The Democrat.

MONTROSE, PA., MAY 2, 1877.

Town, County, and Variety.

--- April showers.

-May flour's \$14 per barrel.

-Breadstuff is very high stuff about these

-Don't cat oysters-There is no r in the month. The start of his on the weeks of the

-The penalty for catching bass before the

1st of July is \$10. -Good thing that people will be able to

"turn out" to grass soon. To cure dull times—apply an advertise-

ment to the afflicted part.

-Regular meeting of Montrose Fire Co., No. 2, Friday evening, May 4th. -A Bill has been introduced in the New

York legislature to compell the sale of eggs by weight. ----Woman's Temperance Prayer Meeting

will be held at Temperance Hall on Thursday, at 3 p. m. -In the summer time the birds sing their

sweetest songs between three and four o'clock in the morning. ---- A pipe line is now projected from Buffalo

to New York city for the purpose of transport-- A fortune may be lost by not having potatoes to sell, but it is lost sooner if you are

obliged to buy a few bushels. -One hundred and thirty tracts of land in Bradford county are advertised to be sold

by the sheriff in May. - On Monday April 23d James Hill a resident of Susquenanna, who has been in jail some time, was liberated by Sheriff White.

---To persons blessed with good eyes there is a comet now visible in the evening just above the northern horizon below the pole star.

-W. D. Lusk and F. I. Lott esq.'s are moving into their new offices, lately built by

-The next regular meeting of the Y. M. C A. will be held at their rooms, Monday evening May 7. Members are urgently invited to attend.

-On Wednesday last J. W. Austin, constable of Harmony township, lodged a boy 13 years of age in the county prison, charged with

---Postmaster Fordham is making some yery fine improvements by beautifying the grounds around, and enlarging his dwelling, on Maple Street.

-The Danbury News says: Put a peck of Jersey mosquitoes under blue glass and in two days you will have spring chickens large enough for the New York boarding houses.

The husband who informed his wife six months ago that he would let her put out the washing as soon as times improved, has kept his promise. He lets her put it out—on the

---Quarterly meeting was held at the M. E. church on Saturday and Sunday last, Presid ing Elder, I. T. Walker was present and conducted the services in connection with the pas-

tor Rev. L. Cole. -There are a large, number of counterfeit silver half dollars in circulation, which are so well executed that it is hardly possible to de tect them except by their being of lighter weight than the genuine.

-On Monday lust some of the ladies of the M. E. church gathered at the parsonage for the purpose of "cleaning house," and preparing supper for the pastor's family upon their arrival, at evening.

-In another column Mr. E. J. Goodwin advertises a public sale of horses, wagons, and other articles, at the residence of J. D. Goodwin, on Founday street, next Wednesday, May

Rev. John Peddie D. D., of Philadelphia, will deliver the address at the Anniversary of the Keystone Academy. Dr. Peddie preaches for a church of one thousand members, and to a congregation usually exceeding two thousand.

--- Mrs. C. Cushman is cultivating a large number of tomato plants, of the best varities. All in need of plants will confer a faver upon Mrs. C., as well as themselves, by making their necessary purchase of her.

-Mr. J. K. Rogers, a well-known Binghamton boy, formerly in Pratt's book store. and since then with Gridley, the merchant tailor; is now accepted with a dry goods house in Montrose a scanch of Mr. Isaac Levy's establishment at Scranton. Mr. Rogers has many friends in Binghamton, whose best wishes go with him.—Times.

-Fred Sterling, of Meshoppen, Wyoming county, committed suicide on Moday April 23d, by shooting himself with a pistol. His body was found in a piece of woods east of the depot. A letter was also found on the body saying that he had nothing to live for, which to gether with other circumstances leaves no doubt that he came to his death by his own hands. A coroner's jury was called, and, after hearing the evidence, rendered a verdict in accordence with the above facts.

-Mrs. Robert H. Sayre, wife of Robert H. Sayre, superintendent and engineer of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, has just died in Bethlehem. She was the nicce of Jefferson Davis, and while visiting at her uncle's then a Senator from Mississippi, she became acquainted with Hon. Richard S. Broadhead, Senator from Pennsylvania, to whom she was soon afterward married. After the death of Senator Broadlead she resided at Bethlahem, and a few years since was married to Robert H. Sayre.

into the country and hire out for the summer dose is one wine glass full once a day for three on a farm. That is better than lounging about the streets. The wages may be small, but you will have the satisfaction of earning your living by honest toil, and that is something in these hard times.

