

# VILLAGE RECORD.

## WAYNESBORO.

Friday, March 19, 1869.

At Savannah green peas are now high, and spring flowers are blooming.

General *ad interim* Thomas is to retire by order of the President.

Mrs Lydia Beecher, the mother of Henry Ward Beecher, died in Brooklyn on Friday, aged 80.

Both Houses of Congress have passed a resolution to adjourn on Friday, the 26th inst. So that the session will be a very short one.

Robert Martin Douglas, a son of the late Senator Douglas, has been appointed Assistant Private Secretary to the President.

Sugar has declined in prices in Philadelphia, and the papers of that city state that the market is quite dull, in both raw and refined sugars.

John Sandford Young shot Richard Powell, son of ex-Governor Powell, through the heart at Henderson, Ky., on Thursday, killing him instantly. Both had been drinking.

A paper announcing the fact that a colored boy had been appointed as a page in the New York Legislature, says, "It is not the first dark page in the history of that Legislature."

Three bachelors in an Iowa town played a novel game of cards the other day. The loser to marry during the year, or support the other two bachelors for the following year.

In New York last year there were erected five hundred new buildings, most of which were dwellings. In Philadelphia there were 4,881 dwellings erected, besides 1216 enlargements and additions.

The election in Connecticut this year—which occurs on Monday, April 5—is of unusual importance. In addition to the State ticket, members of Congress are to be chosen and a Legislature which will have to act upon the Fifteenth Amendment to the Constitution insuring impartial suffrage.

The Republican State Convention of Virginia, on Wednesday last nominated as its candidates, Gov. H. H. Wells, for Governor; Dr. J. D. Harris, (colored,) Lieutenant Governor; Thomas H. Bowden, Attorney General; and A. M. Crane, editor of the Winchester Journal, Congressman at large.

Great preparations are being made to celebrate the completion of the Pacific Railroad. It will be formally opened by a grand excursion on the 4th of next July. Gov. Haight, of California, has received an invitation to meet the Governors of other States in Chicago, to participate in the opening excursion. Part of the programme is said to be the simultaneous starting of two "through trains," one from New York, the other from San Francisco. It will be the biggest railroad event the world has seen.

THAT SUGAR.—A Kentucky paper relates the following: "A mother and her child were accidentally ground up in Bogg's sugar cane mill last week." It is with no desire to make light of so melancholy an occurrence that we inquire of the trade, "Has any of that sugar come into market yet?"

Letters from Washington state that there is a quiet but earnest discussion among the colored people concerning the appointment of some representative of their race as Minister of the United States to Hayti. Mr. John M. Langston is mentioned as one whose claims and qualifications have been canvassed.

Nightly there are seven hundred persons supplied with lodgings in the New York police stations. This indicates the vast number of homeless and destitute persons found in that city. About fifteen per cent. of them are Americans by birth, about one quarter of them females, about three fourths of them are persons who habitually, throughout the year, have no other homes or lodging places. About one quarter of them can read and write, and about one tenth of them have no regular trade or business.

President Grant has completed his Cabinet by the nomination of Hon. George S. Boutwell, of Massachusetts, as Secretary of the Treasury, Hon. Hamilton Fish, of New York, as Secretary of State, in the place of Hon. E. B. Washburne, who resigns to accept the position of Minister to France, and of Gen. John A. Rawlings, of Illinois, as Secretary of War, in place of Gen. Schofield, who held the place temporarily. The Cabinet consists of the following gentlemen:

Hon. Hamilton Fish, New York, Secretary of State.  
Hon. George S. Boutwell, Massachusetts, Secretary of the Treasury.  
Hon. J. A. J. Creswell, Maryland, Postmaster General.  
Gen. John A. Rawlings, Illinois, Secretary of War.  
Hon. Adolph E. Borie, Pennsylvania, Secretary of the Navy.  
Gen. J. D. Cox, Ohio, Secretary of the Interior.  
Judge E. B. Hoar, Massachusetts, Attorney General.

# LOCAL MATTERS.

Garden Seeds fresh and pure, at Bonbrake's Drug Store.

