

The Farmer.

The Potato Rot.

This disease, which until the late heavy rains, had only appeared in certain localities, has become general throughout the country.

The Potato Rot, (says the Kingston [N. Y.] Courier,) has devastated the county of Ulster.

In parts of Union county, the crop of Potatoes is excellent in all respects on some farms, while other farmers near had no yield at all, or a very poor one.

New Variety of Wheat.

We have received from one of our correspondents, the following description of a new variety of wheat he has cultivated for two or three years.

I selected some stalks from my field of new wheat, the past season, that measured in height, six feet, nine a half inches; the blades were seven eighths of an inch wide.

In regard to its power of resisting rust, I think the experience of two consecutive years, will justify me in saying that it is not at all liable to that disaster.

Learn to Cook well.

We again propose this advice to those of our young female friends who may chance to look into this journal.

The health of the family depends upon it. We know there are those who associate luxury, effeminacy and all dependent ills with every attempt of the kind recommended.

Prize Ham—How Cured. At the recent Agricultural Fair in Montgomery county, a prize was awarded to Nathan White for the best ham.

Improvement in the Manufacture of Flour.—The Rochester Democrat says, a gentleman named Bonnell has recently brought out a new variety of wheat.

selves well boiled. A member of the family might as well fall among the Hottentots, as far as any proper nursing is concerned.

The science of bread making, meat boiling, of vegetable cooking, and of preparing the multifarious small dishes of all sorts, which go to make pleasant the table and all about it, are here—here, to understand and practice.—Prairie Farmer.

Leached Ashes as a Manure.

The value of leached ashes on dry soils, and in dry seasons, as a manure for grain and grass lands, has been conclusively shown, in this and other countries by carefully conducted experiments.

The German agriculturist, Albert, of Roes'an, gives a circumstantial account of an experiment commenced in 1827, and continued for five years.

The West Branch Boroughs.

Table with 4 columns: Pop'n in 1840, 1850, Increase in 10 years. Lists Lewisburg, Williamsport, Milton, Sunbury, Northumberland, Muney, Jersey Shore.

The Buffalo Bridge.

The County Commissioners have allotted the rebuilding of the bridge across the Buffalo creek, near its mouth, to Messrs. Jonathan Nesbit and Alex. Shoemaker.

Break in the Cross Cut.

The heavy rains on Friday night started a breach in lower bank of the Cross Cut Canal (opposite this place) above the second lock, near the culvert, and washed away about thirty yards of the embankment.

Woke Up.—The Sunbury American.

Its new "sub rosa" Editor, dives into matters and things in general, with a forty horse power. A new broom sweeps clean, in the editorial chair as well as every where else.

Wife Forney, Esq., who conducted an Anti-Wilnot paper in Bradford county for some months with marked ability, has retired from the unequal contest, and says in his valedictory that he does not believe a true Democratic paper can be sustained in Bradford county.

Special Court has been called for Lycoming county, the 9th Dec. next, to be presided over by Hon. Geo. W. Woodward.

"Billy," we owe you!

The Inaugural Address of Prof. TAYLOR, delivered at the close of the last session of the Lewisburg University, has been published in pamphlet form.

THE CHRONICLE.

H. C. HICKOK, Editor. O. N. WORDEN, Publisher.

Lewisburg, Pa. Wednesday Morning, October 20

Advertisements.—Executives, Administrators, Public Officers, City and Country Merchants, Manufacturers, Mechanics, Business Men—all who wish to procure or to dispose of anything—should call to give notice of the same through the "Lewisburg Chronicle".

TO OUR PATRONS.

The present is the most favorable season, not only for reading, but for procuring subscriptions for Newspapers—and to all who think the "Chronicle" deserving of support, we offer this inducement until the 1st of January.

JOHN F. WILSON, Deputy Marshal, having finished his work in good season, has politely furnished us with the annexed account of the population of the Northern Division of Union county, as near as can be ascertained, on the 1st of June last:

Table with 4 columns: Locality, Pop'n in 1840, 1850, Increase in 10 years. Lists Hartley Township, West Buffalo, Limestone, Union, White Deer, Kelly, Buffalo, Millburg, East Buffalo, Lewisburg.

Any further statistical information in regard to the District, Mr. W. might think proper to furnish, would no doubt be gratifying to the public.

California Land Titles.

It is said the Pope has sent the Rev. John S. Almani, lately created Bishop of California, on a mission to this country to examine and report on the progress in the various arts and sciences, and public and private enterprises.

Rich and Rare are the goods our substantial merchants are displaying, and those who state the fact to the public that they want to sell their wares, you may be sure are the very ones to deal with.

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Pennsylvania Election—1860.

Table with 4 columns: COUNTY, REPUBLICAN, DEMOCRATIC, PROBABLY. Lists Philadelphia, Allegheny, Hunting'n, Erie, Lebanon, Schuylkill, Berks, Bucks, Delaware, Wayne, Lycoming, Franklin, Montgom'y, Chester, Adams, Northam'n, Union, Indiana, Clearfield, Wash'g't'n, Bedford, North'm'd, Perry, Montz, Lancaster, Bradford, Centre, Juniata, Pike, Clarion, York, Dauphin, Venango, Columbia, Somerset, Luzerne, Lehigh, Cambert'd, Carbon, Clinton, Warren, Blair, Beaver, Armstrong, Butler, Cambria, Fayette, Fulton, Jefferson, Mercer, Monroe, Susquehanna, Tioga, Westm'd, Crawford, Elk, Greene, Lawrence, McKean, Potter, Wyoming.

