



The Jeffersonian.

THURSDAY, APRIL 22, 1875.

The Lackawanna Mines, or the Hyde Park miners as they are commonly called, display a more than ordinary amount of wisdom in their action on Friday a week, in voting 319 for and 1512 against a strike.

Truckers in the western part of Virginia will suffer a loss of \$1,000,000 by the recent frost.

New goods will arrive at N. Ruster's this week and next. Don't fail to call and see them.

The Adventists of Chicago were prepared to leave the world on its dissolution at midnight last Monday night.

Goods cheaper than ever at N. Ruster's. He has them marked way down to bottom prices.

Representative miners held a secret council at Hazleton, on Monday, and there is a possibility that their deliberations may result in a change in the situation.

Very cold weather prevailed at Wilmington, N. C., on Sunday night. Ice formed nearly half an inch thick.

Those wishing to secure a good bargain will do well to call at N. Ruster's, as he is bound not to be undersold.

A FINE day or two have marked the past week, and several that were not so fine. Taking it all together, the season will not pass for a very respectable spring.

Not much spring work—plowing, seeding, and planting has as yet been done, but that the plough share will soon meander through the green sward is morally certain.

STROUDSBURG had its first spelling bee on Saturday evening, and lots of fun was the order of the evening.

Friday it snowed, Saturday it snowed, and Sunday it snowed, and Monday it was lowery and cold enough to do most anything, from furnishing sleighing to freezing a man's nose off.

IMPORTANT.—In order to quit the Boot and Shoe Business, Simon Fried offers his entire stock of Boots and Shoes, at first cost and below cost.

Chief Justice Lowe, of Utah, has ordered Brigham Young to appear on Saturday next, to show cause why he should not be compelled to comply with the Court's order to pay his wife Eliza \$9,500 pending writ heretofore granted.

BEECHERISM was practically tested in one of our Sunday schools last Sunday. A gay young knight of the scalpel expressed his true "inwardness" by giving his "doxy" a "paroxysmal" kiss before the whole school.

It is rumored that Mr. C. Lewis Waters, our champion boot maker will transfer his services from his own establishment to that of Mr. C. B. Keller, and take charge of a manufacturing department to be established by the latter.

STROUDSBURG has enjoyed a sensation for a week or more past, growing out of a fancy speculation in one of the Singmaster's "Arbeitsstoffe." The end is not yet, and what the end will be it may require both time and law to tell.

OUR enterprising painter, grainer and paper hanger, Mr. Mason Tock, not to be behind the times, has supplied himself with an improved self acting paper trimmer, and is now better prepared than ever to meet calls in his line.

How long, how long, lips sighing lass, will winter mar our fates; ere yet spring brings the time to pass, for swinging on the gates. The hinges they do rusty grow—the lads look kinder blue, and we despair of any show, until we get this due.

THE Democracy owe our distinguished neighbor over the way something for the persistent manner in which he pumps wind into the organ, and we are determined to remind them of it to the end.

"PETERS' HOUSEHOLD MELODIES"—A musical monthly publication, is one of the most reliable publications, in the musical line, we have ever seen.

NO! We haven't made garden yet. What we may do depends a good deal on the season.

A new lot on hand at Stokes' Mills. Price \$8 per ton or 50 cents per bushel. Grain wanted in exchange.

THE public are already aware that Messrs Wyckoff, Cook & Bell have established themselves in the dry goods and notion line, in Edward Brown's room, a few doors above the Post Office.

SHERIFF SHAFFER, has commenced the work of putting a third story on his Indian Queen Hotel. This is an improvement long demanded by the increasing patronage of the "Queen."

RESOLVED 1st—While we deeply lament her loss, we bow in submission to his wise Providence, believing that our loss is her heavenly gain.

During a thunder storm on Friday evening a shed on Noel Coggeshall's farm, in Middletown, R. I., was struck by lightning, ten sheep being killed and the shed burned.

