

TERMS. Subscription, \$1.50 per annum in paid...

Huntingdon Presbytery which is composed of seven counties...

The exercises were opened by Mr. Foreman reading a hymn...

Upon the conclusion of the sermon, prayer was delivered by Rev. Mr. Foreman...

Roll was then called, and of the 55 ministers representing 69 churches...

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SHORT LOCALS.

The Duke. Spring fever rageth. Garden making began last Thursday.

The frogs are in the concert business now. McClinton sells a spade-fork at his tin shop.

George Wilson of Patterson goes west this week. Garden making was largely engaged in last Friday.

Ex-Governor Hoyt, will practice law in Philadelphia. W. H. Kreider has sold his boat to Kennedy & Doty.

Mr. Benner is erecting a carriage shop in McAlisterville. Venour, predicts snow and sleet for the first days of May.

It was 18 years on Monday since Lee surrendered to Grant. A dwelling house is being built in McAlisterville by Mr. Woolver.

A Pittsburg preacher contemplates leaving the pulpit for the stage. Mr. Swartzlander is building a dwelling house in McAlisterville.

The earth revolves around the Sun at the rate of 68,000 miles an hour. The smell of browned coffee is said to act as a disinfectant in a house.

John Kirk sells goods at as reasonable prices as any other store keeper. One of the worst snow storms of this winter prevailed in Minnesota.

Isaac McAlister has opened a fancy and millinery store in McAlisterville. It is believed that we will have two weeks of court, commencing next Monday.

William Sharon, contemplates putting up a building for offices in McAlisterville. The Presbyterial congregation at McAlisterville contemplates building a parsonage.

Alexander Ellis has sold his house and lot on Water street, to his son, W. W. Ellis. Colonel Bell will order any kind of agricultural machinery you may desire to have.

Squire Huzzard is preparing to build a dwelling house near his present residence. The editor of the Huntingdon Journal has a Jersey cow that he paid \$200 for.

Captain Degan of Fayette township, is preparing to build a new barn this summer. Phillippepp is to have an opera house that will have a seating capacity for 1,500 people.

An agricultural implement store has been opened in Crystal Palace by McCarty & Myers. Mary E. wife of Jacob C. Smith, of Fayette township died on the 6th inst., aged 21 years.

Go to McClinton's tin and stove store for first rate garden hoes, garden rakes, and spades. It cost Chester county \$2,000 to elect a State Senator to fill a vacancy caused by a resignation.

John C. Moser, formerly of this place is engaged in the green grocery business at Huntingdon. Judge Smith is building a barn in Fayette, and his son is building a large wagon shed and corn crib.

A fine April shower refreshed vegetation last Thursday, it was accompanied by loud rumbling thunder. It is said that the tomato that is raised on poor soil, ripens 10 days earlier than when raised on rich soil.

SHORT LOCALS.

They are catching jury fixers in Philadelphia, but as yet they have not found the man that fixes the jury fixer.

It is the talk that Huntingdon has a number of handsome lawyers, so handsome that the people of the town cannot come to a conclusion as to who is the handsomest.

Joshua Gingrich of Walker township proposes to cross his stock of swine with Chester White blood, and to that end has imported from an eastern county 4 nice pigs of that blood.

The funeral of May Harshberger and Annie Fisher, the two children that were crushed under the stable wall in McAlisterville was largely attended. It was of those incidents that brings out an expression of universal sorrow.

Dr. J. S. Gallaher, of Mt. Union, Huntingdon county, and a former resident of the Tuscarora valley in this county, died on the 5th instant, of Serofulous Suppuration of the right knee. He was 41 years old.

One of the elders in attendance at Presbytery, last week, from Altoona, was named Wiggins, and when his name was called almost every one smiled and thought of Wiggins the Canadian stork prophet.

When Dr. H. and Lawyer A. were walking arm in arm, a wag said to a friend: "Those two are just equal to one highwayman."

"Why?" asked his friend. "Because," rejoined the wag, "it is a lawyer and a doctor—you money or your life!"

