

Patton Courier.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 3, 1896.

NEWSPAPER LAW DECISIONS. 1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary are considered as wishing to renew their subscriptions.

Local Time Table. The hours of arrival and departure of trains at the Patton Station are as follows:

A Woman's Soliloquy in 1896. I know my husband really tries to please me to make me pleased. But he can't seem to make such pies.

1896. Single bells. Sleighing elegant. The small boy is happy. Get your ice houses filled. Did you swear off Tuesday?

Dr. J. I. Hatch spent Christmas at Philadelphia. The snow was fifteen inches deep in this locality. Americans use 12,000,000 postage stamps daily.

Frank Owens visited relatives in Clearfield last week. Mrs. E. F. McLaughlin is visiting her parents at Mahaffey. Wm. H. Sandford and family spent Christmas at Philipsburg.

H. A. Wigton, of Clearfield, was a guest at Hotel Beck Saturday. Fall styles in ladies hats at Alice A. Ashcroft's millinery store. 44-45 W. L. Douglas the wonderful shoe man has a new "ad" in this issue.

W. G. Haupt, of Williamsport, stopped at the Palmer house Monday. Geo. B. Hopkins, of Altoona, stopped at the Commercial hotel last week. Skates! Skates! Skates! at the Cambria Hardware company; all prices. -52tf

Skating is good. How does it go to write '96? Russian railroads have abolished free passes. Pennsylvania has 99 street railway companies.

E. C. Brown spent his Christmas at Philadelphia. Fried chicken at the Kinkead Restaurant. 40tf E. Johnston came over from Altoona Sunday.

Try the COURIER for job work. Prices moderate. Guy Snyder, of Clearfield, spent Sunday in Patton. W. H. Moore came over from Hastings New Years day.

John K. Powell, of Crosson, was a visitor to Patton Saturday. Dr. V. A. Murray, spent Christmas with friends in Philadelphia. The Methodist revival meeting still continues with much success.

J. J. Nichols, of New York, registered at the Palmer house Friday. Andrew Carlson, of Glen Campbell, spent part of last week in Patton. Go and get prices on carving knives at the Cambria Hardware company. 52tf

Wm. M. Harper, of Lock Haven, was a guest at the Commercial hotel Monday. A. J. Jackson was at Portsmouth, O., last week looking after business interests. Jas. F. Young and Jas. Hertzog, of Ebensburg, were visitors to this place last week.

Alice A. Ashcroft is selling 45 cent ribbons at 25 cts., and other goods at a reduction. Carving knives and forks a specialty at the Cambria Hardware company's store. 52tf Miss Mary Christy, of Gallitzin, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mellon over Christmas.

Ladies hats reduced in price at Alice A. Ashcroft's millinery store up-stairs in Good building. C. A. Repsher, an employe of this office, spent a few days visiting friends in DuBois last week. John Ashcroft, who has been confined to his home the past two weeks is slowly convalescing.

Walter H. Perkins, a traveling salesman of Pittsburg, was a guest at the Palmer house Friday. H. Grant Miller and wife, of Pittsburg, were visitors to this place on Thursday of last week. Master George Townsend, of Clearfield, was a guest of Miss Katie Wilson Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. John R. Cordell is quite ill at her father's, Jacob Thomas, owing to the severe shock from the burning of her home on Sunday morning at Thomas' Mills. Ex-County Commissioner, John Kirby, aged about 80 years and very well known throughout this county, died at his home in Johnstown on Sunday afternoon at about 2:45 o'clock.

A "grand reception" was held at a township school house between this place and St. Augustine Sunday morning. Several Patton parties participated. The particulars will not be published owing to embarrassment, etc. Dr. Hatch declares that the first person who offers him a cigar during 1896 will pay a penalty. Another case of swear off. Wouldn't like to offer the doctor a box, or even lay a half-smoked toby down in his presence, would you?

