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MIFFLINTOWN.

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B. F. SCHWEIER,

EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

The Present Corn Crop.

THE Department of Agriculture at Washington issue the following relative to this year's corn crop:

The condition of the corn crop on the 1st of October, on the whole, was nearly average. In the New England States it was a little above the average. The Middle States, except Delaware, report a depressed condition. Drought during the growing season shortened the yield, while in many counties the corn standing in the shock was seriously injured by heavy rains, especially where the crop was not well ripened. In New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania heavy storms prevailing about the middle of September prostrated many fields. The South Atlantic States, especially in counties near the coast, suffered serious injury to this crop from these storms, which prostrated fields left uncut, while the heavy rains that followed spoiled a large amount of both grain and fodder. Freshets swept the crops stacked upon the river bottoms, and frosts damaged late crops in one or two counties of North Carolina. Some complaint of damage to upland crops from drought have been received from South Carolina. Maryland and South Carolina are full average, and Georgia largely above, but the deficiencies of Virginia and North Carolina cut down the general condition of this section to 2 per cent. below average. The crop in the Gulf States, on the whole is about average, Texas reporting an especially fine condition. Local prices show a considerable reduction. Reports of injuries from drought and storms have been received from Mississippi and Louisiana, but the tone of reports from Texas indicates a very superior yield and quality The southern inland States are all above average, and the promise of large yields had already depressed local prices, especially in districts remote from market. Kentucky, especially, promises a large crop and a consequent depression of prices, though some counties complain of light crops, the result of drought. North of the Ohio river there is a deficiency on the whole, the low condition in Illinois and Michigan overbalancing the extra promise in the other States. Ohio reports a superior crop, generally of good quality, though drought in some localities, and excessive rains in others, reduced local averages. In Michigan, crops on low, wet lands are reported very poor, and in some cases not worth gathering. Illinois is 6 per cent. below average, though several counties report the finest crop for years. Several reporters in Wisconsin mention, with satisfaction, that the crop was too far advanced to be much injured by either frosts or grass hoppers. West of the Mississippi the small deficiency in Missouri is more than repaired by the fine condition reported in all the other States. In Iowa crops were poor in low, wet lands, and the condition in several counties reduced greatly by grasshoppers. In Missouri local damage by storms is reported, but low prices indicate an abundant yield in the larger portion of the State. Kansas is full average, in spite of the grasshoppers and chinches, and Nebraska is considerably above. Insect ravages were quite severe in several counties of Colorado and Dakota, while frosts were destructive in Utah. The crop on the Pacific coast is somewhat below average, the superior condition of Oregon not being sufficient to meet the depression in California.

News Items.

Lehigh county farmers are buying potatoes.

A child in Huntingdon county died from an overdose of "soothing syrup," of which morphine is a large ingredient.

Bullocks raised on the farm of W. Sterret Woods, and sold in Carlisle, averaged 1,515 pounds.

Mrs Susanna Keim, of Berks county, who died lately at the age of eighty-four, left one hundred and eleven living descendants.

The Rev. Ned Wright, the converted burglar, is building a $5,000 church in London

Spurgeon admits that there are persons who should never go to church—those who wear boots that squeak, and ladies whose umbrellas are always falling down with a snap. The great preacher believes in ventilation, and when the windows won't open he directs the smashing of a few panes of glass.

A Black Hills miner, named Babcock, sold his claim for $1500, and because it it was resold in a few days for $5000 went crazy over it.

There were 447 births and and 424 deaths in New York city last week.

The Sultan of Turkey recently sent the Emperor of Morocco a present of eighteen women for his harem. It is it is extremly gratifying that this mode of making presents is not customary among the great men of this country. At the price of bonnets and sacks we should go west and grow up with the country if any one were to present us with eighteen women.—*Norristown Herald.*

"Byron called melancholy an ever lasting mist. If it could be everlastingly missed it would not be melancholly."

"Grace before meat," as the young lady remark when she laced herself so tight she couldn't swallow."

