

PENNA. R. R. TIME TABLE.

Table with columns for Eastward and Westward routes, listing stations like Philadelphia, Harrisburg, and Mifflintown with corresponding times.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

A Musical Association has been organized at Van Wert. Auction at Laird & Bell's store in Patterson, every evening.

McAlisterville has a musical carnival on the tapis for next Friday evening. Rev. Mr. Blackelder is holding a revival meeting in his church in this place.

Ground has been broken for the new railroad at the Susquehanna rail. So it is reported. Jerome N. Thompson sold his 'Black Rock' farm, containing 115 acres, to Geo. Lukens for \$11,000.

Wages of engineers and officials generally were reduced 10 per cent. on the P. R. R. on New Year's day. The new Constitution changes the time for holding the Spring election in March to the third Tuesday in February.

There was more sleighing done on a shallow snow fall last week than on any snow of the same depth for many years. The editor of the Lewistown Sentinel had a Christmas turkey sent him, but he was not allowed to print the donor's name.

Frederick Engeschade, of the firm of Tison & Engeschade, is preparing for mining operations in Bedford township. A rail on the street in the central part of town the other day was the cause of a high degree of excitement among the boys.

Me. Hess's Photograph Gallery is again in full operation in its new building, on Bridge street. Better pictures taken than ever. The Susquehanna and Lewistown rail-road was not sold on the day it was advertised for sale.

According to advertisement now, it will be sold on the 10th of May next. McAlisterville and Lewistown are determined to break up the amusements, minstrel and burlesque of their street boys. Latture a number have been imprisoned.

Laird and Albright's son was caught by a falling embankment in the foundation being prepared for N. E. Litchford's new business place, and quite severely injured. The man who caused the late fire in Susquehanna has been arrested and imprisoned for trial.

On New Year's day we witnessed on a piece of one of the buffaloes shot by Mr. H. H. North and Dr. Banks "out on the plains." As we partook of the savory meat grown on the natural grasses of the wild west we did not refrain from conversation on the dashing horseback chases in which the Doctor and Mr. North had of necessity to indulge in order to secure the noble game.

For leaders they had experienced frontier men and hunters who knew the plains and all of the Rocky Mountain intricacies as Juniata people know their native hills and valleys. They know almost as well where to look for the buffalo as Pennsylvania farmers know where to look for their cattle.

They know almost as well where to look for the buffalo as Pennsylvania farmers know where to look for their cattle, so skilled are they in their habits. They are equally at home on foot or on horseback. In the former way of traveling our friends of course suffered by comparison, not having had the experience to place them on an equality, but when the former were in their saddles the Juniata men did not suffer by comparison.

Mr. North's experience in horseback riding or exercise dates from early boyhood. He was accustomed to its fatigues, and Dr. Banks' business as a physician with a large practice in this county familiarized him so with horseback riding that it possessed no fatigues that he was not equal to. If the aids of Napoleon had been schooled to the saddle as he has been, they would not have dropped to the ground from their saddles with exhaustion before their eyes.

Rev. T. J. Sherrard, of the Presbyterian church of this place, was summoned away last week to be present at the closing days of his father on this earth. From the Steubenville Herald and News we receive the following obituary notice of Mr. Sherrard's father, with a brief sketch of his life: Robert Andrew Sherrard departed this life January 1st, 1874, at 1 o'clock P. M., in the 86th year of his age.

He was the fourth of five sons of John Sherrard, who emigrated to this country from County Derry, Ireland, in the year 1772. His father, after serving several years in the Revolutionary war, settled in Fayette county, Pa., near Conneville, where the subject of this notice was born May 4, 1789. In the year 1805 he, with the family, removed to Jefferson county, Ohio, then on the frontier, and settled near Smithfield, and there continued to live for a number of years.

In the spring of 1833 he removed to the farm known as Sugar Hill, two miles southwest of Steubenville, which was his place of residence during the remainder of his life. In the year 1816, he was married to Miss Mary Kithart, of Westmoreland county, Pa., who died in 1823, leaving five children. In the year 1827 Mr. Sherrard was again married to Miss Jane Hindman, of Jefferson county, Ohio, who still survives him, having seven children. His whole family, consisting of six sons and six daughters, are still living, and were all present with him during his last illness.

For a period of 57 years he was a member of the Presbyterian church, having united with the Church of Centre, Presbytery of Steubenville, in the year 1817, and in 1826 he was ordained and installed a Ruling Elder in the same church. After his removal to the vicinity of Steubenville he became connected with the First Presbyterian Church. He was installed an Elder in 1851, and his connection was still with this church at the time of his death.

