

THE TIMES. Local Department.

PENNSYLVANIA R. R.—MIDDLE DIVISION. On and after June 25th, Trains run as follows:

Table with columns: WESTWARD, EASTWARD, Way, Mail, Acc., Pass, Trn, P.M., Principal Stations, J.M. Ex., Mail, Trn, Ex., M.F. Acc.

Pittsburg Express leaves Harrisburg at 11:00 P. M. Duncannon 11:15 (daily), Newport 11:25 (daily) and arrives at Pittsburg at 12:10 A. M.

Brief Items.

See Eshelman's Black Plaster advertisement in another column. Mr. Samuel H. Baker has been appointed postmaster at Nekoda, Perry Co.

The Newport Postmaster has a letter for "D. Costar, Perry Co.," mailed from Fort Hospital, Fort Keoh, Montana. Parties have been prospecting for iron ore, at Eschol, and have found a vein of good quality.

The Perry County Temperance Convention will hold its next meeting in Bloomfield, on Friday, May 2nd. Cotton Goods show considerable advance in price with a firm market.

The farmers of Franklin county are raising large numbers of hogs for market, and the quantity sent to Baltimore this season has been enormously large. Hezekiah Shaeffer, the wife murderer, whose execution was fixed for Thursday next, at Chambersburg, made an attempt at suicide on Tuesday by opening veins with a piece of wire.

Reuben Gribble and Cyrus Williamson of Liverpool, were arrested on Wednesday last, charged with complicity in the burning of the buildings belonging to Simon Charles. Williamson is out on bail and Gribble is in jail. Frank, a son of Oliver P. Smith at Newport ran the rib of an umbrella in his cheek, while running with it in his mouth, a few days ago, so that it required considerable force to pull it out.

Mr. J. Mc. Foote we understand is going to leave this place and is to open a shop in Liverpool. By this change Bloomfield will lose one good citizen, while Liverpool will gain one, and one who is a good mechanic. We wish him success. Dr. J. P. Sheeder, a graduate of the celebrated University of New York, has located in this borough. He has had clinical and hospital advantages that will be of much use to him in practice.

Some of the persons who attend church at Shermansdale, spend a portion of the time of service in winding their watches. Some think they wind them up Sunday to last the whole week, and those interested in the service suggest that this business be done at some other time. Church Notices. Preaching in the M. E. church next Sunday at 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M. Ickesburg at 10 1/2 A. M. Walnut Grove 2 1/2 P. M.

Presbyterian Church—Preaching each Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 1/2 P. M. Praying meeting Wednesday evening 7 1/2 o'clock. Sunday School at 9 1/2 A. M. Reformed Church next Sunday at 10 1/2 o'clock A. M.

Fare Fifty Cents.—Several weeks since we stated, on the authority of Mr. Z. Rice, that the stage fare between Newport and this place, was reduced to forty cents. It seems that his sons who drive would not consent to the change, and consequently it was not made, and they wish this contradiction.

Temperance Convention.—The State Temperance Convention will be held at Harrisburg, on the 24th and 25th of this month. Excursion tickets can be had over the different railroad branches of the State, and will be good from the 21st to the 28th. Delegates of this county wishing excursion tickets, can get them from George Shrom, Secretary of the County convention, Newport, Pa., if they apply in time.

Robbery and Arrests.—On Friday night the store of C. K. Brenneman at Newport, was robbed of a quantity of goods. On Saturday warrants were issued and search was made for the goods resulting in the arrest of Wm. Raffensberger, for the robbery and the arrest of the wife and daughters of Wm. Since for receiving and secreting the stolen goods. A large quantity of goods were found on their premises, a portion being the articles stolen from Brenneman and a part being the goods taken a short time previous from the store of Mr. Charters. Raffensberger and two of the girls are enjoying the privileges of the jail.

License.—All the applications for license published by us a few weeks ago, were granted on Monday of last week, except Thomas McElvy's of Buffalo tp., which was refused; James Hahn's application for tavern license at Newport, was held under advisement, and Peter Wertz's was withdrawn. Judge Juakin gave hotel-keepers who have been in the habit of selling liquor by the bottle to irresponsible parties, and others, a very plain talk, telling them that by so doing, they were deviating from the letter of the law. We hope all infringements will be promptly reported.

Death from Burning.—On the 12th inst., Mr. Adam Hyler, who resides on Conrad Hull's farm, in Fairview township, York county, was engaged at burning brush. He was accompanied by his daughter, a little girl 10 years of age, and after the fire was started, he went to the house on some errand, leaving the little girl at the fire. In some way, unknown to our informant, her dress caught fire, and all the clothes were completely burned off her body, and she herself so severely burned as to die of her injuries that night at 10 o'clock.

