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Church and Sabbath School.

Presbyterian Sabbath School at 9:45 a. m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10:00 a. m. Preaching in M. E. Church every Sabbath evening by Rev. Small.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

The whooping cough is in town. Mrs. Albert Hayden is visiting friends in town.

F. F. Whittekin will build an office on his lot right away. Most everybody from up along the creek is in town this week.

The Clarion State Normal School will open the spring term, April 12. We noticed Robert Gillespie of Whig Hill, in town Sunday evening.

Preaching in the F. M. church next Sunday evening. All are invited. Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pones, on Friday, the 4th inst., a boy.

Mr. Marsh Catlin and Mr. John Shunk of Whig Hill were in town Tuesday. Mr. Hopkins Sr., spent Saturday and Sunday here with his son, L. J. Hopkins.

Miss Retta Proper returned home on Saturday from an extended, and very pleasant visit east. The Pennsylvania State Teachers' Association will meet this year in Clearfield, Pa., on July 5-7.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Proper will commence housekeeping in the southern wing of the Forest House. Treasurer Fitzgerald and Ab Grove are driving a well in the yard in the front of Mr. Fitzgerald's house.

A law has been passed by the Legislature of Kansas giving women the right to vote at municipal elections in that state. In the editorial columns will be found a summary of the work done by the late lamented—the 49th Congress. Read it.

Mrs. Doult who has been visiting here with her children, A. M. Doult, and Mrs. Patk Grove, returned home on Tuesday. Mrs. McCain, wife of W. G. McCain of Nebraska, accompanied by her two sons, returned to her home in Freeport, yesterday.

F. E. King of Ross Run, was in town Monday. Mr. King is suffering from a sore eye, the outcome of an injury sustained a long time ago. Teachers and others desiring a thorough course of instruction should address, A. J. Davis, Principal of the State Normal School, Clarion, Pa.

The Grove bro's, Ab., Wilbur, and Park, will start for the Portsmouth, Ohio, oil field to-morrow morning. May they strike it rich. Mrs. T. F. Ritchey, accompanied by her brother-in-law Mr. Clint Baker, came home from Spring Creek, on Tuesday, where she has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Baker.

Messrs. Randall and Wenk, were home from Harrisburg over Sunday. The Misses Lizzie and Vinnie Randall accompanied their father to Harrisburg for a two week's visit. The revival meetings in the M. E. Church continue. There have been some conversions, and the interest is good. The meetings will continue through the week, and longer, perhaps.

Mr. William Young of Oldtown Flatts, is moving with his family back to the Fogle Farm in Harmony township, where he formerly lived. We regret to lose Mr. Young from our vicinity. J. L. Craig, the gentlemanly and efficient agent at the B. N. Y. & P. R. R. station, one day last week created quite a scare by falling off his feet in the depot as if struck down. It was the results of a bilious attack, and previous to falling he had had a terrible pain in his head. He is able to be out again attending to his duties.

B. H. Rice, Mr. Dusenbury's genial clerk and right hand man, and Matthew Elliott, of Newtown, called on the Republican while in town last week. Mr. Rice was foreman of the Grand Jury.

The druggist who hesitates now is lost for the winter. He should sling together some sweet oil and liquorice and bring out his cough syrup at once. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup does not pay him enough profit.

The creek is "up" this week, and "rafting and running" is having a boom. The mouth of the creek has been full of crafts of various kinds this week, and a number of fleets have gone on down the river.

Miss Maude Davis left for Boston on Monday. She goes to complete her musical studies, and will be there until June. From there she goes to Chautauqua to fill an engagement. She will come home in September.

Do you want to prepare for College, or for Teaching, or for Business? Do you wish to take a course in Music, or in Painting and Drawing? Go to the State Normal School at Clarion, Pa. The Spring term begins April 12th, 1887.

Ballou's Magazine for March is on our table. The present number detracts nothing from the reputation for excellence that this journal has always sustained, but adds to it. Price, \$1.50 per annum. G. W. Studley, Publisher, Boston, Mass.

Salvation Oil is the greatest pain-destroyer of any age or clime. For the cure of neuralgia, rheumatism, and wounds occasioned by accidents, such as cuts, bruises, sprains, burns, and frostbites it has no equal. Price only 25 cents a bottle.

The Ole's concert at the Court House, on last Wednesday evening drew a fair audience, and was a very enjoyable affair. If given at some other time when there was less to divert attention in some other direction, there would have been a much larger house.

Last year, for the first time in the history of the county, the proceedings of the Teacher's Institute were published in neat pamphlet form, by Superintendent Hillard, the cost of publication being met by advertising. This year the proceedings will again be published in the same way. They will be out in about ten days.

