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TERMS.

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SHORT LOCALS.

Preparing to move.

Ask for Brown's baby

Fort Royal children have whooping cough.

J. B. M. Todd, lost a valuable cow last week.

Don't handle fertilizer with chapped hands.

General Grant is reported as being no better.

"When a man is in love he fancies every wrinkle a dimple."

St. Patrick's Day in the morning, was cold in Pennsylvania.

Heavy snow storms prevailed as far south as Georgia, last week.

Everett has a new bank, J. M. Wilson of Fort Royal, is its cashier.

Irishmen in many places, wore green neckties, on St. Patrick's Day.

Good Friday will come on April 3, and the following Sunday will be Easter.

John Schaffer sold his house and lot in this place, to Edward Ellis, for $1200.

One of the directors of the poor of Lancaster county has disappeared with $10,000.

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There is a bill in the Legislature which if passed will abolish the fox scalp premium law.

Get a county newspaper for your family. Subscribe for the SENTINEL AND REPUBLICAN.

There are fifteen Republican candidates for the office of Associate Judge in Huntingdon county.

The next state fair will be held at Philadelphia, beginning September 28d and continue to October 7th.

Samuel Pannabaker was in town on Saturday, he is the owner of the nicest pic-nic ground in the county.

The bill to authorize the abandonment of a portion of the canal on the Juniata Division is in its passage.

A number of the unterrified are in a loud tumor, Cleveland does not put the rascals out enough into office.

Geo. W. McCurdy, foreman of The Times and Stuart Robinson, both of Port Royal, were in town last Saturday.

The present generation has not seen as hungry a crowd for office as the present lot of Democratic office seekers.

The Methodists held a sociable at the house of George Doughman and family, in Patterson, on Saturday evening.

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William Banks, of Fermanagh township, at his sale last Thursday, sold live stock and farming implements, amounting to over $300.

The junior editor of the Tribune celebrated his twenty-seventh birth-day with a party of friends at his house in the evening, on day last week.

It is "snip and tug" with the politicians and civil service rules, at Washington, with the chances in favor of the Democratic politicians getting on top.

W. J. Dennis of Delaware township, spent a couple of days, last week, with the family of Mr. Auman, in this place. Mr. Dennis is the father of Mrs. Auman.

The President nominated Malcolm Hay, of Pittsburg, first assistant Post Master General, and now the post office seekers are preparing to raid on Mr. Hay.

"Gentlemen of the jury, there were just thirty-six hogs in the drove. Please remember the fact—just three times as many as are in that jury box, gentlemen."

The Juniata Conference of the Central Pennsylvania Synod of the Lutheran Church convened in Port Royal on Monday evening, March 23, and is still holding sessions.

Colonel A. K. McClure, of the Philadelphia Times, will lecture in Bloomfield, one evening during the April term of Court for the benefit of the Ladies Mite Society.

Though breaks in the clouds, Bloomfield people caught a glimpse of the eclipse of the Sun on the 16th inst. There were no breaks in the clouds here to look through.

Mrs. Laird, died at the home of her son-in-law, Robert Robison, in Port Royal on Sabbath, March 14, 1885. Her remains were taken to Newton Hamilton, for interment.

Pittsburg has a husband beater, and the husband, John Boston, has applied to a Pittsburg court for a divorce from his wife, who he declares, has an unpleasant habit of thrashing him.

On the 5th inst., H. B. Zimmerman who at one time was Superintendent of Public Instruction, in Juniata county, died at his residence in Saville township, Perry county, of consumption.

A doctor in Warren, N. H., makes his rounds on snowshoes. One day he got caught in a hedge, and five of his patients recovered before he was discovered and extricated. Burlington Free Press.

On Sunday a week, a pack of stray hounds chased a red fox down the Pike almost to town. The fox left the Pike at the first lick north of town and ran out the road in the direction of Stoners.

A Rutledge street woman thought she had struck the concentrated essence of spitefulness when she told her neighbor: "If you didn't wear a wig I'd like to pull your hair for you; you nasty thing.–Brooklyn Times.