In Missouri nearly \$2,000,000 worth of bonds have mysteriously disappeared from the office of the State Treasurer.

The Scranton Republican says:—"We assume the responsibility of saying that the use of Mr. Ketcham's name in connection with the State Treasurership has been without authority, and that he would under no circumstances resign the seat in Congress to which he was last year elected by such a flattering majority in a Democratic district."

Nearly a month has now elapsed since Carruth was shot at Vineland, and he is still alive, buoyant in spirits and seemingly in a fair way for recovery.

A few mornings since a resident of Milton discovered that his fire would not burn. Investigating he found no soot, but on the contrary an obstruction he little looked for.

Some queer juries are occasionally empanelled. On Saturday a Philadelphia jury recommended to mercy a scamp whom they found guilty of a conspiracy to decoy an Adams' Express "money" messenger into a secluded room, there to gag and handcuff him, or knock him on the head if necessary, and then rob him and his wagon.

Y. M. C. A.—Spelling Bee. As had been announced in our last week's issue, a "spelling bee" came off at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, on Saturday evening last.

Mr. A. A. Dinsmore, Mrs. S. Burson, Thos. A. Bell, Mr. Thos. A. Bell, Mr. Jos. Matlack, James Pugh, Henry Sayres, Miss Lizzie Flory, Ida Detrick, Mr. Ed. Hankins, Mr. C. A. Holmes, Miss Lizzie Landers, Eva Edinger, Mr. Dayton Walton, Harry Walton, Chas. McIntyre, M. D. Van Horn, Wm. Ramsey, A. Van O'linda, John Smiley.

Mr. B. F. Morey had been selected to distribute the words, and he did it in a decidedly effective manner. Most of his words were bona fide English, with occasionally a little French and Welsh, and now and then some lengthy favorite of Confucius, or something which plainly showed its Choctaw derivation.

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Beecher's sexton gets \$1,500 per year. New York gives \$6,000,000 a year to charity.

Pittsburg's Centennial Tea Party netted \$3972.56. The real estate in the county of Indiana is valued at \$11,074,104.

A Chicago merchant named Tubb has just failed. He couldn't stand on his own bottom. The Scranton Republican says for the past four months that city has been unusually free from crime.

A Warren county breach of promise case was settled by the young man giving the woman six cords of wood. A destructive flood in Mill river, near Boston, on Saturday, caused damage to the extent of nearly \$200,000.

The growth of empire. It is estimated that 300,000 emigrants have gone into Texas since last October. A fruitful difference. Great Britain has but 153,526 acres planted in orchards. Illinois alone has twice as many.

Union Furnace, in Union county, Pennsylvania, has been blown out in consequence of the scarcity of coal. Reading has a novel drinking saloon, where nothing but milk is sold and the cost of a drink is only three cents.

Philip Murray, on trial at Pittsburg for the murder of James White, has been convicted of murder in the first degree. According to the last triennial assessment, Berks county owns \$1,287,393 worth of horses, and \$620,679 worth of cattle.

It is estimated that at least three thousand factory operatives will be out of employment at Lowell within a week. Scipio Bryan and Elijah Atkison, both colored, were hanged at Beaufort, S. C., on Friday last, for murder and arson.

An ingenious Allentown youth has whitened out a steam engine and threshing machine, all of wood, and has them running. Nearly \$50,000 worth of fine laces and trimmings were abstracted from two New York houses on Saturday night, part of which was recovered.

They are cutting one of the big trees in California, thirty feet in diameter and over three hundred feet in height, for exhibition at the Centennial. Some fine old Madeira wine was sold in Philadelphia, the other day, at \$35 per gallon. The same wine was bought twelve years ago at \$40 per gallon.

A new plan of burning oil for fuel in the manufacture of glass has been successfully introduced in Pittsburg. It is adapted to other processes requiring great heat. "There! there's that very mitten I lost this morning!" exclaimed a Richmond man as he quit spooning out the pudding to hold up the lost article.

