

The Bedford Gazette.

Home and Abroad.

HUNTINGDON AND BROAD TOP R.R. - WINTER ARRANGEMENTS - TIME TABLE - On and after Sept. 10th, passenger trains will arrive and depart as follows:

Changeable - the weather. Very tight - the money market. The place to get bargains is at Berkstresser's.

The poultry punished during the Holidays was immense. For full proceedings of the Legislature, see Morning Patriot.

FOR SALE - Several good Buffalo Robes. Inquire at this office.

Go to the Bedford Clothing Emporium for gentlemen's furnishing goods.

For the latest telegraphic news read the great central daily, the Morning Patriot.

Riots or rows caused by drunkenness, are now called benzine explosions. Buy your ready-made clothing of R. W. Berkstresser.

Folks talk of the bad effects of hoarding gold. We should like to make the experiment.

If Carl Schurz selected Senator from Missouri, he will be the dirtiest Schurz in the Senate.

R. W. Berkstresser is selling off all his fall and winter clothing at greatly reduced prices.

For the latest and fullest cattle, produce, oil and money markets, read the Morning Patriot.

Getting desperate - the fight for the Post Office. "The combat deepens, on, ye brave!"

The corn crop of 1869 promises an immense yield. Cause - the high heels boots worn at present.

There are some pavements not far distant that need the attention of the borough authorities. The owners thereof seem very indifferent as to their condition.

A. B. Cramer & Co. are determined to reduce their large stock of goods, and offer great inducements to buyers. See their advertisement in another column.

The Morning Patriot is delivered to subscribers in Bedford, on the same day on which it is printed, twenty four hours in advance of other city dailies.

FOR SALE - A desirable building lot on Richard Street, in the Watson extension. Inquire at this office.

ISAAC LIPPEL has just received a large supply of new goods. Call and see for yourselves. Goods to please and prices to suit.

G. R. Oster & Co. keep decidedly the best Family Store in Bedford. No misrepresentation to effect sales. Good goods marked in plain figures and at low prices.

When the thermometer trembles below zero, don't forget to pour water on your pavements. Slippery pavements are the delight of the boys, and they show off to great advantage the skill of those who have gained a high proficiency in dancing. Heels up!

Quite a number of prominent Radicals, from this place, have gone to Harrisburg to "assist" the Legislature which convened on Tuesday. No use, gentlemen, our "assembly wisdom" has already gained a notoriety for "gobbling up" things that is quite refreshing to honest men.

THE shelves of G. R. Oster & Co's spacious new Store are filled with cheap and attractive new winter goods that soon make you feel for your purse and bid good bye to your Greenbacks for articles that please you better, and are more useful.

THE POOR HOUSE QUESTION. - At the late term of court a petition from a number of citizens was presented, asking the court to issue a preliminary injunction to restrain the County Commissioners from incurring any further expense in the erection of the proposed new Alms House. This the court refused to do because complainants had not filed the necessary bond of \$10,000 to indemnify the contractor, &c. Bills in Equity were duly filed, and upon these the court - Judge Rowe on the bench - ordered the injunction to issue. This, of course, stops all efforts to erect a new alms house. The case may be taken to the Supreme Court, and if the opinion of the court below be reversed, the work will go on, otherwise not.

CEMETERY CONCERN. - The concert and festival for the benefit of the Bedford Cemetery Association, which was held last week, was a successful affair. Those who were fortunate enough to be present aver that it was decidedly the best entertainment ever given to the good people of Bedford. About \$200 were realized for beautifying the Bedford Cemetery.

MISS FANNY M. HALEY will give an entertainment in the Lutheran Church, Schellsburg, on Friday evening, January 15th, to consist of Reading and Recitations. This entertainment will give to the Schellsburgers a rare treat and they must not fail to attend. Admission 25 cents. Doors open at 6 1/2 - Reading at 7 1/2.

PRINCELY PORKERS. - Mr. Joshua J. Shoemaker, of the Bedford House, killed his pen of hogs on the 29th ult. Their net weight was as follows: - 5021, 456, 433, 359, 354; total, 2,110. We challenge the county "and the region round about" to beat this nest of porkers.

Isiah Morris, Esq., of St. Clair tp., killed a hog on the 22d ult. that netted 537 lbs. St. Clair is determined not to be behind on the hog question.

CHURCH DEDICATION. - The new Reformed Church, at Pleasantville, this county, will be dedicated on the morning of the 16th inst. The public are respectfully invited to attend.

CARRIER'S ADDRESS to the patrons of the BEDFORD GAZETTE, January 1, 1869:

Dear friends, you'll not expect me, in my very juvenile verse, Much of the past year's doings At this time to rehearse. For to your doors I've weekly Brought all the current news, And if you didn't read it 'Twas that you didn't choose.

