

THE TIMES.

New Bloomfield, May 18, 1880.

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While breaking up a lot of condemned shells near Fort McHenry, on Tuesday a shell exploded and killed six persons.

TERRIBLE FIRES seems to be the order of the day. In addition to the Oil fires in Bradford Co., the woods fires in New Jersey and other places, the town of Stayvesant in York State was almost destroyed.

Another Town Destroyed.

SUNBURY, May 14.—The town of Milton was almost entirely destroyed by fire to-day. The fire started in the finishing room of the car works in the northern section of the town.

An Appeal for Aid.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 14.—The following dispatch has been sent to the Mayors of the cities of this State: "The town of Milton has this day been almost entirely destroyed by fire."

Additional Oil Fires.

BRADFORD, Pa., May 12.—This afternoon a fire started in Oil Centre, near Duke Centre. A very heavy west wind was blowing, and the flames spread with incredible rapidity.

About 6 o'clock to-night a nitro-

glycerine magazine, containing 500 pounds of the compound, exploded. The magazine was located a short distance from Duke Centre.

Terrific Powder Explosion.

DEADWOOD, D. T., May 11.—An explosion of five boxes, containing nearly one hundred pounds of giant powder, occurred at the blacksmith shop of the High Lode mine, at Central City.

A Misunderstanding.

A preacher over in England who puts his Liberal politics into his prayers, was conducting a prayer meeting for Gladstone, that he and his fellow-redeemers of England might "hang together."

Ten Dollars Found.

The death of Judge Blackman, of New Haven, revives an old story about how he was once fooled by his son Samuel, a regular hard case.

The Cecil Democrat gives the following in relation to one of those rascally lightning rod transactions: One day recently a farmer living near Lewisville, just across the line in Chester Co., Pa., was called on by a lightning rod man.

WILLIAMSPORT, May 10.—Forest fires are still raging in this part of the State, Sullivan county being the latest sufferer. The hemlock forest of that county have been burning for two or three days, and great quantities of timber are reported destroyed.

The Baby Elephant's Troubles.

New York paper says:—On Tuesday Hebe, said to be the mother of the only elephant ever born in captivity, was very restless, jerking her head from side to side, and straining at the chains which held both a hind and fore leg captive.

night before, and they were afraid that it had scorched her breasts a little, as she had endeavored to keep her offspring from nursing during the day.

From another source it was learned that the baby was found rolling in pain during the morning; that part of an apple containing strychnine was taken from its mouth, and that another part of an apple saturated with the deadly poison was picked up in the little circle around which the baby is allowed to roam.

Miscellaneous News Items.

While the fire raged at Coleville a laborer, named John Clark, went upon a 250-barrel tank and smothered a small flame that would soon have caused the oil to explode.

HUDSON, N. Y., May 13.—The village of Stuyvesant, containing a population of four thousand people and situated on the Hudson river road, 125 miles from New York, and 17 from Albany and 10 from Hudson, was destroyed by fire this morning.

A colored man recently drowned the infant of his paramour at Columbus, Ga., and when officers last week attempted to arrest him, he jumped forty feet from a bridge into the Chattahoochee river.

William Rooks, of Canton, Fulton county, Ill., has been afflicted with what was supposed to be dyspepsia, but the matter came to a crisis last week, when he vomited up several "acephalocists" or mole-shaped monsters, each about two inches long and covered with a substance resembling moss.

There is a great mystery about the case of the death of two men whose bodies were found in the woods near Port Benton, Minn., the other day. The doctors declare they died of poison, but not the shadow of a motive for murder, or suicide, or a trace of possible murders, can be discovered.

Recently a bitter feeling sprang up between Henry A. Stocks and John R. Russell, farmers, living on adjoining places on Eight-Mile Prairie, Williamson county, Ill. On Tuesday the parties met on the road and an altercation ensued.

The Bradford Era tells briefly as follows how some recent fires occurred in that region. A man visited a 25,000-barrel oil tank with a naked lantern and Red Rock was burned. A man built a fire near a well and went to dinner; the destruction of New City was the result.

At least one child owes its life to the bravery of its mother, who had learned to swim. Mrs. Shoff, living near Neff's Island in the Susquehanna river, took her two small children in a boat on Thursday of last week to row where her husband was fishing.