A touching story is told by the Lynchburg *News*: "Not a thousand miles from Richmond a wife lay in a dying condition. Having brought up a clever orphan girl, who was grown, the dying woman called the young woman to her and said: 'I will soon leave you my little children motherless. They know you and love you, and after I am gone I want you and my husband to marry.' The young woman, bursting into tears, said: 'We were just talking about that.'"

Professor Loomis concludes, after comparing five hundred cases, that storms move at the rate of twenty-six miles an hour on land in this country and a little over ninteen miles over the ocean. An express train or a first-class steamship could easily keep ahead of a common storm.

A daughter of William G. Snodgrass, residing near Pittsburg, recently went near a fire in the parlor grate, when her clothes became ignited and she was burned to death.

California gallantry got an illustration the other day when twenty-eight white men solicited the privilege of flogging a negro who had beaten his wife. The justice refused them all and selfishly kept the privileges to himself.

News Items.

On Sunday morning a week two horse thieves were hung on the limb of a tree not far from Kansas City, Mo.

So far twelve cadets have been dismissed from the United States Normal School at Annapolis, Md., for hazing.

The cry of fire in a Chinese theatre in San Francisco caused the audience to rise and rush for the door, whereby twenty-two persons were killed.

Diphtheria prevails in Allentown.

Winter travel has set in for Florida.

Nine hundred and sixty women in the United States live by telling fortunes.

A New Jersey court has sentenced a number of prize fighters for manslaughter, to ten years' imprisonment and a $1,000 fine.

Chickens are nine cents a pound in Lebanon.

The Presbyterians of Bellefonte have elected Rev. Mr. Laurie, of Watkins, N. Y., pastor of their church at a salary of $2,000 per year, in place of Mr. Wylie, who resigned some months since.

Twenty tons of coal are stolen daily from the trains at Phœnixville.

Eighteen attempts have been made to burn the town of Catasauqua, Lehigh county, in the past two years.

Spurgeon wears a blue overcoat, and "a cigar burns merrily in his mouth."

The arrests of the Philadelphia police last month numbered nearly 4,300, of of which over 400 were in the Centennial division.

The wool hat trade in Reading is looking up. A factory that has been idle for years has just resumed work, and several other manufactories are busy.

The Sandy Run railroad, from Hopewell to Bedford, is to be built immediately.

Harrisburg is reported to have 1,400 Odd Fellows.

A young lady of Pittston will soon apply for admission to the bar.

An apple tree in Lehigh county is 21 feet in circumferenee and 100 years old.

A costly and beautiful monument is to be erected over the tomb of the late John T Alexander, the "Cattle King," of Illinois, to be constructed by Volk, of Chicago. Such is fame these days.

"White Loon," a chief of the Miami tribe of Indians, died lately near Fort Wayne, Ind., at the great age of 107. He recollected Tecumseh, and events that happened ninety-five years ago. He was straight as an arrow, with white hair, red complexion, and small, piercing eyes.

A murderer was hung in Bombay, and just before the drop fell he whispered to the executioner: "In one minute what a lot I shall know!"

Mrs. Esther Alsdurf died in Crawford county, on the 29th ultimo, aged 99 years, She was the oldest person in that county.

The people of Oxford, Chester county are preparing for a tournament.

The Western Penitentiary contains 672 prisoners, the largest number ever confined in that institution.

Dr. R. H Storrs is one of the few clergymen who refuse "louder calls" He was invited to a Fifth Avenue Brick Church on the top of Murrah Hill at a salary of $10,000 and a millionaire offered to purchase a house which readily sold for $65,000 before the panic, and to furnish it handsomely from top to bottom for his use while he remained pastor of the church. And yet he would not accept.

The corner-stone of Solomon's Temple which has been discovered, lies ninety feet below the present surface of the ground. In a niche of it is found a Phœnician jar of clay.