-George Spearing of Susquehanna was lodged in the County jail on Monday April 23 by constable James O'Connell. He was committed on the complaint of John Fay for adultry with Ellen Fay, a young girl who had been employed as a servant in Spearings family.

There will be a Union Praise Meeting in the Presbyterian Church next Sunday evening at half-past seven, conducted by Prof. J. Wm. Suffern of New York, the well-known author and conductor of Musical Conventions. Let all attend this service of song.

-The Legislature at the late session passed a law prohibiting the hunting of deer with dogs or hounds at any season of the year in any county in the state. Sportsman with deer hounds can therefore sell them or kill them, as they can only be used in defiance of law and at the risk of a heavy fine.

-Men may engage in business and run along for years, and thinking little about patronizing their home paper, and will have very little appreciation of it generally. It is amusing to see how quickly the views of some of these fellows change, if they get into some scrape or trouble which becomes public property. How quick they will come around and say. "Boys, for God's sake don't say anything about it!"

-The Murphy pledge, which has been presented for signature at the recent great temperance meetings in this part of the United States, reads as follows: "With malice toward none and charity for all, I, the undersigned, do pledge my word and honor, God helping me to abstain from all intoxicating liquors as a beverage, and that I will by all honorable means encourage others to abstain."

Prof. Suffern of New York city will hold a musical convention in Montrose, commencing next Monday evening, May 7th, 1877, and will hold tour days, with three sessions per day of two hours each, to close on Friday evening with a concert. The class will be provided Wm. Post esq., one door above THE DEMOCRAT | with books free of charge. Tuition for the full course \$1.50. Tickets for the concert 25 cents Prof. Suffern comes with the best recommen dations as to his efficiency as a conductor placing him among the Perkins and Bradburys His agent assures all that the Prof. will make it a very profitable season to each and every one who may attend, both in the instruction given in the rudiments, and voice training as well as musical drill. All, both old and young, will receive equal benefit.

> ---The body of Jacob Shyer, a young German, who was quite well known in this county as a peddler, was found in Wrighter's lake, in Thompson, on Tuesday April 24th, and it is quite clear from the circumstances, that he committed suicide. The last seen of him alive was on Sunday morning, when he left Mr. Jesse Carpenter's house, where he stayed over night. He refused to eat any breakfast, and gave as a reason, that he did not feel very well, and would take a walk as it might make him feel better. The family sat down to breakiast and Shyer went out. The lake is not far from Mr. Carpenter's house, and there is no doubt but that he deliberately sought death by drowning, as his/body was found in about three or four feet of water. The coroner's jury rendered the usual verdict in such cases. About \$14 in money, a watch and chain and a few other articles were found about his clothing. Evidence was elicited by the inquest that on Friday, Shyer had made inquiry concerning the easiest mode of self destruction. His remains were aken to Elmira for burial.

NUMBER OF EGGS PER ANNUM. After repeated experiments with the different varieties of chickens, and comparisons with others who have experimented in the same direction. I have concluded that the laying capabilities of the principal varieties are about as follows:

Light Brahmas and partridge Cochins-Fggs

7 to the pound; lay 130 per annum. Dark Brahmas-Eggs, 8 to the pound; 'lay 120 per annum.

Black, White and Buff Cochins--Eggs, 8 to

the pound; lay 115 per annum. Plymouth Rocks-Eggs, 8 to the pound; lay

150 per annum. Houdans-Eggs, 8 to the pound; lay 150 per

La Fleche-Eggs, 7 to the pound; lay 130

Creve Coeurs-Eggs 8 to the pound; lay 140 per annum.

Black Spanish—Eggs, 7 to the pound; lay

140 per annum.

Leghorns-Eggs, 8 to the pound; lay 160 per

Hamburgs-Eggs, 9 to the pound; lay 150 Polish-Eggs, 9 to the pound; lay 125 per

Dominiques—Eggs, 9 to the pound; lay 135

per aunum. Games-Eggs, 9 to the pound; lay 130 per

Bantams-Eggs, 16 to the pound; lay 90 per

I regret very much that I did not keep account of the cost of the food consumed by each

variety.- Fanny Field in Ohio Farmer. A CURE FOR HYDROPHOBIA.

