

THE TIMES. Local Department.

PENNSYLVANIA R. R.—MIDDLE DIVISION.

On and after Nov. 16th, 1879, Trains run as follows:

Table with columns for Westward and Eastward routes, listing stations like Philadelphia, Harrisburg, and New York.

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Brief Items.

The Page farm in Centre twp., was sold by the administrator on Saturday last, to F. B. Clouser, Esq., for \$900.

Carlele has subscribed about \$1,000 for the aid of the sufferers by the fire at Milton.

A valuable cow belonging to Mr. Wiseman, of Penn twp., was killed by the cars on Thursday of last week.

If you cannot come to town and want a pretty Lawn dress, Ladies for trimming &c., send for samples, to F. Mortimer.

A collection of \$23, for Milton, was taken up in the Presbyterian church last Sabbath. The collection at union service next Sabbath evening will be for the same purpose.

The splendid rain which fell in this vicinity on Saturday was gratefully received by the dried-up vegetation, and did great good.

Mr. Jas. L. Humes, poet, was in town last week. He don't appear to be any older than he was thirty years ago, and is always gay and happy.

A man by the name of Kohler, employed at the Fairview nail works, had the second finger of his right hand cut off by the nail shears last Thursday afternoon.

A bridge 60 feet long was built across the Yellow Breeches creek, at Craighead's station, on the S. M. R. R., between Saturday evening and Monday morning.

A girl in Cumberland county is said to have eaten a square of castle soap to get rid of freckles. She still has a few on her face, but inside she isn't freckled a bit.

A social picnic will be held at Laurel Grove by the young folks of that vicinity on Saturday afternoon of this week. There will also be singing in the Laurel Grove school house on the evening of the same day.

Chester County farmers have agreed on the following wages: By the month (whole year) with board, \$13; without board, \$20. For summer months only, with board, \$18; without board, \$24. By the day, regular work, 70 cents with board; 95 cents without board.

For the latest Spring styles in Bonnets and Hats, call at the new Millinery Store of H. V. LANE & SISTERS.

On Saturday after the Milton fire pieces of burnt paper were plentifully sprinkled in the fields near Freeburg, Snyder Co., and near McKee's Half Falls, a portion of a burnt deed and some promissory notes were found.—This is fully thirty miles from Milton.

Capt. Jas. H. Marshall, a former resident of this borough, now of Altoona, was in town last week. The Captain looks well, and gives a good report of all the Perry county men employed at that place, a number of whom were former residents of this borough.

A number of Carrier pigeons were liberated at Newport Sunday morning at 7 o'clock. We could not learn what time they reached their home in New York city, but they were expected to be there by 10 o'clock, a. m., making the passage in three hours.

A despatch just received says the first pigeon reached home at 12:40, and all were home by 5 P. M.

We call attention to the advertisement of Moreau's Malt and Beef preparation, and other valuable remedies prepared by the same firm. These remedies have received thousands of testimonials, and if you try their medicines no doubt you will add your name to the already long list.

We have several communications from delegates, desiring to return their thanks for the hospitality shown them during the Sunday School Convention. To publish them all would take too much space, and as so many seem so well pleased, perhaps it would be better to take it for granted that all were.

John Garland residing near little Germany while trying to stop a team that was frightened, fell and was run over. The wheels passed over his bowels and hurt him internally, but not so bad but what he was able to be taken home.

The accident happened as he was coming up from Newport with John Bistline's team.

The Duncannon Record says: On last Saturday night some person or persons were going to have a jolly good time.

They tried a board off of Sheriff Shelby's cellar door, at the back part of the hotel, and drew about three gallons of whiskey in a large tin bucket, but something or other must have frightened the would be thief or thieves, they departed leaving their booty sit at the bottom of the cellar steps. Had they succeeded we think it would have told on them.

Census Appointments.—The following persons have been appointed Census enumerators for the several districts of Perry county:

Greenwood township and Millerstown borough, Wm. A. Blain. Waita, Buffalo and Howe townships, and New Buffalo borough, Horace C. Blattenberger.

Liverpool township and Liverpool borough, George J. Sharp. Tuscarora and Juniata townships, Jacob L. Markel.

Oliver township and Newport borough, John Hartzell. Wheatfield and Miller townships, H. J. Sechrist.

Penn township, Jas. P. Long. Duncannon borough, Rev. G. W. Crist.

Rye township and Marysville borough, B. R. Flickinger. Centre township and New Bloomfield borough, Isalah C. Foose.

Spring township, Geo. W. Reeder. Carroll township, Jas. M'Gonigle. Saville township, Robert M. Welch.

Tyrone township and Landisburg borough, Samuel M. Rice. Madison and Sandy Hill townships, William Couch.