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"Mr. McClellan, Superintendent of Middle Division P. R. R., has undertaken to abolish the practice of loafing in and out the passenger stations—a practice which has become very annoying to both agents and passengers, who are compelled to enter a waiting room."

"Presiding Elder Hinkle, of the Juniata district, reported one thousand two hundred and thirty conversions, nineteen new churches and two parsonages erected at a cost of $45,000; twelve churches and two parsonages remodeled at a cost of $9,000; and over $15,000 of old debts liquidated last year in his district."

The President will attend the first Presbyterian church, of Washington.

Trains were delayed on Monday by the wreck of a lot of freight cars north of Patterson.

Frank Noble has recovered his health and is ready to engage in the pump business as in by-gone days. Give him a call if you need a pump.

A fire last Friday night, destroyed almost $100,000 worth of property in Bellefonte. The fire started about 8 o'clock in the evening in a stable on the Brockernoff property.

On Sunday night a week General Grant had a narcotic pill to lodge in his throat, the pill could not be got up or down, during many hours. The General got no sleep for a period of twenty-four hours.

The G. A. R. will hold a convention in Post room 134, next Thursday evening. Austin Curtin, Commander of the Department of Pennsylvania, will be present. The public are invited to attend the open Camp Fire, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Fashionable wife—"Did you notice, dear, at the party last evening, how grandly our daughter Clara swept into the room?" Husband (with a grunt)—"Oh yes, Clara can sweep into a room grandly enough but when it comes to sweeping out a room she isn't there."—New York Sun.

When the blood is loaded with impurities, and moves sluggishly in the veins, an alterative is needed, as this condition of the vital fluid cannot last long without serious results. There is nothing better than Ayer's Sarsaparilla to purify the blood, and impart energy to the system.

Ayer's Hair Vigor stimulates the hair cells to healthy action, and promotes a vigorous growth. It contains all that can be supplied to make the natural hair beautiful and abundant; keeps the scalp free from dandruff, prevents the hair from becoming dry and harsh, and makes it flexible and glossy.

The Everett Press says: Two families living in the same dwelling house, had a war of words which came almost to hair pulling, about the proprietorship of the porch, both families had to use. One of the parties put up a partition on this porch which was taken down by the other. It is said both are now silent as the grave when near each other.

A number of our subscribers are prompt payers, a number are not so prompt. We are beginning to send bills to all who are in arrears more than one year. By the 1st of May, 1885. we expect to have a bill in the house of every subscriber who is in arrears for a longer period of time than the one stated above. In the mean time do not wait for the bill. tf.

In commemoration of the tenth year of its existence the Philadelphia Times published a twenty-eight page edition with a handsome cover. It was a feat in journalism hard to equal. The copy intended for this office did not arrive until a number of days after time, which is accounted for by the fact, that, the paper got off its rout and went up Tuscarora valley, and circulated among the post offices in that region a day or two.

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The Perry County Advocate of last week says: The Orr brothers of this place, lost a valuable horse on their Fenninger farm last Thursday night. The stall was large and the animal in lying down twisted the halter chain around its neck. When found in the morning the animal was alive but before help could be procured it had strangled to death. The beast was valued at one hundred and thirty dollars. The same night a steer was almost strangled to death This is the fourth horse the brothers have lost within a short time.

The Huntingdon Journal of last week says: The farm house of our friend, Mr. H. S. Miller, of Henderson township, was totally destroyed by fire on Wednesday morning of last week. The family had just finished their morning meal when some one of them going outside discovered the roof of the kitchen on fire and so far advanced that it was impossible to save the building. They then directed their attention to their household effects and succeeded in saving the larger portion of them, but of course in a damaged condition. The articles in the cellar, consisting of canned fruits, lard, about one hundred bushels of potatoes and many other things were all destroyed. Mr. Miller carried an insurance of $500.00, but this sum will fall far short of paying the loss sustained.

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The San Francisco Chronicle tells the following: "Now," said the bride. "Henry, I want you to understand distinctly that I do not wish to be taken for a bride. I am going to behave exactly as if I were an old married woman. So, dearest, do not think me cold and unloving if I treat you very practically when there is anybody by."

"I don't believe I can pass for an old married man. I am so fond of you that I am bound to show it. I am sure to give the 'snap away."