ONE of the most melancholy accidents it has ever been our duty to record, occurred in the "Loop," just out of the county, yesterday morning. Two members of the Wertz family, a brother and sister, have been insane for a number of years, during all of which time they have been confined in a low shanty in close proximity to the residence of the balance of the family, as it was considered dangerous to permit them to run at large.

YESTERDAY morning, as Dr. Rohrer and R. A. Boone, Esq., of Hollidaysburg, were returning home from a hunting expedition, they discovered smoke and flame issuing from the roof and windows of the shanty in question. The alarm was immediately sounded and the two gentlemen named rushed to the burning building with all possible haste, but it was too late to render any assistance to the unfortunate insane creature inside, consequently they were burned to a crisp, although it is the general supposition that both were smothered to death some time ere the flames reached them. Dr. Rohrer avers that it was the worst sight that ever met his view. The origin of the fire is unknown.—Altoona Tribune of Dec. 30th.

CONCERT.—A Concert of Vocal and Instrumental Music will be given at McAlisterville, on Friday evening, January 9th, 1874, by the McAlisterville Singing Class, under the instruction of D. B. Moyer. A well selected programme will be introduced. The public are invited. Admission 25 cents. Proceeds to be applied to the cause.

The annual meeting of the stock holders of the Juniata County Agricultural Society will be held at the Tuscarora House in the borough of Perryville, on Friday, January 9th, 1874, at 1 o'clock P. M. G. M. GRAHAM, Sec'y.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. HEAD QUARTERS. IN Bridge Street. THIRD ARRIVAL OF New Goods this Season! GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES! 10 PER CENT. CHEAPER THAN EVER!

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MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS. REMOVAL! J. & H. A. STAMBAUGH HAVE REMOVED THEIR IMMENSE STOCK OF MERCHANDISE TO THE NEW ROOMS OF D. P. SULOUFF & CO. and C. B. BARTLEY, ON BRIDGE STREET.

NEW CASH STORE AT LOCUST GROVE, MILFORD TWP., One and a half miles south west of Patterson.

D. W. Harley & Co.'s THE BEST AND THE CHEAPEST MENS' YOUTHS' & BOYS' CLOTHING.

THOMAS A. ELDER, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, MIFFLINTOWN, PA.

MARRIED: SHIRK—WEDMAN—Nov. 27th, 1873, by Rev. A. Copenhaver, Mr. William T. Shirk and Miss Emily A. Wedman, both of Fayette township.

PEOPLES—BALENTINE—On the 18th ult., of the M. E. Parsons in Thompsonstown, by Rev. W. Schirer, Mr. John H. Peoples and Miss Maggie Balentine, both of Fernagh township.

YEAHER—ROHMER—On the 23rd ult., at the residence of the bride's father (Hon. Abraham Rohrer), by Rev. C. Myers, Mr. William L. Yeater, of Ashland, Ohio, and Miss Miranda Rohrer, of Beletstown, this county.

BEAVER—YONEDA—On the 1st ult., by Rev. D. M. Blackelder, Mr. Benjamin F. Beaver, of McAlisterville, this county, to Miss Mary C. Yoneda, of Mountdora, Northumberland Co., Pa.

DEPPEN—GEEBY—On the 1st ult., by Rev. C. Myers, Mr. L. R. Deppen, of Millford Twp., and Miss Louisa Geedy, of Tuscarora township.

DIED: DUNN—New McAlisterville, Nov. 18, 1873, James A. Dunn, aged 66 years, 6 months and 27 days.

SPICHER—On the 22nd ult., in Walker township, Jonas Spicher, aged 68 years, 10 months and 23 days.

STINE—On the 26th ult., in Fernagh township, Samuel Stine, aged 72 years and 8 months.

COMMERCIAL. MIFFLIN AND PATTERSON MARKETS. Corrected weekly by the Mifflin and Patterson Board of Commerce.

Butter, prime roll, 30; Lard, 8; Tallow, 8; Eggs, per doz., 20; Vinegar, per gal., 19; Pork, 12; Shoulders & Sides, 7.

Wheat, \$1.50; Corn, 55; Barley, 60; Oats, 45; Hay, 20; Cloverseed, 4.50; Timothy seed, 2.50; Flaxseed, 1.25; Potatoes, 50.

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