Toboyne and Jackson townships and Blain borough, James Woods.

Three of a Kind.—Mrs. John Lawless residing at No. 3, Paxton furnace row, in the First ward, this morning gave birth to triplets, two boys and a girl. Mrs. Lawless is a wife who should make any husband happy, as she has presented her spouse with seven children in three successive births, the last two births occurring within the year, with a net result of five children. The attending physician, Dr. T. L. Willetts, says that the mother is doing well and her three little ones have an average prospect of reaching a ripe old age. The First ward is ahead in the matter of increasing the census on short notice.—Harrisburg Patriot.

Coble's Loss.—On Sunday morning a cow belonging to Jacob Coble, the photographer, of this place, was grazing along the public road, at Eshleman's crossing, when Stambaugh's dog attacked her. In her fright the animal wheeled suddenly about, breaking her left hind leg about eight inches above the knee. She was placed on a sled and immediately hauled home. An M. D.'s services were employed to re-adjust the broken leg and try to save the animal's life, but the fracture was double and nothing could be done for the suffering brute, whose misery was ended by killing her on Tuesday. Notwithstanding cow flesh is cheap at the present time, Mr. Coble would have refused \$30 for his unfortunate animal, for she was fresh at the time of the accident and gave about sixteen quarts of milk daily.—Newport News.

Look Out for Him.—A few days ago a stranger called on Mr. James Brumbach a farmer residing near St. Thomas, to get him to act as agent for a certain kind of guano. The agent said he would ship him ten tons, half of the proceeds of which Mr. B. was to keep, and the remaining half he was to remit to the firm if the fertilizer was sold.—Last week another man representing himself to be one of the firm called on Mr. B. and succeeded in getting him to sign an agreement. On Saturday the man came to town and tried to sell a promissory note signed by Mr. Brumbach. Soon after Mr. B. arrived in town and had the man arrested, as the note was a fraud throughout. The stranger gave his name as Johnson and after returning the note, paying all costs he was allowed to go free. Keep a look-out for him and don't sign any guano contracts.—Franklin Repository.

Juniata County.—We copy the following from the Juniata county papers of last week:

A great fire is raging in the mountain near Black Log railroad station.

Some days ago, while the tubing was being taken out of Mr. Jacob Beldler's well a peice broke off and fell back into the drilled hole. All efforts to get the peice out failed, and now Mr. Beldler is having a new well sunk.

Some days ago, Jonas Zellers, residing at the east end of this county, was out on his farm spreading lime. Mrs. Zellers had not been in good health. Their only child was with him in the field.—He sent the child in to inquire for the health of its mother. The child found its mother lying on a bed, dead.

A few weeks ago, Mr. Henry Shottsberger, of Turbett township, who cut his left thumb off, but had it replaced again, has been called upon to endure great suffering. Mortification having set in he had the thumb amputated on Monday, and fears are now entertained for his recovery.

A large and destructive fire raged Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week on the Shade mountain in this county. It burnt from Reed's Gap to John Bardell's and destroyed valuable timber and bark for Samuel Magughey, A. S. Anderson, A. J. Anderson, Gordon's heirs, McKinley, Cal. Palm and others. Mr. A. S. Anderson had thirty cords of bark burnt.

Cumberland County.—We copy the following from the Cumberland papers of last week:

Disastrous fires have been prevailing in the mountain for the last ten days. C. W. Ahl & Son have lost heavily in corded wood. It has been with one exception, set on fire, and should the lad ever be discovered, woe be to him.

John Minich, the Loysville Perry Co. horse drover, will be at Swartz's hotel by the latter part of the week with a lot of fine horses. Mr. Minich has shipped over two hundred horses through this place since last February.

Andrew M. Brown, of Mifflin twp., is the sufferer this time. On Tuesday night an entrance was effected into the granary by forcing off the lock, and eight hams and shoulders and three bushels of corn stolen therefrom. On the Sunday night before five chickens were stolen from old Mrs. Salisbury.

Upon coming down stairs one morning recently Mr. Wm. Ruff found one of his rooms filled with smoke. This he found arose from a fire in a spittoon containing some saw dust where it must have been slumbering all night. Had it gotten air there would no doubt have been a conflagration. How the fire got there no one knows.

Mr. Gill bought a four months' old Alderney calf, several weeks ago. The calf is of a mouse color, and in the center of its forehead has a tuft of perfectly white hair, as big as a fist which appears for all the world like a full developed set of bovine bangs. This proves pretty conclusively that bangs are not yet out of style, as some editors have been claiming.

