



The Jeffersonian.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1873.

PRESIDENT GRANT has issued a proclamation appointing Thursday, November 27, 1873, as a day of general Thanksgiving.

WE have two bright spots, in this desert of Democracy. The Borough of Stroudsburg, and Paradise township. The Republican majorities are not large but they are encouraging.

THE following is the official result for Representative in this district:

Table with 3 columns: Name, Votes, and Majority. Rows include Carbon, Monroe, Kistler, and Demmick.

THE RESULT.

The election last week resulted, as usual, in an unequivocal majority for the Republican State Ticket.

In our own county, the result is a very small vote, but we believe that in every instance good men were selected for the several positions to be filled.

As to whether it is best in the end that we had no special candidate in the field, that is not a question before us.

It is no small cause for congratulation that, though Mr. Kistler was nominated by the Democratic leaders, irregularly, for the purpose of punishing Carbon county, so good a man was selected.

Our neighbor of the Democrat, and other dignitaries of the party, labored earnestly and diligently to accomplish this thing; but, thanks to Mr. Kistler's spirit, and to the adhesion which the Republicans, both of Carbon and Monroe, gave him they were "whipped out of their boots."

It is said that there are quite a number of soreheads about, because of Mr. Kistler's election, but their possessors have no just cause to mourn.

THE storm which reached here, on Sunday night, and whose coming had been announced by "Old Probabilities" several days before, appears to have been very severe all along its track through the Middle, Western and Atlantic States.

IN New York city, high winds and heavy rains prevailed, though no lives were lost and the damage to property was slight.

AN exploded kerosene lamp at Morris Smiley's residence, on Monday evening last, raised quite an excitement down town, and very nearly an alarm of fire.

NO MAN should deprive his wife or family of a good local paper. They do not go out from home to learn the news as does the husband and father, and the paper serves to relieve the otherwise lonely hours of his absence.

THE Lutheran Church was crowded again on Sunday last, morning and evening. The Rev. Mr. Kohler, has evidently made a most favorable impression upon our church going people.

MR. SAMUEL BUCKLEY, Superintendent of Wallace's sash factory, who has been spending a couple of weeks in Virginia, returned home on Friday last.

The jury in the Stokes case was completed on the 16th inst.

The heaviest rain and wind storm of the season commenced at this place on Sunday night, and ranged until Tuesday morning.

The season of the year and yellow leaf is upon us, in all its beauty and grandeur. The country never looks more beautiful than at this season.

THE Rev. Mr. Kohler, on Sunday last, announced German services at the Lutheran Church for next Sabbath morning.

WHY might not the immense door-plates worn now by the ladies on their belts be utilized by engraving thereon the wearer's name, age, residence, fortune, or expectations, and stating whether heart free or engaged?

THE music loving portion of our citizens should read Miss Kohler's card in another column. She is a finished performer on the instruments she professes to teach, and will doubtless give thorough satisfaction to all who avail themselves of her services.

WE hear rumors of the lease of the up town Tannery by a party of New York capitalists, and that the work of working in hides will soon be commenced.

THAT bridge over the race at Kautz's is not yet rebuilt, though the staves for the abutments have been on the ground for some time.

SOME mischievous lads, on Tuesday night, who might find better employment, tore the carriage steps from the front of Mr. Paret's residence, on Simpson street, and set them up on the roof of Mr. Lewis Myers' barn.

THE improvements made in various parts of the town, by the Street Committee, in opening the gutters, proved their decided value on Monday last.

R. S. STAPLES and Wm. E. Henry, received a car load of Wild Horses and Mules, from the far Western plains on Saturday evening last.

JUDGE DEYOUNG AND LADY spent a week at the Nazareth Fair, and among their friends in that neighborhood.

NOTICE.—There will be a meeting of the Stockholders of the Stroudsburg Loan and Building Association, on Friday evening the 24th inst., at 7 1/2 o'clock, at Stephen Holmes office, for the purpose of electing officers to serve one year, from the 7th of November next. A full attendance is requested.

IMPROVED ORDER OF WOMEN BEATERS. Mrs. Barbara Haney, was brutally assaulted by a fellow, calling himself John O. Coyne, and his wife, on Thursday last, at the Lime Stone Quarry, near Delaware Water Gap.

DURING the heavy gale, which prevailed here on Monday evening, one of the wooden ornaments on the Methodist Church steeple, some eighty feet from the ground, blew off, and striking the roof of Esquire Burnett's tailor shop, passed through the building to the first floor.

ESQUIRE DRAKE, of Stroud township, left at our office a few days since, two ears of corn, of his own raising, one of which contains 20 rows, weighs 1 1/2 pounds, and measures 12 inches in length, and 9 inches in circumference, around the biggest end.