Another Swindle.—Several men have been operating in Berks county, professing to sell coal oil at attractive rates. The strangers took the signatures of all farmers desiring oil, at the same time giving them a trial quart. Each farmer was required to sign a blank agreement to take so much oil per month at such a price, providing it proved satisfactory. These blank agreements were in a book specially prepared for the business. The leaves were double, the lower portion protruding about a half inch, the sheet or page in the book being doubled down from the top, and the edges so nicely parted as to escape the closest scrutiny.

The agreement was written on the upper surface, and the signature attached below. All the swindlers would have to do would be to remove the upper half, and then they would have a blank sheet of paper with the farmer's name, upon which they could write any sort of a promissory note. A number of these fraudulent notes, amounting to several hundred dollars, were thus put into circulation.

The Raber Murder Trial.—The Lebanon Courier says: It is now confidently expected by Court and lawyers that the trials of the parties in our prison charged with the murder of Joseph Raber, will take place at this session, and will probably be reached by Thursday. The prisoners, we believe, have the right to demand separate trials, but we are not able to see any advantage for them that would follow such a demand, and we therefore think it quite probable that the six will be tried together. If the trial be reached by Thursday, it may be terminated this week, but we think it rather doubtful. The attorneys will no doubt contest every point, and it will necessary progress slowly. It is quite likely the testimony of Peters in chief and cross-examination will consume a day, and there will be a number of others who will have to stand a sifting examination as to what they are willing to testify.

This is the most important trial that has ever taken place in this county, as it involves the lives of six men. As to their innocence or guilt, it will be for the jury to say, after they have heard all the testimony, the arguments of counsel, and the charge of the Court outside opinion, based upon flying reports, is not likely to be very reliable.

Juniata County.—We copy the following from the Juniata county papers of last week. A horse belonging to Mr. Jonathan Keiser, of Delaware township, was stolen from the stable one day last week. Two children of James Wiley, of Tuscarora, died two days apart, last week, of measles. The children were aged about 6 and 13 years.

Recently W. G. Roper, of Belleville, Mifflin county, caught an eel that weighed four and one-half pounds. An Ohio man gave one dollar for the skin of it.—Roper is well known to many of the amateur hunters and sportsmen of Juniata county. Mr. George Smeiker left his home in Tuscarora tp., Juniata county, about ten weeks ago, since which time he has not been heard from. He was seen at Newport, this county, the day after he left his home. He was about 50 years of age, near six feet high, dark hair, and wore spectacles.

Mrs. Hannah Tyson, of Walker twp., the mother of Jude and Christian Tyson,

was so seriously burned on Monday noon that she died about five o'clock the same day. She was sitting by the stove in the room; her daughter Rebecca had gone up in the attic story to cut some meat for dinner, and while there she heard her mother screaming. Going down at once to ascertain the cause she discovered her mother enveloped in flames; two men, also, hearing the screams ran into the house, and together with the daughter succeeded in extinguishing the flames, but not until she was so badly burned that death resulted at the time above stated.—Mrs. Tyson was aged about 80 years.

Two tramps, a man and woman, both beastly drunk, passed through town on Saturday evening, but not until they had demonstrated how low in the scale of vice the human being can descend. The woman (no reflection on her sex,) was the most degraded of the two, she cursing the boys who followed her in quite an accomplished fashion, and not being satisfied with this, she threw a large stone which struck Mr. J. B. Grove, who was standing near, on the head and felled him to the ground. Constable Bortel arrived on the scene at this moment and escorted the belligerent couple to the river bridge and told them to "get," which they did in the shortest possible time. Mr. Grove's injury though not serious was very painful.—McVeytown Journal.

Cumberland County.—We copy the following from the Cumberland county papers of last week: The vacancies caused by the resignation of directors of the poor, Baker and Gushall, will be filled as follows: The remaining director, R. S. Roth, will name one person, and the two will then appoint the third.

One day last week two tramps entered the shop of Mr. J. H. Strook, back of East Louthur street, and, after displaying a huge, villainous looking knife and a razor, they asked Mr. S. how much money he had, and wedged him in a corner. They did him no injuries, however, although had circumstances favored them it is more than possible this had been a sad chronicle. Beware of such guests!