OMITTED.—In publishing the Democratic ticket last week the name of W. F. Horner, candidate for constable, was omitted.

Miss S. A. French's select school for the Summer will open on Monday, March 22d.

Leads the Watch-maker, wants to be remembered on or before the 1st day of April by such as are paying up.

REMEMBER.—That to-day (Friday) is election day. Go to the polls and deposit your ballots.

GARDEN SEEDS.—Grown last season and warranted true to name by the Ryder association, sold only by Reid & Waynant.

LIME.—Hess & Bro. of this vicinity are now prepared to supply the public with fresh wood-burnt lime. See advertisement.

A well-written article on the subject of Education will be found on first page, to which we invite special attention.

Rev. A. M. Kester, of the M. E. Church, was last week transferred from the Baltimore to the Central Pennsylvania Conference.

HAULING.—Mr. J. Keepers is now running a wagon regularly between this place and Greencastle. Persons having produce, merchandise, etc., to convey to or from should patronize Mr. K. See advertisement.

At a meeting of the German Reformed congregation in their church on last Sabbath, Rev. H. W. Hiebman was elected Pastor. A call will be made out so soon as the salary is arranged.

NEW SIGN.—Our enterprising Insurance agent has put up a very handsome sign above his office door, which we trust will attract the attention of all who are thinking about having their lives and properties insured.

Wednesday last was St. Patrick's day. As the weather proved favorable a large quantity of cabbage seed was doubtless sown. Our Dutch friends may therefore anticipate a plentiful "kraut season" and a good time coming.

MAJ. D. H. BROTHERTON.—We learn from a private letter received here on Wednesday evening, that this gallant officer is now stationed at Fort Lays, Kansas, on the line of the U. P. R. R. Was in good health and excellent spirits, having recently made an overland trip from Fort Dodge.

GRADUATED.—At the annual commencement of the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia, on the 12th inst., the degree of Doctor of Medicine was conferred upon Samuel K. Saivoly, of this place. He is a deserving young man and passed a highly creditable examination. We wish our young friend success in his profession.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. J. W. Wightman will preach in the Presbyterian Church on next Sabbath evening. There will be preaching every evening during the week in the Church. Rev. Mr. Hays of the Central Presbyterian Church, of Chambersburg, will assist the Pastor.

ENTERPRISE BUILDING ASSOCIATION.—A special meeting of the Enterprise Building Association will be held on Monday evening next, the 22d inst., above Diekel's Grocery, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

A full attendance is earnestly requested.

RECEIPTS.—For subscription since last issue:

John Shank, (of Juno)	\$2.00
John Gehl, (3 copies)	6.00
Wm Starzman,	2.00
John S. Oiler,	4.00
Philip Morgal,	2.00
Wm. Gibler,	2.00
Jacob Stouffer (of C.)	2.00
Geo. Hoover,	2.00

INDICTED FOR MURDER.—The Grand Jury of Washington county, now in session, have found a true bill against Mrs Mary E. Rowland, and a negro man named Charles Carroll, charging them with the killing of Andrew Rowland, husband of the former.—Mr. R. was murdered in the early part of last fall.

DISSOLVED.—It will be seen by reference to our advertising columns that Messrs. Fisher & Logan, Merchant Tailors of Hagerstown, have dissolved partnership by mutual consent. The business will be continued by the latter gentleman. Mr. L. is a clever business man and will no doubt continue to be liberally patronized.

DEAD.—Mr. Humphrey Hicks, a well known citizen, formerly of Leitersburg, Md., died of heart disease at his residence in Quincy township on Saturday last. Mr. H. was aged about 45 years.

BEGGARS.—We never see a poor, miserable wreck of a man, begging for something to keep body and soul together for a little while longer, without wondering what his history is. There is often more that is strange and thrilling in the life of one of these stranded barks on the world's tempestuous sea, than in the career of a whole fleet of those who have been wafted on prosperous gales.

