, where a change of cars is made, it would be necessary to stand guard over them. At eight o'clock their handcuffs were put on, and the march from the jail to the depot began. Dailey had dropped his handcuffs off, and placed them in Goodman's hand, and, ere the officers were aware of it, made a break, and took leg bail for security. Deputy Wensel at once gave chase, firing his revolver at Dailey as he ran. Dailey looked back to see how near his pursuer was on him, when he ran against a tree on the sidewalk, which knocked him down. Wensel at once clinched him, when a scuffle ensued, in which Dailey tried to get the revolver, but was prevented doing so by the officer. A citizen, hearing the shots, came to the rescue; meanwhile the Sheriff, with Goodman, who was standing about ten rods from the place of capture, was called. The prisoners were then, with considerable difficulty, again handcuffed, and a man with a lantern coming on the scene, signaled the train. They refused to get on the train, but finally, with a good deal of coaxing, they were got on. On the way to Irvinton the prisoners quarreled among themselves, each blaming the other for their failure to make the escape, until words came to blows, and Goodman butted Dailey, and knocked him around in a lively manner. At Irvinton, as the train waited, they attempted to leave the cars, and were near the door, when a man with a hammer in his hands entered. The Sheriff took the hammer and knocked Goodman down several times with the handle, finally breaking it before the prisoner was subdued, and again placed in his seat. Sheriff Oyster paid a quarter for the handle, and took it with him. At Oil City Goodman swore he would have another racket, and he got it, the Sheriff again knocked him down with his club. At this place Dailey said he had enough, and would surrender. At Pittsburgh Goodman refused to walk, and a large crowd, attracted by the bloody appearance of the men, soon gathered. With a little more persuasion the prisoners were safely landed behind the walls of the Penitentiary. Dailey was examined by the prison physician, and sent to the prison hospital until his wounds heal. Goodman threatened to visit Ridgway again, and told Sheriff Oyster that for every blow he had received he intended to take a tooth from the Sheriff's head. Deputy Wensel's finger was bitten, and his face bruised, in his encounter with Dailey.

Boiler Explosion.

On Tuesday afternoon at about four o'clock, while the steamer Shirley Bell was on her upward passage from Irvinton, and about one and one-half miles below the town, exploded her boiler, instantly killing her Captain, Hiram Shirley, of Glade, and severely injuring the engineer, Mr. Thomas Bell, of Warren, and the fireman, Moses Shirley, of Glade. Captain Shirley was at the wheel, which was immediately over the boiler, and was, without doubt, instantly killed. His body was found in the river a few rods below the wreck, in a horribly mutilated condition, the whole front part of his head being carried away, and one of his legs broken. The fireman was standing in the forward part of the boat, and was blown into the river. He is badly scalded about the face and neck, and, although not dangerously injured, he suffers great pain. Mr. Bell, the engineer, was in the cabin. He is scalded on the back and legs, but not dangerously hurt. Capt. A. Dingley, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was the only passenger on the boat, and his escape was truly remarkable, as the boiler came up through the upper deck near where he was sitting, and passed directly over his head, dropping into the river about one hundred feet behind the boat. Justice D. C. James, acting Coroner, held an inquest, and after viewing the body of Captain Shirley, rendered a verdict of accidental death. The boat sank immediately after the explosion, and what remains of it now lies in about five feet depth of water, near the residence of N. Sill, Esq. Mr. Shirley was about forty-nine years of age, and leaves a wife and eight children to mourn his sudden death. Mr. Bell said there was 80 lbs. of steam on at the time of the accident, and plenty of water in the boiler. The boiler was an old one, purchased in Tidouate, and was undoubtedly defective. Mr. Bell's injuries are severe. His head, neck, arms, shoulders, back and ankles scalded. He suffers greatly but is not in a dangerous condition. His coat and hat were blown away. The town was thrown into great excitement. The owners of the boat undoubtedly believed the boiler was safe, but for some cause the public did not think so, and hence but one passenger was on board.

Declination.

Ridgway, Pa., Sept. 25th, 1878. H. M. Powers, Chairman Republican Co. Com. At the Republican County Convention held at this place on Tuesday, September 17th, 1878, I was named as a Congressional Conferee. I hereby decline to act in this capacity, as it would not be consistent with my present views as to candidates for office. Yours Very Truly, J. P. CURTIS.