In our last we stated that we had information that Mr. Kosbt's tannery, situate in Frankford township, had been burned on Sunday last. We have since been informed that this rumor was caused by the burning of a large pile of tan near the tannery buildings, and which could have readily have been mistaken for the buildings at a little distance.—Mirror.

On Friday last Chas. Ohnsburg, a tramp, was arrested and committed to jail for trial upon the charge of assisting prisoners to escape. He had furnished the tools with which the two prisoners so nearly escaped from our jail last week. The proof of Ohnsburg's guilt is full and positive, the men who he thus helped having "given him away."—Mirror.

On Saturday a young son of Wm. A. Comery, living two miles west of Oakville, met with a severe accident, narrowly escaping more serious results. The lad was seated on the saddle horse while his father's team was passing through a woods, when the wagon pulled down a small dead tree, which struck the boy on the head, knocking him to the ground, the front wheel passing over one foot, and the hind wheel barely missing his head. The boy suffered considerably from his injuries.

The Presbytery of Carlisle met in Middletown last week. The opening sermon was preached by Rev. Jno. Edgar, retiring Moderator. Rev. W. H. Logan, of Millerstown, was elected for the ensuing year, and Rev. W. A. McCarrall, of Shippensburg, Temporary Clerk. A large amount of Presbyterial business was transacted. W. S. Barnes, of Waynesboro', and M. J. Eckels, of Carlisle, were received under care of Presbytery, with a view to studying for the ministry. J. Hood Laughlin, of Newville, was licensed to preach the Gospel. Revs. Dr. Creigh, W. A. McCarrall and W. H. Logan, and Elders Wm. G. Reed, John G. Orr and John J. Wier were chosen Commissioners to the General Assembly, which meets in Saratoga, N. Y., May 15, 1879. Rev. Dr. Kennedy preached on the second day of the meeting. The June meeting of Presbytery will be held in Shippensburg and the Fall meeting in Upper Path Valley, on the 30th day of September.

For The Bloomfield Times KENNEDY'S VALLEY, Perry Co., Pa., April 14, 1879. Mr. Editor:—Not seeing any communications from this valley for some time, I thought I would give you some of the latest news. Every thing was progressing finely in this end, we were not troubled with chicken thieves and "bammers," or anything of the kind, until Saturday night, some sneak thief stole four of Mr. Nunemaker's chickens. I suppose they had no eggs, and they thought they would have chicken instead. Mrs. N. says she thinks they will get tired before they got them cooked for one of them was in Noah's Ark and one had been hatching for about ten weeks, (I suppose the rest had the cholera) Mr. N. says if they visit his yard another time he shall be prepared to receive them.

The debating society didn't amount to much this winter, it was just rightly started when they broke it up for some reason or other. Some of the folks have been improving the looks of their places by giving their houses and barns a coat of white-wash, and among them are Messrs. John and George Crull. Mr. Greger has got his sawmill into operation once; some of the business men have hauled in some logs, and he says "he guesses the mill will come in now," we think it should for him; one of his sons saws all day and till 2 o'clock at night. We wish him success. For fear of taking up too much room we close. ANON.

New Music. Of all the new songs now flooding the country none are so popular as those composed by W. L. Thompson. He has just issued a beautiful new Song and Chorus, entitled "My Grandfather's Advice." It is thought to be even prettier than this author's familiar song "Gathering Shells." If you want the latest and prettiest song of the day, order "My Grandpa's Advice," by Will L. Thompson. Any music dealer will mail it to you for 35 cents. Published by W. L. THOMPSON & CO., East Liverpool, Ohio.

Chew Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco

Magazines for May. LIPPINCOTT'S MAGAZINE for May opens with brilliantly written and finely illustrated paper, by Mrs. Sarah Butler Water, which propounds and answers one question, "Why do we like Paris?" In another illustrated paper—"From Norway to York"—H. M. Robinson describes graphically canoe travel and transportation in the territory of the Hudson Bay Company. "The Trap in Four Centuries" is a close but somewhat enigmatically study of a class which is commonly supposed to be a modern innovation, but which is here shown, on the evidence of curious unpublished letters, to have made its appearance on every occasion of social and financial revolutions.

"My Hero," gives a very striking account of the career of General Foy, the first lance in the world, and many other interesting articles.—The social and short articles are of the usual excellence; but many readers will find nothing so entertaining as the "Gossip," which is full of bright and amusing talk, chiefly on "society topics," including a witty little dialogue on "Proposals of Marriage." J. B. LIPPINCOTT & Co., Publishers, 715 and 717 Market St., Phila.