Our monetary laws are good in that no one can lose anything by bad bank notes, for the reason that there are no bad bank notes.

In this age of scepticism, facts are required to inspire confidence in the minds of the people; but, with good indorsers, they are willing to test any article claiming extraordinary merit.

Persons desirous of indulging in the uncertain business of laying wagers on the results of elections obtain a solid slice of comfort from Illinois, the Supreme Court of that Commonwealth having just decided that "betting on elections is not gambling, and that a judgment rendered on a note given in payment of such bet is valid."

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Monroe County Election Returns, Oct. 14, 1873.—Official.

Table showing election returns for various townships including Carbon, Monroe, Kistler, and Demmick, with columns for votes and totals.

MR. VALENTINE KAUTZ is making preparation for the erection of a brick Blacksmith and Wheelwright shop, on the site of his old one, this fall.

MR. PETER S. WILLIAMS, one of our enterprising Jewelers, stepped out of the realms of Batchelordom, on Tuesday, by leading to the Hymenial altar, one of Monroe's fairest daughters.

THE Town Council have taken in hand the widening of Walnut street, from Baldwin's Hotel to Wallace's corner.

FRIED, the indefatigable, a very ruler among clothiers, left town, for the city, a few days ago, to make other large additions to his extensive stock of clothing, boots and shoes, furnishing goods, &c., &c.

MR. GEO. H. DREHER and Lady were welcomed home from a protracted wedding tour, on Tuesday evening, last week.

ON Wednesday night of last week, some eighty head of cattle, belonging to Shadlinger & Smith, broke out of the Railroad Cattle Pen at Fork's Station.

A Luzerne county man fell asleep, soothed to slumber by much fire water. He slept forty five hours, and awoke to find that somebody had quietly cut one of his ears off.

According to a table in yesterday's Press, the next State Senate will consist of 20 Republicans and 13 Democrats; and the House of 61 Republicans and 39 Democrats; Republican majority on joint ballot, 29.

The Scranton Republican says: "At the present time there are over one hundred cases of small-pox in Hyde Park, and the disease on the increase. In several instances corpses have been known to remain unburied for three and four days."

The Reading Eagle gives a romantic love story of a wealthy old Berks county farmer, who became smitten with and married a handsome pea nut girl.

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It is estimated that fifteen per cent. of our gold product is melted down for manufacture, thirty five per cent. goes to Europe directly, twenty five per cent. goes to Cuba, fifteen per cent. goes to Brazil, five per cent. to China, Japan and India, leaving five per cent. for domestic use.

Sixty cents a day is considered good wages for a workman in any of the European countries except Great Britain, where the wages are some what higher.

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At a New England family reunion held a few days ago, the head of the ancestral name, an old lady nearly ninety years of age, made a little address to her descendants, as follows:

"We are assembled to commemorate our ancestry. Let us practice their virtuous lives. They were conscientious men, that despised fraud and oppression. As we look at their lives we find them honest, willing to earn their bread by the sweat of their brow. They were not defaulter; they did not covet what did not belong to them. This, my young friends, is a serious thing in the nineteenth century. Many have lost their integrity. What is to become of our family, our relations, our country. If we have no truth, no honesty, no uprightness in our lives? It is truth and honesty that live."

A dispatch from Carrollton, Mo., gives an account of a shocking tragedy enacted near there. Robert Austin, a young farmer residing about eight miles from Carrollton, suspected his wife of infidelity, and on Friday last home, saying he was going to the St. Louis Fair, and would be absent several days.

The Frederic (Md.) County Court has week decided a point that particularly interests the auctioneer, the bidder and the person making the sale. The case was this: A farm was "knocked down" to a bidder who afterwards refused to comply with the terms because no one but the auctioneer bid against him.

Hon. Morrow B. Lowry exhibited a forty two year old horse at the State Fair held at Erie. The horse was brought into Erie county by George M. Lauman, of Reading, a contractor on the Erie extension canal in 1839, and was rode by Mr. Morrow, who was one of the marshals on the occasion, at the great Whig and Democratic Convention on the 10th of September, 1849.

The Philadelphia papers, since the proposal was made to arrest all street musicians as vagrants, have received many protests against such action on the ground that the street musicians furnish the only music that can be enjoyed by the poor little children of the back streets, and that their arrest and prohibition will deprive such children of their pleasures and enjoyment.

A queer fish was caught in the Susquehanna recently which has no known parallel. It is about eighteen in length, has a head like a catfish, a broad and thick body, with four short stout legs, and a tail like a tarpole, and weighs between four and five pounds.

The self confessed murderer of Nathan having been brought to New York at last, the public may have the benefit of finding out whether the right man has been caught at last, or whether his confession was only the ingenious trick of a clever scoundrel, who thought by these means to secure free passage from San Francisco to New York.

