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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Personal.

The junior of the REVIEW witnessed the rising of the sun from Mt. Pisgah this morning.

G. S. ACKLEY goes to Spring Hill this morning to spend a couple of weeks on his farm.

Miss MARY HARKINS. of Wilkes Barre, is visiting her sister Mrs. ED. LYNCH, on Locust avenue.

S. H. SACKETT and D. E. HUNTLEY have returned to Slaterville Springs, feeling well satisfied that they experienced great benefit from their former visit.

J. B. STARK, wife and children, of Philadelphia, are in town and will speud the balance of the summer here as the guests of Mrs, S.'s father, Judge PARSONS.

Rev HALLOCK ARMSTROMG, for a long time pastor at Monroeton, will preach his farewell sermon in the Presbyterian church of that village next Sunday morning, July 10, at 10 o'clock, and at McCord school house at 2 o'clock, p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. NEWELL, of Horn Brook, were agreeable callers at this office yesterday. After being made acquainted with some of the work necessary to the production of a paper, Mrs. N. said she should hereafter peruse the REVIEW with real reverence.

S. A. SCRIBNER, advance agent for ZERA and LA CARDO, the renowned Magicians and Ventriloquists, is in town making arrangements for a series of gift entertainments to be be given in Mercnr Hall Friday, Saturday and Monday evenings. We shsll have more to say about it hereafter. Read the advertisement.

A correspondent writing from Union, N. Y., to the Binghamton *Tribune* says:—"Mr. FRED BROWN, foamerly a drug clerk in Union, now occupying the position of head clerk in the house of C. B. PORTER, of Towanda, is in town spending a two weeks' vacation.—Mr. BROWN is a young man Union is proud to own, and he meets a warm welcome from his many friends heae."

We are sadly pained to learn that our esteemed friend, ex-treasurer BUNYAN of Granville, is suffering from a severe paralytic shock sustained last week. His power of speech is gone and one half his body com pletely paralyzed. Mr. BUNYAN is well advanced in years, but his temperate life and abstemious habits have left him with a strong constitution, which we sincerely hope may enable him to overcome his present prostration.

The sale of MCINTYRES hardware store advertised to come off yesterday, was postponed until Friday.

Quite a uumber of iocal items prepared for this issue are crowded out and will appear to-morrow.

Towanda presented quite a deserted appearance on Monday. Most business places were closed and many proprietors and clerks took advantage of the holiday to visit with their families or go into the countrv. The few gentlemen seen on the street kept clase to the telegraph office, anxious to catch every item of news from Washington.

When the news was received here Saturday evening that the President was dead, the church bells were tolled, emblems of mourning were displayed from the *Republicnn* and office of MADILL & KINNEY; the Grand Army flag was displayed at half-mast, and all men went about the street looking as sad as though their own households had been stricken. The interior of the Episcopal church was draped in mourning. Tne contradietion of the sad news early Sunday morning seemed almost too good to be true, and inspired all hearts with devout thankfulness.

Mrs. SALLY A. OWEN, who had been very ill for some time, died at the residence of her son-in-law, A. J. FISHER, on Fourth street, early Tuesday morning, at the advanced age of 78 years. Her son, GEO. W. OWEN, of Philadelphia, arrived just before her death, having been summoned from Staunton, Va., where he is temporarily residing. Funeral, 4 o'clock this afternoon at Mr. FISHER'S house.

Miss EDITH A. THOMPSON, who had been ill for several months, died at the residence of her parents in Herrick, yesterday afternoon. The deceased was well known as a successful teacher and a very excellent yonng lady.

Miss BRINK will lecture at the M. E-Church in Wyalusing on Hindoostan, the customs, habits ways etc., of that peculiar people, Wednesday evening July 6th.

The President Better.

The President's condition has apparently been improving since Sunday and hopes are entertained that he may yet recover though still in a critical condition. The following official bulletins contain the latest information:

SOME ENCOURAGEMENT!

EXECUTIVE MANSION, 1:15, P. M.

There is no material change in the con dition of the President. Dr. Agnew of Philadelphia, who came here to consult with the resident physicians, says that in his judgment there are some features of the case that are extremely encouraging. The kidneys and intestines are entirely uninjured. The liver is lacerated to some extent, and the large nerves leading from the spine to lower extremities h ave been so injured as to cause pain in the feet and the patient is slowly gaining strehgth to meet rhe secondary inflammation when it occurs. As yet there is no evidence and nothing to indicate that it will be of any extraordinary extent.

JULY 5—8:30, P. M.

The condition of the President continues as favorable as at last bulletin.—His pulse is 106, temperature 100-9 and respiration 24. Another bulletin will be issued to-morrow morning.

HOW IT WAS DONE.

