

B. F. SCHWEIER, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

The Supreme Court of the United States is reported as being four years behind with its business.

A bill has been favorably reported in the Legislature to enable Presbyterian congregations to sell abandoned burial grounds.

It is said that Great Britain has maps and charts of all of the fortifications in the United States of America, and what it has.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has signed the Inter-State Commerce bill, and now there is a scramble for the position of Commissioner under the bill.

CRIMINAL proceedings have been instituted against a number of Wilkesbarre politicians for having accepted bribes last fall at the county nominating convention.

The places of the striking freight loaders on the New York warves are being gradually supplied with other men who are glad to step into the places that the strikers left.

The French government has bought large quantities of Russian oats for the French cavalry. A number of steamers have been chartered to carry the oats from the Baltic ports to France.

The Virginia Military school at Lexington has a sensation, in the report that the ghost of Stonewall Jackson, with drawn sword, riding a gray horse, rides around the sentinels' beat at night.

A bill in the Legislature has been favorably reported, that appropriates \$81,000 for memorial tablets on the field of Gettysburg, to mark the positions of Philadelphia troops during the three days' fight.

"A bill has been proposed in the Indiana Legislature to make the killing of a seducer by the husband, father or brother a simple misdemeanor, punishable by a fine and no imprisonment. A similar bill is expected in the Illinois Legislature."

There is a pronounced expression all over the United States in favor of the Redemption of the trade dollar, and yet in defiance of that expression Congress does not redeem or legalize the trade dollar. The people at the next Congressional election can elect a new set of Congressmen.

The State Senate passed the liquor constitutional amendment bill, by a vote of 29 yeas to 2 nays. The Democratic Senators acted the baby to perfection, by not voting because, they say, the amendment originated among Republicans. Will they continue to act the baby and not vote when the amendments go to the people for their acceptance or rejection?

The joint convention of the Indiana Legislature got so far on with the wrangle of the election of a United States Senator on the 2nd day of this month that, a so-called labor reform member left his own candidate and voted for Turple the Democratic candidate. The Republicans claim that the proceedings were illegal and will contest Turple's seat at Washington.

A report has been telegraphed from Nebraska to the effect that Brigham Young will return to the Mormons as one resurrected from the grave. The despatch in effect says: "that Brigham Young's death and burial were a cunning fraud, and that he has lived ever since in concealment in England, but has lately returned and is now near Lincoln, from which place he will be taken to Salt Lake City and palmed off on the credulous Mormons as one who has risen from the dead. One can imagine the noise that would make, and that he would make a greater prophet than Joseph Smith with his revelations of the world from which he has returned."

The Philadelphia Bulletin of last Friday published the following:

Two old ladies were riding down town Tuesday morning in a Tenth street car and were discussing in animated tones the work of the woman suffragists who were holding their sessions at Association Hall in this city at that time. When the car reached Tenth and Callowhill streets a number of rather rough-looking men were lounging about the corner and one of the women observing them exclaimed:

"Now look at those men," with withering accent. "They are entitled to elect the rulers of our country and the officers of our city. Look at them! No doubt they are strikers and are spending the time when they should be at work in hanging about saloons and drinking. If I had my way I would send them to the House of Correction. Indeed I would, every one of them!" she concluded with sharp emphasis.

The men to whom she referred were delegates to the Democratic Mayor's Convention and were waiting the time when the convention would be called to order in the hall before which they were standing.

The Philadelphia Record of last Thursday, records the following: The charred body of her dead child lying on the hearth was the terrible spectacle witnessed by Mrs. Rhoads when she returned to her home at No. 1335 Peel street last night after a brief visit to a neighbor's house. The atmosphere of the room was thick with smoke and the body of the little one was still smoldering when she left the room a half hour before, the infant scarcely 8 months old, was sleeping in its cradle in a corner of the room some distance from the stove. It is supposed that the little one awoke and crawled to the hearth, where a burning coal must have fallen on its long dress. The neighbors did not hear any screams or cries, and the infant was burned to death. Mrs. Rhoads was overcome by the shock.