From an article in the Jacksonian we learn the Reidsburg well in Clarion county, is good for from 15 to 20 barrels per day, natural production. As to the depth of the well, the Jacksonian article says, "We have it from good authority that 895 feet was the exact amount of tubing received and used at the well." The well produces "amber oil."

The Brockwayville Record published last week a lengthy account of the lumbering operations on Toby Creek the present season, and claims the lumber cut is the largest ever made on that stream. The amount is put at thirty five million feet, and with the bark valued at over \$300,000. Toby Creek is a branch of the Clarion River, a part of the Southern boundary of our county.

Ridgway is to have a business boom. The Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh Railroad Co., propose to locate car works there if the people of the town will give sufficient encouragement to the enterprise. The Advocate says: "The proposition they make is that they will put into the enterprise about \$125,000, and establish shops that will give employment to from 500 to 600 men and turn out ten new cars a day, providing the citizens of Ridgway donate fifteen acres of land and a bonus of \$25,000. If the proposition is accepted they expect to have the works completed and in operation in about four months."

Monday morning some parties were weighing an animal of the bovine make up on Holeman and Hopkins' scales. It was just after the mail came over and quite a number of persons were standing round on the walk near the post office. It is probable that the bovine became enraged at the sight of a red dress worn by a little girl who passed along the walk, at any rate he made a dash for the walk, and caught James Kelly who standing in the way, on his horns and head and threw him out in the road. Mr. Kelly had been standing facing the street, and hearing the commotion, and catching a glimpse of the stampede had tried to get out the animals way. He was not hurt much but the experience was not a pleasant one.

COURT MINUTES.

ADDITIONAL. Andrews vs. Salmon Creek Lumber Co.; verdict for Plaintiff, \$92.00. Hoyt vs. Superior; verdict for Plaintiff, \$42.00.

Enterprise Transit Co. vs. W. Horton, et al, continued. Maria Reese vs. John Wiles, Plaintiff takes a nonsuit.

Com. vs. Robert Harger, burglary; guilty, to pay a fine of \$10, and costs, and to undergo a sentence of 2 years and 8 months, solitary confinement at hard labor, in the Western Penitentiary.

Com. vs. Robert Harger, larceny, and malicious mischief; not guilty as to second, but plead guilty to first, to pay a fine of \$5, and costs, and to undergo a sentence of 1 year and 6 months, solitary confinement at hard labor, in the Western Penitentiary. The two sentences run parallel, so that 2 years and 8 months is the time Harger will have to serve.

Com. vs. John Puffenberger, assault and battery, and malicious mischief; guilty on first, and to pay a fine of \$25, and costs; not guilty on second, and prosecutor, R. R. Andrews, to pay costs.

Com. vs. R. R. Andrews, selling liquor on Sunday; not guilty but pay the costs. Adjudged Court, April 14.

GRAND JURY FINDINGS. Com. vs. John Puffenberger, assault and battery; true bill. Com. vs. John Puffenberger, malicious mischief; true bill.

Com. vs. R. R. Andrews, selling liquor on Sunday; true bill. Com. vs. R. R. Andrews, selling liquor without license; not a true bill, and prosecutor to pay cost.

Com. vs. R. R. Andrews, selling liquor to minors; not a true bill, and prosecutor to pay cost. Com. vs. Charles Leckler, selling liquor without license; true bill.

Com. vs. Joseph Superior, selling liquor to minors; not a true bill and county to pay cost. Com. vs. Joseph Superior, selling liquor without license; not a true bill and county to pay cost.

Com. vs. Siggins, nuisance; true bill. Com. vs. Miller, false pretense; true bill. Nolle Pros. entered.

Legal Status of The Chicken. In this state a man's garden is his own and he has a right to protect it against predatory hens even to the shedding of fowl blood. Too long have the long-eared Shanghai and sawed off bantam been permitted to forage at will. The law has decided against the chicken and it must go, peaceably it may be, ready for the pot if needs must. The test case came up at the last term of the Franklin county court. The state of affairs was thus:

Henry Klingensmith and Frank Wagoner are neighbors. Klingensmith had a field of winter wheat and Wagoner owned a flock of choice chickens. Wagoner's chickens went into Klingensmith's wheat field and worked on the sprouting grain with the avidity of crows in a corn field. Klingensmith finally discovered them, and went after them with a shot gun, killing most of the flock. He then sized up the damage the poultry had done, and sued Wagoner to recover. He obtained a judgment for \$30. Wagoner, believing that the loss of a lot of valuable chickens and the payment of \$30 besides was an unwarranted straining of justice, began a criminal prosecution of Klingensmith under the statute fixing penalties for killing and maiming domestic animals. The judge charged the jury in the case that a man had no legal right to raise chickens that either annoyed his neighbors or fattened themselves in their gardens or on their crops, and that the killing of them under such circumstances was justifiable in law. Klingensmith was acquitted.—Blizzard.

