

THE TIMES.

New Bloomfield, April 6, 1880.

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The house committee on ways and means has decided to recommend that paper be placed on the free list.

DURING Gen. Grant's reception at Houston, Texas, on Monday night, the gas was turned off in the streets, and on the previous night guns to be used in firing a salute were spiked.

THE PHILADELPHIA, Evening Star, is one of our favorite exchanges. It is always full of news, served up in a brief readable form, and is always reliable.

THE BRIBERY CASES are given additional interest from the fact that all the convicted persons who were to be sentenced on Monday of last week failed to appear and left the State.

At the saw-mill of W. H. Gay & Co. last week a large log was placed on the carriage and the saw set a-going, when all of a sudden there was a crash, a striking of fire and a demolished saw.

Labor Troubles in Louisiana. The labor troubles in St. John's parish La., is continuing.

A Remarkable Scene at an Execution. WASHINGTON, April 2.—James Madison Wyatt Stone, a mulatto, about 36 years of age, was hanged in the jail-yard this afternoon for the murder of his wife on the night of October 5th, 1878.

Terrific Explosion. The Altoona Tribune says: Last evening about 7:30 o'clock the people in the vicinity of Twelfth street bridge were startled by a tremendous explosion, which in a few minutes was followed by a second one more violent than the first.

A New Hoax. The Conyers Weekly, of Georgia, says: Quite an interesting little affair took place on Mill street the other evening. It was a little past sunset, when a person, seemingly a very old woman, came limping up to the house of one of our best citizens on said street. She

passed through the gate, and when accosted at the door, by "What do you wish?" said: "I have just been thrown from my buggy and nearly killed, and my old man is lying just down the road yonder, with the old horse upon him, and unless he is moved he will be dead in a few minutes."

The women folks were all out, and the citizen put off at a two-forty rate to relieve the supposedly suffering old man, leaving the old woman in the house alone. He soon found that it was all a hoax, and returned to find a dilapidated old dress and bonnet lying in the hall, and a long, lean tramp moving through the back gate, with about half of his supper and his best coat. He gave chase, but to no purpose.

The residence of Mr. Charles B. Easley, formerly of Allegheny City, but now a resident of Edenburg, Lawrence county, caught fire about 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoon of last week, and was burned to the ground. The cause was a defective flue. Nearly all the contents were saved. The loss was about \$3000.

At a sale of personal property of Andrew Stauffer, in Marlborough twp., Montgomery county, a few days ago, there was a large gathering and two young women fell out over some slanderous words applied by one to the other. They clinched and in a few minutes both were lying on the floor in a furious embrace, when the spectators of the sterner sex interfered and prevented bloodshed.

At the saw-mill of W. H. Gay & Co. last week a large log was placed on the carriage and the saw set a-going, when all of a sudden there was a crash, a striking of fire and a demolished saw. An examination showed that a piece of a shell fired during the war had been imbedded in the tree, the bark had grown over the wound and no outward sign remained. The saw was very badly damaged.—Suffolk, Va., Herald.

Fond of Relics.

An instance of the love of many people for things morbid was shown at the auction sale of the property of a murdered man in Ohio on Saturday week. Four chisels and a hatchet brought \$10; pictures of Brown, his wife and her guilty paramour brought \$20, and other things in proportion. All the personal effects sold for nearly a \$1,000. Almost everything was bought as a relic.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31, 1880. There has been an appearance of business in the House lately, and the appropriations Committee has showed signs of life. The Consular and Diplomatic appropriation bill was passed yesterday just as it came from the committee.

It will be remembered that the House some days since agreed to a "rider" on a deficiency appropriation bill by which the special deputy Marshals—election Marshals—should be elected from the various political parties. This "rider" the Republican Senators will oppose to the bitter end.

Secretary Sherman has gone to Ohio, but the man who is capable of suspecting that this trip has any connection with his presidential scheming, has no appreciation of that high sense of public duty which is the mainspring of all Mr. Sherman's acts.

Services in the M. E. Church Sunday next, at 10 A. M., Sunday School at 9 A. M. Prayer meeting Sunday and Thursday evenings. Also, preaching at Mount (Head at 2 P. M., Landsburg at 7 P. M.

Miscellaneous News Items.

Laborers digging a well near Birmingham, Ala., the other day struck a coal-oil spring, and petroleum is now bubbling up at the rate of ninety barrels a day.

Three brothers named Eames are under arrest at Worcester, Mass., for a long series of burglaries in the neighboring towns. A large amount of stolen property has been recovered.

A four-year-old son of Mrs. Frank Dale, of Kane, blew himself up with matches and an old powder-keg which was supposed to be empty, and a three-year-old in Milton died from the effects of drinking hot coffee from the spout of the pot.

The coal miners of Clinton, after being out on a strike for about seven weeks, resumed work on Monday without receiving the advance which they struck for. This is the virtual end of the coal miner's strike in the Shenango valley.