"Dear me!" cried Mrs. Blossom, as she laid down the paper, "it does seem to me as if those state militia fellows are always in trouble. Here's an account of a recent inspection where the company turned out 53 men. Too bad, ain't it?"

One of the sights at the agricultural store Meyers & McAuley is the grain landing machine. There is no need for men to make and bind on a farm where such a machine works. Call and see them at the Palace.

This Wednesday, April 18, is "three planting day" in Nebraska, when every citizen is supposed to turn out and plant at least one tree. The occasion is deemed of sufficient importance to be made the subject of a proclamation by the Governor of the State.

DO NOT FORGET. Do not forget that at Hess's Photograph Gallery you can get any small picture enlarged for 75 cents. Also anything that is made in Photography, you can get here done up in first class style. All the latest style pictures, such as Cards, Cabinets, Promenades, Pannel Boudoir, &c., &c. Frames of all kinds cheap.

The Huntingdon Journal says: Mr. Nathan McDaniel of Monroe twp., Bedford county, who has reached the patriarchal age of 74 years, one day last week walked a distance of forty miles from after sunrise until three o'clock in the afternoon, and was in condition to have made half as many more miles before sunset.—This is good for so old a man.

We have a number of prompt papers on our subscription list, we have also a number of subscribers that are not so prompt. Don't wait for a bill to be sent you if you are in arrears. We will send bills out during the last week in May, to such of our patrons as are in arrears more than one year.

At a meeting of the Juniata Valley Editorial Association held at Huntingdon some days ago, the following resolutions were adopted: Resolved, That the members of this association decline to accept all propositions for foreign advertisements requiring special position in the paper. Provided, that this resolution does not apply to any advertisement now running.

Resolved, That we require full-rate prices for all foreign advertisements placed in the columns of our paper. Resolved, That we appeal to the state editorial association to adopt similar resolutions to the above, and that a copy of the same be forwarded to the secretary of the state association.

A western paper says: No dissent is expressed by any Nebraska news paper as to the admirable working of the high license law in that State. It has closed half of the bar rooms, including nearly all that were especially disreputable. The men who pay a tax of \$500 or \$1000 for their privilege, and still make money out of it, are said to be in a large degree intelligent, and nobody knows better than they do the advantages to them, as well as to the community, of having the liquor traffic placed in responsible hands.

Ridley's fashion magazine is one of the most complete fashion magazines in all its departments that has reached this office. It gives directions where to buy the latest styles of garments for men, woman and children, also where to buy household goods, giving prices, and pictures of the articles for sale. In addition to all that quite a large space is devoted to interesting articles in prose and verse. A single number of the magazine cost 15 cents. Address: E. Ridley & sons, Grand, Allen, and Orchard streets, New York City.

SHORT LOCALS.

Lawyer Lyon has been on the sick list. John Shafer of Susquehanna township, while cutting kindling wood some evenings ago fell dead. Aged about 68 years.

A citizen who was up the railroad on Saturday, says, that he saw plowing, harrowing, oats sowing, and corn husking, all going on in one field at one and the same time, on the 14th day of April 1883.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Veteran Association of Juniata county, will be held in G. A. R. Post room Graybill's hall in Mifflintown, Pa., on Wednesday, April 25, 1883, at 2 p. m. All members of Veteran Associations are requested to meet the committee. The questions will then be decided, whether a reunion will be held this year. By order of committee. J. W. HOUCK, Chairman.

There was a case on the list for trial at Court next week, entitled, Miffin and Lost Creek Presbyterian Churches, Vs. Thomas Van Irwin. It was an action to recover pew rent that had been paid into the Treasurer, and paid out by him, for the use of the Mifflintown congregation. It was not claimed that Mr. Irwin had misappropriated the money further than to use it for the benefit of the Mifflintown congregation. The people who brought the suit claimed that they could recover because under the charter that bound both congregations to gether the pew money should have been appropriated to the use of both congregations. Considering the fact that Lost Creek congregation was the property under the charter, there was ground for the belief that under a close construction of legal technicalities, Mr. Irwin could be made responsible as Treasurer for the money that the Miffin congregation collected and used from the pews or seats in the brick church in this place.

