

# UNION COUNTY STAR & LEWISBURG CHRONICLE--JULY 22, 1859.

Lewisburg, Pa.

FRIDAY MORNING, JULY 22, 1859.

## 1859. Commencement Week UNIVERSITY AT LEWISBURG.

THE EXAMINATIONS will begin Thursday, July 25, at the Female Institute, and the Academic, A.M., at the College at 2 o'clock, P.M., and close on Saturday noon.

Sunday, July 26.

Monday, P.M.—Annuity Lecture before the girls for Monday evening.

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Wednesday, P.M.—Annuity Lecture before the girls for Wednesday evening.

Thursday, July 27.

Friday, P.M.—Public Lecture of the Graduate Class of the University.

Saturday, P.M.—Annuity Lecture before the girls for Saturday evening.

Sunday, A.M.—Meeting of the Board of Trustees, and the Board of Councils.

Tuesday, A.M.—Omnium of the Theological Department.

In the afternoon—the annual meeting of the Education Society.

Wednesday, July 28.

Thursday, A.M.—Commemoration of the College Department.

### Order of Procession.

The 1st Class—Students, and so in the order of classes,—Graduates, their wives in the order of classes, &c. Faculty of the University—3000 Government Officers and their families—Guests of the University—200—Chaplains and Professors before the University—200—Inventories—200—The several Classes—40—Graduates—40—

### From Southern Wisconsin.

(Correspondence of the Star & Chronicle.)

JULY 11.

We had a very heavy frost on the 3d of June—tore all our corn, tomatoes, potatoes and carrots truck down to the ground. On the "glorious 4th," again, a frost bleached our corn somewhat. But we now have very warm weather, and corn looks very well—considering! There are excellent prospects for Wheat, Oats and Potatoes. We expect to commence harvest about the 25th of this month.

We celebrated the 4th at Monroe, the capital of Jefferson, but the Badger boys can not yet begin to come up to the Keystone's sons in the way of celebrations. This consisted of an artillery company, a brass band, a troupe of minstrels, and a "fire company" consisting of a one-horse wagon with hooks and ladders but nothing to throw water!

Our manners are now as follows: Winter wheat \$20 to \$30; Spring wheat extra \$9; corn \$1.25 to 75¢; oats in ear 50¢, shelled 56¢; rye 60¢; barley, 75¢; potatoes 25¢; eggs, 8¢; butter 25¢; flour 25¢ to 40¢; mutton 16¢ to 20¢.

Yours, &c., W. G.

BANK BURNED.—Just before midnight of Friday—or Saturday morning—last, a stroke of lightning entered the large barn of PANNER KAUFMAN, in Kelly township, a few miles from Lewisburg. The barn was almost instantly in a blaze, and soon burned down, together with almost his entire wheat crop which had just been sown, hay, agricultural implements, etc., making a total loss of about \$3000—no insurance, and no lightning rod on the barn. Some live stock were rescued, but little or nothing else.

### East Harvest on Record.

The Philad. Ledger states that private and public advice from all parts of Europe, the Canadas, and the United States, is to the effect that the Harvests of 1859 will be very far greater than any with which Providence has ever blessed Christendom. Still, disappointments may arise. It is therefore continually the duty of all to practise economy and industry—reverence from the earth, and secure carefully all the food for man that can.

KYRE CAMP.—Deaths from overheat in front of cooling off too suddenly, and/or sweating or drinking too much food or water, are reported frequently. The much concern not be taken of our health, just now.

The law for 6 per cent, interest on unpaid taxes (published by us last week) was since laws enacted some years ago, but was never repealed, and may be enforced at any time as specified.

The Wheat and Rye Harvests have been mostly gathered in this region, and some of our farmers talk of "tuckling" the oats to-morrow. Corn has been greatly benefited by the recent showers.

MAYER, accused of stealing a watch, in Lewisburg some weeks ago, was arrested in Williamsport and put in the Lewisburg Jail to await his trial.

The Opposition party in Jefferson county has nominated Isaac G. Gordon, Esq., of Brookville for the Assembly. Hope he may get it!

The Meat Market will be opened on Tuesday morning next, to accommodate for extra needs of Commencement week.

BURGESS' LIVELY Book for August is already on our table, well filled with useful matter.

We have received the Life of Garrison, noticed by us last week.

Boys! see the advertisement, "Gumac ('shoemaker') Wanted."

Wonder how large "Sickly party" could be raised just now?

Well, neighbors, you are very safe young men, but we beg leave to say—

1st. The quotation you make, we scoured from a paper in your district, and referring in express terms to the "Miners' Journal," was correct enough for all practical purposes. But—

2d. Our quotation appeared under the head "News Items from Other Countries," and therefore was strictly proper, and could not have misled any sensible man.

3d. Suppose, in the press of newspaper business we had made an error? If it misled nobody, if it injured nobody, it is worth while to waste the ink and the irony you have in this case? We see such little errors as you suppose we made, in our best exchanges, every week. Our compositors (as well as others) often make mistakes, which they fail to correct even when marked in proof. The very *Mission* which makes this hit at us, in the same column elects Harriet over Koss for Major General. If (as we suppose) it derived information from our paper, the fact was overlooked, that—in this—the return from Northumberland was not included. The aggregate of the other counties gained 22 majority, but Northumberland gained 22 votes, electing him by 20 majority.

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### Corrected Weekly.

Lewisburg Market.

Wheat \$2.25 Eggs, 8 12

Rye, 70 Lincoln 12

Corn, 70 Lard, 12

Oats, 55 Bacon, 10

Flaxseed, 1.12 Ham, 12

Dried Apples, 1.50 Shoulder, 10

Butter, 12 Cloverseed, 4.50

Pork, 6

MARRIED.

In New Columbia, 12th inst., by Rev. A. E. Taylor, BENJAMIN E. BOYLAN and Miss ANN KELLY.

Rev. C. G. Ehrenmeyer, 26th ult., ISAK KRAMERSON and BENNY STRAWSER, both of Chapman Tp.

On the 12th inst., by Rev. Samuel Gutheil, Rev. C. Z. WEISER and Miss C. LOUISA GEYER, Revs. both of St. Louis.

Died,

In Denmark, Tenn., Sunday 12th inst., aged 23 years, THOMAS HOWARD, son of Land and Jane Howard, of Kelly Tp., Union Co. Pa. This lamented youth graduated two years ago at Easton, and was engaged in teaching when sick with his fatal illness. The day after his death, his parents arrived at Denmark.

SEEDS.—In Lewisburg, Saturday morning last, DANIEL BAUDWYN, one of our oldest citizens, most early, when without a word he fell back upon his bed—dead—and 61 years. He had labored as usual the day before.

—“Be ye also ready.”

Mrs. Isaac Williams, of Lewisburg, very suddenly left her home on Tuesday the 11th inst., and although a difficult search was made no trace was made until the Saturday following when her dead body was found in the River about one mile below the mouth of the Chillisquaque. Her age was about 40 years, and she was that to be insane. She was buried at Danville.

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