

RAFTSMAN'S JOURNAL.

CLEARFIELD, PA., MAY 31, 1865.

THE NEWS.

A bill has been introduced into the Tennessee Legislature, requiring all lawyers, doctors and ministers of the gospel, and also all persons proposing to engage in any licensed business, and all persons elected to office under the laws of the State, and all officers of incorporate companies, to take an oath that during the rebellion they have in no way aided or encouraged the enemies of the United States.

It is estimated that the amount of freight shipped from the Missouri river and transported to Mexico, Utah, Colorado and intermediate points, during the last year, amounted to 40,000,000 pounds. To transport this immense amount 9,000 wagons were requisited, drawn by 50,000 head of cattle and 16,000 head of horses and mules.

The Exchange National Bank of Norfolk has been organized at Norfolk, Va., with a capital of \$250,000, and it is a designated government depository and financial agent of the United States.

Gen. Gilmore has issued orders declaring null and void all the proclamations of the self-styled Governors of South Carolina, Georgia and Florida, and also declaring that the blacks are free citizens of the United States, and are to be protected in the enjoyment of freedom and of the fruits of their industry by the Government.

It is understood that all the rebel officers concerned in atrocious treatment of our prisoners, will be excluded from the benefit of the amnesty proclamation. Also, the Fort Pillow murderers. It will also break up the great landed estates, by requiring all the possessors of such to take the oath of allegiance.

Information wanted of the whereabouts of Jacob and Mary Gerberick, former residents of York and Harrisburg, and when last heard from they were at Pittsburg, in 1864. Any information will be thankfully received by their son, William H. Gerberick, Dayton, Ohio. Papers please copy.

The country between Savannah and Augusta is said to be filled with rebel soldiers returning to their homes. Nearly all the planters have put in large amounts of seed, mostly corn and rye. Some have planted cotton for the first time in four years.

George Driesbach, a prominent citizen of Mifflinburg, Pa., committed suicide a few days ago by cutting his throat with a razor. A little son of Abraham Waterman, of Reading, fell into a tub of water, a few days ago, and was so badly scalded that he died shortly after the accident occurred.

The French Government has resolved to expedite the execution of the plans suggested for irrigating the lands by canals or otherwise, in order to give the cultivation of cotton in Algeria the complete development of which the want of water has hitherto been the only obstacle.

Two paupers, says an exchange, who escaped from a county poor house up in the oil regions of Pennsylvania made \$100,000 each, operating in oil lands, before the overseers of the poor caught them. It does not add whether or not the overseers returned them to the poor house.

A private letter from Richmond says: "The people, as a general thing, are poor and even penniless, and there is no business doing except in the bare necessities of life. Vegetables are very scarce, and I have not seen an egg or a fowl on the table since my arrival."

Great grief and excitement was caused in Augusta, Georgia, by the announcement of the capture of Jeff. Davis. A wagon containing \$243,000 in specie, belonging to the rebel government, was found in a by-road and turned over to Gen. Molyneux.

Frederick W. Seward was not informed until May 23d of the death of President Lincoln. He was much shocked at the news, and for a while after was much prostrated, but he is out of danger now.

The average pay due each soldier is \$250, and the government is ready to pay off and discharge every man of the two armies now at Washington.

Hon. Joseph J. Lewis, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, resigned on the 12th of May, his resignation to take effect on the 1st of July.

Trains are now running on the Chattanooga railroad, and work is progressing rapidly on the road to Atlanta.

The friends of Gen. Sherman and Secretary Stanton are endeavoring to reconcile the former to the latter.

General Custer has been assigned to the command of the new Department of Arkansas and Missouri.

Barnum telegraphed to Secretary Stanton offering \$500 for Jeff Davis' petticoat. His Excellency President Johnson has just had his life insured for \$10,000.

At Augusta, Georgia, silver is plenty, and greenbacks are at par. The "line" that Jeff. Davis was going to fight it out on—crimo-line.

TERMS OF THE JOURNAL. The RAFTSMAN'S JOURNAL is published on Wednesday at \$2.00 per annum in advance. If not paid at the beginning of the year, \$2.50 will be charged, and \$3.00 if not paid before the close of the year.

FOR SALE—at cost—4 good cook stoves to close out the stock, at the cheap cash store of R. MOSSOP, Clearfield, Pa.

DR. LITCH'S MEDICINES.—A fresh supply of these invaluable Family Medicines are for sale by M. A. Frank, Clearfield, consisting of Pain Curer, Restorative, a great cure for colds and cough; 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-bound." 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.

ED. A. IRVIN MERCHANT AND DEALER IN LUMBER CURWENSVILLE, PA.

NEW GOODS Of every description, just received at the "Corner Store," and selling as low for Cash and country produce as can be bought elsewhere in the county.

"WHAT IS IT?" GREAT EXCITEMENT IN GLEN HOPE, PA EVERYBODY SEEMS PLEASED. And Why Should They Not Be? Surely, the people in that section of Clearfield county have great reason to be rejoiced over the pleasing announcement that

JOHN ROBSON has just opened in his New Store Room, the largest and best selected stock of goods ever brought to that part of the county of Clearfield.

NEW STORE AND NEW GOODS. The undersigned having removed his store to his New Building on Pine Street, Glen Hope, of the "Union House," is now opening and offering to the public the largest and best selected stock of reasonable goods ever offered in this place and neighborhood, and will be sold at prices to suit the times.

