



The Jeffersonian.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1876.

LET US ORGANIZE.

The Republicans of Monroe county, though few in numbers, certainly deserve credit for the tenacity with which they stick to principle. On all occasions, no matter what the question to be settled, whether National, State or County, they are on hand in full proportion to the numbers of their opponents.

The Republicans of Scranton carried a majority in both councils, but owing to the conduct of the "slag-aways" lost the city Treasurer. In Easton the party carried everything that was worth carrying and ditto in Harrisburg, the same in Williamsport, &c.

That was quite a little victory for Republicanism which came of it in this borough on Tuesday the 15th. Four out of the six Councilmen, the Chief Burgess and all the other borough officers except Constable, were won by the Democrats.

Next Tuesday will be Shrove Tuesday, and the day will not again occur on the 29th of February until 1944. Its last occurrence on that day was in 1724.

Three car loads of our citizens excursionized to New York on Thursday last, to hear Moody and Sankey. They were principally from Stroudsburg and vicinity. They returned on Friday evening safe and sound, well pleased with the excursion.

Mr. A. W. GOULD will shortly leave Hickory Run, he having purchased the store and hotel stand and farm at Merwinsburg, formerly and for many years in possession of his father-in-law, Judge Merwine. He will conduct the business himself.

On Friday evening last, a number of invited guests enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. Nathan H. Shafer, at the Indian Queen Hotel, in this Borough. All expressed themselves highly pleased with the entertainment, it being Nathan's 27th birthday.

AND now, after envy has almost succeeded in annihilating George Washington, his little hatchet and the memorable cherry tree, "how doth the little busy bee" is receiving the attention of the Vandals, who pretend to say the honey sucker is not half so industrious as the cockroach.

J. L. DUBOIS, Esq., of Doylestown, Pa., delivered the second lecture of the course for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A., on Wednesday evening last. The subject—"Last Will and Testament"—was skillfully handled in the humorous vein, and proved both instructive and entertaining to all present.

THE GRAND GIFT BALL, to be given by the Stroudsburg Cornet Band, will take place Wednesday evening, March 1st at the Indian Queen Hotel. The drawing will take place in the afternoon of the same day at Williams' Hall. The committee have a few tickets yet on hand and we would advise those who have any notion of purchasing one to do so at once.

WE observe that Judge Stokes is getting stone on the ground preparatory to the laying of a neat flag walk in front of his residence on Main street. This is an example which more of our property holders should follow, and thus do away with the toe stamping offsets which, owing to the settling of brick pavements, make our side walks really dangerous to pedestrians.

ALMOST A SERIOUS FIRE.—Tuesday evening about 8 1/2 o'clock, the cry of fire was given very vigorously on the streets, and presently the fire bell began to ring the fire boys together for business. It was caused by a fire in Mr. Samuel Hoffman's house, but which was fortunately confined to a clothes closet. We learn that the loss in clothing was considerable.

A PARTY numbering some twelve couples, met at the residence of Mrs. Kate Childs, on Friday evening last, and after consideration concluded to confer an agreeable surprise upon Mr. Amos Miller and daughter Emma, which they succeeded in doing to perfection.

FESTIVAL.—The members of the M. E. Church, Fowler's Appointment, will have an Oyster Supper, on Thursday evening, March 2, 1876, at the residence of Daniel Walter—(Jos. Dusenberry's place). The proceeds to be applied to pay on the debt of the Parsonage at Spragueville. All are cordially invited to attend. Come one come all. Should the evening prove stormy the supper will take place on the next fair evening.

THOSE CISTERS! Ah, Yes! We hav'nt built any yet, and probaly wont until we are called upon to mourn the destruction of a goodly portion of our beautiful village by fire, when every body, borough fathers and all, will not only wish they had thought of them, but built them too.

Mr. WILSON PIERSON, of East Stroudsburg, in company with Mr. Jos. Staples of the Del. Water Gap, and Mrs. Jos. Jones, of Paradise, on Tuesday evening last, comfortably seated in a two-horse carriage, and while descending the hill between Joseph Lee's and Spragueville, the horses became frightened and ran away, up-setting the carriage and nearly demolished it.

Our Stroudsburg Cornet Band made a good hit in securing the services of Mr. Rogers Hawk, formerly a member of the Brodheadsville Band. Though young in years Rogers possesses marvellous skill as a cornetist, and with care will make an eminent performer on that instrument.

A SMALL COIN with a HISTORY.—Mr. Charles C. Drake, now of this place but formerly of England, showed us a small coin either of French or English coinage, of the value of about eight cents, which was coined in 1402 during the reign of king Henry the Fourth of England.

