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EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

Republican State Convention.

HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN STATE COMMITTEE, HARRISBURG, July 12, 1877.

By direction of the Republican State Committee, the Republican State Convention, heretofore called to meet at Harrisburg on the 29th day of August next, is hereby postponed, to meet in Harrisburg, at noon, on Wednesday, September 5, 1877. This postponement is made at the request of a large number of delegates elect, who have engagements to be present at a triennial conclave of Knights Templar, which assembles at Cleveland, Ohio, on the 29th day of August next.

By order of the Committee.

HENRY M. HOYT, *Chairman.*

A. WILSON NORRIS, *Secretary.*

A COMMISSION is about to try to bring about a treaty with Sitting Bull.

SEVEN to eight thousand coal miners quit work in the Lehigh valley last Thursday.

DON'T envy city or town life; there's nothing in it, excepting a little more polish or finish, than in country life.

THE centennial of the battle of Bennington in Vermont was celebrated on the 15th inst. President Hayes was present.

GOVERNOR HARTRANFT has issued a call for two regiments of militia to enlist for a period of three months, or during the present emergency.

THE management of the Permanent Exhibition at Philadelphia have concluded to open the Exhibition on Sunday.

ALL Legislative or Congressional action that has for its object the establishment of a department to fix the price of labor, &c., is antagonistic to free government principles.

A GREAT famine prevails in Southern India. It is said that a journey in many districts "remind one of scenes on a great battle-field in the number of the dead and the dying."

THE war of the North with Rebellion was all in the interest of labor, but if the thing is to be run into communism, it was a monstrous blunder. It would have been better a thousand times to have left the South go.

THE Spartans were communists and free lovers. Every semblance of private life was abolished. Even the babies were subjects for investigating committees, any that were so unfortunate as to come into the world as delicate beings were strangled, so as not to be allowed to grow up and in turn give issue to still more delicate creatures.

SLAVERY became aggressive. The Republican organization grappled with it, overcame it, and thus the greatest work that was ever accomplished for labor was achieved by the Republican organization or party. Does labor now propose to do as did the man of fable, with a moral, with the goose that laid the golden egg?

A WORKINGMEN'S CONVENTION was held at Cumberland, Md., last Friday. A platform was adopted that opposes the National Bank system and advocates the issue of all money by the General Government, opposes class legislation and unequal taxation, favors legislation making paper money equal in value with specie, favors a tariff to protect home industry, advocates a railroad law making pro rata rates, and favors Sunday laws.

IN all large towns and cities are vast multitudes who live entirely outside of church influence. Some day an event will arise that will cause this vast multitude to organize into a church. Such an event will be history repeating itself—only that and nothing more, with the slight addition, that another name or two will be added to the list of teachers and reformers. How are we moving, backward or forward? Who can tell?

IT is as true as Holy Writ, that nine hundred and ninety nine per cent. of the officials and managers, that strikers, their friends, and the commune generally condemn for mismanagement, are people of their own kind, that have sprung from nothing, and have reached positions of trust in corporations through the agencies of free government, the stability of which they endanger by their riotous conduct, against the acts of men of their own kind.

AN English Judge not long since, in hearing the case of a "younger son" who had run hopelessly into debt, and who had applied for the benefit of the insolvent laws, decided that where a man had incurred debt in living extravagantly beyond his means, he was not entitled to any benefit under such laws. His debts were of the nature of procuring credit under false pretence. Having only so much money on which to depend for a living, *and no more*, when he ran his expenses beyond that sum, and incurred a debt it was a criminal action.—*Harrisburg Telegraph.*

The Greenbackers of Crawford county have nominated George W. Hecker for Judge. It was resolved that the two great parties are wrong, and that the country can never get back to prosperity and peace again until the Greenback party becomes triumphant. It was also resolved that the Greenback party could and would "make the greenback worth as much as the gold dollar," "bonds a legal tender and money plenty."

The Governor's Week at Philadelphia.

"An invitation has been extended by the Exhibition at the Permanent International Exhibition to the Governors of all the states and Territories of the Union, to visit the exhibition during the last week of August, for purposes of general conference. Nowhere has such an opportunity ever before been offered to compare industrial results, as accomplished under the varying conditions existing within our broad, national domain.

