

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Departure of Trains. Morning Train, 6:20 A. M. Evening Train, 1:40 P. M.

Arrival of Trains. Morning Train, 12:30 P. M. Evening Train, 7:30 P. M.

Town Authorities. Frederick White, President. Van B. Osler, Geo. W. Foreman, John R. Rouzer, Geo. W. Stockdale.

The Churches. St. John's Evangelical Lutheran.—Rev. J. Summers, Pastor. Reformed (Appel's)—Rev. N. E. Gilds, Pastor.

THE MATHS. The mail for Baltimore daily (except Sunday) leaves this place every afternoon by the 1:40 train.

THE CHURCHES. Divine services were celebrated in the United Brethren Church last Sunday, Rev. John K. Nelson, officiating.

APPLE'S CHURCH. A sermon was preached at Apple's Church on last Sabbath, by Rev. N. E. Gilds, on the subject of "prosperity."

MAN KILLED—SUICIDE. On last Tuesday, the 21st instant, about 3 or 4 o'clock, P. M., the family of Mr. Benjamin Damann, residing about 14 miles from Wolf's old tavern, in Hanover's District, in the neighborhood of Mr. Hiram Fox and Ignatius McAfee, heard a loud voice calling for help about two or three hundred yards from the house.

At the present season of the year, the smiling fields, the green swards, and the budding trees, makes Harbaugh's Valley look more lovely than ever.

THE PEOPLE OF GRAECIAM are striving hard to rival Mechanicstown in the way of thrift and improvement.

Our friend Mr. John Walters, of the Emmittsburg District, a gentleman of fine literary abilities, we are gratified to learn, intends contributing something of interest for the readers of the CLARION.

HAVER'S DISTRICT. Has generally been get down as one of the least prolific for the tax-gatherer.

THE SIB begins to run, and the season for bark peeling will soon commence.

THE MARKET.—Since the arrival of the Railroad cars from Baltimore, during the past two months, our town has assumed a commercial aspect, and many articles of produce are brought to this market for shipment to Baltimore.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE. The services of the Protestant Episcopal church will be expected on Sunday morning, Dec. 10, at 10 o'clock, at Catoctin Furnace, and 4 o'clock, P. M., on the 26th of March, instant, in Mechanicstown.

WEIGHTING SCALES. Chew & Stockdale have just erected near their warehouse one of Fairbanks & Co.'s superior Hay Scales, capable of weighing 6 tons at once.

SHOOTING AFFAIR. We understand that a desperate shooting affair occurred at the York Hotel, in Carroll county, on Monday night, the 20th instant, between Dr. Milton A. Lauer and Edward Bond, proprietor of the Hotel.

THE energetic and popular young Pastor of the Moravian Church at Graeciam, Rev. Jesse S. Bickensler, has proposed to give us a historical sketch of this congregation, and their early settlement in this county—the only one of the Moravian denomination existing in Maryland.

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THE Knights of Pythias are to give a Grand Soiree at Junior Hall in Frederick, on Easter Monday, 10th of April.

Our historical sketch is crowded out. It will appear in due time.

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Stone Chapel, erected in 1783, between Sam's Creek and Westminster, near Warfieldsburg, in Carroll county, is believed to be the oldest M. E. Church in Maryland.

We understand that Mrs. NELLIE EYSTER, of Harrisburg, is preparing for the next July number of Harper's Magazine, New York, an excellent sketch of some of the old time events, which occurred in and around Frederick-town many years ago, shortly after the demise of Grand Pap Eden.

Dr. George M. Fouke, Dentist from Westminster, will be here next Friday. He was here last Thursday, but unavoidable circumstances required him to be elsewhere.

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The Love of God.

I said, "Oh! thou whose self is Light, Can I no light obtain. Must heart and hope wait still in night, And thought but measures pain.

Yet I am Love, and good shall flow From all that evil seems; And human hopes fulfillment know Beyond their brightest dreams.

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Mechanicstown Markets.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Flour and Grain Market, Choice Family, Extra Family, etc.

MORAVIAN SEMINARY for Young Ladies.

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NEW BAKERY.

The subscriber has opened a Bakery Establishment in Mechanicstown, situated on Carroll street, near the R. R. Depot.

CONSTABLE'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, issued by Henry Stokes, one of the justices of the peace of the State of Maryland, and for Frederick county, to me directed, I will expose to sale at Public Auction on the premises,

On the 16th instant, at her residence in Frederick city, Mrs. LOUISA C. STORM, aged 35 years.

VARIETY IS THE SPICE OF LIFE.

IN STORE.

Garden Seeds, Tin Horns, Magazines and Newspapers; Pocket Knives, Bird Cages, Flower seeds, Suple Jacks, Work Baskets, and Tveczco's CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES.

ALL STYLES AND PRICES; Violins, Tin Buckets, Pocket Books, Dog Knives, Crucifixes, Pistols, Diaper Pins, Thermometers, Snow Black, Genuine Black, Spanish Eggs, Fifty Cents, Per dozen, China Dolls, Photograph Albums, Sweet Marjoram, Jew's Harps, India Rubber, Cloth for Babies, Ear Rings, Snuff Boxes, Piano Music, Tops, Worm Steel, Lozenges, Doll Baby Shoes, Quill tooth, Picks, Base Balls, And Bats, Check Paint, Dogs and Cats, Tooth Brushes, Sarsaparilla, Steam Engines.

LOOK FOR THE SIGN OF THE BIG BOOT!

The Subscriber would inform the citizens of Mechanicstown and vicinity that he continues to manufacture BOOTS AND SHOES of all sizes and descriptions, which he warrants, and will sell as low as can be purchased elsewhere.