In point of fact, Mr. Irwin was as guilty of any wrong in the transaction as a man that has never heard of such places as Mifflintown and Lost Creek. The suit has been withdrawn by the people who instituted it.

A Lebanon county farmer, named George Yingst fell over dead while plowing. About 4 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, the 10th inst., the gate wall of a stone stable standing on the bank of the creek in McAlisterville fell into the stream. The stable stands on the Dr. Harshberger lot. When the wall fell, a daughter of Dr. Harshberger, deceased, and a daughter of Dr. Fisher, were crossing the creek on "stepping stones." The children were aged, each, about 6 years. They were crushed into, almost a pulp state. To describe how the little girls were mutilated by the wall under which they were buried would be too shocking. Their death was an instant one, and it has cast a gloom over all that community.

There is a lesson to be learned from the following, which the Huntingdon Journal of last week published: A hanging coal oil lamp exploded in the residence of Jack McCahan in Walker township, on Sunday evening, doing no other damage than breaking the lamp and giving Mr. McCahan a pretty bad fright. When about to retire for the night he took the lamp out of the brass cup in which it rests for the purpose of extinguishing the flame, and in order to do so he turned the wick low and blew down the chimney. By some means the flame got down into the bowl of the lamp and igniting the oil exploded the glass with a report as loud as that caused by the firing of a pistol. Mr. McCahan can thank his stars that he escaped serious injury.

The Lewistown Gazette says: Bernard Rynack, an embezzler, who was charged with the mail robbery near McKeystown, Thursday night, while in the company of Detective H. E. Johnson, on their way to New York, was captured late Friday afternoon near Mount Union. The prisoner was badly cut up by his jump from the car window, but no bones were broken and he could walk without much trouble. The winder is that he was not killed outright. He jumped whilst the train was flying through the Jacksonville narrows at the rate of thirty-five miles an hour. Rynack lost his hat in the jump and when he appealed to some countrymen near Shirley, burg his face was bleeding and cut. His fine dress and flashy look started a suspicion in their minds and when the detective made search they directed him upon the embezzler's track. Rynack is now in New York registered at the tombs.

There are many good people who consider it a personal affront to be notified by mechanics and other business men of the standing of their accounts at stated periods. Now this is all wrong, as nothing but mutual self-interest is intended. There is not in this country, or elsewhere, for that matter, a merchant who does not receive a statement of his account with his whole sale houses every thirty days, and if the case is not forthcoming, interest is charged on for the principal, and sent to the bank collection. This is recognized as a great business principle in commercial circles every where, and the only safe one for creditor and debtor. But should a patron of a retail dealer should feel insulted at receiving a statement of his account once a year or every 6 months, is a question we are unable to solve.—Washington Observer.

The newspapers have unearthed another swindle which took place in a neighboring county lately, where a farmer, as usual, was the victim. This time a fellow comes along driving a shining rig, and sells carpet. He offers a three ply ingrain at thirty-seven and a half cents. The farmer selects the pattern he wants, the agent writes out the number of yards and the price; the farmer signs the "order," and the next week he has a note in the bank to pay and he never sees or hears of the carpet man again.—Don't buy carpets or anything else from any stranger. If you want to buy come and make your purchases from the merchants that advertise in the Sentinel and Republican.

The man who belted the water out of his cistern at Alton, Ill., and took refuge in it with his family on the day that Wiggins's storm did not come, was only one among hundreds of credulous people whose heads are reported from different parts of the country.

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The angel's fly Comes dancing by; But never a moment it cheats my eye; For the hermit trout Is not such a lout As to be by a wading boy pulled out. King of the brook, No fisher's hook Fills me with dread of the sweaty hook. But here I lie, And laugh as they try, Shall I bite at their bait? No, no, no, I.

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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.