

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

Public Sales.

March 2d, Tuesday, Hannah Slobor of Fayette township...

March 5, Thursday, John H. Carney at his residence in Fayette township...

March 10, Tuesday, James Kidd will sell at his place of residence...

March 12, Thursday, John Messer will sell at his residence in Fayette Twp...

March 17, Tuesday, Geo. W. Kercher will sell near Van Dyke...

SHORT LOCALS.

Miss Ruth Bance has been on the sick list.

Noah Smith of Fayette has moved to Altoona.

George Heck has been appointed a notary public.

Andrew Parker of Somerset spent a day in town last week.

Wm. Allison, Jr., of Pittsburg, is home visiting his parents.

Calvin Stewart of Walnut is recovering from a severe illness.

Rev. Mr. Fisher, preached at the Lutheran church on Sabbath.

Samuel Sharon of McAllisterville has gone on a trip to Reno.

Ex Governor Beaver has resumed the practice of law in Bellefonte.

The Methodist church in Huntingdon is having a revival meeting.

The Delamater creditors have agreed to take 50 cents on the dollar.

Miss Janeette Allison, has returned from a visit to friends in Chester.

Prof. J. T. Ailman is lecturing in the interest of Patrons of Husbandry.

Congressman Atkin on "Home Sabotage," and remained till on Wednesday.

The department of Pennsylvania G. A. R. will meet in Altoona, February 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole gave a party at their home on Cherry street last Wednesday night.

A number of Indian chiefs having washed off the war-paint are at Washington talking peace.

The congregation that worship at Locust Run this county, have enjoyed a protracted meeting.

The Cambria Iron Company reduced the wages of its employees 10 per cent on the 1st of February.

Jacob Thomas has been busy these winter days, buying live stock and shipping the stock to eastern markets.

Druggists, Mifflintown, Nov. 13, 1890, ly.

Wm. Wagner, has returned from Pueblo, Colorado. He reports it no place for the farmer, because of the scarcity of water.

David Smolensky, a peddler, committed suicide at Dudley, Huntingdon county, by hanging in a stable, because a young woman with whom he was in love did not return his affection.

Carbonate of ammonia is now used for raising bread and cakes. It is said to be better than yeast, for every particle of it is evaporated or expelled from the bread and cakes by the heat.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Zimmerman, gave a party for a number of friends at their home on the Strayer farm, near town on the night of the 27th ult. About one hundred and fifty friends enjoyed the occasion.

Mr. Ruth of Perre, South Dakota, was in this place last week in the interest of Charles Hyde, real estate broker at Perre. Parties wishing to invest in a good growing town would do well to correspond with him.

It is a source of regret that the Oakland, California Times, came to light for this issue, for full account of the grand reception that was tendered to Rev. Philip Graff and wife on the evening of January 23, 1891.

From the Huntingdon Globe of last week, the lectures by Mr. Andrews in the Opera House last week for the benefit of the soldiers' monument fund, were poorly patronized. Upwards of \$60 was lost by the venture.

A number of states through their Legislatures, threaten to not appropriate money for the Columbus Chicago World's Fair, if the Force Bill is passed by Congress.

George M. Robison, who came to this place last summer, and worked at the ice plant, and while here formed a number of acquaintances, was stricken with apoplexy at the home of his friend Mrs. Moore, on Chestnut street Harrisburg, on the evening of the 27th of January, and died without uttering a word.

An eminently practical German scientist said to have applied a mild current of electricity to a swarm of bees, quickly causing them to fall to the ground in a stupefied condition. The bees could be safely handled while in this condition, and if the electrical current were not too strong no injury was done to them.

Letters remaining in Patterson Pa. P. O., not called for: George B. Hildner, Peter Hoffman, Albert Fritz, Martin Miller, T. J. Green, Land Wabbe. Persons asking for letters in above list please say they are advertised.

W. H. McMill P. M. Feb. 2, 1891.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney Throats, Coughs, &c. Save \$50 by use of one bottle.

The Delamaters were arrested last Friday on a charge of embezzlement by G. W. Whitler who had over \$600 in their bank when they closed. He charges that the bankers knew that they were worth nothing when they received his money on deposit.

If Congress would settle the silver agitation, and stop speculation in gold and silver by passing an act giving the right of free coinage to silver, the same free right that is given to gold, that would settle the question as far as agitation goes, and go a long distance in the direction of putting the languishing business of the country on its feet.

From the Liverpool Sun: Every man and then some poster advertising notice of some one lifting his paper—cause, moved away. In some cases the party so doing is in arrears, and takes that opportunity to cheat the printer. The latest trick of that kind served on us was by a party who took this paper at McKees Half Falls and moved away. Shall we tell his name? How nicely we could give him away, but perhaps his conscience will yet trouble him enough to induce him to give us our own.

It is very likely that the printer is not the only one that suffers from the doings of such persons. Let this be a warning to others who may possibly be inclined to play that trick on us.

Bloomfield Perry County Auctioneer—J. B. Swartz of this place has invented an ingenious hitching contrivance, that does away with much time and labor in hitching up horses. Letters patent will be applied for.