On Monday last Mr. John Shriner, of Meachamstown, visited our town on business which detained him over night. During his absence from home his house was broken into and robbed of eighty dollars in money and some valuable papers. Mr. S. was sent for when the robbery was discovered on Tuesday morning. Our latest information reports that up to that time there was no clue to the robber, and no trace of the missing papers or money.

On Saturday evening last, a four year old son of Mr. Emanuel Wert, of North Middleton, was playing in the yard near a dog kennel, to which a large, ferocious dog had been tied for some ten days.—The little fellow in his play went too near the kennel, when the dog sprang at him, seizing him by the cheek and inflicting a very ugly wound. Fortunately the boy fell outside of the dog's reach, and escaped further injury. The little sufferer was brought to Dr. A. L. Miller's office, in this place, where his wound was properly dressed. No further trouble is anticipated from the bite.—Mirror.

A Shippensburg butcher, Mr. Ed. Earley, made a narrow escape from being gored to death recently. He entered a pen in which a steer was confined, and by some means the door was closed, so that he could not get out. The animal attacked him with great ferocity, and threw him to the ground, but the man kept cool and preserved himself from fatal injury by keeping his body between the wide spread horns. He finally regained his feet, only to be again attacked and thrown down, escaping as before. The butcher escaped a second time, and tried to "climb out of the pen. While doing this the sharp horns of the animal were at work, and by the time Mr. Earley had forced a board from the pen near the roof, thus securing an avenue of escape, every particle of clothing except his boots was torn from his body. As it was the escape from death was miraculous.

FOR THE TIMES. From Kennedy's Valley.

Mr. Editor:—Fire has been raging in Kennedy's Valley for some time, doing damage to property, such as wood, bark and timber. It is still burning, and if we do not soon get rain there is no telling what damage may yet be done. Farmers are done planting corn. Crops look promising. Tobacco is the ruling excitement at present. Some of our farmers are making preparations to plant late crops. Mr. J. Keek contemplates building a tobacco house, forty by sixty feet. The miners of the Leonard & Co., Silver Mine are on a strike. Silver is what they want to see. We hope no serious results will follow. Still the flag floats from Dempsey's top. Elder Davis is making arrangements to build a barn on his mansion farm. On account of hard times Brother Allen has postponed the building of his house for a short time.

May 20th, 1880. R. A. For The Times.

Blain Items. Blain, May 21st, 1880.

Mr. Editor—We have spent a few days in this place, and will give you our ideas of it in connection with what little news we may have for you.

Blain is located in the richest and most beautiful part of Perry County; and if they had a railroad, Blain would be second to no town in Perry county. We find a first class school conducted by Prof. G. C. Palm. Another interesting feature is a Literary Society conducted by the young folks, assisted by Prof. G. C. P. Their society is styled Blain Literary Society, and their motto is "Gain success by deserving it." The Society promises to be one of the best of the kind in the county.

Prof. Robinson who was thrown out of a vehicle and hurt, is improving slowly. His wife, brother-in-law and a member of the firm of which he is agent, have come and will remain to care for him. The Prof. is in charge of Dr. McCoy, who renders every service, and employs all possible means for his speedy recovery.

Yours truly, OCCASIONAL.

Letter From Kansas. ABILENE, Kan., May 16, 1880.

Mr. Editor:—As I always have folks to write to I would ask once more for a little space in your paper, as a good many know that I was back there this winter and made a short stay and then started for San Francisco, California, where I staid five weeks. Saw nearly all that was to be seen, but came to the conclusion Kansas was the place; but it seems not, this summer. I came here the first of March and up to the 10th of May we had two little sprinklings of rain, not enough to wet a man's coat through, but still life seems to stay

in the crops. Thousands of acres of wheat are dead. I have eighteen acres on my farm that I would sell for five cents, and it is impossible to expect a grain of wheat if we do not have rain soon. We are blessed with wind and dust this summer. Last Saturday I went to see our friend Jacob Harnish and family. It seemed to me when I got there, that they had got on the dry desert of the west; not a green tree to be seen. On Sunday we went to Barton county where Mr. Harnish had service, a distance of 18 or 20 miles, and the church was built with mechanical skill. It is walled with sod, covered over with dirt, and floored with the ground. The country is inhabited with antelope, wolves and prairie dogs. I will give you a little sketch of the market. Wheat, \$50, corn, \$30; potatoes, \$80 to 1.00; lumber, frame stuff, \$30 to \$25, siding, 16, 18, 20 to 25; finish 30 to 40; flooring, from 33 to 35. Nails are from 6 to 7 cents per pound. Carpenters' wages are from 1.75 to 2.25. Board, per week, from \$4 to \$5. Mr. Harnish has bought a farm, and intends to build a house within a week or two. Those who are well fixed East, would better stay. The cry is now "for Denver or bust," and thousands have "bust."