The Huntington Journal of last week published the following: As Western Express pulled up at the depot, in this city, about four o'clock, Tuesday morning, a Hungarian woman named Mrs. Mary Fabian, who was traveling in a parlor car on her way to McKeesport, Pa., where her husband is employed, informed the conductor that she was too ill to continue her journey and requested to be left off at this station. By the assistance of the conductor and several passengers she was placed on the platform, and the door of the ladies waiting room in the eastern end of the building being locked she was directed to the Leister House. While waiting at the front door for the porter to open it, she sank upon the store steps and gave birth to a fine healthy female child. Mother and child were taken into the hotel as quickly as possible. All of the rooms being occupied Mr. and Mrs. Leister on being awakened and told the situation of affairs kindly gave up their room, and assisted in making their new guests as comfortable as possible. Mr. Leister despatched a messenger for a physician and upon his arrival he ministered to the necessities of the case. The mother is a young, healthy, fine looking woman of about 25 years of age, and is getting along as well as could be expected under the circumstances. She is in good hands and will receive the most careful attention.

Walker Township News. Many persons were out last Wednesday looking for their shadow.

Wilson Gross and W. H. Manbeck were in Snyder county last Friday. Don't fail to vote for Michael Neard for supervisors.

Miss Emma Patton held a very nice quiet spelling bee last Friday evening at Locust Run.

Teacher, G. H. Rumbaugh has resigned his school, to accept a clerkship in Millifont.

Mrs. Jackson Briggs died last Monday evening. Interment in the Mennonite graveyard in Lost Creek valley on Thursday.

Prof. J. T. Ailman officiated for Supt. Anman by visiting on Wednesday and Thursday, Free Spring, Finedale Hill, Locust Run, and Centerville schools. Mr. Anman not attending to his official duties on account of the death of his sister.

A lively debate was part of the interesting program last Thursday evening at Cedar Grove Literary Society. The question was as follows: Resolved, That foreigners are more injury than good. The question for next Thursday evening is, Resolved, The farmer is a better member of society than the mechanic.

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ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

One dollar and a half cash will secure for you the SENTINEL and REPUBLICAN and Philadelphia Weekly Press one year.

Oriental News.

Rather a ludicrous occurrence took place within the scope of our acquaintance since our last report. A young man had a sick horse; some one prescribed spirits of hartshorn. He went to the drug store asking for the drug. The druggist was laboring under the influence of an overdose of some other kind of "spirits of hartshorn" spirits of hartshorn "why man you are a fool, there is no such stuff being manufactured," and with a string of expetive adjectives ordered the young man out. This was a good joke, but now in all seriousness, is it not allowing a great deal of latitude to such people are being permitted to handle dangerous drugs at all.

Mrs. Sarah, wife of Henry Zoller, died Jan. 22nd at the advanced age of 81 years, 9 months and 21 days, leaving an aged husband, deeply afflicted in consequence of the loss sustained and whose sands of life from present indications will probably run out very speedily.

The sale of Mrs. Wolfe on Tuesday was largely attended and good prices obtained for the goods sold. An accident occurred at the sale by which Mr. Savorow Willow of West Perry township, Snyder county, lost a valuable mare. The mare was hitched to a buggy and was tied at the fence, not far distant from where Benjamin Zeiders had tied a horse also hitched in a buggy; for some cause or other Mr. Zeiders' horse broke loose and running suddenly and violently against the side of Mr. Willow's mare, threw her over sideways, running right over her with buggy and all and with the sharp crack of a shoe tore upon the belly of the mare letting out a portion of the entrails. The dead died in a few hours in spite of all efforts to save it. It is said by some that the beast of Mr. Zeiders broke loose in consequence of a bit of blind stagers, but your reporter knows not.

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Sheriff Sales.

Sheriff Fowles sold in the Court House last Friday the following:

The 82 acres in Delaware township of Daniel Krieger, to R. Humphrey for \$116.

The 26 acre tract with log house and barn in Delaware township of Daniel Krieger to D. M. Page for \$361.

The 72 acres with barn and outbuildings, in Spruce Hill township, of C. F. Glick was continued.

The 150 acres in Spruce Hill township of Enoch Beale to J. L. Barton for \$2100.

The 29 acres with log house in Delaware township, of Lewis Dickle Jr., to Lewis Dickle for \$230.

The house and lot of W. D. Stiles, in Richfield was not sold.

The 112 acres in Lack township, with stone house, bank barn and outbuildings of John Christ was sold to Henry Titzell for \$400.