MONS INDIANTAS.—Another attempt was made to burn out Capt. J. J. Patton, of Mercersburg, on the 9th inst. About a quarter past 10 o'clock in the evening, an explosion took place in the garret and in a few minutes thereafter the building was on fire and was burned to the first story before the citizens succeeded in arresting the flames. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

Dr. James W. Robinson from the Cove, in Fulton county, and two citizens of Mercersburg, charged with the commission of the crime, have, since been arrested and committed to jail. One of the latter was taken from his bed the same night and several attempts made to hang him. Report says he succeeded in cutting himself down with his penknives and made his escape. He has since entered suit against a number of citizens for the offense, who have entered bail for their appearance at Court.

A desperate clan of villains must be quartered in that place or vicinity.

LEARN TRADES.—It is a pity that there is so little disposition to learn useful trades among the youth of the day. They want to be clerks, which business is over-crowded, or to enter one of the professions, where success now is rarely achieved. They can be much more useful to society, and more certain of making an honest and honorable livelihood, by mastering a trade, which is a sure reserve to fall back upon in after life in case of failure in some other calling, and in nine cases out of ten, pays better than a profession.

LONGEVITY.—The Williamsport Bulletin of Saturday contains the following in reference to a boy residing in that city: "A few days ago we had a conversation with a man residing in this city, who owns to the age of ninety-three years. His activity and appearance led us to inquire about his birth-place, knowledge of the country, &c., when we were convinced that his memory ran back nearly a century. He is active, works at hard labor every day, and will lift as much as any man of his weight in the city. But judge of our astonishment when he said: 'Oh, my father will be here in the summer; you ought to see him! He stated that his father was actually living in Maryland, at the age of one hundred and twenty years, and he would be in Williamsport in the summer, if he lived. The young man states that he is one of twenty-four brothers and sisters.'"

THE WHEAT.—Everywhere the word is that the wheat never looked better at this time of the year. Traveling agents in all parts of the country concur in this pleasing report. It will be worth the consideration of every farmer who still holds his old crop, whether it is not advisable to dispose of it soon. Let us keep watch a few days longer, both for the prospect of the coming harvest and the tendency of the market. If he continues to hear good reports, and discovers a downward tendency of prices, he may safely conclude it wise to sell what he may have on hand.

At the annual meeting of the East Pennsylvania M. E. Conference held at Danville, Pa., Rev. D. Sheffer was assigned to Hazelton, Pa. He will preach his farewell sermon on next Sabbath evening. He will carry with him to his new home the best wishes and warmest regards of our citizens generally.

Rev. John A. Demoyor has been assigned to this charge.

SALE REGISTER.—The public sales advertised in the Record occur as follows: Samuel Needy, near Waynesboro, March 22.  
David Steffy, near Harbaugh's Church, March 23.  
David H. Myers, near Mt. Hope, March 24.  
Israel Oiler, near Waynesboro, March 24.  
S. J. Ober, near Hopewell, March 25.  
Peter Corbett, near Hopewell, March 27.

The young ladies of a certain town out West have formed a society for the redemption of young men from bad habits.—Each of the members has solemnly pledged herself not to receive the attentions of any young man who indulges in the use of liquor, tobacco profane or obscene language. We wish the society success, but opine that if such a society was formed in Waynesboro, the number of old maids hereabout 10 or 15 years hence would be frightful to contemplate.

CURCULIO.—The Germantown Telegraph does not believe in the cure-alls and washes recommended for killing the curculio. It says: "The only partial remedy is to jar the tree every morning, soon and night, from the time the plum is large enough to be attacked until the seed is hard, when it desists from its labors."

GETTYSBURG NATIONAL MONUMENT.—Senator Morton, of Indiana, has accepted the invitation of the board of commissioners of the Gettysburg National Cemetery, to deliver the address on the 1st of July next, on the occasion of the dedication of the monument, which will be completed by that time. An original poem will be delivered by Bayard Taylor, and the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher will perform the duties of Chaplain.

Shakers' Garden Seeds, best in the market, at the Corner Drug Store. The Daylight Harrow sold only at the Corner Drug Store.

Forty millions annually are said to be earned by washing shirts.