"No, you mustn't. It's easy enough. And I insist that you behave just like all old married men do. Do you hear?

"Well, darling, I'll try, but I know I will not succeed."

The first evening of their arrival the bride retired to her chamber and the groom fell in with a poker party, with whom he sat playing cards until four o'clock in the morning. His wife spent the weary hours waiting. At last he turned up and met his grief-stricken bride with the hilarous question:

"Well, ain't I doing the old married man like a daisy?

She never referred to the subject again and everybody knew after that that they had just been married.

Lost and Found.

Last Thursday William Cleck, of Walker township, came to this place to pay a note in bank when he reached in his vest pocket for his money he found $10 missing. He walked back carefully over the road that he came on, to town, and not far from the residence of Jonas Kauffman he found one of the two missing five dollar notes. But where was the other? On Friday morning he was out on the road to find the balance. He came as far as to Wellington Smith's and there stopped and related his misfortune to Mr. Smith. "I guess I can help you out." said Smith, "for yesterday while I was on my way home from Mexico, I noticed something in the road that looked like paper money. I got out of my buggy took it up and it was a five dollar bill, and I would most likely have found the other bill for I was looking about for more when my mare started and I was compelled to get into the wagon and drive away." Mr. Smith handed the five dollar bill that he had found over to Cleck, and he, rejoicingly went to bank and lifted the note.

Suicide.

The Blomfield Times of the 17th records the following: On Saturday morning last Mr. Philip Keel, of Penn township, committed suicide by hanging. During the forenoon Mr. Snyder, of Duncannon went out to see about purchasing some calves of Mr. Keel, and was told that he had gone to the barn to care for his stock. On going there he found him sure enough, but he was hanging to a beam in the hay mow. Without waiting to investigate the matter Mr. Snyder at once gave the alarm. Mr. Keel had worried about some money matters in which he was fearful he was a loser, till it had affected his mind so as to cause him to commit the fearful deed.

School Report.

Report of Locust Run school for the month ending, March 13, 1885. Whole number in attendance during month; males 17, females 12, total 29. Average attendance during month; males 15, females 11, total 26. Per cent., of attendance during month; males 97, females 97, total 97. School opened during month 22 days. The following persons were present every day during month: Lizzie Nearhood, Minnie Gross, Gertie Gross, Ida Manbeck, Sadie Gross, Sadie Hostetler, Jennie Gross, Maggie Hostetler, Gilbert Detra, William Hostetler, William Page, Robert Nearhood, Franklin Gross, Ulysses Smith, Irvin Smith, Elmer Smith, John Eagler, and William Smith. The following missed one day: Clara Hostetler, Haven Smith and Bradford Detra. School open during term 108 days. William Page, Franklin Gross, Lizzie Nearhood and Minnie Gross were present every day during term. Gertie Gross missed but one, Clara Hostetler and Ida Manbeck missed but two, and several missed but three. Minnie Gross was present every day last winter's term and this term, making 206 days in attendance without missing one day of school.

D. L. DETRA, Teacher.

Teeth in His Stomach.

The McVeytown Journal relates the following: About ten years ago James Harris, of this place, swallowed a plate with four artificial teeth which lodged in his throat. He at once went to a physicain, who, after failing to extract them, forced them into his stomach, which produced stricture of the Oesophagus, from which he has been suffering ever since. On last Friday morning not being able to swallow, and in using a stricture Dilator (a whale-bone sixteen inches long with a bulb three-fourth inches by one and one-fourth inches on the end, composed of horn,) which broke in the centre and allowed the bulb with eight inches of the whale-bone to pass down into the stomach, the stem extending into the Oesophagus. Dr. R. M. Johnson was called who made an effort to extract the same. After making an attempt with the best instruments the Doctor had on hand, and in failing to extract it, he took the patient to Philadelphia the same afternoon, where he thought he would have the advantage of the best medical and surgical skill. After consulting some of the best physicians, and failing to get the instrument out of the patient, Dr. Johnson procured what he thought would be the best instruments to meet any emergency that would arise in the case, brought Mr. Harris back on Saturday evening. On Sunday night the instrument that Mr. Harris swallowed commenced to give him some uneasiness, and on Monday morning he grew worse. He sent for his physician who came and being prepared with a twelve inch forceps, he purchased while in anticipation of this trouble, was successful in extracting it giving the patient immediate relief, and at this writing he is doing well.