It promises to be a notable event, and arrangements are being perfected to make the visit highly enjoyable to the participants. The programme includes a preliminary meeting at Independence Hall, on Tuesday, August 28th; a formal reception at the Exhibition by the Exhibitors and Management, on Wednesday; a grand industrial parade from the manufactories of the city, reviewed by the Governors, on Thursday, visiting leading manufactories, on Friday; a visit to Cape May over Sunday. The trip will be further extended to New York, with a stop at the Trenton potteries where three or four days will be devoted to an examination of New York industries, and then on to Boston and the manufacturing cities of Lowell, Lawrence, and Waltham, closing with a trip to the White Mountains."

Jay Gould.

From the N. Y. Evening Mail.

Jay Gould is a native of Roxbury, Delaware county, where his father and mother still live on a small hill farm. In 1855 Gould, then about twenty-one years old, was still a clerk in Burhan's store in Roxbury. In 1856 he rolled a wheelbarrow over Delaware county as a surveyor, making a map copied from Burr's old map with corrections as to the boundaries and the names of owners of property. During that time he took subscriptions and sold a large number of maps at five dollars each; but when they were delivered they were so wretchedly got up that Gould was literally cursed out of Delaware. He then went to Pennsylvania, where he took charge of a tannery for General Zadock Pratt. He remained in that situation for three years, until affairs got in such a condition that his associates paid him $50,000 to leave. With this in hand he came to New York, married the daughter of the president of one of the minor New England railroads and entered on his career in Wall street.

Turkish Massacre of Christians.

The London Daily News, Bucharest correspondent telegraphs: "I have written the following as I received, it, and from the terrible accounts which fugitives continually bring over the Balkans, I fear it must be only too true:

On July 31, the day of the Russian evacuation of Eski-Saghra the Turks ordered that all Christians, men women and children, should be shot as they left their houses. Those who remained within were burnt alive. The order was given to burn down and destroy every particle of Christian property in the place. Many leading Turkish merchants took part in the affair.

One dispatched a large number of Bashi Bazouks all over the Tchirpan district. This district is one of the richest in that part of Turkey. It contains a very large proportion of Christian inhabitants, over 30 churches and 500 schools and colleges, all of which have been burnt. The destruction extended to the villages of Bodhdan, Mahalesi, Rani and many others in all about sixty, containing from 150 to 200 families each. Scarcely 50 persons escaped alive.

The Bulgarian fugitives at Gabrova and Selvi estimate that from 12,000 to 15,000 Christians have been massacred in Eski Saghra and the Tchirpan district alone. Soldiers were posted along the road from Eski Sagra to Kazanlik with orders to shoot every body passing.

A Texas Horror.

A Cistern Half Full of Dead Men, Women and Children.

Last evening one of the most horrible reports that has yet been circulated on our streets, became current, but it was of such a terrible nature that people talked about it in low voices and with a feeling of dread. A deep well or cistern had been found about fifteen miles from the city, to which attention had been called by a sickening stench arising from it, and an investigation disclosed the fact that the cistern was half full of the bodies of men, women and children, the mangled bodies having been thrown in all positions and conditions. Some had their throats cut; others were stabbed through the hearts; others again had their brains blown out. In a house near by was found secreted about $15,000 in money and a large lot of jewelry and other valuables, and an old hag, who when arrested jeered at her captors, and declared the money found was only a little pocket change belonging to "her boys."—*San Antonia (Texas) Express.*

A sharp dodge was successfully played upon a citizen of York at Indianapolis the other day. While changing cars he was addressed by a business like gentleman as follows: "Where are you going?" "To Kansas City, Mo.," he replied. "Have you a ticket? If so, let me see it," said the other fellow. The passenger promptly handed the ticket over to the business like man, who examined it carefully, and then turned and hurried off. It was but a few minutes afterward when the traveler discovered that a common piece of paper had been returned to him.

During a thunder storm at Paterson N. J., on the 14 inst., Henry Fried, a German, and a boy and girl, took refuge under a chestnut tree. The tree was struck by lightning and Fried was instantly killed. The others were rendered unconscious and subsequently recovered. Friede's head was turned blue, but otherwise bore no marks. The boy's leg was burned and turned blue. The lower part of the girls body is covered with blue spots. Friede was thirty-nine years of age, and leaves a wife and six children.