Clear the Track! MAKE ROOM FOR THE Wonderful Cheap Goods THAT HAVE JUST ARRIVED AT DECKER'S WONDERFUL CHEAP AUCTION STORE!

What Next? GOOD NEWS!—DECKER has just been buying out a merchant, took all the goods at 60 cents on the dollar from first cost, and he is now rushing them off to his customers, some at cost and some below cost.

What Next? The next thing is, for all his customers to come and get some of the greatest bargains ever offered in Stroudsburg.

What Next? Fine spring and summer Dress Goods, striped, plaid and plain Goods, only 12, 14 and 16 cts.

What Next? Fine black and colored Alpaca and Alpaca Lustre, only 25, 30 and 35 cents.

What Next? Splendid White Dress Goods, Peka cross-bar, Jacksonet, Naansook, Victoria Lawns, Hamburg edgings and insertings, cheapest in the county.

What Next? Beautiful Calicoes 6, 8 and 10 cents for the very best, Merimacks and Cocheoces.

What Next? Good heavy solid Gingham only 10 cts.

What Next? Bleached and unbleached Muslins, some of the very cheapest in the county. We want every body to get a sight of these.

What Next? Very heavy over-all stuff only 16 cts, worth 20 cents in some stores.

What Next? Fine Damask Linen Table Cloths, two yards wide, only 75 cents a yard, worth \$1 in some stores; and good unbleached Linen Table Cloths only 45 and 50 cts. a yard.

What Next? Beautiful white Counterpanes only \$1 25 very cheap; Linens, Linen Towels, Napkins, Gents' and Lydia's handkerchiefs from 8 to 25 cents.

What Next? Three thousand yards of SILK AND VELVET RIBBONS, all widths and colors, nearly half price.

What Next? 200 trimmed and untrimmed Hats for Ladies, Misses' & Children, less than half price. ALSO—Laces, Flowers and Feathers wonderful cheap.

What Next? Gents', Ladies', Misses' and Childrens' Hosiery and Gloves, some of the best in the county for the price.

What Next? All kinds of Notions and Fancy Goods—good Pins, and Best Needles for 5 cts. a paper, and good spool cotton, 200 yards warranted, only 4 cents a spool.

What Next? Excellent Cotton Bats and Carpet Warp, a great bargain.

What Next? We will sell you a whole suit of Men's clothes, coat, vest and pants made up of good heavy Cassimere, well made and lined, only nine dollars and fifty cents, warranted.

What Next? We will sell Boys' and Youth's suits from four to seven dollars, good cloth and well made.

What Next? We will sell our five dollar Mens' Boots for \$3 50, and Mens' good lasting Boots for \$1 75, worth \$2 50.

What Next? We shall sell Ladies' good lasting Gaiters for \$1 25 and \$1 50, worth \$1 75 and \$2 25 in some stores. We shall keep a good assortment of Ladies' and Misses' and Children's Shoes, and sell them wonderful cheap.

What Next? We will sell good soft fashionable Hats for Men for \$1 50 and \$1 75, worth \$2 and \$2 50 in some stores. Small Boys' and Youth's Hats and Caps, very cheap.

What Next? We intend to keep on hand fashionable Dress goods, in quantities so that none need to go away without being suited, both in style, quality and price.

What Next? People wonder how Decker can sell goods so cheap. The reason is simply this. Mr. Decker lives near the city and can there a great portion of his time hunting up the prettiest and cheapest goods, and buys them for cash, and this is the reason he can sell them so cheap for cash.

What Next? Our customers will find in Mr. DECKER'S, the Superintendent of the Store, a gentleman who will always be glad to see them and show them the cheap goods with great pleasure.

What Next? Be sure and go to the Cheap Auction Store, down town, 4 doors below the Post Office.

DECKER & CO. April 15, 1875.—1y.