In Newark, New Jersey, on Tuesday, the Democrats elected their Mayor by 179 majority, but all the municipal boards are largely Republican. Mr. Perry, the new Mayor, pledged himself in advance to close the beer gardens on Sunday, and consequently received the support of many Republicans.

The heaviest shipment of coal oil over the L. V. branch of the P. & R. R., for a single day, for New York, via the Alentown route, was on Wednesday last, when 135 tanks were despatched from Harrisburg. Allowing 65 barrels to the tank, and 40 gallons to the barrel, we have a total of 351,000 gallons.

Recently the figures were given of the amount of chewing gum or wax manufactured by a New Jersey firm, and now a Western paper chronicles the poisoning and narrow escape from death of three little girls who had been chewing this concoction of red oxide of mercury and beeswax.

Hon. Daniel H. Agnew (Republican), now one of the justices of the Supreme Court, will be Chief Justice of Pennsylvania from the first Monday of December, 1873, when the term of the present Chief Justice, Hon. John M. Read, expires.

An Oxford, Chester county, peach tree has just ripened its second crop this year. \$165,000 was withdrawn from the Bank of England, for shipment to America.

Joe Coburn announces his determination not to accept any challenges to fight. Tweed will be tried after the trial of Stokes is concluded.

Lancaster pays out nearly \$850,000 per annum to her manufacturing employees.

The Washington Chronicle considers balloon ascensions public nuisances, and wants a law made to prevent them.

There were nearly a thousand cases returned to the grand jury of Luzerne county for selling liquor without license. Nearly fifty cases are from Pittston.

The fight between the Brule Sioux and Ponca Indians, in Dakota Territory, on the 15th inst., resulted, according to the latest reports, in the killing of 20 warriors. A Pottsville murderer of eleven years standing has turned up at Sharon, and is now safely lodged in the Pottsville jail. He admits the deed, but claims self defense.

Nine agricultural fairs will be held in the State of Virginia during this month and November. The tobacco crop now being harvested is the best for several years.

An island of eleven acres has been discovered in Minnetonka, Minn., which escaped the notice of the government surveyors. It contains a very rich guano deposit.

The Icelanders are beginning to emigrate quite extensively to the United States. They are said to resemble the Scotch in appearance, and are a bright, clean and very healthy looking class of people.

A young man was discharged from Auburn prison last Sunday morning who had earned \$400 by overwork during his four and a half years of confinement. He was a skillful workman engaged in a tool shop.

Columbus, Ga., boasts of a young man who is said to receive a salary of \$1200 and saves \$1100 per annum, and has saved since the war some \$7000. He boards at the free lunch counter and sleeps on the lee side of a fence.

Delise Culver, of Jersey City, one of the wealthiest capitalists in New Jersey, has been adjudged a bankrupt. He was vice president of the New York and Oswego Midland Railroad Company. His liabilities are said to reach \$8,000,000.

MARRIED.

October 21, 1873, in Middle Smithfield, at the residence of Andrew J. Shoemaker, Esq., by the Rev. Charles A. Van Allen, Mr. Peter S. Williams, of Stroudsburg, Pa., to Miss Hanna M. Gratton, daughter of the late Matthew George Gratton, of Middle Smithfield.

September 10, 1873, by Rev. Charles A. Van Allen, Mr. Millard Durie, of Port Jervis, N. Y., to Miss Elizabeth Walton, of Shawnee, Pa. By the same, October 8, 1873, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Joseph Bentley, of Lehman township, to Miss Malinda Decker, of Middle Smithfield, Pa.

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Auditor's Notice. Estate of SALLY ANN GRONER, deceased. The undersigned appointed by the Orphans Court of Monroe county, Auditor to manage the distribution of the money in hands of the said DeYoung, Executor of the last Will of the said Sally Ann Groner, deceased, will attend to the duties of his appointment on Saturday, November 22, 1873, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Prothonotary's Office, in the borough of Stroudsburg, at which time all persons having any claims against said fund will present the same or be deemed to have waived the same, and to be forever barred from coming in for any share thereof. THOS. M. McILHANEY, Auditor. oct23-4f

REWARD. Broke out of Railroad Cattle Pen, at Fork Station, on the night of October 15, 1873. A LOT OF CATTLE, belonging to the undersigned, of which head are still missing. A reward of TWO DOLLARS PER HEAD will be paid on delivery to L. T. SMITH, Fork's Station, D. L. & W. R. R. The names are marked with letter "S" on the right side. All information leading to the whereabouts of said Cattle will be thankfully received, and the above reward will be paid on delivery above stated. SHADDINGER & SMITH, Fork's Station. oct23]