Bear Hunt.

Mr. William Pierce, while crossing through a piece of woods at the head of Brockport pond, and just as he emerged into a small clearing used for picnic parties, on Tuesday morning last, suddenly walked into a herd of six bears, two old and two young ones. Not appreciating their company, he turned back, and went to the Brockport store and reported the find. Jack Short and Lon, and W. H. Horton, and some others, took their guns and started for the spot where the bears had been seen. Jack Short and W. H. Horton each succeeded in killing their bear, and, with the aid of dogs, cornered another, which Mr. Hezekiah Horton dispatched. On Wednesday morning still another bear was killed, making four in all. We expect any moment to hear of the death of the remaining two. The sight of bears in droves is a little unusual in this county at present, and these must have missed their reckoning, or they would not have been seen.

Court Proceedings.

SEPTEMBER TERM, 1878. Commencing Monday, September 16, 1878, at 7 o'clock, P. M. Present, L. D. Wetmore, President Judge, and Ed. Wels and Julius Jones, Associates. ARGUMENT LIST. In the matter of appeal of Sergeant township, McKean county, from the order of Justices removing Geo. Brown from the township of Benzing. Depositions of part of appellants filed. Continued. Horace Little, executor, vs. Leverett Saltonstall, trustee, etc. Ejectment. Continued. CIVIL LIST. Trimble, Britton and Wainwright vs. Miles Dent. Appeal from award of arbitrators. Hall & Ames for plaintiff; Jenks & McCauley for defendant. Continued. Jordan S. Neel vs. Oliver Meddock. Trespass, Q. C. F. Hall & McCauley for plaintiff; Rathbun for defendant. Continued. Irene Van Haaren vs. Joshua Sykes. Replevin for 1400 feet cherry lumber, value, \$420. Hall & Ames for plaintiff; Rathbun D. B. E. Continued. Clearfield County Bank vs. C. R. Earley. Appeal from award, Rathbun for plaintiff; Hall & McCauley for defendant. Continued. William Blew vs. Daniel Scull. Trespass, J. R. Clark for plaintiff; Hall & McCauley for defendant. Continued. L. F. Powers vs. Daniel Crabtree. Debt—damages \$200. Lucre & Hamblen for plaintiff; Hall & McCauley for defendant; verdict for plaintiff, \$43.58. A. J. Thompson vs. Alfred Short. Assumpsit—damages \$300. Rathbun for plaintiff; Powers for defendant. Discontinued. Edith Clark and Robert Clark, her husband, in right of Edith Clark vs. John G. Hall, administrator of the estate of Ralph Johnson, deceased. Appearance and plea withdrawn and judgment for defendant. J. Weschler vs. William Gies. Case upon promises; damages \$2,000. Settled.

CRIMINAL LIST.

