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CLEARFIELD, PA., MAY 3, 1865.

Tyone and Clearfield Railroad. Train leaves Tyone at 8:55 a. m. Arrives at Philadelphia at 11:00 a. m. Train leaves Philadelphia at 3:50 p. m. Arrives at Tyone at 5:55 p. m.

RATES OF SUBSCRIPTION, ADVERTISING AND JOBBER.

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FILLED UP—partly—the large mudhole near the Postoffice.

LOOKS WELL—the wheat and rye, generally. The prospects of an abundant harvest are quite flattering.

VENUE.—The personal property of Wm. Jones of this borough, will be sold on the 12th of May. See advertisement in another column.

KILLED—many of the peach trees, in this section, during the past winter—hence there will be a scarcity of this most delicious fruit the coming season.

REMOVAL.—U. W. & H. W. Smith, have removed their store to the room occupied as a Postoffice during the past four years. Their friends and customers should bear this fact in mind.

LEAVE.—L. B. CARLIE.—This young officer visited us on Monday last, on his return to camp parole. He looks fine and hearty, notwithstanding his confinement of eleven months in the prison pens of the South.

ICE AND SNOW.—On Monday night, May 1st, the weather was exceedingly cold in this region—some little ice having formed on water standing in small vessels. During the day, in the western part of the county, quite a snow storm prevailed for a short time.

THE OIL WELL.—The well now being bored in this place has reached a depth of about five hundred and fifty feet. We are informed that the indications for oil are increasing as the well progresses in depth. Several days since a vein of salt-water was struck.

POSTPONED.—PRESIDENT JOHNSON has issued a proclamation postponing the day appointed for humiliation and mourning, to Thursday, the 1st of June. This change was made in consequence of the 25th of May falling on Ascension Day, an occasion specially observed by certain religious denominations.

AGRICULTURAL MEETING.—The members of the Executive Committee of the Clearfield county Agricultural Society are requested to meet at the office of R. J. Wallace in the Borough of Clearfield, on Saturday the 6th inst, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the transaction of important business.

NEW GOODS.—Boytton, Showers and Graham are just receiving and opening a new stock of seasonable goods, which they are offering at reduced prices. Persons in want of Spring goods had better embrace this opportunity to make their purchases, as there is a probability of prices advancing.

PRaiseworthy.—Several of our more enterprising citizens have, within a week, scraped up the mud in the streets, in front of their property, and hauled it away—thereby improving the streets, and adding to the value of their lots in the way of manure. This is a praiseworthy act. We hope that others will follow their example, as our streets were in rather a disgraceful condition all spring—being almost impassable on account of the immense quantities of mud with which they are covered.

GOOD ADVICE.—The late Lord Lyndhurst, Chancellor of England, declared that "no man with a dependant family is free from reproach if his life is not insured." The man who neglects to insure his house, is condemned for imprudence. How much more imprudent is he who neglects to insure his life? Every house may not be burned, but every man must die. The system of Life Insurance affords all an opportunity to make provision for their families, and there is no excuse for any one neglecting to avail himself of it. H. B. Swoope, Esq., is Agent of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company, of Philadelphia.

THE CLEARFIELD COUNTY PRISONERS.

Below will be found the names and sentences, not heretofore published, of citizens of Clearfield county, tried before the Military Commission at Harrisburg, for "combining to resist the execution of certain provisions of the laws of Congress," and for the "commission of acts of disloyalty against the Government of the United States," and "uttering disloyal sentiments and expressions," to wit:

Gainor P. Bloom, four years imprisonment and \$2,000 fine, and to stand committed until paid. George Rousher, 3 years imprisonment. Benjamin Boyer, 3 years imprisonment. Henry Yoas, 3 years imprisonment. The findings and sentences have been approved by the Commanding General, and the prisoners set to the Clinton Penitentiary, New York.