He has recently received an elegant and choice lot of fancy shoes, consisting of Ladies' Gaiters, Morocco Shoes, Slippers, Gent's French and Stitch Gaiters, Misses and Children's Gaiters of all sizes and of the latest styles.

PUBLIC SALE.

The subscriber intending to decline farming, will sell at Public Sale, on Saturday, the 25th day of March, 1871, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on the road leading from Emmittsburg to Mechanicstown, 13 miles from Rocky Ridge Station, the following personal property, to wit:

1 FINE BAY MARE, 3 COWS and 1 HEIFER; two of the cows are fresh; 1 Brood Sow and 1 large Sheld; 1 barshier Plow, 1 double Shovel Plow, 1 single do., 1 Corn Caster, 1 Harrow, 1 two-horse Mower, 2 sets of Breach-lands, 2 Biddles, 2 collars, 1 set of Plow Gears, Double and Single Trees, 1 Grain Cradle, 1 Mowing Scythe, Shovels, Forks, Mattock, Corn by the bushel.

Household and Kitchen Furniture, 1 Noble COOK STOVE, No. 8; 1 corner Cupboard, 1 Desk, 1 Hive of Bees, 1 large dining Table, 1 Bureau, 2 Bedsteads, 1 Rocking Chair, lot of other Chairs, and a great many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE.—A credit of six months will be given on all sums of \$5 and upwards; on all sums under \$5, the cash will be required.

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Executor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphan's Court of Frederick County, letters of Administration on the personal estate of LEWIS ELDER, late of Frederick county, deceased.

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PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

ON SATURDAY, 1st of April, 1871, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the subscriber, Executor of the Estate of Harriet Morrison, deceased, will sell at Public Auction, near Bridgeport, about 4 miles from Emmittsburg, the following property, to wit:

2 COWS, 2 SHEEP, 1 Farm Wagon, 1 Spring Wagon, 1 Cart, one-half of 12 acres of grain growing in the ground, 25 bushels of wheat in the mill, 18 bushels of oats, 1 pair grain ladder, 1 sleigh, 1 crowbar, 1 large copper kettle, 1 ten-plate stove and pipe, one cook stove and pipe, 1 parlor stove, bedsteads and bedding, a lot of Carpets, Chairs, 1 Settee, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE.—The terms of sale as prescribed by the Orphan's Court, are a credit of six months for all sums above \$5, with good security and interest from date; all sums under \$5, cash.

PRIVATE SALE.

The subscriber offers at Private Sale, the Mechanicstown FLOURING MILLS, improved with a Merchant Mill, good Water Power, overshoot wheel, capacity from 15 to 20 barrels per day, a fine large new BRICK HOUSE, and all necessary out-buildings, with 6 OR 8 ACRES OF LAND, within the incorporate limits of the town, convenient to the Depot of the Western Maryland Railroad, all in good repair, and arranged for both merchant and custom work. Possession given and terms made to suit the purchaser.

The subscriber, thankful to the citizens of Mechanicstown and country for the patronage heretofore extended, asks a continuance of the same, as the mill has recently undergone a thorough repair. He is now prepared to do custom work of all kinds with despatch, and shall endeavor to please all. Flour, Corn Meal and Feed of all kinds and grades, on hand for sale, and will be delivered within the limits of the town on Tuesday and Friday of each week at the very lowest market price. Also until the above property is sold will continue to pay the highest market price for Wheat, Rye, Corn and Oats.

PUBLIC SALE.

The subscriber intending to quit teaming and farming, will offer at Public Sale, on Monday, the 27th day of March, 1871, at 9 o'clock, A. M., on the premises, at Franklin Mills, 1 mile north of Mechanicstown, on the Frederick and Emmittsburg Turnpike, the following personal property, to wit:

6 Superior WORK HORSES, several head of horned Cattle, some of them milk cows; 1 thoroughbred Bull, (Durham and Ayrshire), 3 years old, a lot of Chester Shorthorns, 1 broadsword wagon, with bed, bows and cover complete; 2 three-horse tread farm wagons, one nearly new; 1 two-horse wagon, with bed; 1 very superior spring wagon, with pole and shafts, (Hane & Hoar's make); 2 pair of wood loaders, 1 line bed; 2 pair of hay carriers, 18 and 20 feet long; 1 Clamplign reaper and mower, 1 sower, 1 spring-tooth rake, 1 clod roller, 1 log wagon, 1 threshing machine and horse power, good as new; 1 fodder cutter, 1 winnowing mill, (Mathews' make), 2 three-horse barshier ploughs, 2 two-horse ploughs, 2 triple shovel ploughs, 4 double shovel ploughs, 1 corn coverer, 3 harrows, 3 log chains, 2 iron chains and spreaders, a large lot of single and double trees, 2 sets of breach-lands, 3 sets of front wheels, 6 sets of dough gears, 2 wagon saddles, collars, bridles, halters, lines, whips, &c. Breast and butt chains, cow chains, lead chains and ice cutter, 3 cross cut saws, 1 superior jack screw, picks, shovels, forks and mattocks, lot of old iron, lot of new forged iron for ploughs, several tons of superior phosphate.

Also, 1 bedstead, 1 large dining table, 1 barrel churn, large meat tub, several barrels pure elder vinegar. Also, 3 MOUNTAIN LOTS, containing from 2 to 10 Acres each. TERMS OF SALE.—A credit of six months on all sums above \$10, bearing interest from date; sums of \$10 and under, cash. No property to be removed until the terms of sale are complied with.

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