Juniata District Appointments.

The appointments made by the late seventeenth annual session of the Methodist Conference that met at Huntingdon, for the Juniata District are as follows:

J. S. McMurray, presiding elder—Post-office, Huntingdon.
Alum Bank—R. H. Stine.
Bedford—J. H. Black.
Blair—J. F. Pennington.
Burnt Cabins—J. Z. Lloyd.
Casville—J. M. Johnston; one to be supplied.
Concord—L. S. Crone.
Decatur—To be supplied.
Eunisville—M. C. Piper.
Everett—A. D. Yocum.
Freedom—S. A. Crevling.
Hopewell—C. L. Benscoter.
Huntingdon—G. T. Gray.
Lewistown—J. J. Pearce.
McConnellstown—To be supplied.
McVeytown—J. W. Rue.
Manor Hill—H. M. Minnich.
Mifflintown—J. B. Mann.
Milroy—S. E Meminger.
Mount Union and Mapleton—L. F. Smith.
New Bloomfield—T. M. Griffith.
Newton Hamilton—A. S. Baldwin.
Orbisonia—D. M. Klepser.
Petersburg and Alexandria—B. H. Crever.
Port Royal—Herman A. Adams; one to be supplied.
Ray's Hill—J. R. King.
Robinsonville—To be supplied.
Saxton—J. K. Knisely.
Shellsburg—J. L. White.
Shirleysburg—W. R. Pichen.
Thompsontown—J. L. Leibich.
Three Springs—E. T. Dunning.
West Huntingdon and Mill Creek—D. M. Hoke.
Wolfsburg—W. H. Stevens.

Trial List for April Term 1885.

Rebecca J. Patton vs. Daniel Conn, J. Nevin Pomeroy, A. J. Pettit, Noah Hertzler and Noah Hertzler, Sr. No 34 February term 1885. Feigned issue. Lawyers in the case Patterson and Parker, Lyons and Junkin.

Michael Stepp vs. Jacob Updegrove. No. 58, December term, 1883. Summons in ejectment, put down by defendant. Defend- and pleads not guilty. Lawyers, Patterson and Beidler, Lyons.

Com. of Penna., at the suggestion of Ella J. McDonald vs. James H. Greer and Harrison Reed. No. 82, September term, 1884. Summons in debt on the official bond of James H. Crozier, guardian of Ellen Jane Folts and Charles Dietrich Foltz, minor children of Dietrich Foltz, deceased. Defendant Harrison Reed pleads payment—payment with leave and so does James H. Crozier make the same plea. Lawyers, Lyons, Stone.

Susan Hostetler vs. the township of Delaware. No. 91, September term, 1884. Summons in case. Defendants pleads not guilty. Lawyers, Patterson and Beidler, Atkinson and Jacobs.

Banks W. Kauffman vs. John F. Jacobs. No. 1, February term, 1885. Transcript of a judgement from docket of Caleb Parker. Defendant appeals. Lawyers, Lyons, Beidler.

Enoch Beale vs. John D. Howell. No 19 February term 1885. Summons in trespass in the case in slander. Defendant pleads not guilty. Lawyers, Lyons, Patterson.

David Hetrick vs. H. H. Yocum. No. 53, February term, 1885. Transcript of an appeal from docket of Caleb Parker. Defendant appeals. Lyons, attorney.

Joseph Speiglemeyer vs. Henry Sulouff, Aaron Sinloy and H. A. Woodie. No. 68, February term, 1885. Summons in trespass. Henry Sulouff pleads not guilty. Lawyers, Lyons, A. J. Patterson.

William D. Walls vs. J. B. M. Todd. No. 2, April term, 1885. Transcript from docket of Jacob Beidler. Defendant appeals. Lawyers, Patterson, Lyons.

PROTHONOTARY'S OFFICE, March 14 1885, Mifflintown, Pa.

