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FRIDAY, AUGUST 30, 1889.

GENERAL LOCAL NEWS.

Brown sugar 5 cents per pound.

Hot and dry. Rain badly needed. Flying stopped and the corn suffering.

Mr. C. M. Durov, the well-known and popular traveling agent of the Valley, has been appointed passenger agent at Winchester.

A quarry of good quality of white marble has been discovered near Harper's Ferry. The quarry is said to be abundant.

Basta and shams for sale at rock bottom prices by Addison March, Seven Pointhouse, Va.

Quite a large quantity of grain has been threshed during the past week and the yield is somewhat better than was expected.

Just received another lot of cheap Boston shoes made to order right from the factory.

The Union Carrot Band accompanied by the Mayor and other prominent citizens of Winchester, left for a trip to Boston a few days ago.

On last Sunday, Mr. B. E. Pomeroy, of this county, had his mare's both hind legs very badly cut with a candle that was left in the field.

A fine stock of watches, clocks, jewelry, &c., &c., for sale cheap, by J. S. Kline, Woodstock.

A match game of base ball was played between the Winchester and Stanton clubs on Wednesday resulting in a victory for Winchester by a score of 15 to 10.

Joe, F. Stricker, Esq., one of the most successful farmers and business men, died at his home in Page county, last Friday. We have not learned his age, but he was between 60 and 70 years of age.

Don't buy a buggy until you have gotten Jamison's prices. He handles the best goods on the market.

There will be an all day Basket Meeting in James Hoover's school on the second Sunday of September, one mile east of Willow Grove, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., by J. W. Doffmyer.

Just received a lot of fancy pickles, such as cauliflower, chow chow, mixed pickles only 25 cents per bottle.

For spectacles and eye glasses of all kinds, call on J. S. Kline, he is prepared to suit you in quality style and price.

Miss Mary Ryan, of Stanton, and Miss Jane Wiley, of Lexington, were thrown from a buggy while driving in the latter place, a few days ago and painfully hurt.

Summer-time brings colic and stomach-ache. Simmons Liver Regulator cures it.

Mr. Wm. H. Albert, one of our go-ahead business men, is greatly enlarging and improving his store-room, on Main street, this place. It is his intention to put in a handsome glass front.

For latest styles in jewelry, call on J. S. Kline, of Woodstock, he has just received a splendid assortment which will be sold very cheap.

Deer are reported to be very plentiful in the mountain of this section. This is the good result from the stringent law in regard to running dogs. The law is a good one and should be rigidly enforced.

I have the old reliable Beckey's cider mill for sale. A. L. Jamison, Aug. 30, '89.

We learn from the Spirit of the Valley that Hon. J. F. Lewis had a cancer cut out of his ear a few days ago, by Dr. Lewis Wheat, of Richmond. His friends will be glad to learn that he is doing well.

The Anderson Guards of this place left on Thursday morning to attend the great mass meeting at Middleburg, Frederick county. A number of people from this place and vicinity went with them.

Autumn produces chills and fever and malaria. Simmons Liver Regulator prevents them.

New Superior Drill best in the market. No gearing between wheels and hopper ends. Least complication. Fully warranted and priced low. J. Rhodes & Son, Samsville, Va.

This office is indebted to Mr. Henry Bally, the well known and popular fruit raiser of near Woodstock, for a nice list of his superior Cannon grapes.

Sufferers from indigestion, loss of appetite, liver or kidney complaints, rheumatism or neuralgia, would do well to give Ayer's Sarsaparilla a trial. For all such disorders, no medicine is so effective as this, when faithfully and perseveringly used.

Go to Jamison and get the best drill made, the late improved Rickard & Hoffman.

The Pleasant Green Sunday school will have its annual picnic on Friday, the 30th inst., while playing the school's Town House about 14 miles southeast of Town House, Saturday, August 31st. There will be able speakers to address the assembly. The occasion will be celebrated by a brass band and vocal music. Everybody is cordially invited to attend and on Friday a day long to be remembered.

Committee.