OF DRY-GOODS, he has Cloths, Cassimers, Satinets, Tweeds, Vestings, Flannels, Shirtings, Prints, Coburg cloth, Alpaca, De Laines, Ginghams, Chintz, Kerchiefs, Nubias, Sontags, Nankin, Lawns, Linen, Lace Edgings, Colons, Trimmings, Braids, Vails, etc.

OF HARDWARE, he has axes, saws, chisels, knives and forks, locks, hinges, screws, augers, hammers, nails, spikes, Stoves of various patterns and sizes, Bar Iron, etc.

OF GROCERIES, he has coffee, sugar, molasses, tea, rice, pepper, cinnamon, cloves, Flour, hams, sides, shoulders, fish, etc.

OF QUEENSWARE, he has tea sets, cups and saucers, cream jugs, tea and coffee pots, pitchers, bowls, plates, dishes, etc.

OF CLOTHING, he has coats, pants, vests, undershirts, shirts, drawers, neck-ties, gloves, socks, hats, caps, boots, shoes, etc.

All the above, and numerous other articles, for sale cheap for cash, or exchanged for all kinds of lumber and country produce.

Remember, that I am receiving goods weekly from Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and Pittsburg, and that any goods can be furnished on very short notice.

Call and examine the goods and prices and satisfy yourselves of the utility of buying at JOHN ROBSON'S, Glen Hope, December 23, 1863.

RICHMOND HAS FALLEN! Richmond has Fallen!! and so has the PRICE OF GOODS AT THE CHEAP CASH STORE OF J. I. MORRIS & CO., Philadelphia, 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, balmorals and hoop skirts, ladies and children's circulares, ladies baskets, &c., &c.

Notions in endless variety. Boots and shoes of all kinds for ladies, men and children.

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

RADEBACH'S LINE OF STAGE-COACHES.

The travelling public are respectfully informed that a new line of coaches has just been established for the accommodation of travellers to the several points West and East of Philadelphia, Pa.

The coaches will leave Philadelphia immediately on the arrival of the cars, and will connect with the line of coaches running between Clearfield and Clarion and Franklin. Going east, passengers will be carried through in time to connect with the cars from Philadelphia to Lyone.

Passengers will dine at the "Blue Ball Hotel," whether travelling East or West. JOHN S. RADEBACH, Proprietor. April 12, 1865.

Life Insurance at Home. The Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co., 921 CHESTNUT STREET, PHILA.

Insures Lives on favorable terms, and will issue Policies on any of the approved plans of insurance. Assets liable to losses \$1,221,289 71.

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, Cassimers, Alpaca, Silks, Satinets, Repps, Cashmires, Tweeds, Coburgs, Mohair, Jeans, Lanelles, Madras, Flannels, Bonnets, Cloths, Ribbons, Balmaral Skirts, Hoop Skirts, Shawls, Dress Trimmings, Head Nets, Caps, Corsets, Goggles, Collars, Scarfs, Grenadine Veils, Table Covers.

Just received at NAUGLE'S CHEAP JEWELRY STORE, Graham's Row, Clearfield, Pa., a fine assortment of WATCHE'S JEWELRY, &c., &c., to which we invite your attention.

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, Nubia Hoods, Scarfs, Breakfast Capes, Undersleeves, Twilights.

In her stock of Millinery Goods will be found Dress Caps, Bonnets, Hats, Flowers, Nets, &c., &c.

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

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

THE 2D SERIES Of Grand Races have commenced on the Lumber-City course!

OPEN FOR COMPETITION Every day, (Sundays excepted.) A prize for everybody. Apply immediately to the proprietors, Kirk & Spencer, at their New City Store, in Lumber-City, Penn'a.

Merrell & Bigler Have just opened a large and splendid assortment of NEW GOODS at their old Stand in Clearfield, Penn'a.

They have the best assortment of Hardware that has ever been brought to this county, which they will sell at the most reasonable prices, among which will be found a splendid lot of cutlery, to which they invite the special attention of the public.

They continue to manufacture all kinds of tinware, brass kettles, stove pipe, etc., which cannot be surpassed in this section of the state.

They also have on hand Pittsburg Plows, among which are steel center lever plows. Also Plow castings, and other agricultural implements.

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The "Grovesteen Piano Fortes" received the highest award of merit over all others at the celebrated World's Fair.

Where were exhibited instruments from the best makers of London, Paris, Germany, Philadelphia, Boston, and New York; and also at the American Institute for five successive years, the gold and silver medals from both of which can be seen at our ware room.

By the introduction of improvements we make a still more perfect Piano Forte, and by manufacturing largely, with a strictly cash system, are enabled to offer these instruments at a price which will preclude all competition.

Clearfield House, Clearfield, Pa.—The subscriber having purchased the furniture and interest from B. H. Morrow, in said House, is now prepared for the reception of transient and permanent boarders.

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Calendar table for 1865 showing days of the week and dates for each month from January to December.

COUNTY DIRECTORY

TIME OF HOLDING COURT. 2d Monday in January, 3d Monday in June, 3d in March, 4th in September.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT OFFICERS. Pres. Judge—Hon. Samuel Linn. Bellfield. Asst. Judges—Hon. J. B. Thompson, Pottsville.

LIST OF POST-OFFICES. Townships. Names of P. O. Names of P. M. Beccaria—Glen Hope, Wm S. Wright.

Clearfield Nursery—ENCOURAGE HOME INDUSTRY.—The undersigned having established a Nursery, on the Pike, about half way between Curwensville and Clearfield.

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