The "Road Agents" in the Black Hills are humorists in their way. A gang of them, who recently robbed a stage, made the messenger surrender the treasure box, which contained $800, and then told him that he ought to quit working for a company that did not carry more money than that.

Comedy of Errors.

Here is an amusing comedy of errors with Parisian edge: Mme. de V. was very jealous, and determined to watch her husband. One day he told her he was going to Versailles, and when he went out she put on her bonnet and followed him. She kept him in sight until he turned into a passage which shortened the way to the railway station, where she missed him. She stood for a few minutes in the passage looking, and suddenly saw a man coming out of a glove shop with a rather overdressed lady. From the distance she made sure the man was her husband, and without a word of warning she gave him three or four sounding boxes on the ear. When the gentleman turned around to confront his assailant, she perceived that she had made a mistake and at the the same moment she caught sight of her husband, who had replenished his segar case at a tobacconist's and was crossing the street. What could she do? It goes without saying that she fainted in the arms of the stranger whose ears she had boxed, while the other lady ran off as fast as she could to avoid scandal. The stranger, who was a commedian, was astonished to find an unknown lady in in his arms, and while his ears were still tingling from her blows, he was again startled. A gentleman collared him, and shaking him roughly asked him what he meant by embracing a lady in the street. "Why, she boxed my ears and fainted!" screamed the actor. "She is my wife," shouted the irate husband, "and would never have struck you without cause!" The infuriated gentleman shook their fists until the lady, who had been carried into a shop, recovered sufficiently to explain how it had happened.

News Items.

A general famine is feared in the East Indies.

Hogs are being fattened on peaches about Columbia, S. C.

A western paper says nearly all the tramps hail from New York.

Two Gatling guns have been sent to Wilkesbarre from West Point.

A company at Allentown have begun the manufacture of paper bags.

There is a vigilance committee in every township in Lancaster county.

A disease attended with great mortality has broken out among the horses in Jersey City.

Sixty millions of dollars is the sum set down as having been lost by the late railway strikes.

A colony is being formed at Allentown Texas is their destination.

Dr. A. B. Crawford, of Embenton, first introduced refined petroleum into Europe. It occured while he was Consul in a Belgium city.

Among the citizens composing the Sheriff's posse, of Harrisburg, is John A. aged 76. He has been on duty since the formation of the company.

Peter Stiles, of Bedford county, was waylaid by four footpads last week and relieved of over $100. He resisted their attempts and was shot in the arm and hand.

In 1820 times were so slow in the best portions of Pennsylvania that real estate was valueless. Grain sold at from eight to twelve cents per bushel, vegetables brought next to nothing, and a sheep could be bought for fifty cents.

The Pittsburg *Telegraph* estimates that the gun dealers of that city lost $18,000 in goods stolen by the mob.

Styles Brookens was bitten by a mad dog on Tuesday, on Duncan's Island.

A hunter, named James Wilson, near Shirleysburg, one day last week, killed a rattlesnake six feet long 9½ inches in diameter and having 15 rattles.

The Sheriff of Berks county has made a claim against the county of $1,25 for each member of the *posse* he summoned during the disturbances in Reading.

A young lady of fifteen summers, who was insulted at a ball in Kempton, Lehigh county, by two men, gave one of them a sudden knock with her fist in the face, sending him sprawling on the floor, and then attacked the other choking him severely.

Four members of the coal iron police, well armed, enter the Berks county jail each evening and remain there until the following morning. There are still some thirty five of these police in Reading guarding the property of the railroad company.

A poor woman in Berks county had provided for 18 dogs until recently, when a storm blew down her cabin and killed six.

Twelve thousand sewing machine needles are made daily at the Domestic Needle Works, Middleboro, Mass. Fifteen thousand per month are sent to Australia.

The Latta Guards, of Altoona, have disbanded. Just two of the members of that organization reported for duty when called upon to turn out to assist in putting down the rioters.

One of the leading hotels of New York has the Lord's Prayer printed entire on its daily bill of fare.

The Local Optionists are accused of using whisky to carry one Kentucky district at the late election. They justify their conduct on the ground that is proper to fight the devil with fire water.

The 600 cottages and 500 tents at Ocean Grove accomodate 16,000 persons.