Prof. A. S. Saxman, formerly Principal of Corsica Academy, Jefferson county, and who left that place last summer was drowned in Alaska. Prof. Saxman, soon after leaving Corsica, went to Alaska, having been commissioned by the United States government to take charge of the Indian schools at Loring. He and his wife had located at Fort Longus for the winter. On Dec. 13, in an open canoe in company with two natives he set out for Loring, expecting to return in five days. As he did not return, on January 1st, a search party set out, and found the canoe, and provisions, blankets, etc., cast up on the beach indicating that the canoe had upset and thrown the party into the water, and they had in all probability perished.

Communicated.

ED. FOREST REPUBLICAN:—I see in the Vindicator of February 17, 1887, an article headed, "Timothy against Clover as a Fertilizer," and signed "Hayseed."

This is a position we have never seen any one take before, and we think the writer stands alone. In the first place he says, "Take a ton of green clover, the same of green timothy, dry out the water, and see which has the most solid matter in it."

We would like to ask "Hayseed" if he has tested each as a fertilizer; if he has tried them side by side; if he has done so, and found timothy the best. Then, too, we would like to know who "Hayseed" is.

We will admit that there may be more solid matter in a ton of timothy than in a ton of clover, but prove that the ton of timothy is of more value as a fertilizer than ton of clover. We must not take hay, or top grass, alone; we must take into consideration the roots. The roots of timothy are very small, and set right on top of the ground; while clover roots are large, and go down a foot or more into the ground. And there is where we get our fertilizer from clover. Now, "Hayseed," let us have the proof of your theory, and we will gladly be convinced, and gladly put it into practice. For if your theory be correct there is a decided advantage in it, as timothy does not freeze out so bad as clover, and seed is a great deal cheaper. But every farmer should raise his own seed.

"Hayseed" also says that timothy is double the value of clover for hay. Now, for my part I would rather have a ton of good, well cured clover any day than a ton of timothy, except for feeding horses.

Now, we would like to hear from "Hayseed" again, on this matter. Make it plain to us, for we are willing and anxious to learn.

Mar. 4, 1887. CLOVER SEED. Fagundus Items.

The patrons of Miss Cox's academy intend giving an entertainment next Friday evening, and have secured Prof. J. R. Wilson to conduct the music. All friends are cordially invited.

Joseph McDonald came home from the woods near Balltown last week to spend a few days with his family. Thomas Corah was round shaking hands with his friends here last week. He says that he intends giving Balltown a wide birth, in a very few days.

Fred Crist passed around the cigars for what? Oh, it is a boy. Uncle John, why don't you come home and see your nephew? Thomas McArthur has gone into the butcher business.

Fagundus boasts of a new telegraph line running between Tweedledee and Tweedledum. Dennes Downey is ready to blow up any man—I mean their wells.

It has become necessary to build an addition to the Fagundus academy in order to give the required room. F. A. Clary and J. R. Wilson have become partners in the music business, and are selling lots of goods.

William P. Wagner has been papering his store anew and I tell you, William, it is just boss. The hoop-pole trade is quite lively here. The shingle mill is running in full blast.

There is a new barber shop in town. Business looks to be improving all round. FROST.

Forest County's Insane. Commissioners of Forest County: The condition of the several patients under your charge in this Hospital, is as follows:

John Clary's mind is very much deranged, but he is not so much excited as he was. Sarah Shoupe is more quiet, but her mind is much disordered.

Wm. Barnhart is very much disordered in mind, but quiet. Isaac Reed has been quiet for some time, but I fear is near an attack of excitement.

Samuel Hawthorne is very quiet and pleasant, but much confused in mind. Olive Noble's mind is weakened by the fits.

Peter Guenther rarely speaks and acts very singularly all the time. Andrew D. Sallagiver is quiet, but a great tease to the others.

Very Respectfully Yours, JOHN CURWEN. Warren, Pa., Feb. 28, 1887.

Whig Hill Notes.

How delightful it is to be awakened by the songs of the merry birds. This morning the first thing that greeted our ears was the warbling of the birds. Everything seems to remind us that cold hands, and feet, and ears are numbered with the past, and that we soon can doff the overcoat and cap, and don the straw hat and can go in our shirt sleeves. Then we will be happy! No more wood to cut and carry into the house. How pleasant it must be to "pick up chips." Those were the good old days when all was joy and happiness! But, no, we don't care to go away back into the past. This is a progressive age and so we must proceed.

Len. Barnes has been setting up the cigars. It's a girl. Lewis Dean called to see friends to-day. Joe Wertka, Jr., is the boss trapper of this place. E. N. Decker now stands No. 2.