The faithful dogs of Cass county, Indiana, have slaughtered over $1900 worth of mutton for farmers during the year.

John Chinaman has 120 representatives in New England colleges. John is the Yankee of Asia, as the Yankee is the American Ah Sin.

Detroit freezes 500,000 fish in a season for more southern markets.

An English amateur bull-fighter recently killed two bulls at Barcelona, Spain, in the presence of 16,000 spectators.

James Lick was eccentrically quarrelsome and had an eccentric way of hurling huge and hot adjectives at his servants and of dismissing them without ceremony. He sometimes discharged a dozen in a week and dismissed his favorite nurse every little while, but always re-engaged her again.

At Toulouse, France, a curious lawsuit is going on. An oyster opener, while opening a few bivalves for a purchaser, found in one of them a valuable pearl. This he at once pocketed; but the buyer of the oysters insisted that it was his. He claimed that he bought shells, juice, oysters, and every thing, while the oyster-opener alleged that he had only bought the oyster. The question of ownership of the pearl is yet undecided.

A pine tree was cut last week upon the property of Mr. Horn, in Clearfield county, which measured thirty-six inches at the but and from which six sixteen-feet saw-logs were cut. The last log measured fifteen inches at the top end.

The Harrisburg *Telegraph* of the 2d inst., says: This morning Wm. Z. Umberger, aged about nineteen years, son of Calvin Umberger, who resided with his parents on Calder street, near Wallace, employed as a brakeman on the 24th extra freight west on the Pennsylvania railroad, was thrown off the cars while shifting at Bell's Mills, east of Altoona, and killed. His remains were brought to this city on the Day Express east this afternoon.

The Buffalo Express of Saturday says: "A singular case of poisoning came to light yesterday, the victims being the family of John G. Klein, Deputy Poormaster. He lives on Michigan street, and on the night previous bought a quantity of 'liver sausage' at a butcher-shop in the vicinity. It was cooked for supper and the members of the family partook heartily of it. Shortly afterward they were all seized with a violent sickness. A neighbor was dispatched after Dr. Diehl, who pronounced the case one of poisoning. The mother of Mr. Klein, who had eaten more of the sausage than any of the others, continued to grow worse, and in spite of the remedies administered, died during the night. Two others of the family became so critically ill that fears were entertained that they would not survive. Dr. Diehl informs our reporter, however, that they are slowly recovering and that the poison in their case will not result fatally. The Doctor is positive that the poison was in the sausage. He is inclined to believe that the liver from which the sausage was made was diseased. Portions of it are to be sent to Prof. Hadley for analysis."

News Items.

Spiritualists in Texas are required to take out a showman's license before the authorities will allow them to appear upon a stage and lecture.

West Virginia boasts of a tobacco leaf thirty inches long, twenty wide and weighing eight ounces.

The smallpox seems to be dying away in San Francisco, but a severe type of diphtheria has succeeded it, which is extending over the State.

A large number of consumptives call daily at Manhattan Market in New York for cups of fresh blood.

Dom Pedro was married at seventeen.

Mary Canaan, a white woman, aged twenty years, charged with murder in having in July last, at Washington, after the birth of her female child, cut its throat from ear to ear, has been found guilty as indicted.

Deer have increased greatly in Virginia.

A stone cathedral is being moved in Chicago. Five hundred big jack screws are employed, and not a stone is to be dislocated.

Unmarried girls in Vestula have to wear little bells on their ankles, and the eloping business is not good in that locality.

Science has discovered the yellow toy balloons sold to children are poisonous, the coloring matter consisting largely of chromate of lead.

There will be a grand representative meeting of all the Presbyterians of the world in Edinburg on the 3d of July, 1877. The topics for discussion have not been finally adopted, but will probably be such as essential principles of Presbyterianism in special relation to present day wants and in their bearing on practical and spiritual subjects. This alliance was to have been held last July, but was postponed on account of our Centennial year, which might prevent many Americans from being present.