A child of Nicholas Waln, Jr., residing near Hornerstown, Ocean county, died recently from eating flystone and molasses, which had been placed in the dining room for the purpose of destroying flies. The little child was but fourteen months old, and strayed into the dining room through carelessness on the part of some one leaving the door open, and before it was discovered it had eaten a sufficient quantity to cause death.

A son of Edward Wooly, of Centreville, Monmouth county N. J., aged four years, was drowned in a singular manner on Friday. The child was missed from the house, and the mother, on going to look for him, found him head foremost in a large iron kettle filled with rain water and when she extricated him he was quite dead.

A daughter of Joseph Foose, of Berks county, was alone in the house one day last week when a man, whose face was covered with a handkerchief, entered and offered to shake hands. Thinking it was a neighbor disposed to play a joke, Miss Foose, took the extended hand when she was seized and bound after which the thieves ransacked the house.

News Items.

It is reported in Texas that 4,000 immigrants from around Scranton, Pa., are coming to that State this fall to organize a colony in the vicinity of Fort Concho.

Seven strong able-bodied tramps, near Gulf Mills, were put to flight one day last week by offering them a chance to earn a few dollars by digging a foundation trench.

Lancaster has a striker in limbo—one M. M. Fram, who is charged with inciting to riot, interfering with the running of trains, and attempting to destroy the property of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

On Saturday, the 4th, while Isaac W Morton was gathering blackberries near Springfield, Chester county, he discovered the dead body of an unknown man leaning against a tree. The body had been there for some time.

Jacob Linsebigler, a wealthy farmer, of Westmoreland county, aged 74 assaulted his wife on the 10th so severely as to leave her for dead. He then went to the barn and hung himself. The old lady will recover, although 72 years of age.

Margaret Welsh of Allegheny City, has filed a claim against the county for house and household goods destroyed during the riots. The house is valued at 600, and the goods at $393 40. Patrick Logue files a claim for $50, for stable on Spring alley, burnt by the rioters.

A M'Keesport gentleman had one of his little children buried last week in accordance with the rites of the Catholic Church. After the funeral he became impressed with the idea that the Catholic ceremony was insufficient. He therefore had his child disentered and then reinterred the next day, the funeral service being that of the German Lutheran Church.

The man who fired the Lebanon Valley bridge, across the Schuylkill at Reading, has been captured at Sunbury. We think he is the prise vandal of them all. There was no mob to assist him; he was not driven to the deed by any frenzy such as siezes upon men in the heat of conflict. He deliberately set about the business he had in hand in the night time, and wreaked vengeance upon a whole community without hope of plunder or reward.—*Philadelphia Record.*

During a thunder storm which recently passed over Meadville, George L Miller sixteen years of age, of Mead township, was instantly killed by lightning. He had taken refuge under a tree. On examination of his body it was found that the electric fluid had imprinted an exact representation of the leaves and branches of the top of the tree upon his back, while exactly over his heart was a small round hole berned in his flesh, and through his clothing.

At Cumberland Md., on the night of the 14th inst., a party of men, from fifty to one hundred, with blackened faces, went to the house of Charles Fisher, in Frostburg, and nearly demolished the house with rocks, &c.—Fisher and his family were driven away, escaping without injury. Fisher fired into the crowd with what effect is unknown. Fisher had been mining at fifty cents while his mine was on a strike. State Attorney Boyd is trying to apprehend the miscreants.

On Thursday afternoon a fatal accident happened to Rudolph Bergdoll, a youth of about seventeen, at the residence of his parents in Upper Chichester, Delaware county. He took hold of the muzzle of a loaded gun and attempted to draw the weapon out of a wagon in which it was lying, but the hammer caught in an obstruction, and being suddenly released, exploded the charge and buried the whole load in the boy's heart, killing him instantly.

Mr. Peter Stiles, of Dry Ridge, Bedford county, took a load of produce to Cumberland, Md., and after disposing of it he started for home with $104 in his pocket. When near home he was confronted by a masked ruffian, who told him to give him his money, meanwhile "making it pleasant" for Peter by shooting him in the hand. Peter was soon surrounded by four more villians, and he gave up the money, but not until he was shot in the arm. The robbers then made their escape.

