

MIFFLINTOWN: Wednesday, March 10, 1876.

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PENN'A. R. R. TIME TABLE. Passenger trains leave Mifflin Station as follows: EASTWARD. Philadelphia Express, 12:43 a.m.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE. Jack Campbell is sick in jail. Pittsburgh has a colored policeman.

A Young Men's Christian Association is being organized at Lewistown. Two young men in a church in Clearfield town misbehaved.

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The convict ran across the track and, passing under some empty freight cars on the other track, continued his flight down the steep hill on to the Schuylkill. The sheriff followed him rapidly, and when within twenty yards gave him notice to stop or he would fire. Smithson obeyed the order and was retaken.

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WE would call the attention of our readers to the fact that Pain Cure Oil will cure Headache, Neuralgia, Sore Throat, Rheumatic Pains, and all lameness in man or beast.

THE Osceola Reville says: A few weeks ago we gave an account of a very large oak tree, cut near Al Mithken's mill, the butt log of which scaled 1,955 feet. Since that time, we have learned that "up a great many pairs of winding stairs" in that tree was discovered an eagle's nest lined with feathers and scraps of paper, among which was found a twenty-dollar greenback.

THE question for debate at the Society attached to Kishacoquillas Seminary on last Friday night was: "Resolved, That a cross, cleanly woman is preferable to a good-natured, slovenly woman." It was decided in the negative. We expect to hear of some afflicted Seminary girl venturing into tobacco-chewing fraternity who were engaged in that discussion.—Lewistown Gazette.

ON Saturday morning a barn belonging to Mr. William Still, living near Blairsville, on the Westmoreland side of the Conemaugh river, was burned down, together with a horse and six cows which it was impossible to remove. It is not known how the fire originated. This is the second time that Mr. Still has suffered a loss of the kind, and he has the sympathy of all his neighbors.—Harrisburg Tribune, Mar. 8.

A SMART gentleman in Reading a day or two since thought his chimney needed cleaning, and having been informed that the force of powder could do it as well as anything else, he shot a pistol up the black thoroughfare of smoke, and the result was that it kicked up a fearful mass in the room of his next door neighbor. The chimneys, it appears, are connecting, and the force of the powder knocked over the stove and played hob in general.

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"EASTER DAY is always the first Sunday after the full moon which happens upon or next after the 21st of March. This year the moon falls on the 21st of March, which also happens to be Sunday. Therefore Easter falls on the following Sunday, the 28th of March. This is within six days of the earliest period on which it can occur. The earliest possible date for the occurrence of Easter is the 22nd of March, and the latest the 25th of April. These extreme limits are, however, seldom reached. In 1761 and 1818 Easter fell on the 22nd of March, but this will not happen again, either in this or the following century. In 1913 it will fall on the 23rd of March. The latest: Easter in this century and the following will occur in 1896 and 1943, and on the 25th of April."

PUBLIC SALE.—Matthew Rodgers will sell at public sale on the Spicher farm in Walker township, two shires east of Mexico, on Friday, March 12th, 1876, at 10 o'clock a. m., four good work horses, 3 five years old and 1 seven years and all single line leaders; 5 cows, four of which will be fresh in March or the beginning of April; 1 Devonshire bull, that took the premium at both the County fairs last fall—he is 23 months old and was bred from an imported bull; 6 head of young cattle, 2 nice Durham bull calves, 11 weeks old; 45 head sheep, mostly ewes with lambs; 7 head shoats, one Berkshire breeding sow with pig, hay by the ton, and a great variety of farming utensils. The highest sale of the season. Eleven month credit given.

PUBLIC SALE.—On Thursday, March 11th, Andrew Patterson, of Spruce Hill township, will offer at public sale, two brood mares, one horse, one milch cow, three yearling calves, sheep by the pair, and farming utensils. Sale at 10 o'clock. Thos. Barnard, auctioneer.

On Thursday, March 11th, John Metzger, Committee of Philip Rank, will offer at public sale, at the residence of the said Philip Rank, in Walker township, 4 horses, 2 colts, 2 mares, 6 head of young cattle, one fat steer, lot of sheep, and farming implements. Sale at 10 o'clock.

On Thursday, March 11th, Noah Hertzler, will sell, on his farm in Turbett township, 2 horses, 3 mares (one with foal), 2 sheep, 1 clover butter, 1 separator and horse power, 1 reaper and mower, grain drill, horse rake and other farming implements. Sale at 10 o'clock. D. R. P. Bealor, auctioneer.

On Saturday, March 13th, S. W. & A. Kaufman and Michael Olden will offer at public sale, at the residence of S. W. Kaufman, in Walker township, 11 head of horse stock, 3 cows, 13 sheep, and two wagons, nearly new. Sale at 10 o'clock. William Cavay, auctioneer.

On Saturday, March 13th, F. F. Rohm will close out his stock of new household furniture in Patterson, consisting of bed-room sets, in walnut and other woods, in all styles, marble top bureaus, marble top stands, extension tables, sofas, lounges, chairs, and almost everything to be found in a complete furniture store. Sale at one o'clock. Wm. Givens, auctioneer.

On Monday, March 15th, Reuben Leonard, assignee of Samuel Leonard, will sell at public sale, at the residence of said Samuel Leonard, one mile northeast of Oakland Mills, 2 mares, 5 cows, 2 heifers, 6 head young cattle, 9 sheep, 6 pigs, and farming implements. Sale at 9 o'clock.