MINISINK TRIBE, I. O. of R. M., of this place, celebrated the third anniversary of their organization at their Wigwag on Thursday last. The turn out on the occasion was very fair, and a number of ladies graced the occasion with their presence.

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\$2,000 WANTED, On First Mortgage; FIRST CLASS PROPERTY. For further information apply at this office. Jan. 27, 1876.

Orphans' Court Sale. By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Monroe County, there will be exposed to sale by public vendue or out-cry, upon the premises, in Polk township, on Friday, the 25th day of February, 1876, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following described Real Estate, late of Henry Feller, deceased, viz:

A certain tract or piece of land situate in said Polk township, containing 35 Acres 58 Perches, about 2 acres MEADOW, about 3 acres Timber Land, balance under cultivation.

The improvements are one Log Dwelling House, weather-boarded, 20 feet by 26 feet, 2 stories high, with cellar underneath. One FRAME BARN, 28 ft. by 36 feet, with Shed attached 17 ft. by 22 ft., Wagon House 15 ft. by 17 ft. and other out-buildings. A never failing well of water near the door, a number of FRUIT TREES,

consisting of apples, cherries, &c., on the premises. The public road from Albrightsville to Kresgeville, passes through the premises. Terms one-third of purchase money to remain for use of widow, one-third cash on day of sale and balance in one year, to be secured by Judgment bond and Mortgage. BALSER FELLER, Administrator. February 3, 1876.

FOR SALE, A double house and lot, near the Court House, cheap. Will be sold together or separate to suit purchasers. D. S. LEE. Inquire of Stroudsburg, Dec. 27, 1875.—47.

Dwelling House for Sale. A very desirable two story Dwelling House, containing seven rooms, which is suitable for a Store Room, situate on Main street, in the Borough of Stroudsburg. The building is nearly new, and every part of it in good condition. For terms, &c., call at this office. [Dec. 9, 1874-47.]

Opposition to Humbuggery! The undersigned hereby announces that he has resumed business at the old stand, next door to Ruster's Clothing Store, Main street, Stroudsburg, Pa., and is fully prepared to accommodate all in want of BOOTS and SHOES, made in the latest style and of good material. Repairing promptly attended to. Give us a call. Dec. 9, 1875-197.

VICK'S Flower and Vegetable Seeds are the best the world produces. They are planted by a million people in America, and the result is beautiful flowers and splendid vegetables. A Price Catalogue sent free to all who enclose the postage—a cent stamp.

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Vick's Floral Guide. This is a beautiful Quarterly Journal, finely illustrated, and containing an elegant colored Frontispiece with the first number for 1876, just issued. Address: JAMES VICK, Rochester, N. Y. Jan. 13-47.

FOR SALE. One pair of Mules, 3 years old, 154 hands high, well broke in every way, in good condition. Will sell cheap or exchange for good yoke of oxen. Call on or address L. T. SMITH, Forks Station, Monroe Co., Pa. Sept. 30, 1875.

MONROE CO. BANKING AND SAVINGS COMPANY. Chas. W. Decker, Thos. D. Stites, Chas. Fetherman, R. S. Staples, Geo. E. Stauffer, Thos. A. Bell, W. B. Bell, J. Lanz.

Manhood: How Lost, How Restored! Just published, a new edition of the DR. VERWEL'S CELEBRATED ESSAY on the male cure (without medicine) of Stricture, Gonorrhoea, or Seminal Weakness, (including) Venereal Diseases, Impotency, etc. Price, in a sealed envelope, only six cents. The celebrated author, in this admirable Essay, fully demonstrates, from a thirty years' successful practice, that the alarming consequences of self-abuse may be radically cured without the dangerous use of any medicine or the application of the knife; pointing out a mode of cure at once simple, certain, and effectual, by means of which every sufferer, no matter what condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately, and radically.

Livery & Exchange Stables. The undersigned having purchased the stock of Horses, Carriages, &c., owned by A. W. Fanchberger, beg leave to say to the public they have horses and carriages for hire at all hours on reasonable terms. PEIRSON & THOMAS, Office opposite R. R. Depot, East Stroudsburg, Pa. Stables immediately in rear. Sept. 30, 1875.—47.

UNDERTAKING. MCCARTY & SONS have on hand the largest assortment of COFFINS and TRIMMINGS to be found outside of either city (New York or Philadelphia), and will make this branch of our business a specialty.

COFFINS and CASKETS of any shape or style, can be furnished at one-third the price for shipment at a charge of one-third less than any shop in Stroudsburg. In no case will they charge more than ten per cent. above actual cost.

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BLANK LEASES For Sale at this Office.