

VILLAGE RECORD.

WAYNESBORO.

Friday, May 28, 1869.

The June statement of the public debt will show a decrease of seven millions of dollars.

Twenty-five tons of strawberries were brought into San Francisco, Cal., in April, and retained at 12 to 15 cts. a pound.

There are now living in Upson county, Georgia, an old couple, man and wife, whose united ages are 203—the man being 101 and the woman 102 years old.

The court-house and jail at Charlottesville, Jefferson county, West Virginia, are offered for sale by the "supervisors" of that place.

The strike among the miners in the Lower Wyoming Valley has ended, and they are again at work.

Gen. Butler had an interview on Friday with Secretary Rawlin, in regard to the protection of Union men in the South.

It is reported that hundreds of negroes are leaving Virginia for the South—not the North. They find labor scarce in the Old Dominion, and actually go South in search of work!

At Carlisle, a jury was empanelled on Monday for the trial of Dr. Paul Schoeppe, a physician of that town, who is charged with the poisoning of Miss Steinecke, of Baltimore.

One Michael Humes has commenced a singular suit in the Circuit Court at St. Louis. It is against his guardian, a man named James Graham.

The South.—As an inducement to emigration from the North to the Southern States, it is announced that land in that region, adapted to the cultivation of the grains, vegetables and fruits of the temperate zone, may be purchased on reasonable terms.

Fresh battles have taken place between the Cuban revolutionists, aided by filibuster volunteers, and the Spanish regulars.

AFFAIRS IN GEORGIA.—On the 5th inst., Ellis Lyons a Republican, received an appointment from the Treasury Department as an assistant assessor for division No. 5, of the Third collection district of the State of Georgia.

AGUSTA, GA., May 14, 1869.—Edwin Belcher, Esq., Assessor, &c.—SIR: I here with tender you my thanks for the appointment of assistant assessor, but in Division No. 5, embracing the counties of Warren, Jefferson and Glascock, to which you have assigned me.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.—Every county has its brutes in the shape of men, who are totally unfitted to take care of horses, cows, or other animals, frequently, as almost any one can testify, throwing stones at or beating them with clubs, whips, &c.

WASHINGTON HOUSE.—The card of Mr. John Lantz, of the Washington House, Chambersburg, will be found among the new advertisements in this issue.

STATE SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVENTION.—The Annual Convention will be held at Williamsport, Pa., beginning on Tuesday, June 1st, at ten o'clock, A. M.

THE FREDERICK (MD.) CITIZEN SAYS:—The full confession of George Truman, convicted at February term of Frederick County Court, of the murder of an unknown white man in the Catoctin Mountain, and ordered by the Governor to be executed on Friday, the 28th inst., made to one of his counsel, is now being put in type in this office.

A. M., S. 2.—All must surrender to Constitution Bitters, for there is no concealing the fact that they are taking the lead of all other Bitters, and are destined to become as famous and popular as any medicinal preparation in use.

Rufus L. Lord, from whom \$1,100,000 in bonds were stolen a year or more ago, died in New York last Saturday. He was a bachelor, 83 years of age, and leaves an estate valued at \$5,000,000.

LOCAL MATTERS.

To day closes the Hagerstown Races. The price of flour is still declining. SITUATION WANTED.—See notice of W. A. Foulis.

Please remember the first class store of C. N. Beaver for your cheap and Best Hats, Shoes, Trunks, Clocks and Notions, decidedly.

MERCHANT TAILORING.—We direct attention to the advertisement of Mr. Logan of Hagerstown, in another column. "Bert" is a jolly good fellow, and sells cheap for cash.

REBEL MONUMENTS.—The ex-rebels, male and female, in and about Shepherdstown, Va., held a meeting in that place recently, to make arrangements for a Festival and Dinner to raise funds for a monument to the Confederate dead at that place.

POTATOES.—The late rains and warm weather has had the effect to bring forward rapidly the earlier varieties of potatoes.

PLACES OF RESORT.—The drug stores of A. S. Bonebrake and F. Fourthman are getting to be places of resort since the advent of warm weather.

ALL RIGHT.—It is now said that the affairs of the Western Maryland Railroad are all right, and that it will soon take a new and vigorous start.

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MEETING OF CLASSES.—The Mercersburg Classis of the German Reformed Church met in Chambersburg on the 18th inst. and adjourned on Monday evening last to meet in Schellburg, Bedford county, in May, 1870.

DEAD.—Robert Clugston, formerly of this county, died at his residence near Lagrange, Indiana, on Tuesday the 18th inst. He was a native of Guilford township, where he resided most of his lifetime, on a farm bequeathed to him by his grandfather.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

SPRING AND SUMMER STYLES OF HATS FOR 1869. Comprising Silk, Felt, Wool and Straw Goods for Men's, Boys and Children's Wear just opening at

TO CONSUMPTIVES. THE Advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

ERRORS OF YOUTH. A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured.

MARKETS. PHILADELPHIA, Tuesday May 25, 1869. The flour market is unmistakably dull and prices favor buyers of large lots.

BANK DIVIDEND. THE Board of Directors of the First Nat. Bank of Waynesboro' has declared a dividend of 5 per cent. out of the profits of the past six months payable on and after the 1st of June.

FOR GUNS, Penknife Blades, Repairing Family Corn Shellers, Call on J. H. JOHNSTON. Hay and Manure Hook!

NEW GOODS! THE subscriber (successor to Fisher & Logan) would announce to the public that he has received and opened out a full stock of new goods, such as CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, and all goods usually kept by Merchant Tailors.

HERO FRUIT JAR. THIS is undoubtedly the best and most popular Jar offered to the public. Mr. B. L. Ryder President of the Ryder Nursery Association, says, "I have used the 'Hero' Jar for three years for preserving fruits of all kinds, with entire success."

ALWAYS

Go to BEAVER'S for your goods of the following articles, viz: HATS AND CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES, TRUNKS AND CLOCKS, NOTIONS! NOTIONS! PRIME KEROSENE, HOSIERY, SUSPENDERS, TOBACCO AND CIGARS, CANDY AND SPICES, SNUFFS, (VERY BEST)

NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, AT THE FIRM OF STOVER & WOLFF (SUCCESSORS TO GEO. STOVER.)

DRY GOODS, CARPETS, NOTIONS, QUEENSWARE, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES, CUTLERY, CEDERWARE, OIL CLOTHS, &c., &c.

SPRING OPENING! THE undersigned have just opened another large and carefully selected stock of Spring Goods to which the attention of the community is directed.

PRICE & HOEFLICH who have purchased their goods on such terms that they can offer superior inducements to all who are in want of

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, &c. Among their stock will be found the following leading articles, beautiful designs and all qualities and widths:

OPENING OF Carpets, Oil Cloth, Matting, Rugs, Window Shades, Paper Blinds, Baskets, Tubs, Buckets, Churns, Bowls, Queens-

ware and Glassware of all descriptions, and a full line of Groceries, &c. The subscribers tender their thanks to the community for their very liberal patronage heretofore, and kindly ask a continuance of the same.

FIRST ARRIVAL OF SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS! JUST RECEIVED BY HITESHEW & GEHR. WE take this method to inform our friends and the public generally that we have again received from the Eastern cities a full supply of new and seasonable goods, consisting of