B. F. Winans will soon close a very successful term of school here. Most of the patrons are well satisfied; we are safe in saying almost all. A few, of course, would be dissatisfied, were they going to their own funeral, if some one would, or would not, mourn.

Why don't the Co. Supt. visit us? We are prepared for another Local Institute. Dr. Smith and estimable wife are sick; danger past, and hope soon to have them around among friends again.

Found—A gold bracelet. Can be had by calling on Gillespie Brothers, of Whig Hill. After 10 days from this date, if owner does not call, said bracelet will be sold at auction to highest bidder. Money received will be forwarded to the Secretary of Foreign Missions, the same to be applied on the Bishop Taylor African steamship. Oh, yes, don't forget that the editor must be paid for this advertisement. If sold, all bids must be paid in full, or the clerk will keep the bracelet.

The boys are all feeling happy. They will soon get a chance to go on rafts to the city of smoke. What has become of "Zeke" of Kelleterville? We have been looking to these many days for a letter from you. What has happened? Let us hear from you.

Eggs have become so cheap that the chickens are on a strike. What is to be done, ye men of the huckster brigade? How forlorn our husbandmen look! Spring has come too early, and with it the cares of the farm. Oh, for a few more days of rest, but we can never be satisfied.

John Waller of Newtown, called to visit at this place on Saturday last. John still loves to visit the place where he spent his boyhood days. Jack Hillard of Braceville, passed through town to-day on his way home from Nebraska.

Well, we feel tired. Don't care to remain seated longer, so with best wishes to you Mr. Editor, will say, good day. M.

Stewart's Run. Ex-Co. Com. John Thompson, went to Erie last Tuesday, where he expects to remain eight or ten days, visiting his old friend and former neighbor James Ronald, who moved from this neighborhood to that place several years since.

Frank Thompson, and A. S. Zahniser, came over from Crawford Co. Saturday, and spent Sunday with their parents and other friends. They report business lively over at Langworthys' mill and the boys look as though they were used well over there.

Mr. Woods Cannon, of Mercer County, who has been helping Mr. Bruce, on a log job on Hunter Run, returned home on Saturday last. They have been holding prayer meeting at the White church, and at private houses in the neighborhood almost every night for some time and a number have professed religion. Let the good work go on.

Mrs. Rachel Weitzel, who we mentioned a few weeks since, as visiting her parents Capt. Jas. Zahniser and wife, returned to her home near Cochran, last Wednesday.

Jacob and Samuel Coleman have returned from Clarion county, where they were visiting friends and friends. Samuel has gone to Pittsburgh, where he and Jake have been employed on a log job by Mr. Newmaker.

We are sorry to learn that Miss Lucy Nellis has been quite sick, since she went to Crawford Co., but is now convalescent. Jacob Range has sold two cows and calves, and three head of horse within the last ten days. He says he is not going to keep as many cows this season as he formerly has.

Mr. Brown of Pleasantville, was in the neighborhood last week soliciting subscribers for their new paper, the "Commercial Record," and we learn he received a number of subscribers on the Run. It is a very good little paper, filled with interesting matter, and we wish it success, and hope that both Editor and Proprietor may live long and prosper.

Charles A. Zahniser, while playing "Come, Come, Pull Away," at school last Thursday, fell, and sprained his wrist very badly, and will have to carry his right arm in a sling for a week or two. Boys you should be careful and not play so hard.

MARRIED. PROPER—JACKSON—At the residence of the bride's mother, in Warren, Pa., Wednesday, March 2nd, 1887, by Rev. S. P. Allen, Mr. John F. Proper, of Tionesta, Pa., and Miss Anna Jackson, of Warren, Pa.

We extend our heartiest congratulations along with our best wishes. That the goddess, said to preside over the domestic hearth, with all her handmaidens, may always sit at your fireside and bring the blessing her presence and her favor insure, is the wish of your REPUBLICAN friends.

DIED. WEANT—At his home in Green Township, near Nebraska, Pa., on the morning of March 8th, 1887, District Weant, aged 79 years, 2 months, and 26 days.

Deceased was born at Rahrda, Kurhosen, Germany. He was married there in 1837, to Mary K. Weant. With his family he came to America in 1848, and located at Tionesta. From here he moved up to near Nebraska, in Green Township, where he has since resided. Of 8 children, 6 survive him; two sons, Nicholas F. and John; four daughters, Mrs. Katherine Young, Mary Weant, Louisa Smith, and Christina Hall.

He was prostrated with paralysis over 8 years ago, and has lingered since coming nearer and nearer the dark river into whose waters he finally entered and passed over. The funeral will take place on Thursday, to-morrow, at 12 o'clock a. m., and his remains be laid to rest in the cemetery at the Lutheran church on German Hill. Rev. John Humbarger of Shippenville, will conduct the services and preach the funeral sermon.