At a dinner party there were two sisters present, one a widow who had just emerged from her weeds, the other not long married whose husband had lately gone out to India for a short term. A young barrister present was deputed to take the widow down to dinner. Unfortunately he was under the impression that his partner was the married lady whose husband had just arrived in India. The conversation between them began with the lady's remarking now extremely hot is was. "Yes, it is very hot," returned the young barrister. Then a happy thought suggested itself to him, and he added with a cheerful smile, "But not so hot as the place to which your husband has gone," The look with which the widow answered this "happy thought" will haunt that young barrister till the day of his death.

Governor Hartranft has appointed the 30th day of this month as a day of Thanksgiving.

An Irishman, being a little fuddled, was asked what his religious belief was. "Is it me belafe ye'd be asking about?" said he. "It's the same as the widdy Brady. I owe her twelve shillings for whisky, and she belaves I'll never pay her; and faith that's my belafe too."

A boy proposed to his father that he be allowed to go fishing, but his father had other business for him that day. "Father," said the young man, "do you know what Solomon said about boys going fishing?" "Solomon didn't say anything about it," replied the parent. "Yes, he did. He said if you spare the rod you spoil the child." "I won't spare it," said the old gentleman promptly. And he didn't, but the son thinks that he got hold of the wrong rod.

Silver in Nevada was first discovered very strangely. A woman picked up a stone to throw at her husband. It was so heavy that she examined it, and it proved to be a lump of silver. Fifty millions of dollars was the result of this to the country.

The following is given as a poor man's breakfast near Calton, San Bernardo valley, California: Tea, sweetened with pure, white, strained honey, thick cream and bread, milk, eggs, Hubbard squash, ham, pomegranate, black Hamburg grapes, Flamme de Tokay grapes, green figs and peaches. Cost of breakfast for man and wife, fifteen cents.

One of the most wonderful cties in world is Bankok, the capital of Siam. On either side of the wide, majestic stream, moored in regular streets and alleys, extending as far as the eye can reach, are upward of 70,000 neat little houses, each one floating on a compact raft of bamboos, and the whole intermediate space of the river is one dense mass of ships, junks and boats of every conceivable shape, color and size.

Two Englishtown (N. J)., boys, fired with the spirit of many sensational tales stole an oyster boat at Keyport, and put out to sea in search of an island whereon to play Crusoe and Friday. Two or three days later an inward bound vessel picked them up nearly dead from exposure and hunger.

The horse disease is spreading fast in Egypt and numerous cases have broken out in the Delta. It has made its appearance at all the large towns and centres of cotton culture and trade. In the canals dead bodies are to be seen floating about in quantities, and as the former supply water to the people as well as to the cotton lands, fears are expressed of the outbreak of some epidemic. The crowds of wild dogs that serve as scavengers have been poisoned in great numbers by feeding on the carcases.

Joaquin Miller tells a curious California story. An emigrant train passing over the prairie met a herd of buffalo running at full speed, moved by one of the apparently insane impulses which sometimes seize these animals. When the immense herd had passed there was no wagon, there were no men, oxen, horses left, even their bodies were obliterated. The one survivor was a woman, who was carried out of the horrible struggle on the back of one of the herd—how, she never knew; her first consciousness was that she stood in safety upon a little hillock and the whirlwind had gone by.

A despatch from Marora, Ill., under date of the 27th ult., says: A terrible accident has just occurred whereby a bride may lose her life. It was the occasion of the festivities supplemental to the marriage of Frank Schenck, of this place, to Miss Longstreet, of Mindletown, Ohio. Mr. Schenck arrived with his bride this morning, and the parents of the groom had prepared for a supper and reception. The guests were seated at the table, when one of the waiters accidentally knocked a gasoline lamp from its socket, and it fell on the shoulder of the bride and exploded, scattering the burning fluid. Before the flames could be extinguished her clothing was burned from her chest, her hair was nearly all consumed, and the flesh on her face, neck, and arms was burned frightfully. Mrs. Sargent was sitting next to the bride, and her face and left hand were seriously burned in trying to extinguish the flames. The The groom was badly burned on the hands, as were also one or two others.