Court covered on Monday with President Judge Barnett and the new Associates Patterson and McKeen on the bench, and opened in the regular routine way. The civil causes booked for the term are:

First: J. Howard Neely, administrator c. t. a. of Joseph Pomeroy dec'd, against the Juniata Valley Bank. This is a case that grew out of the financial disaster that overtook J. Nevin Pomeroy in the handling of his father's estate as executor. His father, Joseph Pomeroy had stocks in the Juniata Valley Bank. Nevin obtained money from the bank and in due time when payment was to be made transferred or sold the stock to the bank in payment for the money that he borrowed from it. Creditors or heirs of his father deny the lawfulness of the sale and purchase of the stock while the legal claims of heirs or creditors remain unpaid. At the instance of J. Nevin Pomeroy was removed as executor of his father's estate by the court and J. H. Neely was appointed administrator and hence the suit to recover from the bank the value of \$1400 of stock that belonged to the estate of Joseph Pomeroy deceased.

Second: Rebecca J. Patton, against Daniel Conn and others to test the validity of a sixteen hundred dollar judgement that had been given to her by her husband. This case has been marked off the trial list.

Third: The Singer manufacturing company, against Elizabeth Cunn. This is an action to recover on a note that Mrs. Cunn gave to the company as balance or boot in a trade of sewing machines. The defendant claims to have paid for the same.

Fourth: William A. Spangler and B. F. Junkin bankers, against D. W. Walls to recover on a note of five hundred dollars that Walls endorsed for J. M. Cook, in Perry county in the bank of Spangler and Junkin. Walls claims payment of the note on the ground that Cook sent twelve hundred dollars to the bank and among others claim that he requested to be paid was the Walls note.

Fifth: Ludwig Schwader against Lewis Nace and Daniel Nace to recover \$122.50 for a horse that had been insured by Schwader as a sound horse by the Naces. Schwader alleges that the horse was not sound.

Sixth: J. B. M. Todd against J. S. Robinson, to settle a dispute over a settlement.

Seventh: John Foreman against John McManigal and William Heid, for the recovery of the value of stores and furniture that McManigal had levied on and sold by a constable by rent for J. McNeal. Foreman claims that the goods that had been sold, belonged to him. Since the action has been brought McManigal has died; how this will effect the case before Court remains to be seen.

The Commonwealth cases to come before the Court, are:

Com. vs. Wellington Smith, fornication and bastardy. Child born, and case before the Court, this Tuesday morning.

Com. vs. R. H. Carles for embezzlement.

Com. vs. Richard Holge, two cases of larceny. Holge is absent; whether he will turn up by time of trial remains to be seen.

RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURES OF THE COUNTY OF JUNIATA

January 1, 1886, to January 1, 1887. To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Juniata County:

We, the undersigned, Auditors, elected and sworn according to law, to examine, audit and settle the accounts of the Commissioners, Sheriff and Treasurer of said county, for the year ending December 31, 1886, met for that purpose in the Auditors' office, Mifflintown, on Monday, January 3, 1887, and found and accounts to be as follows:

1886. JOHN M. COPELAND, Treas. Dr. Jan. 1. To balance from last year. \$ 2349 58

1886. CONRA. Dec. 31. By county orders paid. \$ 9519 39

1887. Jan. 1. To balance due county. \$ 5458 40

Outstanding Taxes, Dec. 31, 1886.

Year. Name of Col. District. Amount.

1877. Matthias Stump. Lack. \$ 3 79

1882. George Register. Thompson. 32 99

1888. C. M. Conick. Port Royal. 110 94

1884. William Clark. Beale. 185 23

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We can accommodate you from the crown of the head to the feet. We invite you to see us, in the finest Clothing House in Juniata.

Sam'l STRAYER, THE OLD RELIABLE CLOTHIER AND FURNISHER IN PATTERSON.

June 16, 1886.

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All orders by mail will receive prompt attention. Remember the place, Mifflintown, Pa., Frederick ESPENSHADE.

D. M. CRAWFORD, M. D., Has resumed actively the practice of Medicine and Surgery and their collateral branches. Office at the old corner of Third and Orange streets, Mifflintown, Pa. March 29, 1876.

JOHN McLAUGHLIN, JOSEPH W. STIMMEL, McLAUGHLIN & STIMMEL, INSURANCE AGENTS, PORT ROYAL, JUNIATA CO., PA.

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