Totals, 132092 145809 144623 71003

Majorities, 13717 73620

Auditor General.—Banks, 143808 Snyder, 130556

Banks' majority, 13252

Surveyor General.—Brawley, 141644 Henderson, 131015

Brawley's majority, 10629

Average Dem. maj. 12,533

THE LEGISLATURE. SENATE.—Whigs 17—1 m-j Democrats 16

HOUSE.—Democrats 63—26 m Whigs 37

Narrow Escape. Mr. William Burdick, of Newport, R. I., while eating supper on Wednesday, choked himself with a piece of beefsteak.

Foreign News. New York, Oct. 27.—The steamer Pacific, from Liverpool, Oct. 16, reached her dock at 2 o'clock, this afternoon, in eleven days and four hours, bringing four days later news than those received by the A-ia.

There is nothing of importance in the foreign papers in reference to English affairs.

Berlin, Oct. 11.—The journals of this place state that Austria, Wurttemberg, Bavaria and Saxony, have concluded an offensive and defensive alliance against Prussia.

Maj. Hobbie, long the able first Assistant Postmaster General, has resigned that office to accept the Presidency of the Ocean Steam Navigation Company of New York, at six thousand dollars salary.

Mr. Speaker Cobb has accepted a public dinner at Athens, Ga., in approving testimonial of his course in favor of the Union.

The Hon. James Buchanan was in New York on Wednesday.

Virginia Convention.—This body has not yet proceeded to business, although in session eight days. The struggle is between the advocates of representation on the white basis and its opponents, the latter of whom triumphed on Tuesday in the rejection of the first of the business resolutions reported by the Committee of Thirteen.

New York, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Fillmore and Son are in this city on their way to Washington. The White House as yet has had no lady tenant under this administration—Mrs. Fillmore not having been in Washington since the death of Gen. Taylor.

Lewisburg Market.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Lists Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Flaxseed, Dried Apples, Butter, Eggs, Fallow, Lard, Ham.

ANOTHER SCIENTIFIC WONDER!—PARKS' (The True Digestive Fluid or Gastric Juice) —A Great Discovery in cure, prepared from the secret of the fourth stomach of the Ox, after dissecting of Baron Liebig, the great Physiological chemist, by J. S. Houghton, M. D., No. 11 North Eighth St., Philadelphia.

IMPORTANT!—To those having in possession of the "DRY-SALT" FRUITING EXTRACT, the most wonderful Fruit in the world, is now put up in QUART BOTTLES, 25¢ each, and containing 64 "DOSES". It is a strong and purifying, that one bottle lasts from ten to sixteen days longer than Sarsaparilla.

VAYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL. For the Cure of COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, CROUP, ASTHMA, WHOOPING-COUGH AND CONSUMPTION.

IN offering to the community this justly celebrated remedy for diseases of the throat and lungs, it is not our wish to trifle with the health of the afflicted but frankly to lay before them the opinions of distinguished men and some of the evidences of its success, from which they can judge for themselves.

Prof. Cleveland, of Bowdoin College, Maine, writes: "I have witnessed the effects of your CHERRY PECTORAL in my own family and that of my friends, and give the following testimonial of its success, which have been known to have cured various cases of a coughing disease of the throat and lungs."

Writes: "That he considers CHERRY PECTORAL the best medicine for Pulmonary Affections ever given to the public," and states that "after being afflicted with a cough for four months with a severe, cold, rough, accompanied by raising of blood, night sweats, and continued loss of appetite, he was cured by the use of the 'Cherry Pectoral,' and had completely recovered."

Dr. J. C. Randall, of New York, writes: "I have been a great sufferer from HOARSENESS, and but for the use of the CHERRY PECTORAL, might have continued to be so for many years to come, but that I have met me and I am happy to bear testimony to its efficacy."

From such testimony we ask the public to judge for themselves.

Prepared by J. C. W. CHEMIST, Lowell, Mass. For sale by C. W. SCHAFFLE, Lewisburg, J. H. GARDNER, Milton, Geo. Gerhart, Selingsgrove, and by Druggists generally.

MARRIED: Oct. 23d, by Rev. J. EVANS, ADAM BAKER, recently of Lewisburg, and Miss CATHERINE WOODS, of the North'd Bank, and Miss CATHERINE GRACE BOYD, Post Mistress at Northumberland.

In Milton, 24th inst. by Rev. E. M. LIND, JOHN F. MAGEE and Miss MARY ANN SECKLER, both of Buffalo Valley.

MARRIED: Married in Bedford Brook, 17th inst. by Rev. M. L. PUGH, JAMES B. SANSON, of the Fulton Democrat, and Miss SARAH LEADLEY of Bedford.

DIED: On Sunday morning, 27th inst., aged 25 years, MARY ELIZA, wife of Dr. John Locke of Lewisburg, formerly of Baltimore, Md. Burial, Sun place, in Chippewa, 7th inst. Mrs. MARY mother of John Murray, of Milton.

In Milton, 23d inst., very suddenly, J. M. MERTENS, aged 71 years.

In Milton, 23d inst., Mrs. NANCY YOCUM, aged 58 years.

In Hartley, 5th inst., Mrs. ELIZABETH BERMAN, in her 83d year.

In White Deer, 12th inst., a child of Peter Reed, in its 4th year.

In Kelly, 18th inst., Mrs. CATHARINE STABLE, in her 25th year.

At Duncan's Island, of consumption, 20th inst., in her 77th year, ELIZABETH DEWEY, wife of Dr. Thomas Dewey.