The typical German has fair hair and blue eyes.

General Sheridan will soon start for a buffalo hunt on the plains in company with several Austrains of high rank who are visiting the United States.

News Items.

Baron Krupp is the only man who can comfortably lean back and laugh at all this row in Europe. He supplies the cannon, you know.

The President has accepted the invitation of the Centennial Commission to formally close the Exhibition on the 10th instant.

Dr. J. C Ayer has not yet recovered from his insanity.

Gymnastic exercises for young ladies are a part of the regular instruction in a large number of the schools of Germany.

Senator Rutan arrived from a summer sojourn in Europe on Monday.

Alexander H. Stephens is now able to walk three or four miles a day.

Bismarck is threatened with softening of the brain.

Yellow fever still prevails in Savannah.

"Shall I try a homeopath or an allopath?" "My dear fellow, it is six of one and half a dozen of the other. The allopath kills his patients; the homeopath lets his die."

The Scranton, Pa, *Republican*, says: "A shocking scene occurred at a funeral which took place in one of the suburbs of this city a few days ago. There was a large attendance, and the immediate relatives of the deceased were so overcome by grief that at the burial were left to the care of some friends who volunteered their services in paying the last sad tribute to the dead. Numbers gathered around the grave to see the coffin lowered, but the men having charge were so intoxicated that it was clumsily done. Before the first spadefull of earth was thrown upon the coffin one of the party fell into the grave and could not extricate himself. A companion, no better off than he, attempted to rescue him, but he also fell into the grave, and there both struggled in vain until some of the sober attendants, who were shocked and justly indignant at the occurence, lifted the drunken pair out, and pushing them aside, kept them away."

"Daniel Deronda."

This new book by GEORGE ELIOT, the famous author of "*Adam Bede*," "*Middlemarch*," etc., has created a profound sensation in the literary world. It is truly a noble work,—the fullest and broadest expression that the spirit of this age has found in literature, and GEORGE ELIOT will probably be considered by posterity the greatest, certainly the broadest, writer of our generation. A nobler character than "Deronda" modern literature has not produced.

The Boston *Journal* pronounces DANIEL DERONDA "the literary event of the year." The London *Globe* calls it "an event in the history of literature." The *Christian Intelligencer*: "The story is profoundly absorbing." *Scribner's Monthly* says: "There are books which can only be measured by the largest standard, and such a work is *George Eliot's* new novel, DANIEL DERONDA."

The publishers of the popular "LAKESIDE LIBRARY" editions of standard authors have issued a *cheap edition* of "Daniel Deronda," complete in two volumes, unabridged and unaltered, price, only 20 cents each, by mail 25 cents. Sold by all Newsdealers, or sent postpaid by DONNELLEY, LOYD & Co., Publishers, Chicago, Ill.

A Singular Suicide.

[*From the Pall Mall Gazette.*]

In the annals of suicide few cases are more remarkable than one which occurred a few days ago at Nitshill, in Scotland, where a miner named Duncan deliberately blew himself up with dynamite. It seems that the unfortunate man, who was about fifty years of age, was much distressed at some remarks made about him by his neighbors. On Monday afternoon he was seen coming out of his house with a parcel in his hand, described as being of about the size of a two pound loaf, and to which was attached two pieces of colliers' "strum" or match. This parcel contained dynamite. Having procured a match from the house of a neighbor, to whom he remarked that "they had said a great deal of him lately, but he would put it past them now." Duncan went out into the street, and putting the parcel down on the ground leaned well over it. He then lighted the "strum" with the match. At this moment some boys, attracted by his unusual attitude, came towards him. "Keep back," shouted Duncan, "for the love of God! or you will be blown into eternity!" Thus adjured the boys did keep back, and it was well for them that they did so, for a moment later there was a loud explosion which startled the whole village, and Duncan was instantaneously blown to atoms. On the spot where the dynamite had been laid there was left a hole about 3 feet deep by about 2½ wide.