A terrific thunder storm visited Ottawa, Canada, Tuesday night. A large brick building was struck by lightning a chimney demolished portions of the wall torn away and several windows knocked out. Minor damages were sustained by several other buildings The storm visited Aylwin at noon, where a school house was struck by lightning, knocking out all the windows and shattering beams. The blackboard was torn from the wall and set on fire. The wildest confusion prevailed among the children one of whom was knocked senseless, and several rendered unconscious with fear. The storm was very violent at several other places, and there were many narrow escapes from death.

New Advertisements.

REAL ESTATE AT

PUBLIC SALE.

THE undersigned will offer at public sale on the premises, at 1 o'clock P. M., on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1877,

The following real estate, to wit:

A VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY,

in Spruce Hill township, Juniata county, with a good pair of French burrs, and a pair of country choppers. Good run of custom. Good neighborhood. Will sell Mill with water privilege and about One Acre and a Half of Land. ALSO, at the same time and place, 30 ACRES of Land, with

GOOD FRAME HOUSE,

size 29x40 feet, BANK BARN, size 40x56 feet, and other necessary outbuildings, good Orchard, two excellent springs of limestone water near the house, as a *part of the Mill Property*, or, if desirable, the buildings just described will be sold at the same time and place, with the

HOKE FARM,

a tract of land adjoining the Mill Property, and containing about 80 ACRES, about five acres timberland, and the balance cleared. This tract is mostly flint gravel land, and has been recently timed, having thereon a

Good-Sized Log House,

and two Springs of limestone water, one of which could be piped to the kitchen door.

Will be sold as above stated, or in tracts to suit purchasers.

Also a tract of 500 ACRES of Mountain Land, which will be sold in tracts to suit purchasers.

Terms of sale made known on day of sale.

J. KELLY PATTERSON,
Pleasant View, Juniata Co., Pa.

Aug. 15, 1877.

Drugs & medicines at Banks & Hamlin.'s

Legal Notices.

Estate of Joseph Pomeroy, Deceased.

ALL accounts and notes due said estate remaining unpaid November 1, 1877, will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.

J. NEVIN POMEROY, Executor.

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CAUTION NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following property of Benjamin Lauver was seized and sold August 18, 1877, by John H. Patterson, constable of Greenwood township: 1 horse, 1 mare, 1 mule, 1 colt, 1 two-horse wagon, 1 fanning mill, 1 plow, shovel plow, harrow, horse rake, wagon bed, harness, 2 bridles, 2 collars, check lines, horse bridle, 1 two-horse sled, one-half of fifteen acres of corn, one-half of four acres of buckwheat, 1 cook stove, 1 ten-plate stove, 1 table, 6 chairs, 1 sink.

The above property was bought by Josiah Messimer, of Greenwood township, Juniata county, Pa. All persons are hereby cautioned against any interference with the said property.

JOSIAH MESSIMER.

August 20, 1877.

REAL ESTATE AT

ASSIGNEE'S SALE!

THE undersigned, Assignee of Elias Smith, for the benefit of his creditors, will, by virtue of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Juniata county, expose to sale on the premises in Fayette township, at 2 o'clock P. M., on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25, 1877,

The following real estate, to wit: A tract of land, bounded by lands of Peter Brown, Christian Lauver, Ann Koons, Abraham Haldeman and others, containing

SEVENTY-TWO ACRES,

more or less, and having thereon erected a

GOOD LOG HOUSE,

NEW BANK BARN,

Wagon Shed, Spring House, and other outbuildings. There is a Well of good water on the premises, also a very fine assortment of Fruit Trees.

About thirty acres of this land is under cultivation, and the balance is in timber. The property is quite near Brown's Mills, in Fayette township, and is in close proximity to schools, churches and stores.

TERMS.—Ten per cent. to be paid on the day of sale; 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 from April 1, 1878.

JOSEPH T. SMITH, *Assignee.*

Aug. 8, 1877.

PROCLAMATION.—WHEREAS, the Hon. BENJ. F. JUNKIN, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas for the 41st Judicial District, composed of the counties of Juniata and Perry, and the Honorables Noah A. Elder and Francis Bartley, Associates Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas of Juniata county, have issued their precept to me directed, bearing date the 27th day of April, 1877, 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 SEPTEMBER, 1877, being the 3rd 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 commission 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 27th day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

WM. D. WALLS, *Sheriff.*

Sheriff's Office, Mifflintown, August 1, 1877.

PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

THE examinations of teachers for the respective School Districts of Juniata county will be held as follows:

For Greenwood, in Bethlehem school house, Wednesday, August 22.

For Spruce Hill, in Spruce Hill school house, Monday, August 27.

For Tuscarora, in McCoysville school house, Tuesday, August 28.

For Lack, in Lick school house, Wednesday, August 29.

No certificates will be *endorsed*, and no *private* examinations will be held. The examinations will be chiefly written, and will begin promptly at 8½ o'clock A. M. Applicants will please bring an abundance of good foolscap paper.

It is imperative that teachers be examined in the district wherein they are applicants, and strangers must bring written testimonials as to moral character.

Teachers are expected to take an educational Journal and attend Teachers' Institutes.

Directors are respectfully urged to be present to examine the papers of the applicants, and to observe the address and conduct of their teachers.

JOHN M. GARMAN, Co. Supt.

Aug 1, 1877.

NOTICE.

WE, the undersigned, Commissioners of the county of Juniata, hereby give notice that we will not sell or renew any County Bonds, after this date, at a higher rate that four per cent., and the Tax Collectors for the year 1877 shall allow five per cent. abatement on all taxes paid on their respective Duplicates until the 11th day of September next; and that the said Collectors will be required to settle their respective Duplicates promptly in one year from the date thereof.

JAMES McLAUGHLIN,
W. H. GRONINGER,
D. B. COX.

May 1, 1777-tf *Commissioners.*

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of Alexander Andrews, deceased.

LETTERS Testamentary on the estate of Alexander Andrews, deceased having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will please present them duly authenticated for settlement.

WESLEY ANDREWS,
HOWARD ANDREWS,

July 25, 1877. *Executors.*

JUNIATA VALLEY BANK.

MIFFLINTOWN,
JUNIATA COUNTY, PENN'A.

J. NEVIN POMEROY, President.
T. VAN IRVIN, Cashier.

DIRECTORS:

J. Nevin Pomeroy.	Jerome Hetrick.
Wm. C. Pomeroy.	Philip M. Kepner.
George Jacobs.	Louis E. Atkinson.
Amos G. Bonsall.	

The Bank will pay interest on deposits.

[aug8, 1877.

New Advertisements.

PREMIUM LIST

—OF THE—

RIVERSIDE PARK AND AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

OF JUNIATA COUNTY,

To be held Sept. 19th, 20th and 21st, 1877, at Mifflintown, Pa.

DEPARTMENT I.

Agriculture, Machinery, Implements, &c.

J. B. M. Todd, Vice President, Patterson, Superintendent of Department.

(a) Agriculture.

For best bushel white wheat	$ 75
second best do do	50
best bushel red wheat	75
second best do do	50
best bushel Fultz wheat	75
second best do do	50
best bushel corn (in ears)	75
best half bus. sweet corn (in ears)	75
best specimen corn on stalks (one dozen stalks in bunch)	50
best bushel oats	50
best bushel gloverseed	1 00
best bushel timothy seed	75
best half bushel flaxseed	50
best half bushel buckwheat	50
best half bushel barley	50
best 100 lbs wheat flour	1 00
best 100 lbs rye flour	50
best 100 lbs buckwheat flour	50
best 100 lbs corn meal	50
best heart wheat, ¼ or ½ dozen sheaves	1 00
second best do do	50
best 1 dozen stalks corn, with ears	75
second best do do	50

(b) Conveyance, Farming Implements and Machinery.

For best four-horse wagon	$2 00
best two or three-horse wagon	1 50
best spring wagon	1 50
best family carriage	2 00
best top buggy, single or double seated	1 50
best open buggy, light trotting	1 50
best trotting sulky	1 50
best sleigh, single or double seated	2 00
best plough	1 00
best cultivator	1 00
best drag harrow	1 00
best corn plow	1 00
best hay ladders	1 00
best wagon bed	1 00

The following list, in this class, is free to entrance from abroad, and will receive special care and place, and will be judged according to quality, and granted an award of merit or diploma, which will be read and published with the list of premiums:

Best reaper; combined reaper and mower; threshing machine; clover huller and separator; corn sheller; fanning mill; horse and hay rake; straw cutter; corn planter; plough; grain-drill; cultivator; corn plough; harrow; hay fork; pump for wells; cherry seeder; apple pearer; cider press, hand or horse power; patent bee hive.