WESTON'S POLICE.—Secretary Boutwell made the following remarks on financial matters at the Republican State Convention in Massachusetts last fall:

We do not propose to tolerate, sanction, or permit an issue of demand notes payable in coin to be exchanged for the time bonds of the United States. We intend to limit, and, if necessary, to diminish gradually, the volume of paper money, until it approximates in value to the standard of coin. We intend that there shall be one currency for the bondholder, the merchant, the farmer, the pensioner and the laborer. That currency shall be of the value of gold. When this is done the public debt will be paid, and the resources of the country may permit, and to the satisfaction of those who pay and of those who receive. When the credit of the country is restored, as it will be by the single fact of the election of General Grant, we can issue bonds payable after ten or twenty years, bearing a lower rate of interest, and thus save annually the sum of \$20,000,000 or \$30,000,000. But first of all, as a means of restoring the public credit, the people must dispel by their votes the apprehension of national dishonesty in the public finances.

The nomination of General Longstreet as Collector of the Port of New Orleans is thoroughly endorsed by the Republican press as a wise and noble act. The New York Tribune says: "Gen. Longstreet was a Rebel—a fighting Rebel—the best division commander in their service after Stonewall Jackson; yet, from the hour of the downfall of the Confederacy, he has been one of the most earnest, consistent, efficient Unionists in the South, and has been scorned, tabooed, seceded at therefor by all that is malignant and implacable in the South. His nomination for a high trust by Gen. Grant is one of the best measures of practical reconstruction yet devised, and reflects honor on all concerned."

CONDITION OF THE TREASURY.—The Washington Star says: Secretary Boutwell takes charge of the Treasury Department with about \$102,000,000 in the vaults (\$23,000,000 of which is in gold-bearing certificates,) and \$13,000,000 in currency. The public debt on the 1st of March was \$2,545,336,904.38, but since that time has decreased about \$3,000,000. No payment of interest will be due until the first of May, when \$30,000,000 in coin will be required to pay the semi-annual instalments of interest on the five-twenty bonds which falls due on that date.

PERISHED IN THE SNOW.—On the 5th instant the men employed to cut a road through a snow drift near Peacham Corners, Vermont, discovered the bodies of an old lady, Mrs. Emmons, her daughter and her grandson, all frozen to death. The old lady had fallen, overcome with cold and snow, half a mile from a farmer's house through the window of which a light was burning all night, while the daughter had approached a little nearer, and the boy was within two rods of the window. He had evidently dragged himself some distance on his hands and knees.

Of three applicants for the postoffice at Dubuque, one claims it because his wife is a cousin of Grant, another says he can "go him two nices better," and the third wants it because he is a tanner.

The State election in New Hampshire, took place on the 8th inst., and resulted in a victory for the Republican party. Mr. Owslow Stearns, the candidate of the Republicans, has been chosen Governor by an increased majority over last year. Three Republican members of Congress were re-elected by large majorities.

The Hanover Spectator comes to us this week considerably enlarged, and in an entirely new dress. It presents a fine appearance, and will compare favorably with any of our first class exchanges.

### SPECIAL NOTICES.

GUIDE TO MARRIAGE.—Young Men's Guide to Happy Marriage and Conjugal Felicity. The humane views of benevolent Physicians, on the Errors and Abuses incident to Youth and Early Marriage, set in the latest and most complete form. Address, HOWARD ASSOCIATION, Box P., Philadelphia, Pa. June 19—ly.

200 SETS OF LADIES FURS! Comprising Mink, Sable, German, Russian and American Pitch, Siberian and French Squirrel, Carapda and French Mink, French and Belgian Sable, for Ladies and Misses; Beaver, Otter, Swan's Down, Ermine and Sable Trimmings on hand and any width cut to order in a few moments notice. Fur Trimmed Hoods, in velvet and silk; Muff and Cape Tassels, Silk, Lamb and Ermine Linings.—All kinds of Fur Materials. Old and New styles altered, repaired and renewed into the latest styles in the most improved manner at Updegraff's GREAT FUR AND GLOVE FACTORY, where can be found on hand or made to order in a few hours, Ladies Dog Skin, Buck, Goat, Sheep and Leather Gloves and Mitts, unsurpassed for neatness, durability and cheapness, on hand or of our own make.—Gents Fur Collars, Fur Gloves, Lamb Felt and Flannel Lined Gloves, Buck, Sheep, Goat, Leather and the great Dog Skin Gloves. Also Buffalo Robes, Sleigh and Ragby Blankets, (six different patterns) Grey Blankets and Horse Blankets, an immense stock selected and manufactured expressly for our Winter Trade for '68 and '69.