The Way to Reach the North Pole.

The *Daily Graphic* says: At least ten years must be given to the work of reaching the North Pole. It is the last 400 miles that have hitherto offered the greatest difficulties, and fifty miles a a year progress would be ample. The Pole should be approached as if it were a citadel, with regular advances well supported; stations should gradually be formed, still pressing forward, and affording ample provisions and protection for the crews until, after years of hard work, the purpose shall be accomplished. Experience shows the present method to be entirely inadequate.

CHEATING THE RATS.—The West Chester *News* gives this novel method: "Jacob Hayes, of East Marlborough, several years ago adopted the following novel method of clearing his barn of rats. He filled his cart with corn-fodder and placed a basket of corn on top with a light covering of fodder on top of this. Hauling the cart into the barn, he placed boards so that the rats could run up into the cart. The next morning he hauled the cart out into a field and dumped its load, when rats issued from the fodder in great numbers and fifty or more were killed.

INCOMES.—The Czar Alexander receives, in round numbers, $25,000 a day income; the Turkish Sultan $18,000; the Emperor of Austria $10,000; the Emperor of Germany $8200; the King of Italy $6440; the Queen of England $6270; the King of the Belgians $1643; the President of the French Republic $500; the President of the United States $140.

THE women suffragists of New Haven held a meeting last week to prove that woman is man's superior in point of courage, but some profane person introduced a live mouse into the room, and those members who couldn't climb upon the table, dropped out of the window, and the meeting was broken up.—*Nor. Bulletin.*

A fine assortment of cloths, cassimeres vestings, &c., always on hand and for sale by B. B. LOUDON.

New Advertisements.

Assigned Estate of Elias Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given that Elias Smith of Fayette township, Juniata county, Pa., has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present them, without delay, to

JOSEPH T. SMITH, Assignee.

Nov. 7, 1876.

Assigned Estate of Solomon Coffman.

NOTICE is hereby given that Solomon Coffman, of Fayette township, Juniata county, Pa., has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present them, without delay, to

EZRA SMITH, Assignee.

Nov. 1, 1876.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE!

THE undersigned, Assignee of Solomon Coffman for the benefit of his creditors, will offer at public sale, on the premises, in Fayette township, Juniata county, at 10 o'clock A. M., on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1876,

The following described real estate, to wit:

No. 1.—A tract of land, being the Mansion Farm of said Assignor, containing

One Hundred and Forty Acres,

more or less, having thereon erected a

Large Stone Dwelling House,

BANK BARN, Wagon Shed with Stabling, Corn Crib, and other outbuildings. About 125 acres of this land is cleared, well fenced, and in a high state of cultivation. There is a fine Quarry of excellent LIMESTONE on the premises, with KILN erected thereon. The land has recently been thoroughly limed. There is a fine Spring of water on the premises, with a Fountain Pump, which supplies both the house and barnyard with an excellent quality of water. This farm is well supplied with Fruit, there being a good Apple Orchard, a Peach Orchard, and a good supply of Grapes and other small fruits on the premises.

The Woodland attached to this farm is well set with Chestnut, Oak and other valuable timber.

No. 2.—A tract of land adjoining the above described tract on the east, containing

EIGHTY-FIVE ACRES,

more or less, having thereon erected a good

FRAME HOUSE, BANK BARN,

and outbuildings. About Seventy Acres of this land is cleared, well fenced, and also in a good state of cultivation; the remainder is well set with timber. There is a fine Young Orchard on the premises, a Spring of good water near the house, and a Fountain Pump in the barnyard.

No. 3.—About FORTY ACRES of Woodland adjoining the land above described on the north. This land is also well set with Chestnut, Oak, and other timber. It will be sold in lots of *five* acres or more, to suit purchasers.