Com. vs. M. J. Earley. The Court directed that the defendant enter into his recognizance in the sum of \$500, with one sufficient surety for his appearance at next term. Com. vs. Patrick Goodman. Assault and battery upon Constable Sibley, of St. Mary's borough. Pleads guilty, and sentenced to pay a fine of six and one-fourth cents to the Commonwealth, and costs of process in full. Com. vs. Michael Coffee, Wm. Conley and others. Riot. Conley found guilty in manner and form as indicted, and sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five dollars and costs, and undergo an imprisonment in the county jail for a period of three months. Com. vs. Patrick Goodman, assault and battery. Pleads guilty, and sentenced to pay six and one-quarter cents fine and costs. Com. vs. Geo. W. Newton. Embezzlement. Defendant ordered to enter into his recognizance in the sum of \$400, with one surety, in the like sum for appearance at next term. Com. vs. Joseph Koch. Aggravated assault. Defendant found guilty of assault and battery on the first count, and not guilty on the other counts. Sentenced to \$60 fine, and ten days in county jail. Com. vs. Patrick Goodman and Joseph Dailey. Burglary. Guilty in manner and form as indicted. Patrick Goodman sentenced to two and one-half years in Western Penitentiary, five dollars fine and costs. Dailey sentenced to two years in Western Penitentiary, costs, and five dollars fine. Com. vs. James Lamb, Simon Lamb and John Shelvey. Assault and battery. Not pros. entered on payment of costs. Com. vs. Catherine Corey. Recognizance of defendant ordered to be taken in the sum of \$100 for appearance at next term. Com. vs. Sylvanus Stewart. Adultery. Pleads guilty, and sentenced six and one-quarter cents damages, and \$5 costs, and to enter into a bond, with two sufficient sureties each in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned for the payment of one dollar per week for the support and maintenance of the child for the period of seven years. Com. vs. John McCloskey. Assault and battery. Pleads guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five dollars and costs, and thirty days in the county jail. Com. vs. Edward Haas. Selling liquor contrary to law. Sentenced to pay \$50 fine, costs, and imprisonment for thirty days in the county jail. Com. vs. John Dorsey. Assault and battery. Verdict, not guilty. Prosecutor, Patrick McPheley, to pay one-half the costs, and defendant the other half. Com. vs. Mrs. Anna Halligan. Assault and battery on Deputy Sheriff Wensel. Continued. Com. vs. Daniel Crabtree. Larceny. Verdict—not guilty. OYER AND TERMINER. Com. vs. Adam Chase. Rape. Verdict—defendant not guilty as to first count of indictment, but guilty of assault and battery, with an attempt to commit a rape. Sentenced to the county jail for six months, and pay \$75 and costs. ROAD MATTERS. Report of viewers on the road in Millstone township, from Adam Zimmerman to William Dufan's. Confirmation absolute. Report of viewers in the matter of the vacation of the road from Joseph Rogers' farm to the Boon's mountain road at the Holobaugh farm. Confirmation absolute. Report of viewers on the road to lead from the school house in Highland township to the public road at southwest corner of W. S. Cole's land in said township. Confirmed *in. si.*, and ordered to be opened fifty feet wide. Petition for review of damages of road from Water street in Benzenette, Elk county, Pa., to A. V. R. R. Ordered to review damages. In the matter of a private road to lead from James Cockburn's to John Overturf's coal mine in Benzenette township. Exceptions to report of viewers filed. GRAND JURY RESENTMENT. To the Hon. Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for the County of Elk. The grand inquest of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the county of Elk, at September sessions, respectfully recommend that the county jail in as good a condition as the buildings and surrounding will permit of. That we have visited and examined the county bridge over the Clarion river, in the village of Ridgway. We find the said bridge is in good condition, with the exception that a portion of the hand rail is out of repair, and should be looked after. We also recommend that the dirt on each side of the driveway of the bridge should be removed, as it seems to be rotting out the plank. We further report that a public highway, known as the Rosely road, some sixty or seventy rods long, has not been worked upon by the Supervisors. Also, that a gate has been placed across said road, the road being a township road, being in the borough of St. Mary's, and running in an easterly direction as far as maple corner. ANTHONY A. CLAY, Foreman.

Murder Most Foul.

MARY REILLY MURDERED BY A DISAPPOINTED LOVER. During the session of the Republican Convention last evening some of the audience near the window heard a pistol shot, and in a few minutes there was a call for a doctor. Some one was heard to say, "Mary Reilly is shot," and in a twinkling the press room was nearly empty of all but delegates. A representative of the *Miner* followed the crowd and found Miss Reilly lying at a bed at the residence of John Mullin breathing her last, with an ugly hole in the side of her head, from which the blood was flowing. The facts as gained by careful investigation seemed to be as follows: Miss Reilly, with Miss Belle Mullin, had been spending the evening at Miss Tracy's millinery store, and among others who were present was Andrew Tracy, a brother of Miss Tracy, and as it was afterward proven, an unsuccessful lover of the murdered woman. The Misses Reilly and Mullin started away about nine o'clock. Shortly after they started they heard some one behind them apparently following them, but paid no attention to it. As they reached the gate to Mr. Mullin's residence the party following them was immediately behind them, and as they turned to go in the gate he presented his revolver between the two girls from behind, and so close to Miss Reilly's face that the powder blackened the wound, and delivered the fatal and murderous shot, and fled. Miss Reilly fell to the ground insensible, and the screams of Miss Mullin soon attracted a crowd, who carried the murdered girl into the house, and in about twenty minutes she breathed her last. At first the mystery as to the identity of the murderer seemed impenetrable, but by putting a few facts together it was concluded that Andrew Tracy was the guilty one, and parties started out in search of him. It was found that he had fled by the nearest route to his mother house, about three miles from the borough, and providing himself with a loaf of bread and a blanket, had fled into the woods. This morning a coroner's jury was called by P. Ford, Esq. Among other witnesses who were called was John Tracy, a brother of Andrew, who testified that Andrew came to the house about ten o'clock, and calling him and his mother up, told them that he had committed a terrible deed, and was going away never to return; that his affections had been trampled upon, and he had taken revenge, with many other similar expressions. He asked for a loaf of bread and a blanket, and with his revolver in his hand made his brother promise that if anybody came to the house after him he would tell them that he had not been there. He then left the house. Other evidence was taken, all pointing unmistakably to Andrew Tracy as the murderer. The coroner's jury will continue in session until all available evidence is obtained. The Sheriff and a posse of men are now searching the surrounding woods, and his capture is undoubtedly certain. He is a young man about 20 years of age, talented and well educated, a lawyer by profession, of Irish nationality, smooth faced, with small gray eyes, quick spoken and of reserved demeanor. Miss Reilly is the oldest daughter of Mr. Andrew Reilly. She was a young lady of unusual attainments and good qualities. She was beloved by all who know her, and no one has ever heard a whisper of detraction of her character or good name. Her excellence and worth makes the crime seem all the more atrocious, and had Andrew Tracy been captured last evening, it would have been a difficult matter to have prevented the citizens from taking the law in their own hands. LATER.—Sheriff King has just received a dispatch stating that the murderer, Andrew Tracy has been captured at Portville.