(c) Articles of Manufacture, Made in the County.

For best lot of cabinet work	$2 00
best chamber set	3 00
best parlor set	4 00
best lot of tinware	3 00
best lot of carved work	2 00
best marble work	3 00
best bushel basket	75
best hand basket	50
best market basket	50
best cedar tub or meat vessel	1 00
best refrigerator	1 00
best corn, wire or split brooms, 6 in bundle	75
best exhibition of foreign cutlery or hardware of any sort	25

(d) Leather and Miscellaneous Articles.

For best pair fine boots	$ 50
best pair course boots	50
best pair lady's shoes	50
best pair lady's gaiters	50
best side of sole leather	1 00
best side of cap or upper leather	75
best finished harness leather	75
best set harness, double	1 00
best set harness, single	1 00
best saddle and bridle	1 00
best heavy wagon gear	2 00
best hand made horse shoes and nails	60
best scrap iron	2 00

A suitable place will be reserved on the ground and in the exhibition rooms for all patent right articles that may be presented for exhibition.

DEPARTMENT II

Horticulture, Poultry, &c., &c.

E. B. McCrum, Mifflintown, Superintendent of Department.

(e) Wines and Cordials.

For best gallon vinegar	$ 50
best display of domestic wines	1 50

Fruit.

For best collection of fall and winter apples half bushel each	$1 00
best collection of pears	75
best collection of peaches	75
best collection of plums	75
best collection of quinces	75
best collection of grapes	75

(f) Horticulture.

For best collection of potatoes	$1 00
second best, do	75
third best do	50
best half bus sweet potatoes	50
best half bus beets	50
best half bus carrots	50
best half bus parsnips	50
best display of radishes	50
best half bus onions	50
best ten varieties of garden vegetables	75

Vegetables.

For best collection of soup beans	$ 50
best bus tomatoes	50
best cabbage	50
best 4 sweet pumpkins, heaviest	75
best 4 field pumpkins	25
best squashes	75
best collection of peppers	50
best 12 cucumbers	50
best 3 watermelons	50
best 6 roots celery	50
best half peck seed onions	50
best half bus turnips	50

(g) Poultry.

For best pair turkeys	$1 00
best pen turkeys, six or more	1 50
best pair geese	75
best pair ducks	75
best pair pea fowls	1 00
best 3 chickens, cock and 2 hens	75
best coop chickens, 6 or more	1 50
best coop ducks, 6 or more	1 50
best coop of pigeons	1 00
best cage of squirrels	75
best half dozen Guinea fowls	50
best pair Guinea pigs	50

DEPARTMENT III.

Fine Arts, Household Industries, and Miscellaneous.

Mathew Rodgers, Mexico, Superintendent of Department.

(h) Paintings, Penmanship and Photographs.

For best quality of oil paintings	$1 00
best piece of portrait in oil	50
best landscape painting in oil	50
best fruit painting in oil	50
best animal painting in oil	50
best display of water paintings	1 00
best landscape in water colors	50
best fruit in water colors	50
best flowers in water colors	50
best display of colored crayons	1 00
best single specimen	75
best display of plain crayons	50
best display of pencil sketches	1 00
best display of pen drawings	1 00
best ornamental penmanship	50
best plain penmanship	25
best specimen of wood carving	25
best specimen of wood graining	25
best display of plain and colored photographs	25
best specimen in oil, India ink, best display of cards or fancy printing	25

(i) Musical Instruments.

For best piano	Award of merit.
best cabinet organ	
best melodeon	

(j) Needlework.

For best bed quilt	$1 00
second best do	75
best delaine bed quilt	75
second best do do	50
best calico spread	50
best double cover	50
best woolen rug	50
best woolen mittens	50
best woolen gloves	50
second best do	50
best woolen stockings	50
best cotton stockings	50
best homespun woolen yarn, not less than one pound	75
second best do do	50
best knit spread	50
best knit bureau cover	50
best silk sofa cushion	50
best shirts, made by hand	1 00
best shirts, made by machine	75
best display of all articles of needlework in this class	1 50
best display of all articles of knitting in this class	1 50

(k) Embroidery.