THEODORE H. MEMMINGER, Prothonotary.

Trouble About A Jury Drawing.

During the days of Rebellion, citizens of this Commonwealth became dissatisfied with the manner of the drawing of Jurors, to try cases of dispute that were carried to Court for settlement. They alleged that in Democratic counties, where democratic county commissioners had control of the jury wheel that the juries were always packed with democrats, and in counties where Republican county commissioners controlled the wheel the juries were packed with republicans, and in that way, with a one sided jury, there was always danger of a political verdict being rendered instead of a verdict of justice in accordance with the merits and evidence of the case in dispute between parties before Court.

A REMEDY.

To provide a remedy for such injustice under the forms of law, it was deemed best to take the drawing of juries out of the hands of County Commissioners, therefore, a law was passed by the Legislature in 1867, that provides for the election, by a popular vote, of two Jury Commissioners, one commissioner from each of the two dominant parties, whose duty shall be to make a list of citizens place them in the jury wheel at a stated time, and at another stated time draw the juries for the several courts from the wheel.

From the passage of the act to this time, at regularly stated lawful time a Democratic and Republican Jury Commissioner has been elected in Juniata county.

UNDER SEAL AND LOCK.

The jury commissioners at such time as is prescribed by law fill the jury wheel. The wheel is sealed and is locked, and the key of the wheel is kept by the sheriff of the county. At regularly stated times the jury commissioners are required to go to the seat of justice and there take charge of the wheel The sheriff unlocks it, the seal is re-moved and a jury is drawn.

Last Wednesday, March 18, 1885, was the day required by law for the jury commissioners to meet at the seat of justice in this county, in the Court House, at Mifflintown and draw a jury for April term of Court.

IN WHICH ROOM

The law does not state in which of the rooms, or offices in the Court House the drawing of the jury shall take place. If a hair splitting construction be placed on the term, "at the seat of justice," in all probability the jury would have to be drawn in the Court room in front of the Judge's seat

William Milliken and J. Kelley Patterson, both worthy citizens of Tuscarora valley are the Jury Commissioners for Juniata county, and on the date mentioned above they appeared at the Court House to draw the jury for the April term of Court, 1885. The jury wheel had been placed in the room of the County Treasurer for safe keeping. Previous juries had been drawn in the office of the County Commissioners. On this occasion however, the jury commissioners determined not to draw the jury in the room or office of the county commissioners.

THE JURY DRAWN.

The jury commissioners placed their wheel in the office or room of the Register and Recorder and appointed S. B. Caveny, the Register and Recorder their clerk. They were sworn under the law by, Prothonotary T. H. Memminger. Sheriff Shivery was present with the key of the wheel to unlock the wheel, and the seal was re-moved, and the jury was drawn. The wheel was re-sealed and was re-locked by the Sheriff as prescribed by law, and the wheel was again placed in the office of

THE COUNTY TREASURER.

S. B. Caveny, the clerk of the Jury Commissioners certified the list of jurors and placed the seal of his office on it, and sent the list to the office of the County Commissioners. The County Commissioners under an un-repealed clause of the act of Assembly of 1834, are required to make out in alphabetical order, two lists of the names of the persons drawn as jurors, by the Jury Commissioners, to serve as grand, petit or special jurors, and one of the said lists they shall deliver to the Sheriff of the county, and the other to the Prothonotory, or clerk of the proper court, to be set up by them in the respective offices for the inspection of all persons concerned. The County Commissioners never themselves make out the the two lists, but it is done by their clerk, and he has in the past been paid $20 for the work.

REFUSED THE LIST OF JURORS.

S. B. Loudon, clerk for the County Commissioners, refused to accept the list that S. B. Caveny, clerk for the Jury Commissioners certified to the County Commissioners office, though it is plainly his duty or the duty of the County Commissioners—he was there in their place—to make out in alphabetical order two lists of the names of the persons drawn by the jury commissioners, to serve as grand, petit, or special jurors, and one of the said lists, the county commissioners shall deliver to the sheriff of the county and the other to the Prothonotary or clerk of the proper court to be set up by them in the respective offices for the inspection of all persons concerned.