The entertainment given by the Carrolltown Quartette club on Christmas night was pronounced a grand success. Will Thompson, Elery Hartshorn, Misses Louisa McPherson and Grace Jackson drove up from this place and were in attendance. United States Marshal arrested Peter Kreber, a butcher and produce dealer of Clearfield last Monday afternoon, for selling oleomargarine in violation of the law. Kreber entered bail for his appearance before the United States Commissioner at Altoona.

It seems hardly possible, but nevertheless it is true, that on an average every fifty-fifth person you meet wears W. L. Douglas shoes. Did you ever realize what an immense undertaking it is to supply one article of wearing apparel to over one million people. Mr. Hugh Jones, of Cambria township, is the owner of an instrument which he supposes to be 250 years old. It is a violin and has been handed down to him from his grandfather. A date on the inside of it indicates that it was made in 1638. -Ebensburg Mountaineer.

The government of the United States took a hand in road building for the first forty years of its existence. The Cumberland pike, crossing the states of Maryland, Virginia Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and extending to Illinois, costing over \$6,000,000, was the work of the general government. L. A. Craver, the genial and popular proprietor of the Blair House, Ebensburg, a few days ago butchered a couple of porkers. One was 16 months old and weighed 425 pounds and the other one, 17 months old, brought the scales down to 470 pounds. -Ebensburg Herald.

Seven hundred and forty-one tons of gold, or their equivalent, were required to pay the expenses for the United States Government for the year 1894. The necessary teams to haul it, allowing a ton, and twenty-five feet to a team, would make a procession over 24 miles long. Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Dora Goldstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Goldstein of this place, to Mr. Aaron Goldman a prominent business man of Hastings, on Thursday evening, January 10, 1896, at the home of the bride's sister, in Portage, Pa. -South Fork Record.

The Spangler Improvement company, Spangler, Cambria county, capital, \$25,000, was chartered Monday. Directors, E. A. Bigler, W. W. Betts, Clearfield; J. A. Beaver, J. L. Spangler, Bellfonte; William L. Dunca, Philipsburg; John W. Capbell, Blairsville; Joseph A. Gray, Carrolltown. Geo. S. Good, of Lock Haven, was at this place a few hours one day last week. He just lately returned from a trip to the southwest where he was looking after the interests of Geo. S. Good & Co., who are building a large railroad in that section, of which particulars were given in a late issue of the Patton Courier.

Harry Gould, of the firm of Ricker, Gould & Co., machinists of Patton, has been nursing a sore finger during the holidays. A few years ago he had his index finger of his right hand injured in a manner which necessitated its amputation at the first joint but caused him trouble afterwards. He consulted Dr. Worrell who amputated the injured member above the second joint a few days before Christmas. Mr. Gould was able to attend to his duties a few days later and says the finger gives him but very little trouble now. Backen's Arnica Salve. The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sore, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Dr. C. E. Belcher, city drug store.

Union Veterans Union. There will be a muster of a command of the Union Veteran Union at Good's hall on Saturday, January 12, 1896. All soldiers of the late war are respectfully invited. By command of ROBT. TUTTLE, Col. 2nd Dept. Department Com. S. E. BARR, Ad. Gen'l. Every business should have one of Warren's signs. -40tf

EBENSBURG, Pa., Jan. 1, 1896. Sheriff-Elect D. W. Conlter, will move his family to Ebensburg to-day. Miss Emma and Annie Davison visited friends at Johnstown last week. Mr. H. R. Fenlon, of Bellefonte, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fenlon. W. F. Connell, who is employed by the Johnson company in Johnstown, visited his parents on Christmas. Walter Perry, who is attending the Ebensburg public school, spent the holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Perry, of Chest Springs.

The Ladies Aid, of the Congregational church of this place, held a social at the residence of Mr. Harrison Davis Friday evening. Misses Fanny Shoemaker and Victoria and May Brown, all of whom attend Xavier's Seminary at Latrobe, spent Christmas week at their homes in this place. Messrs. Walter Shoemaker, who is a student of medicine at the Pennsylvania University, Philadelphia, and Donald Shoemaker, who attends St. Vincent's college near Latrobe, spent the holiday vacation at their home in this place.