The May number of Godey's Lady's Book presents the opening chapters of what promises to be a most charming story, by the Misses Reeves and Read, entitled "A Rosebud Garden of Girls." These gifted ladies have earned an exalted reputation among American writers of Fiction, and we are sure the readers of Godey have a rare treat in store. "A Gentle Belle," by Christian Reid, is continued with increasing interest; and the miscellaneous matter in the Literary Department is fully abreast of the best magazine literature of the day. In addition, this number contains an elegant steel plate from an original design by Darley, entitled "The Young May Queen;" a richly colored mammoth Fashion Plate; unique design for Jewel Case, with instructions to enable any lady to make one; a large number of full page engravings showing the demands of fashion; a full Work Department, Children's Department, and all the usual specialties for which Godey is famous. The price has been reduced from \$3 to \$2.

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An assortment of Domestic Paper patterns will be found for sale at the store of F. MORTIMER, tf.

County Price Current.

Table with columns: BLOOMFIELD, April 21, 1879. Flax Seed, Potatoes, Butter, Eggs, Dried Apples, Dried Peaches.

NEWPORT MARKETS.

(Corrected Weekly by Kough & Brother.) DEALERS IN

GRAIN & PRODUCE.

Table with columns: NEWPORT, April 19, 1879. Flour, Extra, Super, White Wheat, Red Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Clover Seed, Timothy Seed, Flax Seed, Potatoes, Dressed Pork, Bacon, Lard, Hams, Ground Alum Salt, Limeburner's Salt, Stove Coal, Pea Coal, Buckwheat Coal, Gordon's Food per Sack.

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Of all kinds always on hand and for sale at the Lowest Market Rates.

CARLISLE PRODUCE MARKET.

Table with columns: CORRECTED WEEKLY. WOODWARD & BOBB. CARLISLE, April 18, 1879. Family Flour, Superior Flour, White Wheat, Red Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Cloverseed, Timothyseed, G. A. Salt, Fine do.

Philadelphia Produce Market.

Table with columns: PHILADELPHIA, April 19, 1879. Flour unsettled, extras \$4.50@4.63; Pennsylvania family, \$4.50@4.75; Minnesota do., \$4.50@4.75; patent and high grades, \$6.07@7.75. Rye flour, \$2.75@2.85. Cornmeal, \$2.25. Wheat, red, 112@113 1/2; amber, 116@116 1/2; white, 116@117. Corn quiet and easy; yellow, 42@43c.; mixed, 42@44c. Oats quiet; Pennsylvania and western white, \$2.00@2.10; western mixed, 20@21. Rye \$7@8c.

MARRIAGES.

SHEARER—COLLEGE.—On the 2nd inst., at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. M. C. Piper, Mr. Michael Shearer to Miss Sade College, both of Tobyone township, this county. PIPER—DONNELLY.—On the 4th of March, at the M. E. Parsonage, by Rev. M. C. Piper, Mr. Wm. Piper of Shippensburg, Huntingdon county, to Miss Sarah Donnelly of Lyoville, this county. STEWART—DEAN.—On the 10th inst., in Landisburg, by Rev. W. H. Herbert, S. Stewart of Landisburg, to Katie A. Dean, of Ickesburg.

DEATHS.

RICE.—On the 5th inst., at the residence of h/s daughter, in East Waterford, Juniata county, Mr. Peter Rice, (brother of H. Samuel Rice, of Sandy Hill, this county), in the 9th year of his age. M'ELVY.—On the 5th inst., in New Buffalo, Miss Emma M. McElvy, aged 18 years, 6 months and 15 days. JONES.—On the 8th inst., in New Buffalo, Mr. John Jones, aged about 65 years. DUNCAN.—On the 10th inst., in Duncannon, Mr. John Duncan, aged about 14 years. M'KENZIE.—On the 13th inst., in Duncannon, Maud E., daughter of John and Mary M'Kenzie, aged 1 year, 7 months and 15 days.

REPORT OF AUDITORS

OF MARYSVILLE BOROUGH, APRIL 1st, 1879.