The clerk for the county commissioners refused to receive the list of jurors from the clerk of the jury commissioners and make out the two lists as above stated that the county commissioners are required by law to make out and set apart to the use specified in the law.

The clerk to the county commissioners refused the list of jurors, he says, because he believed that the jury commissioners should have drawn the jury in the office of the County Commissioners and that he as clerk of the county commissioners should have been clerk to the jury commissioners and been present at the drawing of the jury.

THE REFUSAL

of the commissioners' clerk to receive the jury list from the hands of the clerk of the jury commissioners stopped the whole proceedings. No list could be placed as required by law in the hands of the Sheriff, and no list could be placed in the office of the Prothonotary. What was to be done in this state of insubordination? It was determined that the sheriff should go

TO BLOOMFIELD

and speak with the Judge. The pilgrimage was made, and if it had to be done again, it would not be made. When the Sheriff returned it was soon understood that to correct the insubordination in the commissioners office and render the certification of the list of jurors drawn doubly secure it was advised that both the jury commissioners certify with their clerk to the list of jurors as drawn by them.

A Physic Before Starting.

A grey fox was brought to this place, from Fayette township, some time ago. Last Friday it was set at liberty, at Reno's school house a short distance east of town, but the pack of hounds that had been collected to give it chase, for some reason seemed to have colic or other troubles of the bowels and the fox had its own way, and the last seen of the animal it was running gaily across Rothrock's farm in the direction of Fayette township. Common report is, "the dogs were given a physic before starting."

Ask for Brown's baby

His Loss was Her Gain.

"Well madam," said a fashionable physician to a wealthy lady patient, "if you don't like my prescriptions, perhaps you had better try Parker's Tonic, or some other quack stuff." "You don't mean it Doctor," she answered, "but your advice may be good for all that. Sometimes what you call 'quack stuff' is the best and most scientific medicine, after all." She got a bottle of Parker's Tonic and it cured her of neuralgia arising from disordered stomach and nerves. She told her friends, and now they all keep a doctor at home in form of Parker's Tonic.

Communication.

OBITUARY.

MR. EDITOR: As I have not asked you for space in your worthy paper for some time, I beg leave to ask you for a small space in this issue. You will doubtless be surprised to learn the sad news which I am about to bring to the readers of the SENTINEL AND REPUBLICAN, and as I pen these lines, many incidents of the past return to my mind, pertaining to the career of one of Juniata's noblest sons. On the morning of the 11th inst., the intelligence was flashed through our community, that one of our leaders in the cause of education, one who had the golden key of knowledge within his reach, and an honorable member of the teaching profession, had on the previous evening between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock, passed from this stage of action into the spirit world. Shocking as it may seem the name must come to the public. It is Adam Wilt. He was employed by the directors of Greenwood township, in teaching the "Wilt" school. Up to the 4th inst., he had been in good health, and engaged in teaching, but toward evening of the above day, he felt unwell and became what is called by our people, "tighty." The next day not being able to attend to his work in the school room he sent his son instead. This was Thursday, and on Saturday disease began to show its effects on its victim and brought him down to such a state, that medical aid was summoned, but of no avail, his case was that of "pneumonia," and at the time herein stated, he was a corpse. Sad news indeed! Who could believe it! Yet it was only too true. A short time before his death, he told one of his scholars, "he would never teach them any more." How marvelously true. The messenge came and he must go, but his name will live long on the annals of Juniata history. His language shortly before his death, in regard to his spiritual happiness gives proof that he is at rest in the noble array of martyrs and the just made perfect, in the eternal adoration of the living God. With him, "this is the end of earth" He sleeps the sleep that knows no waking. He is gone, and forever. When a great man falls the people weep. The link that bound him to us, has been suddenly snapped. The lips from which flowed those living truths, and undeniable facts are closed in death. Yes, death has been among us, and he has knocked audibly at the palace of our township. Not at the humble cottage of some unknown, ignoble peasant, but at one of our most worthy citizens. He has cloven down his victim in the midst of plenty, and taking him as a spoil, for virtue and learning and truth. How often have we crowded around him to listen to the counsels of wisdom as they fell from the lips of our honored dead, we can all remember the time for it was but a short time ago. But what a change! How wonderful and sudden! That form is no more, but is closed by the "sheet of death. Though our friend is gone, he has made himself a name and his fame is known all over ours, and adjoining counties, and will not soon be forgotten by the people. May the example of his life be followed, and at the sound of the trumpet he will rise among the spirits of the just, in the adoration of the "Most High." We will miss him in the profession. No more will he appear before us in our Literary Society, of which he was an ardent worker and useful member some years ago. Every teacher in the county knew him, I presume, and have learned to know him to be a kind, generous, and charitable christian. Why such an honorable man should be taken as a spoil, is not for us to tell. His ways to us, are mysterious and full of wisdom. But such is life, in the midst of life we are in death, and the very entrance into it is already a step toward the grave. We sympathize with this bereaved family, knowing they will have to take upon themselves new duties and responsibilities. The funeral took place on Friday, in the presence of a large concourse of people. Interment in the Lutheran cemetery, in Pfoutz Valley. Out of respect for a member of the profession, all the schools in the township, except one, were closed. The deceased was aged 60 years, 1 month and 18 days. REPORTER.