A correspondent of the Philadelphia Times. writes that for thirty years past a farmer named Fry, residing near Allentown, Pennsylvania, has treated hydrophobia with unvarying success by the following simple method:

The patient is to be kept free from excite ment of every sort, especially from that caused by the visits of sympathizing triends. The medicine is to be prepared by taking one ounce of elecampane root, powdered; one tablesprouful of madder and one quart of new milk, and boiling them all together, slowly (in a water The activity of the construction of the manager self and beautiful and the construction of the constructio

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Young man, if you are out of work, go bath, it possible), until reduced to a pint. The days, then intermit three days, then repeat and intermit again and again repeat. That is, nine wine glass fulls are taken in all, and there are three intermissions.

In support of the efficacy of this treatment it is stated that thirty years ago Mr. Reed and Daniel Mershon were bitten at Germantown by a rabid dog, that Mr. Reed was treated by an eminent physician and died of hydrophobia, selves imposed upon, yet we must sometimes while Mershon, under Fry's treatment, never suffered at all. A young man named Jacoby and a daughter-in law of John Boyer, at the Cor. of Millstreet and Chelten avenue, under similar treatment recovered from the dreadful disease about twenty years since, and in 1858 a policeman so far gone with hydrophobia as to have to be held in the carriage in which he was driven through Germantown to Mr. Fry's resi dence, was also treated with entire success. A number of additional cases are quoted, in all of which the remedy described is claimed to have effected complete cures.

SOLDIERS, ATTENTION!

VETERAN SOLDIERS' ORGANIZATION OF 1' Susquehanna County, Montrose, Pa., April 30, 1877. General Orders, No. 1.

I. Upon assuming command of the Veteran Soldiers' Organization of Suso'a County for the second time, I take the opportunity to thank the members of my Staff who so ably and efficiently aided me in the arduous duties of last year's "campaign." To Adj't. General Jessup and Q. M. Gen'l Watrous I am especially indebted. The able and efficient manner in which Col. Watrous conducted the Q. M. Department made it possible for the Encampment to pay its expenses. In behalf of the Organization I would tender him its thanks. To Col. Ha zzard, Col. Vanscoten, and the officers and soldiers of the two Battalions I am indebted for corteous and soldierly treatment, and for their aid and co-operation in rendering our Encampment of last year a grand success. To the efforts of Lt. Col. Clearwater the Organiza tion is indebted for the example set by the Lenox soldiers in procuring guns. In the light of last year's experience, the Gen'l Comd'g. cannot too strongly urge the importance of the Organization purchasing gans. The old "Vet" cannot play soldier without a gun. While it is not the purpose of our Organization to meet each year for "Drill" and military display, yet the "pomp and circumstance of glorious war" has not lost all its charm to the old soldier, and he is yet ready to show to his sweetheart, his wife, and his children, how he used to do "down in Dixie." Guns and accoutrements can now be procured at a 'nominal price, and the Gen'l to the Organization, informing them how, when, and where, and at what prices they can be procured.

II. The Gen'l Comd'g. hereby announces the following Staff Officers: They will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

Col. H. C. Jessup, Montrose, Adjutant Gen'l; Col. Chas. F. Watrous, Bridgewater, Q. M. Gen'l: Col. J. C. Morris. Middletown, Inspector Gen'l; Col. Harrison Hall, Susq'a Depot, Coms'y Gen'l; Maj. R. W. Blakeslee, Harford. Sergeon; Maj' H. A. Deans, Montrose, Chief of Sig. Service; G. T. Price, Harford, Chaplain; Lt. Col. G. L. Stone, New Miltord, Aidde-Camp; Maj. L. P. Mack, Lathrop, Aid-de-Camp; Capt. Augustus Smith, Franklin, Aidde-Camp.; Capt. H. A. Carter, Rush, Aid de-Camp; Capt. E. N. Barney, Brooklyn, Musical

The above named officers will report to the Comd'g. Gen'l for duty immediately. III. Until further orders the Head Quarters

of the Veteran Soldiers Organization of Susquehanna County will be Montrose, Pa. By command of

H. F. BEARDSLEY, Gen. Comd'g. Vet. Org. H. C. Jessup, Col. and Adj't Gen.

Correspondence.

FAIRDALE FACTS.

EDITORS DEMOCRAT: -1 am not accustomed to write for the public, but want Fairdale rep-

Fairdale is a snug little charge among the hills, with an industrious people, the offspring of christianity, with some of the living faith and principles of their ancestors.

A new barn was built last conference year on the parsonage lot, and paid for, as a centennial monument.

Faircale lies in Jessup township, is a quiet little village, with a church, two stores, two blacksmith shops, a wagon shop, three doctors and a preacher.