CURWENSVILLE, APRIL 27.—MR. EDITOR: In accordance with the request of the Acting Sec'y of State, Wednesday the 19th day of April was duly observed in Curwensville. Business was suspended, the stores closed, and a number of houses draped in mourning. Services were held in the Methodist Episcopal Church; at the door of which edifice the National Flag was placed at half mast, draped with crape. The pulpit was also covered with the emblems of mourning. A very large congregation assembled, and remarks were made by Rev. Wagener of the United Brethren Church, Rev. Seimbower of the Baptist Church, and by Rev. D. S. Monroe of the M. E. Church. All present seemed to feel deeply, the great loss sustained by the nation in the death of the greatest man of the age. The tolling of the church bell, which was continued during the hours of service, added greatly to the solemnity of the occasion.

An Eloquent Passage. The following eloquent and patriotic extract is from the sermon of Rev. W. E. Liams, (who is well and favorably known in this place,) delivered to his people, in the Mahoning Presbyterian Church, in Danville, Pa., on Sunday, April 16th, 1865. "The deep religious feeling—the piety and patriotism—the words fitly spoken, 'like apples of gold in pictures of silver'—constitute this thrilling passage a gem of beauty, among the eulogies of the lamented dead, pronounced by the lips of those who can speak well." In the course of his sermon Mr. Ijams said:

"But as individuals have their emergencies, so have nations; and feel that to-day this land is called to mourn. It is like the mourning over Josiah in the valley of Megiddon. A great light has suddenly disappeared from our National sky. A great name has passed into history, which will immortalize his deeds.

The President of the United States, a great and good man; in his private life superior to all those low vices that degrade so many of our public men, and in his official career distinguished for his lofty patriotism and devotion to freedom—has fallen by the hand of a cowardly assassin, and now lies a corpse in the capital of this great Nation. The spirit of Slavery which is always and everywhere a spirit of insolence, insubordination, barbarism and blood, has found in him, its most illustrious victim. Always in him, his generous, conservative, mild and forgiving; he was basely slandered, calumniated, traduced and finally murdered by the foul fiend of Slavery—which inspired a traitor's heart and nerved the assassins arm to commit the blackest crime in history. Noble martyr to patriotism and liberty—to-day we mourn your loss!

That great intellect is darkened, that honest face which so often cheered others with its smile of genial humor, is now rigid in death. That noble heart whose every pulsation was for the honor of the nation and the good of his race, that heart is now cold and still and emotionless. Those hands which in youth toiled for his own support, and of late have so skilfully guided the Ship of State, will never again be stretched forth to grasp the war-worn hand of some ragged, but brave soldier boy—will never again press the desponding head of the black man, whose friend he was. No, those hands to-day are folded over as true a heart as ever throbbled. He is not appreciated to-day; but history will write him down as great and good.

He loved his nation; and thank God has saved it from its destroyers. His work is done—his mission ended, and the loyal North mourns his departure. We sorrow most of all that our great leader who conducted us safely through the wilderness of this cruel, civil war, was not permitted with us to pass over into the promised land of liberty and peace—but he died upon the border—and yet, thank God, he died on the summit of the Pisgah of Victory, from whose lofty heights he could look over and behold the visions of a glorious future.

It is fitting that we should to-day turn for enlightenment to the word of God, where we learn that His Providence is over all. We cannot now for our grief read the solution of this mysterious problem; but God will unfold the reason of permitting, in this juncture, a calamity so appalling and terrible. His word assures us that the Judge of all the earth will do right—there let us rest."

In a conversation with General Sherman, Johnston admitted that the army of the Mississippi was the best ever marshaled, and added: "My engineers, my officers, and the people of South Carolina all insisted upon it, that no army would penetrate Salkatchie swamp, and you have not only marched your army through it, but corduroyed and bridged it for miles, and then drew after you your immense supply trains. The like could not have been done by any other army."

However little we may have to do, let us do that little well.

MARRIED.