The Cantata-"Santa Claus on Time"-produced in the Presbyterian church at Ebensburg on Christmas evening was skillfully carried through by the young performers, and was attended by a large audience; in fact, the church was crowded. Mr. J. A. Boney, of the West ward, departed for Crosson on Tuesday where he has accepted a position as weighmaster with the Crosson Coal and Coke company. Mrs. Boney will leave for there later. Their many friends, while regretting their departure, express their best wishes for success and prosperity in their new home.

HOW JOHN PATTON, JR., OF MICHIGAN, IN A HOT CONTEST FOR U. S. SENATOR. A dispatch to the Monday's Pittsburg Times dated December 30th says that the contest for the short term for United States Senator to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator Stock bridge, has begun in earnest and all the aspirants have opened headquarters. The incumbent by appointment, John Patton, Jr., has the lead, backed by Gov. Rich, but the workers of Congressman J. C. Burrows claim they have 66 of the 130 votes. This claim was cut down this afternoon when the Wayne county delegation which Burrows workers relied on as solid for him, announced that 10 of the delegation would vote for Patton. Schuyler C. Olds claims enough votes to dictate terms for himself as a dark horse. Congressman Stephenson lays claims to the Upper Peninsula delegation, but neither Patton nor Olds will concede this.

For the long term, Senator McMillan will be re-elected, getting every vote in the legislature except Donovan, of Bay, the lone Democrat who will vote for E. F. Uni, United States assistant Secretary of State. THE MEETINGS WERE HELD IN PHILADELPHIA FRIDAY DECEMBER 28, AND AS THE SAME INTERESTS ARE IDENTIFIED WITH EACH OF THE THREE COMPANIES THE AGREEMENT OF CONSOLIDATION AND MERGER WAS ADOPTED WITHOUT A DISSENTING VOICE. The consolidated lines will be known as the Pittsburgh & Eastern, and the work of construction will be commenced in the spring. When completed the line will extend from West Newton, on the Younggheney, where it will connect with the Vanderbilt line, to a connection with the Beech Creek road, another Vanderbilt line, at Mahaffey. Persons identified with the Loyalhanna Coal and Coke company are the largest stockholders in the consolidated lines.

Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertised Druggist and get a Trial Bottle Free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor, free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing. C. E. Belcher's City Drug Store.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough, with the best results." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by C. E. Belcher's City Drug Store.

For fruits go to Kinkead's -40tf

SLEIGHING IS GOOD! Come to Altoona for Winter Coats OVER 1-3 SAVED ON A Lady's Coat AT GABLE & CO.'S

Worth \$15.00 SOLD FOR \$9.95. We open the after Holiday season with a great sale of Ladies' Stylish Winter Coats, a limited number of which we have been fortunate enough to procure at a price which enables us to sell them at a saving to the buyer of over one-third the regular cost.

Another Big Offer! Ladies' Coats. The \$10.50 KIND AT \$6.95. For a little over half-price we will place with the ladies of this county and vicinity one lot of fine Coats-Beavers, Meltons and Rough effects-all the latest styles.

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Turn Your Back On the dealer who constantly says he sells below cost. The man who makes such statements isn't a safe merchant to pin your faith to. We don't sell below cost-just a little above. And yet our prices are pretty certain to be the lowest in town, quality considered. It doesn't cost anything to call and see for yourself.

Face About And when you contemplate buying anything in the CLOTHING, GENTS' FURNISHINGS, Shoes Or Anything in our line you can be suited to a tee at our Store in the Good Building.

COURTIN' It is usually done by "lamp light" (?) but we have an entirely different method. We have no objection to the old-fashioned way, but radical times requires treatment. We have made arrangements with the largest Book concerns in the country to supply us with a certain number of their choice books by the most popular writers of the day; which books we are distributing absolutely free to persons dealing at our store.

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