UPDEGRAFF & SON, Hat, Fur and Glove Manufacturers, Opposite Washington House, Hagerstown, Oct. 30, 1868.

### MARKETS.

PHILADELPHIA, Tuesday March 16 1869.—FLOUR.—The depression in flour continues as great as ever, and for low grades of family prices are drooping. There is no inquiry, except from home traders, small sales of superfine at \$5 to \$5 50 per barrel; extras at \$6 to \$6 50; Pennsylvania do at \$7 50 to \$8 25; Ohio do at \$8 to \$9.25, and fancy lots at \$10 50 to \$12, as to quality. Rye flour sells in lots at \$7.25 to \$7.50, and 50 lbs extra brought \$8. No change in corn meal. The wheat market is very dull, and there is a steady shrinkage in its value; sales of 1,000 bus good and prime sold at \$1.80, and 2,000 bus amber at \$1.65 to \$1.70. Rye is steady, with sales of 1,000 bus at \$1.55. Corn is very quiet at the late decline; sales of 3,000 bus yellow, part soft at 93c, and 1,000 bus

Western at 91c. Oats are steady at 78 to 75c. for Western, and 60 to 68 for light and heavy Pennsylvania. Whisky sells in a small way at 95 to 98c., (tax paid). Sales of 500 bus fair and prime Cloverseed at \$9.70 to \$10, and seed from second hands at \$10.25.

### Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Wm. Stover, late of Antrim township, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in Washington and Quincy townships.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them properly authenticated to either of the undersigned.

### NOTICE!

THE subscriber having purchased a wagon and pair of horses for the purpose of hauling between Waynesboro, and Greencastle, is prepared to haul to and from the latter place regularly, and will be thankful for a share of public patronage.

### FRESH LIME!

THE subscribers have now for sale at their Kilns, 3 miles East of Waynesboro, Fresh Wood-burnt Lime for Whitewashing, Plastering, &c. A supply will be kept on hand during the season which will be sold on reasonable terms.

### DISSOLUTION.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the Merchant Tailoring business, was this day (March 18th, 1869) dissolved by mutual consent. The books of late firm are in the hands of Berklely Logan, upon whom all persons indebted are requested to call and make settlement.

The undersigned will continue the business at the old stand. He returns his thanks to the public for past patronage and hopes by attention to business and a disposition to please all to merit a continuance of the same.

### DR. J. BURNS AMBERSON

SUCCESSOR TO J. F. KURTZ, (At the Corner Drug Store.) WAYNESBORO, PA.

Having purchased of J. F. Kurtz the stock and fixtures of the Corner Drug Store, I will continue the business at the old stand, and have constantly on hand a full assortment of all goods belonging to our line, viz:

Chemicals, Medicines, Oils, Paints, Varnishes, Brushes, Glass, Perfumery, Spices, Lamps, Shades, Chimneys, Toilet and Fancy articles, &c., &c., &c.

Special attention given to compounding prescriptions.

Remember the Corner and give us a call before going elsewhere. J. BURNS AMBERSON, M. D. Feb 26—1869.

### BARK WANTED!

THE undersigned will pay the highest market price for 400 cords of Bark,—also the highest price for HIDES delivered at the Hardware Store of Geiser & Rinehart, in Waynesboro.

They also keep on hand all kinds of finished Leather, such as Harness, Bridles, Fair Skivings, Fair Calfskin, Upper, Kips, Calfskins, Wang Leathers, Spanish Slaughter and Hemlock Sole, French Calfskins and Linings of all kinds.