Truly Yours, D. E. B. Ferry County Sabbath School Association.

The twelfth annual Convention of this body met in the Court House on Tuesday of last week, at 10:30 A. M. President Frazer called the meeting to order, and after prayer and singing, Rev. J. Edgar gave the address of welcome, which was responded to by the President. Sixty-six schools reported their statistics: Officers and teachers 695; scholars 5,106; average attendance 4,117. Thirty-seven schools were personally represented by 59 delegates assembled in Convention. Rev. R. Macpherson was elected President for ensuing year, D. Mickey, Secretary, and Hon. J. A. Baker, Treasurer.

On Wednesday evening, after an essay on the Past, Present and Future of the Sabbath School, by Dr. Bollinger, a lecture on the Sabbath School and its Relations was delivered by Rev. A. R. Miller, of New Cumberland, and with thanks to citizens, choir, newspapers, etc., the Association adjourned to meet in Landisburg, on 4th Tuesday of next May. The attendance was good throughout all the sessions and the house at times was overcrowded. Revs. J. A. McDonald and J. Edgar, Wm. Willis and Miss E. J. McKee were elected delegates to the State Convention, meeting this year in Lancaster. Schools were requested to hereafter send in a yearly contribution with their delegates to keep up the funds of the County Association; the Secretary to so notify them next spring.

[As we did not get the report of the proceedings till late in the week, we have not room for a more extended account.]

New Millinery and Fancy Store.

We would respectfully inform our friends and the public generally, that we have opened a MILLINERY AND FANCY STORE, on Main St., two doors East of Sponser's Law Office, and that we will keep constantly on hand, all the latest styles of goods in our line, and at prices to suit all persons. Our Goods are all NEW—just received from New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore. Call and see our fine stock SPRING BONNETS AND HATS before purchasing elsewhere.

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Church Notices.

Lutheran Church—Communion next Sunday morning. Preaching on Friday evening and on Saturday at 2 1/2 P. M.

Presbyterian Church—Preaching at 11 A. M. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Preaching in the Reformed church next Sunday, at 2 o'clock P. M. Prayer meeting Tuesday evening. Union service in the M. E. Church on Sunday evening next.

On the 27th of May, 1880, there will be sold on the farm of Langhorne Wister, in Allen's Cove, some fine Guernsey and Alderney Stock.

A CARD. To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. Joseph T. Isman, Station D, New York City. 2 b 3y.

County Price Current. BLOOMFIELD, May 21, 1880.

Table listing prices for various goods like Flax-Seed, Potatoes, Butter, Eggs, Dried Apples, Dried Peaches.

NEWPORT MARKETS. NEWPORT, May 21, 1880.

Table listing prices for Flour, White Wheat, Red Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Clover Seed, Timothy Seed, Potatoes, Bacon, Lard, Hams, Ground Alum Salt, Limeburner's Coal, Stone Coal, Iron Coal, Buckwheat Coal, Gordon's Food per Sack.

CARLISLE PRODUCE MARKET. COMBINED WEEKLY. WOODWARD & HOBBS. CARLISLE, May 21, 1880. Table listing prices for Family Flour, Superfine Flour, White Wheat, Red Wheat, etc.

Philadelphia Produce Market. PHILADELPHIA, May 21, 1880. Table listing prices for Flour unsettled, extra \$5.25@5.00, Pennsylvania family, \$5.50@5.75, etc.

MARRIAGES. Kenn—Houses—On the 29th ult., at the residence of the bride's parents in Liverpool twp., by Rev. J. S. Boar, Miss Martha E. House, to Mr. S. A. Kerr of Tuscarora a twp.

DEATHS. LEEBY—On the 10th inst., at Duncannon, Mr. John W. Leedy, aged 22 years.

J. W. ROWE, M. D. Physician and Surgeon Dentist. Office near Bixler's Mills, where all professional business will be promptly attended to.

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AUDITORS REPORT of Spring twp. WE the undersigned Auditors of Spring township, Ferry county, Pa., having been duly sworn, proceed to the examination of the accounts of Wm. H. Kistler and Jas. Swisher, late supervisors of said township for the year of 1879.

Table showing financial details for the township, including Gross amount of duplicate, Amount of account of Jacob Keek, Total, etc.

Blained. A balance of \$11.69 due the township we find in the hands of Jacob Sheser, supervisor of 1875. After a careful examination of the accounts of Wm. H. Kistler and Jas. Swisher, late supervisors of Spring township, we do report the above as just and true, to the best of our knowledge and ability. DAVID H. KANE, JACOB STUTZMAN, Auditors. May 25, 1880.

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