The people are much pleased with the return of their pastor, Rev. M. E. Bramhall. The conference Sabbath, in Fairdale, was a

blessed and profftable day. Br. Power, a new resident, gave us a good discourse on Higher Life of Christianity.

There are four new comers in the place and several sick persons. Miss Belle Bly is wasting away. The des-

troyer, consumption, is doing its work. No lisenced hotel here, nor temperance or

ganization. The officers of the M. E. Sabbath school were elected as follows: Superintendant, F. E. Barron; Assistant Superintendant, Rev. M. E. Bramhall: Secretary, Miss Sarah Roy;

Treasurer, G. P. Meeker jr. A. CITIZEN.

SPRINGVILLE.

MESSES HAWLEY & URUSER :- Hard winters are apt to bring bears from the forest to prey upon the defensless people - so hard times more than usual are bringing tramps among us. On Monday of last week such a one came to Mr. Geo, White's and asked for something to eat, 4 days, formerly of Gibson. while the good woman was preparing a repast he took their watch and left. Mr. W. followed him to the R. R. Depot, got back the and Ellen T. Towne. watch but let the scoundrel go.

worked for a few days and on Wednesday left suddenly. They soon missed their valuable watch and chain, presume he took it. They followed him but were not so successful as Mr. White.

We read in the old book, that some have enertained angels unaware, the people had better look sharp or they may entertain a different kind of spirits. If we are disposed to acts of benevolence, we are apt to find ourtake the risk.

his loss. Springville April, 21, 1877.

A GOLDEN WEDDING AT HERRICK.

At the foot of Elk Mountain in Herrick Township, Susquehanna County, dwell an aged couple who for half a century have walked the stormy paths of life side by side. On Sunday April 22d, was celebrated the fittieth anniversary of their wedding. Martin Bunnell and Irena, his wife, have lived for a time together seldom attained by people in these days. The celebration was somewhat of a surprise to the old couple. There were present their son Capt. L. M. Bunnell and wife, three daughters, one son-in-law, and five grandchildren, Rev L. L. Reese, pastor of the regular Baptist chuch. Mr. William Reese presided at the organ and rendered some very fine music appropriate to the occasion. Rev. Mr. Reese made some remarks which were well chosen and to the point, followed by Capt. Bunnell who tendered the congratulations, love and respect of the family to the aged and respected pair, after which he presented several valuable presents as mementoes of the happy occasion. A choir composed of several of the neighbors sang several pieces, then an adjournment was made to the dining room where the guests partook of an ample feast. Mr. Bunnell was born February 11th, 1801, and is in the 75th year of his age. Mrs. Bunnell was born February 9th, 1804, and is in the 74th year of her age. They were married April 22d, 1827 and settled at their present home in April 1830. May their declining years be spent in peace and quietude and their end be free from pain. One who was Present.

LIBERTY ITEMS.

Striving to profit by your advice to correspondents I will begin according to directions; first then, "Amusements," well there is nothing in that line; we are a very soher people with constitutions needing no such cheerful merriment, the few who were not born with their spectacles already on are growing old as fast as possible.

Next comes "Burglary," impossible to get and sustain the saving of 25 to 40 per cent. in rates the ghost of an item for this head, a professional Comd'g, will in a week or two, issue a circular | thief would as soon look for pearls in his pudding as for gold in Liberty.

"Change in bussiness firms," there is no change in firms but several in residences which I shall place under this head. Elder Brewster has moved to the corners near the church of which he is pastor, and some time we shall see a house go up there, that will add much to the looks of our little village Mr. Russel Sherman has moved to Binghamton....Mr. Judson Vanhouten has moved into the red house owned by Louis Howard ... Sheldon Stanford has moved into the house lormerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Wheat. .. Joseph Russel has moved into the house recently vacated by Henry Howard and has purchased the property.-That will do in the movingline so I'll move

to something else. Next comes "Crops." How can any one talk crops with the snow banks in sight; there is however a prospect of an abundant yield of pototoe bugs and grasshoppers, as they have already made their appearance waiting patiently for business with their characteristic vim.