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Daniel Garlinger, late of Quincy township, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in Quincy township, Franklin county, Pa.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment, and those having claims present them duly authenticated for settlement.

## LIFE IS UNCERTAIN!

PROFIT YOUR PICTURE, EITHER A PHOTOGRAPH, AMBROTYPE, OR FERROTYPÉ.

The undersigned having purchased Mr. Hamilton's Gallery, is now prepared to make pictures in the highest style of the art. He will give special attention to large photographs for framing.

We will always have on hand a fine assortment of Frames, to which we invite attention.

Having purchased all old Negatives in the Gallery, copies can be had at any time.

Copying of old Daguerrotypes, Ambrotypes, &c., will be made especially in those pictures are fast fading, and can be greatly improved by being copied, have it done before it is too late. It does not injure a picture at all to take copies from it, and in every case the picture will be carefully returned.

N. B. Particular attention in taking pictures of children.

## INSURANCE CO. OF NORTH AMERICA,

OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA. Cash Capital and Surplus January 1st, 1869, \$2,849,828.89. ACTUAL SURPLUS over and above all Liabilities, including Capital Stock, the LARGEST of any Fire Insurance Company in the United States, save two, as shown by the official Report of the New York Insurance Supervisors, dated 1868.

LOSSES PAID since organization, over TWENTY MILLION DOLLARS—the LARGEST AMOUNT PAID by any Fire Insurance Company in the United States save one.

ARTHUR G. COFFIN, CHARLES PLATT, President, Vice President, Mathias Mours, Secy., Joseph Douglass, Agent, Waynesboro, Franklin Co., Pa. mar 12-31

## PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber intending to remove to the West will sell at public sale at his residence one mile east of Waynesboro, at Fahnestock's Mill, on Wednesday the 24th day of March, 1869, the following property, to wit:

1 GOOD FAMILY MARE, 1 good young Cow, 1 Sleigh, 1 set Harness, saddle and bridle, 2 fly nets, 1 good wheelbarrow, mattock, shovel, forks, &c., 1 Cook Stove, 1 Box Stove, 1 good Secretary, 1 Bureau, 1 Washbasin, 4 Tables, 3 sets Chairs, 3 Rocking Chairs, 3 Flags Arm Chair, 4 Bedsteads, 1 Trundle Bedstead, 1 Cupb, 4 Stands, 1 Doughtry, 1 Churn, 1 Kitchen Cupboard, 1 Settee, 1 Sofa, 1 Sink, wood boxes, 1 good Sausage Machine, 1 Stuffer, 1 Fat Press, 1 meat vessel, meat benches, 1 iron kettle, 1 large copper kettle, 2 pot racks, pickle and kroat stands, 4 good vinegar barrels—a lot tubs, kegs, buckets, baskets 1 ashopper.

THREE SPRING WAGONS, Queensware, Earthenware, a Plumber with the crock 1 tool chest and some tools, a lot carpeting, 1 good Ride, 1 grindstone, a lot hay, and many other articles not necessary to enumerate. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock on said day, when a credit of six months will be given on all sums of \$5 and upwards, purchasers to give their own approved security.

ISRAEL BARR, G. V. MOSE, Auct. mar 12-16

## PUBLIC SALE.

WILL be sold at public sale at the residence of the subscriber, near the road leading from Hopewell to Fawnstown, 1 1/2 miles from the former and 1 mile from the latter place, on Saturday the 27th day of March, the following property, to wit:

TWO WORK HORSES, both good leaders; 1 young Bull, 5 Shotts; 2 one-horse Wagons, one is new and nearly new with bed; 1 barsher, 1 double and 1 single shovel plow, single and double trees, 1 spreader, 1 set breech-bands, 1 set harness, collars, bridles and lines, a lot hay and fodder, about 60 bundles of rye straw, 1 wheat fan, a lot good manure, forks 1 extra manure hook. Also a general assortment of household articles, including stoves and furniture. Sale at 10 o'clock, when terms will be made known by

PETER CORBETT, G. V. MOSE, Auct. mar 12-16