JOSEPH GUESNER, Collector of Borough Tax for 1878, in account with Borough of Marysville, DR. To balance due on Duplicate of 1878, \$ 88 00 L. W. BRABSON, Collector of Borough Tax for 1876 and 1877, in account with Borough of Marysville, DR. To amount due Borough at settlement made with Town Council, Nov. 8, 1878, 178 66 CR. By exonerations, \$ 12 65 Amount paid Treasurer, 140 70 152 75 Balance due Borough, 20 93

JOSEPH HAYS, Collector of Borough Tax for 1878, in account with the Borough of Marysville, DR. To amount of Duplicate, 648 24 CR. By Exonerations, 22 18 Five per cent. Commission for Collecting, 51 30 Amount paid Treasurer, 529 83 583 31 Balance due Borough, 64 93

A. J. TRAYER, in account with Borough of Marysville, DR. To amount received from Joseph Geusinger, Collector for 1878, 80 74 L. W. Brabson, Col'r for 1876-77, 140 70 Joseph Hays, Collector for 1878, 529 83 701 27 CR. By amount paid on outstanding orders, issued prior to April 1st, 1878, 106 55 Amount paid on orders issued in the year ending March 31, 1879, 559 78 Two per cent. Commission, (\$701 27) 14 03 680 36 Balance in Treasury, 20 91

Expenditures for the Year ending March 31st, 1879.

Table with columns: Interest on outstanding orders, Lumber, Merchandise, Masonry per Jesse Wagner, Labor and hauling, Printing Borough Clerk Book, Legal Service per W.A. Sponsler, Auditors fee for Auditing Borough and School Accounts for the year ending March 31st, 1879, Paid T. W. Morley, former Treasurer, balance due him, Secretary's service, stationery, etc.

Statement Showing the Condition of the Affairs of the Borough of Marysville, April 1st, 1879.

By balance due from Joseph Geusinger, Collector for 1878, \$83 00 Balance due from L. W. Brabson, Collector for 1876-77, 20 93 Balance due from Jos. Hays, Collector for 1878, 64 93 Balance in Treasury, 20 91 189 77

DR. To outstanding orders for the year ending March 31st, 1879, \$62 51

Outstanding orders issued prior to April 1st, 1878, of which we can find no record. We have been informed that the following are some of the orders outstanding: Held by H. J. Eppler, 31 62 " " E. W. Wise, 69 40 162 91 \$29 86

From which balance, will have to be deducted all other orders than the above named, issued prior to April 1st, 1878 and still unpaid.

H. G. COLDER, J. H. HOUDSHELL, J. H. SEIDEL, Auditors.

APRIL 22, 1879.

SETTLEMENT of Jackson township for road purposes between John Stump and Owen L. Hench, supervisors of Jackson township for the year 1878 settled April 14th, 1879.

DR. John Stump, supervisor, to amount duplicate, \$823 40 By cash, .54 823 94

CR. Labor on roads 11 1/2, \$17 25 2 sledges, 2 62 6 sledge handles, 50 1 day at settlement, 1 50 Oath, 15 Overworked tax, 23 50 45 22

DR. Owen L. Hench, to amount of duplicate, \$823 40 To cash, 15 86

CR. Cash paid for lawyer fee, \$10 00 Labor on roads 20 1/2 days, 30 75 Blacksmith bill, 7 25 1 day and oah, 1 50 Painting hand board by H. Praet, 1 65 Auditor's fees, 4 88 Clerk's fee, 4 40 105 12

Cash duplicate, \$248 25 Amount of Credits, 105 12 Balance due township, 185 13

We the undersigned, auditors of Jackson township, having audited the above account and find it correct to the best of our knowledge.

SIMON SMITH, W. W. WOODRUM, SAMUEL G. SMITH, Auditors.

Attest, JOHN O. DELANCY, Clerk. April 22, 1879.

AUDITORS' REPORT of Carroll Twp.

WE the undersigned Auditors of Carroll township, Perry county, Pa., having been duly sworn, proceed to the examination of the accounts of Carson Hair and George B. Souder, late supervisors of said township for the year ending April 14th, 1879.

CARSON HAIR in account with said township, DR. Gross amount of duplicate, \$660 87

Amount of work, \$314 80 Personal service, 57 74 Exonerations, 105 00 Auditors' fees, 1 50 Room rent and Stationery, 50 630 54

Balance due township, 30 29

GEO. B. SOUDER in account with said twp., DR. Gross amount of duplicate, \$744 17

Amount of work, \$527 62 Personal service, 57 74 Exonerations, 4 21 Order for exonerations to J. B. M'Clintock, 3 00 Auditors' fees, 1 50 Room rent and stationery, 50 624 55

Balance due township, 119 62

After a careful examination of the accounts of Carson Hair and Geo. B. Souder, late supervisors of Carroll township, we do report the above as just and true, to the best of our knowledge and ability.

JOSHUA A. KITNER, T. S. M'COY, Auditors.

Carroll Twp., April 14, 1879.