On Tuesday, March 16th, Samuel A. and Joseph D. Thomas, Administrators of the estate of Mrs. Esther Thomas, dec'd., will sell at public sale, at the late residence of said decedent in Fernagh township, one cow, one heifer, lot of Brahma chickens, hams and shoulders, Buckeye reaper and mower combined, and a lot of household and kitchen property. Sale at 10 o'clock. Wm. Given, auctioneer.

On Tuesday, March 16th, at 10 o'clock, Elizabeth Garver, of Fayette township, will sell 3 horses, 2 colts, 3 cows, 2 head young cattle, 5 shoats, and farming implements. Wm. Cavay, auctioneer.

On Saturday, March 20th, Mrs. G. W. McElwee, of Greenwood township, will sell at public sale, 3 horses, 2 cows, 3 heifers, 4 head of young cattle, farming implements and household furniture. Sale at 10 o'clock. D. B. McWilliams, auctioneer.

On Saturday, March 20th, Aaron Leidy, of Fayette township, will sell at public sale, 2 horses, 2 cows, one of which will come into profit about the time of sale; 1 heifer, 1 shot, lot of poultry, wagons, plows, and other farming utensils, also a lot of household property. Sale at 10 o'clock. D. B. McWilliams, auctioneer.

On Thursday, March 25th, Ephraim Kannels, of Fayette township, will offer at public sale, 3 horses, 3 cows, 2 calves, 1 heifer, 1 Chester white boar, 2 shoats, farming utensils, and household property. Sale at 10 o'clock. Wm. Cavay, auctioneer.

On Tuesday, March 20th, Philo Hamlin, of Mt. Pleasant, Walker township, will sell at public sale, 2 milk cows, 1 calf, a lot of chickens, 4 scaps of bees, 1 open buggy, nearly new; 1 two-seated carriage, 1 sleigh, also a lot of household and kitchen furniture. Sale at 10 o'clock. S. B. London, auctioneer.

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SHERLOCK—NOWELL—Feb. 17th, 1876, at the M. E. Parsonage, Fort Royal by W. R. Whitney, Mr. James T. Sherlock and Miss Lillie N. Howell, both of Spruce Hill township.

BERS—LANDIS—On the 18th ult. by Rev. Solomon Strub, Mr. David Beers and Miss Anna C. Landis, both of White Hall, Juniata county.

FRY—BARTO—At the residence of the bride's parents, on the 4th inst., by the same, Mr. Clarence B. Fry and Miss Kate Barto, both of Perry county.

RANK—MUMMAH—On the 4th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. D. M. Blackelder, Mr. Aaron D. Rank, of Lebanon county, Pa., and Miss Carrie S. Mumamah, of Fernagh township, this county.

O'NEILL—ADAMS—On the 4th inst., at the residence of the bride's uncle, Wm. M. Allison, Esq., in Millintown, by Rev. T. J. Sherrard, Mr. Harry O'Neill and Miss Hortense Adams, both of Philadelphia.

DIED: LEIDY—On the 22nd ult., in Fayette township, Sarah Jane Leidy, daughter of Aaron and Rachel Leidy, aged 21 years, 8 months and 8 days.

SPECIAL NOTICES: TO CONSUMPTIVES. The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure.

ERRORS OF YOUTH. A GEORGE T. LEAMAN who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, etc.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. 1875. J. B. M. TODD, PATTERSON, PA.

SPECIAL NOTICE! Closing Out Sale of Clothing! OVERCOATS AT COST!

Sturts and Drapers, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Hosiery and Gloves at City Prices.

A COMPLETE LINE OF GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, Gum Boots, Gum Overshoes, Gum Overcoats.

Intending to close out my stock of Winter Goods preparatory to putting in a magnificent stock of Spring and Summer Goods, I am determined to sell Goods at such Low Prices that every one can suit themselves for a very small sum of money.

The highest market prices allowed for Country Produce, Corn and Oats, Hoop Poles, Locust Posts and Railroad Ties, in exchange for Goods, by J. B. M. TODD, Patterson, Oct. 7, 1874.

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PHILADELPHIA & READING RAILROAD. WINTER ARRANGEMENT. JANUARY 17th, 1876.

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For Reading at 5:20, 8:10, 9:45 a. m., 2:00, 3:50 and 7:40 p. m.

For Allentown at 5:20, 8:10 a. m., 2:00, 3:50 and 7:40 p. m.

For Pottsville at 5:20, 8:10, 9:45 a. m., 2:00, 3:50 and 7:40 p. m.

For Lehigh Valley at 5:20, 8:10, 9:45 a. m., 2:00, 3:50 and 7:40 p. m.

For New York at 9:00 a. m., 12:40, 5:15 and 7:45 p. m.

Leave Philadelphia at 9:15 a. m., 3:40 and 7:00 p. m.

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Leave Pottsville at 5:55, 9:00 a. m. and 4:30 p. m., and via Schuylkill and Susquehanna Branch at 5:20, 8:10, 9:45 a. m., 12:25, 4:30 and 8:45 p. m.

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HAVE FOR SALE COAL, LUMBER, FISH, SALT, PLASTER, GROUND OR LUMP, which will be sold to suit purchasers, either WHOLESALE OR RETAIL, and at the lowest rates ruling.

At my store in Turbett township may be found as complete an assortment of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, NOTIONS, Queensware, Hardware, &c., all of which will be sold as low, if not a little lower than elsewhere.

NOAH HERTZLER, Dec. 10, 1874-ly.

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