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PENNA. R. TIME TABLE.

On and after Monday, July 10, 1878, passenger trains will leave Mifflin Station...

NOTICE.

Trappers are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the lands of the undersigned...

Teachers' Institute.

The 12th Annual Session of the Juniata County Teachers' Institute will be held in the Court House...

After the address on Monday evening, there will be a platform discussion, on the subject of "Compulsory Education..."

Prof. George F. Beard, Principal of the State Normal School at California, Pa., will be present to give instruction in School Organization...

Special Lectures at day sessions by Prof. Silas Wright, Principal of S. O. S. of McAlisterville...

Discussions on important subjects will be opened by Prof. J. W. Platt, W. L. Hibbs, E. A. Amulder and John M. Carney.

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SHORT LOCALS.

Ten prisoners in jail. Copious rain, last Friday. Buy the White Sewing Machine.

The banks and stores in this place will be closed on Thanksgiving day. The Fulton Republics employs an artist, who get up spicy illustrations.

Last week railroads carried passengers from Cincinnati to New York for \$4.00. The soldiers of this county will hold a reunion in this place on the 18th of December.

White Sewing Machine the best made. E. S. Doty, Esq., will deliver an address before the Teachers' Institute on Directors' day.

"The Shah of Persia has ninety wives. No wonder that he lies awake and chews tobacco to bed." "Patrick Hagan is preparing to open a grocery store on the Jacobs lot, opposite the Jacobs House."

The oldest man in Perry county died last week. His name was Henry Ayle; his age was one hundred years. Republicans in South Carolina have been filing protests against the late Democratic franchise in that State.

Buy no sewing machine but the White. A beated flock of wild geese filled the air with their cries, as they passed over town, last Friday morning.

General Henry M. Hoyt will be inaugurated Governor of this Commonwealth on Tuesday, January 21, 1879. Thanksgiving services will be held in the Lutheran church at McAlisterville on the evening of Thanksgiving day.

The whipping-post, as a protection to society, is believed by many to have more restraining qualities upon the viciously inclined than confinement in jail. Peter Koons, aged 78 years, a citizen of Fayette township, died suddenly, before medical attendance could be summoned, on Tuesday evening, Nov. 19, 1878.

J. B. M. Todd is selling the best Sewing Machine made—the WALTER. The Town Council and the Fernham township Road Supervisors have been trying to determine to which authority the lower bridge across the basin belongs.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held in the Lutheran church in this place at 10 o'clock A. M., on Thanksgiving Day. Sermon by Rev. T. J. Sherrard. All are cordially invited to attend.

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A son, aged about 12 years, of William Haines, of Turbett township, while handling a pet cock, was kicked by the animal, and so badly injured that he died in a few days. His remains were interred in Church Hill Cemetery last Sunday, the 24th inst.

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