CHICAGO, March 29.—W. M'Manus, formerly a Catholic priest in Canada, who was confined in the Madison street police station last night, while under the influence of liquor, was found dead in his cell this morning.

A verdict was rendered the other day in the Armstrong county court against a saloon keeper, in the sum of \$350, for selling liquor to a man, by which he became intoxicated, and from the effects of which he was subsequently crippled for life.

The barn of James Robinson, in Shenango township, was burned last week. Twelve head of cattle, three horses, nine tons of hay, 325 bushels of oats and all his farming utensils were destroyed. The insurance is reported at only \$250.

Henry C. Johns, a Titusville attorney, convicted of false pretences in the court at Meadville, Pa., was on Tuesday sentenced to the county jail for three months, to pay a fine of \$250, and to have his name stricken from the roll of attorneys.

Waynesburg, Greene county, was visited by a violent tornado on Saturday night. Thirteen or fourteen buildings, including the Court-house, were damaged. Head-stones and monuments in the cemetery were displaced, and water was thrown out of the creek. The damage amounts to over five thousand dollars.

A man in Parkersburg Montgomery county, Iowa, had a child sick with diphtheria, and having read that milk was a good absorbent of impurities and poisonous gases, he kept a pan of milk near the child's bed for forty-eight hours, when he put it out upon the porch, where his pet dog got hold of it, ate it, and died, as he supposes, from the poison-charged milk.

Miss Rosenberry wanted to marry Mr. Deputy, at Seymour Ind., but her father commanded her to marry Mr. Bowers, and appointed a day for the wedding. On the evening before she secretly became Mrs. Deputy. She was on hand for the other ceremony, however, and it proceeded smoothly as far as the question whether any body objected, when Mr. Deputy remarked that he had an objection—a trifling one, which he felt some reluctance about mentioning—the lady was his wife.

Charles A. Thilo owns the City Planing-mills in Bradford. The other morning he appeared with a terrible tale, how he had been chloroformed and robbed during the night by a thief, who had bored a hole through the wall near the head of his bed and dropped a sponge over his face. His creditors put two and two together and made a great deal more out of them than Mr. Thilo supposed. They found that some of the augur-holes had been bored through from the inside; that the wallet from which \$4000 had been stolen could not have held so much, even in bills of the largest denomination, and that Thilo owed a great deal more than he could pay. He has been held in \$3000 for further examination.

Magazines for April.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for April is already on our table, ahead as usual. Every month, almost, this popular lady's book has some special attraction. For nearly thirty years "Peterson" has held a front rank as a lady's book, and for excellence in every department and cheapness it is without a rival.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK for April opens with a most charming scene from "The Ranger," a group of three graceful maidens, the laughing faces of two throwing into strong contrast the sad countenance of the third. It is one of Darley's happiest efforts. The fashions are tempting enough to coax all the dollars from the purses of the fair sex to array them for April's capricious sunshine; and mothers will find the boy's suit in the diagram a blessing in its simplicity and comfort.

Church Notices.

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Still Alive!—I am still alive and ready to cut and fit suits in good style. If wanting any work in my line, give me a call. Satisfaction Guaranteed. SAMUEL BENTZEL, TAILOR, April 6, '80. [New Bloomfield, Pa.]

A False Report.—It having been reported by interested parties that I have retired from the Marble business, I take this method to inform my friends and the public generally, that the report is false, and that I am prepared to manufacture from American or Italian Marble, Tomb Stones of every description, at low rates.

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Select School.—The Second Session of the Sbermansdale Select School will open July 12, 1880. JNO. L. McCASKEY, Principal.

Notice.—A special meeting of the members of "The Pennsylvania Mutual Aid Society of Newport," Pa., to vote upon certain amendments to the Charter and By-Laws of said Society, will be held at "Miller's Hotel" Newport, Perry Co., Pa., on THURSDAY, April 7th 1880, between the hours of 3 and 5 P. M. By order of the Board, S. W. FLEMING, Sec'y

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The undersigned, proprietor of the NEWPORT MILLS, has completed his extensive improvements and now feels confident that he can make the BEST FLOUR in Perry County, and will sell at Rates that the poorest may buy. He is very particular in the wheat he buys, and has the only Smith Purifier in the County. He is also Agent for the UNDERWOOD PATENT FLOUR, which is the best flour in the World.

Dress Making in Duncannon. Miss C. Daniels has opened a Dress Making Room in Mr. Henry Stevenson's tailor shop, (up stairs) and hopes the ladies of this town and vicinity will give her a call. Duncannon, Feb. 11, 1880.

A Full line of Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Shirts, Overalls etc., at MARX DUKES & Co., Newport, Pa.

Not Correct!

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ESTATE NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Philip Light, late of Carroll twp., Perry Co., Pa., dec'd., have been granted to the undersigned, residing at Sbermansdale, Perry County, Pa. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement to JACOB LIGHT, Executor. March 30, '80. [CHAS. H. SMILEY, Atty.]

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