The land above described is situated about 2½ miles southeast of McAlisterville, about 1½ mile northeast of East Salem, and about 1 mile from Brown's Mills. It is in close proximity to schools, churches and stores.

EZRA SMITH,
Assignee of Solomon Coffman.

Nov. 8, 1876.

PROCLAMATION.—WHEREAS, the Hon. BENJ. F. JUNKIN, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas for the 9th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Juniata, Perry and Cumberland, and the Honorables Jonathan Weiser and John Koons, Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas of Juniata county, have issued their precept to me directed, bearing date the 28th day of April, 1876, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, at MIFFLINTOWN, on the FIRST MONDAY of DECEMBER, 1876, being the 4th day of the month.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables of the County of Juniata, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at one o'clock on the afternoon of said day, with their records, inquisitions, examinations and over remembrances, to do those things that to their offices respectively appertain, and those that are bound by recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or then may be in the Jail of said county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

By an Act of Assembly, passed the the day of May, A. D., 1854, it is made the duty of the Justices of the Peace, of the several counties of this Commonwealth, to return to the Clerk of this Court of Quarter Sessions of the respectives counties, all the recognizances entered into before them by any person or persons charged with the commision of any crime, except such cases as may be ended before a Justice of the Peace, under existing laws, at least ten days before the commencement of the session of the Court to which they are made returnable respectively, and in all cases where any recognizances are entered into less than ten days before the commencement of the session to which they are made returnable, the said Justices are to return the same in the same manner as if said act had not been passed.

Dated at Mifflintown, the 11th day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

WM. H. KNOUSE, *Sheriff.*

Sheriff's Office, Mifflintown, November 8, 1876.

Trial List—December Term, 1876.

1. John N. Hibbs and Edward Hibbs vs. Jacob Shelley, John Y. Shelley, Henry S. Dimm and Jacob Umholtz. No. 27, Feb. term, 1873.
2. Jeremiah Bruner vs. Jacob Shelley, John Y. Shelley, Henry S. Dimm and Jacob Umholtz. No. 28, Feb. term, 1873.
3. George W. Singleton vs. Kurtz Kauffman. No. 37, Sept. term, 1874.
4. Jacob Pile vs. Christian ImShaffstall. No. 39, Dec. term, 1874.
5. Jacob Pile vs. Christian ImShaffstall. No. 74, Dec. term, 1874.
6. William R. Wood vs. William Sneath. No. 104, Dec. term, 1874.
7. Daniel Coffman and Josephine Coffman, his wife, for the sole and separate use of Josephine Coffman, vs. J. B. M. Todd. No. 2, Feb. term, 1875.
8. Jonathan Weaver vs. D. P. Minichan. No. 22, Sept. term, 1875.
9. George T. Robison and William Rea, partners, trading as Robison, Rea & Co., vs. Stewart T. McCulloch. No. 125, September term, 1875.
10. Selinsgrove and North Branch Railroad vs. F. F. Rohm. No. 271, September term, 1875.
11. Selinsgrove and North Branch Railroad vs. D. A. Doughman. No. 272, Sept. term, 1875.
12. Henry Musser vs. Simon Amey and R. Leonard, overseers of the poor of Fayette township. No. 299, Sept. term, 1875.
13. Ephraim Reynolds vs. Benjamin Zeiders. No. 331, Sept. term, 1875.
14. John C. Wright vs. D. M. Crawford. No 342, Sept. term, 1875.
15. James Castner vs. William Jordan. No. 136, April term, 1876.
16. Joseph Gingrich and Barbara Gingrich for sole and separate use of said Barbara Gingrich, vs Christian G. Shelley. No. 44, Sept. term, 1876.
17. Henry K. Frymoyer vs. The Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co. of Middle Penn's. No. 162, Sept. term, 1876.

Prothonotary's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that Alexander McCachan, Committee of Jude Custer, *lunatic*, has filed the first and final account in the Prothonotary's office in Mifflintown, and the same will be presented for confirmation and allowance, at the Court House in Mifflintown, in the Court of Common Pleas, Wednesday, December 6, 1876.