Next comes "Discoveries in the mineral line," no item for this, but we have discovered that whatever some people touch turns to gold, their hands are a sort of crucible that transforms their coppers into richer coins,

"Churches," Our churches are all prospering and peacebly inclined if I may except a few unwise dissentions: the time has not yet come for us to "see eye to eye" and how very ungenerous to harbor unkind feelings because we do not. There was a quarterly meeting in the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday April 28th,

"Schools," Miss Brown from Forest Lake is to teach our school at the corners, commencing the first Monday in May. The Bible class of the Presbyterian church has lost two valuable members, B. W. Southworth and D. C. Marvin; it being the only class death has entered since the organization of the school four years ago.

"Sickness," Mr. John Ives has been dangerously ill a long time with the erysipelas, but is getting better. Dr. Brewster attends him.

"Building," Mr. Almeron Fish and W. Northrop are both preparing to erect new dwelling houses.

Marriages.

Woodruff-Nichols-At Tuscarora, by Rev. D. D. Gray, April 26th, 1877, Mr. Isaac Woodruff and Mrs. Charlotte Nichols, of Nicholson.

Deaths.

ELLIOT-In Ararat, April 11, 1877, Mr. Aron Elliot, aged 102 years and 5 months.

Towne-In Lamark, Carrol Co., 1'l., March 13, 1877, John S. Towne, aged 73 years.

GRANGER-In Fairdale, April 1, 1877, John W. Granger, Esq., in the 59th year of his age. NEWTON-At Elk Lake, April 10th, 1877, Anna Case Newton, wife of George W. New-

Woodruff-At her residence in Tuscarors, Junuary 28d, 1877, Mary wife of Isaac Woodrun, aged 74 years.

STARKS-In Carbondale, Pa., Feb. 3, 1877, Mrs. Mary Starks, aged 72 years, 5 months and

Towns—In Lanark, Carrol Co., Ill., April 5th, 1877, Fannic, little daughter of Myron S. Nicholson On Sunday morning, April 20th Another of that sort came to J. K. Aldrich, 1877, Mr. Thomas Nicholson. Funeral from

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pleasant countenance, which will be greatly missed. Resolved, That we will cherish her memory; and endeavor to realize, that death will claim

each of us, that we must either leave or lose, all we hold sacred in the grange. Resolved, That with one accord we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the widowed mother in her twofold affliction hoping opportunities may arise, wherein, in a slight degree we may

his late residence, Springville, Pa., Tuesday,

Levina Nye, of congestion of the lungs.

resolutions were read and adopted.

NYE-In Jackson, March 26, 1877, Sister

At a regular meeting of Highland Grange,

WHEREAS, God has in His mysterious, but

infinite wisdom, removed from our midst our

worthy sister Levina Nye, whose quiet and

gentle manner as an officer, bore our esteem,

and endeared her to each of us, Therefore.

Resolved, That in the death of our respected

sister, the Grange has lost an unassuming mem.

ber, a good offcer, a youthful companion, a

339, April 21st, he following Preamble, and

May 1, at 2 o'clock p. m.

this; house. Resolved. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to sister Nye, (mother of the deceased) and to the Farmers Friend, and County papers for publication. Hall to be draped for 60 days. JAMES CURTIS.

hat the dark cloud of sorrow overshadowing

ELLA ESTRABROORS. JULIA W. GALAWAY.

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F. H. STEVENS.

Montrose, April 25th, 1877.

DMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance, and by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Susquehanna County, to me directed. I will offer for sale at public vendue, on the premises, in Harlord township, Saturday the 12th day of May, 1877,

, at 2 o'clock p. m., the interest of Solomon Lott, dec'd.. in the following described valuable farm, late of Solomon Lott, dec'd., viz: Situate in the township of Harford, county of Susquebanna and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and Susquebanna and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows; to wit: Beginning at a heap of stones on line of lands of Jeremiah Rogers, thence by lands of C. N. Forsyth south 85% degrees east 160 rods to a heap of stones, thence by lands of Wellington Harding, south 3% degrees west 116% rods to a heap of stones, thence by lands of Seth W. Thatcher north 55% degrees west 116 rods to an apple tree—formerly a beech—thence by lands of Levi R. Peck north 3% degrees east 116% rods to the place of beginning, containing vacces and 109 rods and allowances, be the same more or iess, on which is a dwelling house, barn, fruit trees, &c., &c.

TERMS:—One third down at time of sale, one third in six months' the balance in one year thereafter, to be secured as purchase money lien.

WILLIAM E. BRUNDAGE. Administrator.

TREDERICK BRANDT.

MERCHANT TAILOR.

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BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

April 18, 1877.—6m

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W. N. CLAPP

A cents will do wall to address, enclosing as above.

April 25, 1877.