Three black bears were seen back of Alfred Kell's barn near Buffalo Mills, Saville township, the first of last week. Mr. Kell suspects that they were after his porkers. McMillan's Rocks are supposed to be the place of their hibernating.

A party of hunters from this place propose being in the field at the next thaw and hope to secure the game. A few days ago while assisting to load sheep at the P. C. R. R. stock yards, this place, Charles Clouser one of the town lads, received rather severe treatment from several of these models of meekness.

In driving several of the sheep into position the boy was attacked by some bucks, which knocked him down and butted him pretty badly. He called for aid and climbed up the side of the car from which position he was rescued by the owners of the sheep. Young Clouser was butted in the face and had a goodly portion of his nose skinned, besides suffering several thumps on the body. Timely as-

stance saved him from probably fatal injuries.

"Not a man is left to tell the tale of the horrible explosion that took place in the Mammoth shaft in the Connelville coke region whereby more than one hundred men were killed.

There is little information regarding the horror. Everybody in the pit was killed. The force of the explosion was felt for miles around. In the township school house, nearly a mile away, the shock caused a panic, and the pupils rushed from the frame building firm in the belief that an earthquake had overtaken them.

From the appearance of the mine after the explosion, not more than 50 men were killed by the explosion, the others being overcome by the after damp, and while some of the bodies were horribly burned, torn and mutilated, others were found with their teeth clenched on the iron rail of the pit road, or with their faces plunged into the water, and not a few kneeling, as if they had been in prayer when their untimely end came.

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Donation. Quite a large number of members of Center Ev. Lutheran congregation paid their pastor and family a friendly visit on Tuesday last January 27, at the parsonage in McAllisterville. They came provided with abundance of refreshments and a bounteous repast was set for all in the basement of the church.

With social converse and singing the day was pleasantly spent. A short religious service was held, the pastor took occasion to express his sincere thanks for the kindness and love shown and the friends departed leaving flour, groceries, canned fruit, potatoes, corn, oats, and many other useful articles for the pastor's household. Nor was this the only tangible evidence of their esteem. As a Christmas gift the pastor was presented with an elegant wolf robe and a water proof covering for his horse. Friends in the McAllisterville congregation also presented him with a beautiful plush robe and the Thompsonville congregation with a very fine overcoat.

The pastor and his family highly appreciate these tokens of esteem and affection and desire to make public acknowledgement of thanks for the high regard so manifested. G. W. LEISHER.

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Mr. Jacobs had come to Harrisburg on Saturday, January 24, to transact business, expecting to return on an evening train. While there he was stricken with a chill, and was driven to seek rest at a hotel. The chill during the night developed into pneumonia, and on Sabbath his family were informed of his illness, and hastened to his bedside to comfort him and render such assistance as only a tender and loving wife and sisters can give. Despite the most skillful attention he gradually sank, and on Sabbath morning at 10:30 A. M. he died. He was a gentle courteous gentleman, a good neighbor, an able lawyer, an eloquent public speaker. He served a term as District Attorney of Juniata county, was a candidate for Congress and State Senate, and if he had been elected to the council of the state and ration he would have appeared as a bright light in the political arena for he was an uncommonly gifted and could make himself felt in speech where he chose to take part in public affairs. His remains were brought from Harrisburg at 6 o'clock on Sabbath evening and were conveyed to his home, and thence to the Presbyterian Cemetery on Wednesday, at 2 o'clock. The funeral was largely attended. The Bar held a special meeting in the Court House and speeches were delivered and resolutions were passed expressive of the loss of so prominent a member. He was born, and passed all his days here, from the first announcement of his illness, to the fatal close, his case was the apparent thought in the mind of the people.

MIFFLINTOWN MARKETS. Mifflintown, Feb. 4, 1891.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Butter, Eggs, Ham, Shoulder, Sides, Lard, etc.

MIFFLINTOWN GRAIN MARKET. Wheat, 90 to 95; Corn, 60 to 65; Oats, 48; Rye, 50; Cloverseed, \$4.00; Timothy seed, \$1.50; Flax seed, 1.00; Bran, 20.00; Chop, 21.00; Ground Alum Salt, 1.20; American Salt, 80.

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS, Jan'y 31, 1891.—Wool 16 to 63c; Wheat \$1.01 to \$1.05; Corn 60 to 61c; Oats 52c; Live chickens 6 to 11c; Turkeys 10 to 11c; Ducks 10 to 11c; Geese 7 to 11c; Butter 19 to 22c; Eggs 21 to 22c; Potatoes 98 to \$1.08c; Cloverseed 8c; Apples \$3.74 to \$5.25 a barrel.

goods that the partners claim that Hanch did not pay for.

Aleida Louder vs. Robert B. Nixon and Rebecca Micky. No. 34, September Term, 1890. Summons in trespass; plea, not guilty. This is about a sink in the lot.

Mary E. Bowersox vs. Jacob Yeager and Thomas G. Watts. No. 68, December Term, 1890. Summons in ejectment; plea, not guilty.

Com. vs. C. W. Stoner, charged with having forged the name of Wm. Ulrich to a bankable note. Prosecu. Wm. Ulrich.

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