You certainly do remember Events within a year That did befall the tenants Of this sublunary sphere. I'll only jog your memory Concerning a very few: 'Tis well to think on the Old Year As we begin the New.

I've read in Peter Parley, Of many cruel wars, Of fire and blood and carnage That mark'd the world with scars. These things in times barbaric The human race befall, Turning God's beautiful foot-steps Into a raging hell.

Since then the Christian era, Has dawn'd the storm to still, With Peace the ruling principle, And toward men Good Will. Now, look you through the year that's gone, And tell me, does the age Fulfill the Christian doctrine, Or repeat old Parley's query?

From where the bright LaPlata His silver billows rolls, To where the waning Crescent Gleams o'er the Cretan knolls; From Erin's emerald headlands, To faction-rant Japan; How much of man's humanity Is there toward his fellow man?

Alas! the same old story, Of battle, spoil and rage, Of Lust and Fraud and Tyranny, Mar the historic page. In the Old World king-craft struggles To hold its blood stain'd thrones, The Eastern gales are laden With the suffering people's groans. The bayonet props the power Of monarchies effete And the people toil and perish To support the bayonet.

But Spain has burst the shackles That bound her far too long, And the Castilian valleys Now ring with freedom's song. Old Ireland, too, is giving Her enemies hot work, And Crete is springing from the woe To free her from the Turk.

And in this Great Republic, This proud land of the free, The Vampire Reconstruction Kills the bird of Liberty. Beneath the once broadegis Of the fundamental law, Whereat the nations wondered, As its perfectness they saw, Millions of people languish, In civil slavery bound; So that their shameful bondage May to party ends rebound.

Five hundred thousand white men, American citizens born, Of every right they hold most dear By usurpation shorn! Five hundred thousand white men, Americans as we, Denied the right of the ballot, 'Neath the banner of the free! Whilst in the halls where Pinckney And Jefferson gave laws, Upheld a righteous cause, Half-barbarous negroes sit and rule The now degraded state, Whilst Federal bayonets execute The Radical's vengeful hate.

Oh! shame, where is the face of FREEDOM, That wears no mantling blush? Oh! Justice, where the coward heart That does not burn to crush The infamous cabal that sways 'So bold the tyrant's rod? Look down upon a people's wrongs, O just and righteous God!

Now, let the New Year bring us, A new and bright regime; An era that shall grandly The gloomy past redeem. Now, let our strifes be buried, Our prejudices cease, Our bick'rings and heart-burnings Give place to perfect peace. Let Winter's falcion icy Smite cold the heart of Hate; And from this blessed morning, Let Love's dominion date. Then may ye answer truly, Amen! ye shall hear The pleasant, hearty greeting Of a happy, glad New Year.

THE CARRIER.

NEW LAMP TOP. - Irvine, the enterprising man of the Regulator establishment, has just received a large supply of beautiful coal oil lamps with new and improved tops and chimneys, which far surpass anything we have ever seen in the lamp line, together with a new style of lamp shades. Everybody should have one. Call and see them. Tops and shades to fit all sizes of kerosene lamps.

CORN CAPTURED. - Corn thieves appear to be operating successfully in the upper end of the county. A number of farmers about Schellsburg report heavy losses lately, as high as twenty and thirty bushels having been taken in a single night. Farmers, secure your grain, as there is a prospect of a long winter ahead.

From the army hospital; the bloody battle-field, the mansion of the rich and the humble abode of the poor - from the office and the sacred desk; from the mountain-top, distant valley and far-off islands of the ocean - from every nook and corner of the evidence of the world, is pouring in of the astonishing effects of Drake's Plantation Bitters. Thousands upon thousands of letters like the following may be seen at our office:

"I have been in the Army Hospital for fourteen months, speechless and nearly dead. At Alton, Ill., they gave me a bottle of Plantation Bitters. Three bottles have made me a well man." C. H. FLAUTE.

MAGNOLIA WATER. - Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price.

HUNTINGDON, Dec. 30, 1868. EDITORS GAZETTE: - We notice in the Inquirer, some lying remarks made by its editor in reference to one of our agents who is now canvassing your county, not in the interest of the Democratic Party, but of humanity. He says first this agent is a New Englander, which would be no crime, (although it is not true) except that he was a member of the Radical Party. We are astonished at the impudence of this editor to cast reflections upon a section of country from which emanate all the ideas of Radicalism and from which he and all such silly mongrel editors receive their political instructions.