Some years ago Ayer's Cherry Pectoral cured one of asthma after the best medical skill had failed to give relief. A few weeks since, being again troubled with the disease, I was promptly relieved by the same remedy. - F. S. Hasler, Editor Jersey, Table Rock, N. B.

The proceeds of the concert held for the benefit of the Climax base-ball club, on last Saturday and Sunday night, will amount to \$125. This will be a big thing in adding the boys to secure a battery for several weeks.

The town was well supplied with preaching on Sunday last by the ministers of the Lutheran Synod. Their sermons were highly appreciated by all who heard them. The Synod closed its session on Saturday. The meetings were well attended, and our people were greatly interested.

Rev. Wm. Hall, of New York, a minister of the Disciples church, delivered an able and most instructive discourse on Sunday night in the Disciples church in this place, on "The Mysteries of Ingersoll." Mr. Hall is a very attractive lecturer and speaker. All who had the good fortune to hear him were highly pleased with his lecture.

STRAVBURG ITEMS.

The Rev. W. T. Smith, of Frederick Co., filled the pulpit of his brother, the Rev. J. L. Smith, in the Lutheran church in this place on Sunday morning last. The sermon was well received by a large and attentive congregation.

The many friends of Miss Sallie Hopp were glad to welcome her home again after her sojourn for several months past in Olny, Illinois.

Base fishing and base ball rank high at the present time, among our sports and many pastimes of the average Strasburg.

Mr. John D. Harris, of Olney, Illinois, is visiting Mrs. Mary E. Keller, and other friends in this place.

Grapes, peaches, and other fruits are quite plentiful in the market at the present time, and the prices are within the reach of all.

The elegant suburban residence of Rev. J. S. Hopkins, is nearing completion, and when finished will be a most comfortable, brassy and stylish abode. Mr. Hopkins will occupy his new home some time in September.

A goodly number of our people are making arrangements to attend our county fair, October 1-4. They have been there before and they know a good thing when they see it.

The Fair.

We are glad to see that the managers of the Agricultural Society are making arrangements for a large fair this season, inasmuch as on the same dates, our own people have gone to work, and have determined that they will not be surpassed. Some excellent horses are already engaged for the track and applications for accommodations for stock are coming in advance of the opening of the entry books.

The ladies department we have every reason to believe will be better than it has yet been. Let our own people determine to show the public what kind of stock and poultry are raised in the Shenandoah Valley and we will have a fair which will keep up the reputation which we have already earned—that of having the best county fair in the State.

On Tuesday night last a difficulty occurred in front of the Valley Inn in this place, between a person calling himself Dr. Donaldson, and a strolling horse doctor claiming the name of Harry Williams. Donaldson pounded Williams who had made his appearance at the morning and taken before the Mayor who had Donaldson \$50 for the assault and in default of payment committed him to jail for ten days. Williams left town directly afterwards but before reaching Peg's Run, about two miles north of this place, he was arrested on a warrant from Judge Johnson, of Shenandoah County. Here he was taken before a Justice charged with stealing several valuable rings from Mrs. Mag. Moore, he having gotten them from her on the pretense of trying them on a young lady's finger, but left that place without returning them. On Thursday night officer Downey brought him to jail, the having been sent up for four months.

Balloon Ascension.

The Directors of the Fair have determined to have a balloon ascension this year, and in order that there may be no disappointment have contracted with Messrs. Williams and Young, of Cincinnati, to make an ascension on Wednesday, and one on Thursday. These parties come highly recommended and have assured the officers of the fair that they will certainly be here. From the figures which the contract was made, we think they will leap from the balloon when it has reached a height of 2000, or more feet. It is a slight work traveling a considerable distance to see.

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NORTH BOUND.

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Leave Woodstock, 9:12 a.m., 10:15 a.m., 3:09 p.m.

Arrive Harper's Ferry, 4:42 p.m., 5:40 p.m., 9:54 p.m.

Arrive Washington, 6:50 p.m., 7:00 p.m., 11:00 p.m.

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The Disciples Meeting.