On April 27th, by Rev. D. S. Monroe, Mr. JAMES C. MILLER of Bellefonte, to Miss HENRIETTA JONES, of this borough.

On April 27th, by Rev. D. S. Monroe, Mr. DAVID H. GERRHART of Boggs township, to Miss MARY C. SHUGART, of this borough.

On April 27th, by Rev. W. M. Burchfield, Mr. PETER BRALL to Miss FRANCIS J. SMITH, both of Glen Hope.

On April 27th, by Rev. W. M. Burchfield, Mr. JAMES L. HALL of Indiana county, to Miss MARGARET MCCracken of Cest township, Clearfield county.

CAUTION.—The public is hereby notified not to give employment to my son, Solomon, who has left his home in Woodward township, and is only 15 years old. I will pay no debts contracted by him, and will prosecute any person who harbors or employs him. JOHN LEWIS, April 17, 1865-pd.

DR. LITCH'S MEDICINES.—A fresh supply of these invaluable Family Medicines are for sale by M. A. Frank, Clearfield, consisting of Pain-Expeller, Restorer, a great cure for colds and coughs; and Anti-Bilious Physic. They have been thoroughly tested in this community, and are highly approved. TRY THEM.

TO HORSE OWNERS.—The undersigned having recently discovered an infallible and simple cure for that annoying malady in horses, known as "hoof-rot." Any person sending \$1 in a letter, will receive by return mail a receipt giving proper directions as to the necessary treatment. Address, JACOB IRWIN, September 21, 1864-tf. Clearfield, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of Wm. P. Bloom, late of Pike township, Clearfield county, dec'd. having been granted to the undersigned, all persons having claims against the estate are requested to present them properly authenticated for settlement, and those indebted to said estate are requested to make payment without delay, at the residence of the subscriber in Pike township, March 29th, 1865-pd. REUBEN HALL, Adm'r.

ESTATE OF ALEX. STONE, DEC'D.—The Administration of Alexander Stone, of Boggs tp, dec'd. having been declared vacant, by reason of the resignation and discharge of the Executors, Letters of Administration cum testamento annexo, on said estate have this day been granted to the undersigned. All persons having claims against said estate will present them for settlement, and those indebted will make immediate payment to—J. H. REED, Adm'r. Clearfield March 29th, 1865-pd.

AUCTIONEER.—The undersigned having been licensed an Auctioneer, would inform the citizens of Clearfield county that he will attend to calling sales in any part of the county, whenever called upon. Charges moderate. Address, JAMES H. TURNER, April 19, 1865. Woodland, Pa.

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To U. S. Tax Payers.

All persons knowing themselves liable to assessment under the U. S. Revenue Law either for Income for the year 1864, Gold Plate, Silver Plate, Gold Watches, Buggies, Carriages, Spinning Wagon, Pianos or Melodians, or for Licenses for 1865, are requested to meet me at the following named places on the days appointed, where I will receive all such returns; and in default of which the penalty of twenty-five per centum will in all cases be added to the proper duty.

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCES OF THE Borough of Clearfield for the year ending 4th April, 1865.

Table with columns for RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES, ASSETS, and LIABILITIES. Total receipts: 461 47. Total expenditures: 439 92. Total assets: 722 291. Total liabilities: 722 291.

FUSIL, Salt and plaster in large quantities at (Mar 22, 1865.) J. P. KRATZER SEED POTATOES for sale by J. P. KRATZER (Apr. 26.)

FOR SALE—at least—a good cook stove, to close out the stock, at the cheap cash store of R. MOSSOP, Clearfield, Pa.

QUARTERLY REPORT of the First National Bank of Clearfield, April 3d, 1865.

Notes and bills discounted \$26,874 75 Furniture 151 00 Current expenses 74 85 Taxes 180 00 Due from National Banks 460 21

LIABILITIES. Capital Stock paid in \$65,000 00 Certificates deposited 5,000 00 Due depositors 25,014 51

SEASONABLE GOODS, comprising Groceries, Drugs, Queensware, Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Muslins, De Laines, Prints, Satinets, Flannels, etc., which they offer at low prices.