A New York firm applied to Abraham Lincoln, some years before he became President, as to the financial standing of one of his neighbors. Mr. Lincoln replied as follows: "Yours of the 10th inst., received. I am well acquainted with Mr. ——, and know his circumstances First of all, he has a wife and baby; together they ought to be worth $50,000 to any man. Secondly, he has an office in which there is a table worth $1.50, and three chairs worth say $1. Last of all there is in one corner a large rat-hole which will bear looking into. Respectfully yours.—ABRAHAM LINCOLN."

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Arrangements have been made to open a school, at Tuscarora Academy, by good and efficient teachers on the 8th of April. Miss Mary Dewing will give lessons on piano or organ.

Fall and Winter Goods.

I would inform the public that I have now in my new millinery store at my place of residence on Water street, Mifflintown, second door from corner of Bridge street, a full stock, of Fall and Winter millinery goods, all new, and of the latest styles, and having employed first class milliners, I am prepared to supply the public with everything found in a firstclass milliner store, come and examine my stock. I consider it no trouble to show goods.

MRS. DEIHL.

May 2-83,1.y.

MARRIED:

McCURDY—BOGENRIEF.—On the 12th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. H. E. Bogenrief, of Thompsontown, Pa., by Rev. W. R. Wieand, Mr. Samuel McCurdy, to Miss Ella Bogenrief, both of Thompsontown.

ROBISON—KARSTETTER.—On the 5th inst., at the Lutheran parsonage, Mifflintown, by Rev. E. E. Berry, Mr. George M. Robison, of Turbett township, to Miss Catherine Karstetter, of Milford township.

DYSINGER—MUMMA.—At 2 o'clock P. M., on the 17th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Simon Mumma, in Fermanagh township, by the Rev. Mr. Brown, of the McAlisterville Presbyterian Church, Dr. George Dysinger and Miss Emma Mumma. Mr. Dysinger lives in Minneapolis, Minn., and left with his bride on the morning of the 18th for his western home.

MIFFLINTOWN MARKETS.

MIFFLINTOWN, March 25, 1885.

Butter	18
Eggs	15
Lard	9
Ham	17
Shoulder	10
Sides	8
Rags	1

MIFFLINTOWN GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat	75
Foltz Wheat	80
Lancaster	82
Corn, new	45
Oats	30
Rye	60
New Cloverseed	5 50
Timothy seed	1 30
Flax seed	1 40
Bran	1 00
Chop	1 50
Shorts	1 30
Ground Alum Salt	1 25
American Salt	1 60a1 10

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS.

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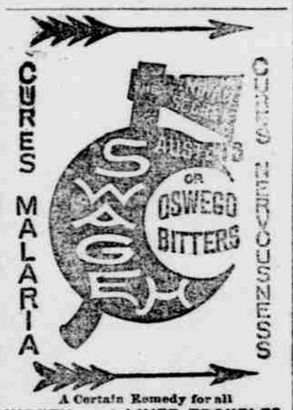

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