The co-operation meeting of the Disciples churches of the Valley convened with Antioch church in this county last Thursday, and adjourned on Saturdays.

In addition to a large number of delegates present from the various churches composing the union, there was a prominent number of distinguished ministers, among whom were Elders L. A. Carter, of Richmond, Wm. Edward Hall, of New York, Marshall, of Baltimore, Waldrop, of Albemarle, Holland, of Pulaski, and Rhodes, of Edinburg.

The convocation is composed of twelve churches and a number of ministers of the Valley, embracing a membership of about 1400 persons. In this county they have two churches and one mission, with an aggregate membership of 155 persons. Some idea of their activity as Christian workers may be obtained from the fact that in one of their churches in this county with a membership of only 55 but few of whom are well so far as this world's goods are concerned—the average contributions per capita amounts to \$1.50 per annum. The work in the meeting just closed was one of conference and co-operation—to compare results and plan for mutual aid and work for the ensuing year. We are gratified to learn that the past year shows it to be one of prosperity in all branches of their work. Elder Marshall has been preaching every night this week at Antioch and will continue, we learn, throughout the week.—Page Courier.

There will be a regular old-fashioned Sunday school celebration held at Mr. Sayer's woods, one mile west of Harrisonville, on Saturday, September 7th. All Sunday schools are cordially invited. A number have already concluded to be on hand. Music in abundance, both instrumental and vocal. A No. 1 programme will be arranged with a good selection of Sunday school orators. Another attraction will be the Baltimore and Annapolis lot of music, both vocal and instrumental. The whole programme will be under the charge of a chief marshal who will see that everything is carried out strictly to the letter. One or two good brass bands will be on hand to turn out with well filled baskets, and enjoy a day with the committee to make this an enjoyable occasion. Committee.

We are informed that a dog cholera has made its appearance in several sections of this county, though as yet it is in a mild form. The following is said to have been a first-class remedy in Virginia, where it was extensively used: "Beat up an ounce of saffron and add, say to an ounce of whiskey or other kind of spirits, and give to the dog two tablespoonfuls, three or four times a day, until the dog is cured. The effect which this remedy had on the dogs spoken of, was to cause them to vomit the most disgusting and loathsome mass of matter conceivable from the stomach, when a moderate recreation took place, and the dogs were soon entirely cured."

The cattle fly, a new summer pest, has appeared in the Valley this summer. It is a small fly, half the size of a house-fly which settles on the animal and so reduces it by its blood sucking, in large numbers, that the animal is greatly weakened. In Stanton, Mr. J. M. Valentine and others have had their cows badly used by the pest, and the farmers speak of its appearance in the county. J. O. Howard, the acting entomologist of the Department of Agriculture, suggests the applications which will effectively keep the flies away: (1) fish oil and lime tar, with a little sulphur added; (2) tobacco when the skin is wet; (3) turpentine and a small amount of carbolic acid; (4) kerosene. At Richmond, Va.

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Notice To Teachers.

On Wednesday September 4th, I will hold an examination at Woodstock. This examination will be admitted only those whom I shall not have previously examined this year at Park Spring, New York. It will be in the form of an examination of the work of grading their papers. This will be the last examination for the year. J. B. McArthur, Supt. of Schools.

A Progressive College.

The last catalogue and circular of Randolph Mason College are good reading, and show a College full of enterprise and vigor, though it is the oldest belonging to its denomination in the United States. See advertisement.

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Indigestion, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Malaria, Nervousness, and General Debility. Physicians recommend BROWN'S IRON BITTERS. Beware of cheap imitations.

DIED

David Kline, son of David and Berle Kline, died August 25th, 1889, aged 2 years, 4 months and 24 days. Little David was a very bright and cheerful child, and his death is a great affliction to his parents. He was buried at Antioch church on August 27th. His father, David Kline, is a member of the same church.

Dear Mother we do not mourn for thee as those who have no hope. We hope to meet thee again. Thy last hour was a happy one, and thou hast finished thy course and art at rest. May we emulate thy virtues, and intercede for thee with thy Father, Jesus Christ.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO,)
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