For best yoke and sleeves	$1 00
best collar and cuffs	50
best linen and cambric handkerchief	75
best skirt	75
best child's dress	1 00
second best do do	75
best tufted chair cover on cloth or canvass	50
best cross-stitched do	50
best tufted Ottoman cover	50
best table cover on cloth	25
best piano cover on cloth	25

(l) Knitting and Crochet Work.

For best crochet shawl	$1 00
best knit shawl	25
best cotton tidy	50
best zephyr	50
best knit sontag	25
best knit hood	25
best afghan	50
best crochet slippers	50
best crochet basket	25

(m) Leather, Hair, Wax, Shell Work, &c.

For best skeleton leaves	50
best display of burr work	1 00
best display of seed work	25
best display of leather work	75
best display of hair work	1 00
best display of shell work	50
best design in moss	50
best collection of dried leaves	25
best display of wax work	1 00

(n) Cloths, Linens, Blankets, Shirtings, &c.

For best five yards linen	$1 50
second best do	1 00
best five yards cloth	25
best five yards cassimere	25
best five yards flannel	25
best five yards satinet	25
best pair woolen blankets	50
best hearth rug	50
best rag carpet	1 00

(o) Bread, Cakes and Pastries.

For best home-made wheat bread one loaf	$ 75
best home-made rye bread, 1 loaf	50
best bran bread	50
best rusk	25
best fruit cake, at least 1 pound	25
best lady cake, do do	25
best sponge cake do do	25
best gold cake do do	25
best silver cake do do	25
best jelly cake do do	25
best cup cake do do	25
best seed cake do do	25
best gingerbread do do	25
best three varieties small cakes, half dozen each	50
best doughnuts	25
best display of pastry	50
best pastry, single specimen	25
best display of cakes	50

(p) Preserves and Jellies, Spiced and Canned Product.

For best preserved peaches, one jar	25
best preserved quinces, one jar	25
best preserved strawberries, 1 jar	25
best preserved pine apples, 1 jar	25
best preserved plums, one jar	25
best preserved citrons, one jar	25
best preserved cherries, one jar	25
best preserved pears, one jar	25
best apple jelly, one jar	25
best quince jelly, one jar	25
best currant jelly, one	25
best plum jelly, one jar	25
best elderberry jelly, one jar	25
best apple-butter	25
best peach butter	25
best pear butter	25
best quince marmalade	25
best peach marmalade	25
best orange marmalade	25
best pine apple marmalade	25

(q) Fruits and Vegetables in Air-Tight Cans.

For best display of fruits	$ 1 00
second best do do	75
best display of vegetables	1 00
second best do do	75
best single specimen of fruit or vegetables	50
best catsup, any kind	50

(r) Spiced Fruit and Pickles.

For best display of spiced fruit	75
second best do do	25
best single specimen of any kind of fruit	25
best display of pickles	75

(s) Butter, Cheese and Honey.

For best 5 pounds print butter	$ 1 00
best 5 pounds lump butter	75
best 25 pound cheese	1 00
best can of lard	1 50
best 5 pounds honey	1 00

(t) Flowers, &c.

For best collection of flowers	$ 1 00
second best do do	75
best collection of variegated leaved plants	25
best col. aloes and cactus	50
best col. fuchias	50
best col. geraniums	50
best col. verbenas	50
best col. petunias	50
best col. roses	50
best specimen castor oil plants	50
best lemon tree	50
best orange tree	50

(u) Cut Flowers, &c.

For best collection dahlias	50
best col. roses	50
best col. verbenas	50
best col. phlox	50
best col. coxcombs	25
best col. asters	50
best col. gladiolas	50
best display of balsams (lady slippers)	25
best parlor bouquet, pair	50
best hand bouquet, pair	50
best cross of flowers	50
best heart of flowers	50
best wreath of flowers	50
best hanging basket	25
best stand of flowers	50

DEPARTMENT IV.

Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Goats, Deer, &c.

George W. Wilson, Vice President, Patterson, Superintendent of Department.

Horses, Heavy-Draught Mares, and Colts Two Years Old Included.

For best colt less than 6 months old	$ 4 00
second best do do	3 00
third best do do	2 00
best yearling colt	3 00
second best do do	2 00
best two-year old colt	3 00
second best do do	2 00
best three-year old colt	3 00
second best do do	2 00
best brood mare	3 00
second best do do	2 00
best span horses or mares	2 00
best stallion	5 00
second best do do