JACOB BEIDLER, *Prothonotary.*

PROTHONOTARY'S OFFICE, Mifflintown, November 1, 1876.

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

PURSUANT to an order of the Orphans' Court of Juniata county, the undersigned, Administrators of the estate of R. W. Jamison, late of Fayette township, deceased, will expose at public sale, on the premises, on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1876,

at 1 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate of said decedent, to wit:

No. 1.—A tract of about **70 Acres** of cleared land, bounded by lands of Judson Hunt, Jacob Smith, John E. Jamison, and others, having thereon erected a

LARGE STONE HOUSE,

26x50 feet, a good BANK BARN, 32x44 feet, a SAW-MILL with overshot wheel, and a GOOD FOUNDRY, together with outbuildings. There is a good Orchard and two never-failing Springs of water on the premises.

No. 2—A tract of land lying along the side of Shade Mountain, in the township aforesaid, by lands of John Phillips, Samuel Bey, Daniel and Jacob Page, Michael Eichman, and others, containing about **80 Acres,** more or *less*, well set with good timber.

CONDITIONS—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid when the property is struck down to the purchaser; fifteen per cent. when the sale is confirmed by the Court; and the balance in five and eight months from the date of confirmation, with interest. JOHN MOTZER, LOUIS E. ATKINSON, Adm'rs of R. W. Jamison, dec'd.

Oct 16, 1876.

REAL ESTATE AT ASSIGNEE'S SALE!

THE undersigned, Assignee of Joseph Branthoffer, will offer a farm in Delaware township, Juniata county, Pa., at public sale, on the premises, at 3 o'clock P. M., on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1876,

Described as follows: A tract of land in the township of Delaware, bounded by lands of David Smith and David B. Dimm on the south, Jacob Brubaker and Mrs. Margaret Clare on the west, S. Owen Evans on the north, and S. Owen Evans and John Smith on the east, containing

FIFTY ACRES,

having thereon erected a

LARGE FRAME HOUSE,

GOOD BANK BARN, and Outbuildings. There is a Well of water near the buildings and an Orchard of Fruit on the farm. This land is situated on the public road leading from Thompsontown to McAlisterville, about one-half mile from East Salem. It is in a good state of cultivation, of fine quality, and in close proximity to churches, schools, and stores.

TERMS.—Ten per cent. of purchase money to be paid down on day of sale; fifteen per cent. at the confirmation of the sale by the Court; and the balance in eight and twelve months from date of confirmation of sale by the Court.

LOUIS E. ATKINSON, Assignee of Joseph Branthoffer.

October 7, 1876.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF

REAL ESTATE!

THE undersigned, Assignee of John Shelley will offer at public sale, on the premises in Delaware township, Juniata county, at 3 o'clock P. M., on

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1876,

A tract of farm land, adjoining lands of John James, William Sieber, Jacob Brubaker, Christian Shelley, Christian Kurtz, and others, containing

FIFTY-FIVE ACRES,

more or less, and having thereon erected a

GOOD LOG HOUSE,

with cellar, a BANK BARN, nearly new, Spring House and other outbuildings.—There is a thrifty Orchard of excellent fruit on the premises. The land is in a good state of cultivation, in an excellent neighborhood, in close proximity to schools, stores and churches, and offers an excellent chance to procure a desirable home.

TERMS.—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid in hand; fifteen per cent in sixty days; and the balance in five and eight months, with interest from April 1st, 1877.

LOUIS E. ATKINSON, Assignee of John Shelley.

Oct. 25, 1876.

Estate of Dr. P. L. Greenleaf, Deceased.

LETTERS of Administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same, without delay, to

FANNIE GREENLEAF,
ANNIE B. GREENLEAF,
Thompsontown,

Or their Attorney, LOUIS E. ATKINSON, Mifflintown, Pa. [Oct. 16, 1876.

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