BOSTON, May 13.—The shutting off of gas and water in the Post Office and Sub-Treasury to-day resulted in seriously crippling the workings of both departments. The mails are greatly delayed, as they cannot be sorted in the basement without light.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12, 1880. Washington is now, more than before, National politics headquarters. Part of this, of course, is due to the presence of Congress, all whose members are in constant (free) telegraphic communication with their constituents.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12, 1880. The high reputation of the house will be maintained in all its appointments. Located in the immediate vicinity of the large centres of business and of places of amusement, and accessible to all Railroad depots and other parts of the City by Street cars and with good prospects ahead.

threatens to make hot work at the Chicago Nominating Convention, and many a Democrat, heretofore full of grief at party defections and quarrels in New York, Virginia and other States, takes comfort in a prophetic view of a general Republican split.

Legislation goes on better than at any previous time during the session. Congressmen seem to realize that if they postpone work until after the first of the National Conventions they will find it impossible to do work at all, and so they are attending to business while it is yet time.

There seems to be an understanding among members that none of the appropriation bills yet to be acted on shall be debated at great length. The Legislative, Executive and Judicial bill was up in the House yesterday, and was talked over. It will be sent to the Senate by Tuesday next.

The Cabinet yesterday had under consideration the Howgate Polar Expedition, and it was decided to ask Congress for an appropriation for it.

We have just received Peterson's Magazine for June, and do not hesitate to say that it has more attractions than all the other magazines combined. No magazine in America has such fine steel engravings, and such good cuts.

Ballou's Monthly Magazine for June is a perfect specimen of a family serial, these being such a combination of all sorts of matter to interest old and young—illustrated articles, poetry, music, stories, and wit and humor.

Remember!—The only perfect proprietary medicine as a "Blood Searcher" is that bearing the name of "Dr. Lindsey," and which may be had from druggists.

J. SUNDY, M. D. Physician and Surgeon. A graduate of Cleveland Medical College. Located permanently in the borough of Bloomfield. Offers his professional services to the citizens of Bloomfield and surrounding vicinity.

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WANTED By an old established House, some honest, intelligent Men to Canvass in the country and villages on commission. An EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY. Something will be done, far as we know. A good chance for teachers, Young Men, Farmers and Mechanics.

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Perry County, Pa., the undersigned assignee of Wm. H. Kaufman, will sell by outcry on the premises,

THURSDAY, May 27th, 1880, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, the following described real estate, to wit:

A Tract of Land, situate in Madison township, Perry county, Pa., bounded on the north by land of Geo. Hensch, containing

53 ACRES, more or less, having thereon erected a two story Stone Dwelling House, BANK BARN, and other out-buildings.

There is a stream of running water near the buildings, and a well of good water at the house. It has all the conveniences of a farm, including house, stores, shops, &c., and is a property well worthy the attention of purchasers.

TERMS OF SALE. TEN per cent of the purchase money to be paid when the property is struck down; one-third of the balance at the time of confirmation of sale which possession will be given and the deed delivered; and the balance on July 1st, 1881, to be secured by judgment bond bearing interest from date of confirmation of sale.

Notice to the Creditors of Jacob Bistine. IN THE MATTER of the petition of Solomon B. Bigham, Assignee for the benefit of the creditors of Jacob Bistine and wife, to be discharged from said Court.

Now to wit: March 9th, 1880, rule to show cause why petitioner should not be discharged, granted and returnable 5th JUNE 1880. Notice to all creditors to be given of rule by advertisement in one newspaper published in the county for three consecutive weeks prior to return of rule.

Notice to the Creditors of Mathias Burd. IN THE MATTER of the petition of Michael Derriek, Assignee for the benefit of creditors of Mathias Burd, to be discharged from said Court.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of Andrew J. Burd of Buffalo township, Perry county, Pa., dec'd, have been granted to John Potter of said township.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of George Kemper, late of Saville twp., Perry county, Pa., dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned residing in said township.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the last will and testament of James Barler, late of Blain township, Perry county, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, residing in same township.

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Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Sarah Kline, late of Blain borough, Perry county, Pa., dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned residing in said place.

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 Shermanstown, Perry County, Pa.

AUDITOR'S REPORT of Carroll twp. WE the undersigned Auditors of Carroll township, Perry county, Pa., having been duly sworn to proceed to the examination of the accounts of Carson Hair and George B. Souder, late supervisors of said township for the year ending April 5th, 1880.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include Gross amount of duplicate, Am't due on last settlement, and Auditor's fees.

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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.