Glycerine Explosion.

Between the hours of twelve and one o'clock, Sept. 15, at Bradford, Pa., a magazine containing twenty pounds of glycerine and seventy-five pounds of dynamite, located on the Curtis farm, two miles south of Bradford, exploded with terrific force, instantly killing Andy P. Higgins, J. B. Burkholder, N. P. Pulver and Charles S. Page. The mangled and scarcely recognizable men were found at different points about the magazine, and at distances from it varying from fifty to one hundred feet. The cause of the explosion is unknown. Not one of the party present is left to tell the story. On the night of August 8th burglars endeavored to open the magazine by inserting glycerine into the lock and firing with a fuse. The attempt failed, and the explosive remained in the lock. Last Sunday night, September 8th another attempt was made to burglarize the safe and disarrange the lock. Pulver and his friends were trying to open the safe, and it is supposed fired the glycerine in the lock. The men are all known in the Clarion towns. Pulver was thirty-eight years old and leaves a wife and five children living near Rochester, N. Y. Page has a wife and two children living in Bradford. The other men were young and unmarried. Higgins and Page were "moonlighters." Burkholder was formerly a tank builder in Elk City. Pulver sold glycerine for W. O. Gatham, of Petrolia. The accident created a profound sensation, and hundreds of people have visited the sickening scene. Fragments of flesh and shreds of clothing were strewn over the ground. Coroner J. C. Blair held an inquest and rendered a verdict that the men came to an untimely end by the explosion of glycerine from Pulver's safe. On Thursday last a terrible tragedy was enacted at a cabin in the lumber woods on Sterling Run, in this county, which was tenanted by a family named Hausmeter. Some time during the day, in the absence of the husband, two villainous fellows called at the cabin ostensibly to get a drink of water and finding the wife alone, they gagged her, perpetrated a brutal crime upon her and then beat her terribly, after which they left. They are being pursued but up to this writing the villainous brutes have not been captured, but they doubtless will be ere we go to press. Their names we withhold until they are caught, and it is to be hoped the officers in pursuit will not rest until they are secured.—*Emporium Independent.*

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Executors' Notice.

ESTATE of Adam Kemmerer, of Fox township, deceased. LETTERS TESTAMENTARY having been granted to the undersigned upon the said estate, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present them for settlement without delay. n27t6. JOHN B. CUNEO, Adm'r.

Executors' Notice.

ESTATE of Geo. Weis, late of St. Mary's Borough, Elk county Pa., deceased. LETTERS TESTAMENTARY having been granted to the undersigned upon the said estate, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present them for settlement without delay. n24t6. Juliana Weis, George Ed. Weis, Michael Brunner, Ex'rs.

Executors' Notice.

ESTATE of Valentine Neubert, late of Benzing township, Elk county Pa., deceased. LETTERS TESTAMENTARY having been granted to the undersigned upon the said estate, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present them for settlement without delay. n27t6. CATHARINE NEUBERT, Executrix.

Business Cards.

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