He says further that "the agent, though an entire stranger in the community, is thoroughly posted as to the whereabouts of every disbeliever in the local cause" and can readily distinguish the object of his search from a Radical Republican, and this editor seems astonished at this fact. We would just say here that we would not employ a man to work for us, who we thought could not readily distinguish an honest man and Democrat from the editor of the mongrel sheet of Bedford. This dirty mongrel, whose patriotism was first stirred enough to give him rheumatism of the hip joint, which prevented his shouldering a musket and marching to the front, as he no doubt was anxious to do, seems to be greatly disturbed for fear too many of the honest people of Bedford, who are anxious to read truth, may patronize our agent, and, therefore, sounds the alarm, by calling their attention to the conduct of an eastern agent, who some time since, it is represented, swindled the good people of your county, and who (as we are informed on good authority) was a full blooded Black Republican, and, therefore, had just honor enough to take advantage of the people. He further calls our agent "the Negro Supremacy book man," forgetting the fact that Radicals like himself alone advocate the supremacy of the Black Race, whilst Democrats believe in the superiority of the Caucasian over all other races and especially over the Negro Race; and for this reason, advocate just what our book advocates, white supremacy and Negro subordination. Of course, we do not contend that some niggers are not just as intelligent, and many of them more honorable, than this Radical editor.

He says further that our agent was defrauding the government by "doing business without license." Our agent supposed that he was not liable to take out license, and telegraphed us on this point. We are quite sure he is honest, even if he does not fully understand all the requirements of the Abolition revenue swindle. We presume that the \$10.00 paid by our man, goes towards paying off the \$2,200,000 given to our Radical Representatives in congress for their votes and influence in making the Alaska appropriation, and toward hundreds of other items, equally villainous, perpetrated by our Radical congress and which have swelled the debt to its enormous size.

But even if our agent did try to swindle the government, he did no more than this same Radical editor, who cheated the government out of his loyal services, which were needed in the front, during the war, by limping along the streets of Bedford, making the citizens believe that he was afflicted with Chronic Rheumatism, and he did no more than Radical Bondholders, who coined all their money out of the blood and sufferings of the people, and by their fraud and villainy helped heap up this enormous debt, and now have the brazen impudence to exact an exorbitant interest on their bonds, while they sit carelessly looking on, and not paying one cent toward lightening the burden of an oppressed people.

This editor further states that the Democrats of Bedford county have realized that their doctrines are false, by the ignominious defeat of their candidates; he means, of course, because the Radical Party polled a few more votes, through fraud, than the Democratic Party polled. This same argument, if argument it is, proves that the teachings of the Bible are false, because the great majority of the people, including this Radical editor and our Radical congress serve the Devil instead of worshipping God.

We wish further to inform this small editor (for such we have always considered him to be) that the people of Bedford county don't seem at all likely to take his advice, as our agent's reports show, either because they don't read his paper, or if they do because they can have no confidence in any advice given by a Radical Republican, who will shirk duty by feigning Rheumatism, knowing full well that men who have done so much to overthrow the constitution of their country, and to destroy and trample on the rights and liberties of the people, are not safe advisors under any circumstances.

Please, Mr. Radical Editor, give us another puff in your able paper; some of your friends are already patronizing our agent, and many more will seek "Democratic Literature" in less than twelve months. E. W. MILLER & CO.

ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle at once either by note or cash. A warrant will be issued on the 1st of January 1869. J. M. SHOEMAKER.

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ASSESSORS, TAKE NOTICE! - The Assessors of the several districts of Bedford county are requested to meet at the Commission Office, on Tuesday, January 26th, to receive the books, instructions, &c., to make the assessment for 1869. A full attendance is desired. By order of the Board of Assessors: J. G. FISHER, Clerk.

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STRAY BULL. - Came trespassing into Liberty township, Bedford Co., Pa., one mile below Riddleburg, on or about the 15th of December last, upon the estate of Geo. E. Kelley, late of Juniata township, Bedford county, Pa., all persons indebted to said estate are requested to call on the undersigned and show how they will present their property authenticated for settlement. JOHN REILEY, Adm'r.

BLACKSMITH SHOP FOR RENT. - The Blacksmith Shop at Lyons' Tan Yard, in Bedford, Pa., is offered for rent on reasonable terms. For further information, inquire of T. H. & N. J. LYONS, Bedford, Pa.

FOR SALE OR RENT. - The undersigned offers for sale or money rent, his mill property, situated near Hamilton Station, on the Bedford Railroad. The mill is in good repair, has a fine falling water power, with no ice to cut and the land belonging to the property (about 37 acres) is well improved, having all necessary out-buildings, well fenced, with a good water supply. The property lies near one of the best markets in the State, and will be rented for not less than 2 1/2 per cent. My only object in making this offer is ill health. For further information, address H. F. ROHM, Bloody Run, Pa.