FOR CASH OR READY PAY. Grain, Pork, Shingles and Boards, taken in exchange for goods. We respectfully ask a share of patronage. Call and examine our stock. Curwensville, Dec. 11. HIPPLE & FAUST.

Mrs. H. D. Welch Has received, and offers to purchasers, a large stock of Woolen Goods, of superior quality, consisting in part of:

Turbans, Net Hoods, Nubias, Nubia Hoods, Scarfs, Breakfast Capes, Undersleeves, Twilights.

In her stock of Millinery Goods will be found Dress Caps, Head Dresses, Bonnets, Veils, Hats, Ribbons, Flowers, Plumes, &c., &c.

COLLARS, GLOVES, & HOSIERY. Beads, Zephyr, Thread, Braid, Combs, Needles.

CHILDRENS' TOYS, SUCH AS Wooden, China, Ivory, Lava ware, Tin, and Iron.

The public are invited to examine Mrs. Welch's stock, as it embraces many of the finest and most fashionable articles offered for sale in this place, and at prices to suit the times. Dec. 11.

RICHMOND HAS FALLEN! Richmond has Fallen!! and so has the PRICE OF GOODS AT THE CHEAP CASH STORE OF J. I. MORRIS & Co., Phillipsburg, Centre co., Pa.

Who have just returned from the city with a large and well selected stock of goods (Spring and Summer) purchased since the late decline in prices, and which they are prepared to sell cheaper than the cheapest.

Prints, delaines, balmors and hoop skirts, ladies and children's circulars, ladies baskets, &c., &c. Notions in endless variety. Boots and shoes of all kinds for ladies, men and children.

Clothin of all kinds for men and boys at sensation prices. Hats and caps in endless variety, for men, boys and children.

Hardware.—Broad axes, double and single bit axes, rafting axes, barking axes, augers, &c.

Groceries.—Rio, rye and lagama coffee; Sugar, brown, yellow and white; Imperial, black and young hyson tea; Fresh candied peaches; Pickles, jellies, catsup, pepper sauce; Syrup of all kinds, all very low.

Stoves.—Cooking and parlor stoves pipe, &c., &c. Saddlery.—Bridles, saddles, lines, horse collars, harness, whips, &c., &c. Grind stones and fixtures. Carriages, buggies, sleighs, wagons, &c., &c. Clover seed, plaster, &c., &c.

FLEM HOLLIDAY,

GRAFF, WATKIN & CO., Wholesale Dealers In BOOTS AND SHOES, No. 426 Market Street, Philadelphia.

HOME INSURANCE COMPANY, OFFICE NO. 133 BROADWAY, N. Y. CASUALTY, July 1st, 1864: \$2,000,000 00 ASSETS, 1st July, 1864: 3,000,000 00 LIABILITIES: 51,577 54

EXCELSIOR COFFEE. Whilst trying Coffee of all the various brands, Remember—"BROWNING'S EXCELSIOR"—at the head it stands. True, it's not like others that are "SOLD EVERYWHERE."

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To Lumbermen and Contractors We would say that we are prepared to furnish them with four, feed, beam fish, salt in fact any thing in our line, cheaper than the cheapest. We guarantee persons, visiting our store, to go away satisfied with the bargain they can have. Thankful for past patronage; we hope to merit a continuance of the same. We are still at the old stand in the Building known as the Exchange Hotel. The highest Market price paid for lumber, shingles and country produce. J. I. MORRIS & CO.