Of those who actually saw the shooting of the President by Charles Guiteau Mrs. White, the woman in charge of the waiting room where the tradgedy occurred, was the first to reach the wounded President, and she gives the following details:

"I saw the whole thing. The man came in the east door just as the President entered the middle door from B st. When he approached within five feet of the President he fired, aiming, I thought, at the heart and missed him. The President did not appear to notice him, but walked right on past the man. He fired again and the President fell. He fell at the turn of the second row of seats. I was the first to reach him and lifted up his head. The janitor rushed in and called the police. I held him till some men came and lifted him up, He did not speok to me or to any one until a young boy, who I thiuk was his son, came. After he had vomited I think he said something to him. When he was lifted upon the mattress he spoke or groaned. No words passed between the President and the man who did the shooting. The man walked deliberately out of the center door, where somebody headed him off; he turned and started back the way he came and was seized at the door by the police. I have seen the man once or twice before. One time in particular. I noticed him a few days ago; he promenaded up and down just as he did to day, wiping his face, apparently excited. I thought he was waiting for some friends. This morning he waited here half an hour, walking up and down. There were few people in the room when the shot was fired. All the passengers had gone out. I think there was a gentlemon standing near the door."

There is no doubt the assassin is a lunatic and that the bloody deed was premeditated.

Among the numerous messages of condolence forwarded to the White House, were the following:

NEW YORK, July 2.

To the Hon. James G. Blaine, Secretary of State. Washington: Your telegram, with its deplorable narrative, did not reach me promptly, owing to absence. I am profoundly shocked at the dreadful news. The hopes you express relieve somewhat the horror of the first announcement. I wait for further intelligence with the greatest anxiety. Express to the President and those about him my great grief and sympathy, in which the whole American people will join.

C. A. ARTHUR.

GOVERNOR'S ISLAND, N. Y.

To Gen. W. T. Shearman, Washington:—I trust that the assault on the life of the President to-day may not have fatal consequences, and that in the interests of the country the act may be shown to have been that of a madman. Thanks for your dispatch and for your promise of further information.

W. S. HANCOCK.

ELBERON, N. J., July 2.

To Secretary Lincoln. Washington: Please dispatch me the condition of the President. News received conflicts. I hope the most favorable may be confirmed. Express to the President my deep sympathy and hope that he may speedily recover. U. S. GRANT.

Queen Victoria also sent expressions of deep sympathy.

3 MONSTER GIFT NIGHTS. 3

MERCUR HALL.

ZERA & LA CARDO.

The world renowned

Magiciens and Vintriloquists.

With their Great Gift Festival.

50 Costly Presents given away nightly, the like was never seen before. Positively nothing but presents of intrisic valne given away.

Wait for us! Watch for us!

Will positively appear at the above named Hall on

FRIDAY, SATURDAY and MONDAY,

July 8th, 9th and 11th.

—— Look at our low Prices. ——

Admssion with one envelope, - - 25 cte.
Reserive Seast with two envelopes, - - 35 cts.
Children under 12 with one envelope, - - 15 cts.

STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS and Expenditures of the School District of Towanda Borough from May 31, 1880, to June 1, 1881.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand	$3202.02	
From State approriation	966.84	
" A Wickham, collector on Duplicats of 1879 & '80	1048.62	
" A. Wickham, collector, on duplecates of 1880 & '81	5430 43	
" County Superintendent	7.50	
" Jno. A. Codding, Fines, &c	5.00	
" E. T. Burgan, Sch'l Bills	65.62	
" S. W. Alvord for brick sold	10.50	
" County Taeasurer	79.08	$ 10,815,61
Total Receipts		10,815.61

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries of Teachers	3960.00	
" " Janitor	330.00	
" " Treasure & Secretary	137.50	
Paid percentage to Collector	192.43	
" Intrust on Bonds	675.27	
" Bonds	3000.00	
" for Printing	47.00	
" " Coal	246.63	
" " Lot in Third Ward	800.00	
" " Insurance	11.67	
" Miscellaneous expenses	112.81	9,513.31
Balance cash in Treasury		$1,302.30

ASSETTS.

Real Estate and buildings		27,100 00	
School Furniture		1,575.00	
Due from Universaiist church	$1200.00		
Dne from Uuiversalist Church Intrest	360.00		
Due from A. Wickham, collector, on duplicate of '80 & '81	961.85		
Cash in Treasury	1302.30	3,824.15	31,499.15

LIABILITIES.

Bonds drawing 6 per ct interest	2000.00	
" " 5 " " "	10,500.00	
Out standing orders, interest and unsettled bills estimated	500.00	13,000.00,

BRADFORD COUNTY, ss.

We the undersigned auditors of Towanda Borough have audited the accounts of the Towanda Borough School District, and find same correct.

H. T. STEVENS,
H. L. LAMOREAUX,
July 1st, 1881. F. E. JAYNE,
Anditors.

I have a number of

SINGER,
HOWE, and
WILCOX & GIBBS

Sewing Machines in good condition, for sale at very low figures.

Sewing Machines rented at 50 cents a week. O. A. BLACK,
June 16, 3m. Agent.

POWELL & Co

A large assortment of CANTON and MADRAS DRESS GINGHAMS just received; also large additions to their stock of CALICOES, APRON GINGHAMS, CRETONNES, FURNITURE PRINTS, &c.

Powell & Co.

have just received 10,000 yard of PRINTED LAWNS, the best quality and newest styles, which they will sell at NINE CENTS per yard.

Powell & Co.

have just opened a large stock of LACE AND PLAIN BUNTING, with a large assortment of NEW STYLES of WORSTED DRESS GOODS, which they are offering at great bargains.