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ORPHAN'S COURT SALE OF A FARM. - The undersigned, Guardian of the minor children of John J. Dibert, dec'd., by virtue of an Order of the Orphans' Court of Bedford county, Pa., do hereby give notice that on TUESDAY, THE 22nd DAY OF FEBRUARY, next, the real estate of which John J. Dibert died testate, consisting of about 70 acres, situate in Westmoreland township, Bedford county, Pa., adjoining lands of O'Neal, David Galbourn, Simon Kern, and a certain tract of land, situate in Bedford township, Bedford county, Pa., containing double log barn, and other outbuildings, with an orchard and a quantity of cherry trees, thereon, watered with running water. This is a very DESIRABLE FARM in a pleasant and fast improving neighborhood, and is situated in a healthy and fertile soil, and is well adapted for sale, and the remainder in two equal annual payments thereafter, with interest. The above property is situated in one of the finest Bark regions in the county, and is very convenient to Churches, Schools, Mills, &c. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock on day of sale. Terms will be made known by a SUMP.

FIRST NATIONAL WHITE LEAD, the best and purest and cheapest! Satisfaction guaranteed for whiteness, durability and brilliancy. It has no equal. Sold by all dealers throughout the country. F. I. T. Morris Perot & Co., Sole Importers, Philadelphia, Pa. Dealers in all kinds of Glass, Paints, Oils, &c. CAUTION: - Not owing to the popularity of our First National Lead, other parties have been induced to offer a Spurious article under the same name. Beware of cheap imitations. The genuine is put up in Extra Heavy Tin Paint Pots with patent Metallic Wire Handles, and the name of MORRIS PEROT & CO. on each Label. Jan. 6/69

FRESH ARRIVAL. The undersigned has just received from the Eastern cities, a large stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, &c., which he will dispose of at the lowest rates. Our whole stock of Men's, Youths', Boys' and Children's Clothing to be sold at a great Reduction of Price, which are in all cases guaranteed lower than the lowest elsewhere, or the sale cancelled and money refunded. CALL AND EXAMINE our goods after having examined those of the "sacrificing" houses before purchasing. A PAIR TEST IS ALL WE ASK. Half way between BERRY & CO., Fifth and Sixth Streets, 315 MARKET ST., PHILADELPHIA, AND 600 BROADWAY, NEW YORK. Oct16/69

\$1200 AND ALL EXPENSES PAID! - See Advertisement of AMERICAN SEWING MACHINE, in our advertising columns. nov1/69

MARRIED. WRIGHT-SLEEK. - On Wednesday evening, the 23rd ult., in St. Clair tp., by J. W. Bowen, Esq., Mr. Rufus Wright to Miss Ellen, youngest daughter of Joseph and Isabella Sleek of Napier tp.

MARRIED. MILLER-RITCHIE. - On the 25th of Dec., by Rev. C. U. Hillman, Mr. George Miller, of Blair co., and Miss Caroline Ritchie, of Bedford co., Pa.

MARRIED. HOOPER. - On the 27th of Dec., by the same, Mr. Thomas G. Hooper, of Centerville, Iowa, and Miss Fanny Hooper, of Bedford county, Pa.

MARRIED. ROSE-McPERRIN. - At the residence of the bride's father, on the 22d ult., by Rev. James Thompson, Mr. George W. Rose, of Mt. Pleasant, McPerrin, all of Cumberland Valley tp.

MARRIED. HOOPER-CUPPET. - On the 24th ult., by the same, Mr. Hooper, of Centerville, Iowa, and Miss Mary Rebecca Cuppet, both of Bedford co., Pa.

MARRIED. BOON-COOK. - On the 24th ult., by Rev. E. B. Buhman, Mr. Walter E. Boon and Miss Mary C. Cook, both of Bedford county.

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WANTED, AGENTS, \$75 to \$300 per month everywhere, male and female, to introduce the Genuine Improved Common Sense Family Sewing Machine. This machine will stitch, hem, fell, tuck, quilt, cord, blind, brand and embroider in most superior manner. Price only \$18. Fully warranted for five years. We will pay \$100 for any machine that will sew stronger, more beautiful, or more elastic seam than ours. It makes the "Elastic Lock Stitch." Every second stitch can be cut, and still the cloth cannot be pulled apart without tearing it. We pay Agents from \$75 to \$200 per month and expenses, or a commission from wholesale trade. Amount can be made. Address: SECOMB & CO., Pittsburgh, Pa., Boston, Mass., or St. Louis, Mo. CAUTION - Do not be deceived by other parties peddling worthless cast-iron machines, under the same name or otherwise. Ours is the only genuine and really practical cheap machine manufactured.

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GRAND BARRIS, Mich., Sept. 10, 1868. LIPPINCOTT & BARKWELL. The people seem to be crazy about your Red Jacket Axes. Please send me twenty dozen more. Yours truly, W. D. F.

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