U. S. 7-30 LOAN.

By authority of the Secretary of the Treasury, the undersigned has assumed the General Subscription Agency for the sale of United States Treasury Notes, bearing seven and three tenths per cent. interest, per annum, known as the

SEVEN-THIRTY LOAN. These Notes are issued under date of August 15th, 1864, and are payable three years from that time, in currency, or are convertible at the option of the holder into

U. S. 5-20 Six per cent. GOLD-BEARING BONDS. These Bonds are now worth a premium of about ten per cent., including gold interest from Nov., which makes the actual profit on the 7-30 loan, at our present rates, including interest, about ten per cent. per annum, besides its exemption from State and municipal taxation, which adds from one, to three per cent. more, according to the rate levied on other property. The interest is payable semi-annually by coupons attached to each note, which may be cut off and sold to any bank or banker.

The interest amounts to One cent per day on a \$50 note. Two cents per day on a \$100 note. Ten cents per day on a \$500 note. 20 cents per day on a \$1000 note. \$1 per day on a \$5000 note. Notes of all the denominations named will be promptly furnished upon receipt of subscriptions. This is

THE ONLY LOAN IN MARKET now offered by the Government, and it is confidently expected that its superior advantages will make it the

Great Popular Loan of the People. Less than \$200,000,000 remain unsold, which will probably be disposed of within the next 60 or 90 days, when the notes will undoubtedly command a premium, as has uniformly been the case on closing the subscriptions to other Loans.

In order that the citizens of every town and section of country may be afforded facilities for taking the loan, the National Banks, State Banks, and Private Bankers throughout the country have generally agreed to receive subscriptions at par. Subscribers will select their own agents, in whom they have confidence, and who only are to be responsible for the delivery of the notes for which they receive orders.

Subscription Agent, PHOENIX. Subscriptions will be received at the First National Bank of Clearfield, First National Bank of Curwensville.

PROVISIONS.—Flour, bacon, lard, cheese, dried beef, dried fruit, received regularly at the store of [Mar. 22.] J. P. KRATZER.

QIL TERRITORY AND LEASES for sale by H. B. SWOOP, Clearfield, Pa., Mar. 22, 1865. Atty at Law.

FOR SALE—a good horse, Rockaway Buggy. For particulars inquire at the March 22, 1865. JOURNAL OFFICE.

LEATHER—an assortment—for sale by MERRELL & BIGLER, December 14, 1864. Clearfield.

FLOUR—a large quantity Extra Family Flour, in Barrels, Sacks and 5 Sacks for sale by [Feb. 22, 1865.] W. F. IRWIN.

CLOTHING!!! Men, Youths and Boys can be supplied with full suits of seasonable and fashionable clothing at

REIZENSTEIN BRO'S & CO., where it is sold at prices that will induce their purchase. The universal satisfaction which has been given, has induced them to increase their stock, which is now not surpassed by any establishment of the kind in this part of the State.

Reizenstein Bro's & Co., Sell you at a very small profit, for cash; Their goods are well made and fashionable. They give every one the worth of his money. They treat their customers all alike. They sell cheaper than every body else. Their store is conveniently situated. They having purchased their stock at reduced prices they can sell cheaper than others.

For these and other reasons persons should buy their clothing at REIZENSTEIN BRO'S & CO. Produce of every kind taken at the highest market prices. May 18, 1864

1865 SPRING GOODS, 1865 Purchased since the late Decline in Prices. J. P. KRATZER, FRONT STREET, ABOVE THE ACADEMY, CLEARFIELD, PA.

Now Offers a very Large Stock of DRY GOODS At a reduction of 25 to 40 per cent; including Dress Goods in great variety, Merinos, Ginghams, Cloths, Delaines, Prints, Cassimeres, Alpaca, Silks, Satinets, Reps, Cashmeres, Tweeds, Corgers, Mohair, Jeans, Lanellas, Muslins, Flannels, Bonnets, Cloaks, Ribbons, Balmors Skirts, Hoop Skirts, Shawls, Dress Trimmings, Head Nets, Caps, Corsets, Gloves, Collars, Scarfs, Grenadine Veils, Table Covers.