

THE JOURNAL.

CLEARFIELD, PA., JUNE 22, 1859.

We direct attention to the advertisement of P. C. Purviance in another column.

Gen. John Patton has received a large additional stock of Seasonable Goods, which he offers to sell at the very cheapest rates.

Look Out.—We have been informed that a dog, exhibiting symptoms of madness, was seen loitering in the neighborhood of this town, a few days since. Our citizens should be on the alert.

DIALOGUE.—Mr. Matthew S. Ogden, residing at the south end of our borough, informs us that on last Friday a large and valuable sheep of his came home with a bullet wound under its jaw, which he fears may prove fatal. The person who would maliciously shoot a sheep would be none too good to steal it.

COURT is in session here this week, and a large number of persons are in attendance. Not much business has as yet been transacted. The case of Thompson vs. Chase was before the Court yesterday. Hays, charged with robbing Mr. Rider's store in Corvinton, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to four years' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—An accident occurred in Brady township last week, at a barn raising, whereby Reuben, youngest son of a Judge Bonnell, came near losing his life. A joice falling from the top of the barn, struck him on the back between the shoulders, crushing him to the ground. Dr. Boyer was summoned upon the spot, and administered restoratives, and the young man is now thought to be out of danger.

THE CROPS.—Since our last issue, we have been favored with a number of refreshing showers, which have given a new impulse to vegetation of every description. The wheat and rye have improved considerably, and it is now hoped, unless some new calamity befalls them, that there will be near three-fourths of a crop. The corn, however, we are told, is injured more than was supposed. Much of it has rotted in the ground, and will die. Replanting will be necessary, but as the season is far advanced, this will scarcely have time to mature properly. An unusual quantity of buckwheat is being sowed, and upon the whole, it is probable we will have as much as, if not more, grain in this county than we had last season.

THE CORN GRUB.—The corn crop has several formidable enemies to contend with, and among them is the grub, which sometimes literally destroys whole fields, and frequently damages the crop severely. One of the best and most judicious remedies, perhaps the very best ever suggested, is the application of salt as soon as the plant makes its appearance above ground, prepared in this way: Take one part of common salt and three parts plaster or gypsum, and apply a table spoonful around each hill, and it will be a sure protection. The mixture should not come in contact with the young plants, as it may destroy them. This method has been tried over and over again by some of the best farmers in Pennsylvania, Delaware and Jersey, and when properly applied, has never failed to be perfectly successful. We hope our farmers, who have reason to fear the depredations of the grub, this season, will try the mixture, leaving a few alternate rows of corn without the salt, and communicate the result to us.

For the Raftsmen's Journal.

Dedication of the Mt. Joy M. E. Church.

According to announcement the Mt. Joy M. E. Church was dedicated to the worship of Almighty God on Sabbath last, the 19th instant. This church is a neat and well arranged building, situated two miles north of Clearfield town, in a pleasant grove. Providence favored us with fine weather, so that when the hour of divine service arrived the house was almost filled to overflowing, while the doors and windows were crowded with anxious hearers. Our worthy Presiding Elder, James Sanks, opened the services by reading the hymn commencing, "Lord of hosts! to thee we raise, Here, a house of prayer and praise."

After singing, prayer was offered by the preacher in charge, Rev. D. Sheffer. The reading of the Scriptures followed, in which all the preachers present joined. The congregation then united in singing "Before Jehovah's awful throne, Ye nations bow with sacred joy."

After which Rev. James Sanks favored us with an excellent and appropriate sermon from Gal. 3: 8, in which he presented the claims of God upon us so successfully that many hearts were moved, and the entire congregation held, as if spell-bound, by his eloquence. He is emphatically one of the workmen that need not be ashamed, and as a financier, or collector, he has few equals. After the sermon, he stated to the congregation that the church debt must be paid for; and to our surprise, yea astonishment, the amount asked for was more than raised, and that almost without an effort. Indeed, we were under the necessity of restraining the people, so liberal were they in their contributions. Methinks twice the amount could have been raised. We feel under many obligations to our friends who have taken such a lively interest, and contributed so liberally. May they all receive it back again a hundred fold. The day was one of great interest and will doubtless be reverted to in years to come. The dedicatory hymn was then sung commencing, "The perfect work by Adam trod, Was the first temple built by God."

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CLIPPINGS AND SCRIBBLINGS.

Cool—the air, at night. Improving—garden vegetables. On a swell—the river, for several days. Ditto—the chap with a stove-pipe hat. Remember—little minds like weak liquors, are soonest soured. Nice employment—a young man peeping in at windows on a dark night. Remains unpaid—only thirty thousand dollars on the Mount Vernon estate. Practical Democracy—kidnapping free negroes and selling them into slavery. Not made—some of the plank works ordered by borough law. How come it? Active—the wool trade, at Washington, Pa. Sales, at 60 a 65 cents per pound. Invisible joke—lending an umbrella for just "five minutes" on a rainy evening. Good—that part of Second street which is macadamized. Keep the stone a rolling. On exhibition—a large sized "elephant" with a yellow skin, at or near Pike's Peak. Sold—ripe peaches, in Savannah, Georgia, last week. Ahead of Clearfield, a little. In bad order—that portion of the "pike" near the south line of the borough. Look out! Pleasant—to be sitting alone. Specially when you have your sweetheart by your side. Shipped—\$21,000,000 of specie, from New York and Boston, since January 1st. Dog cheap—wines, in Delaware. One was sold, the other day, for seven dollars and a dog. "Sir, how does real-estate sell in your town?" "Oh, it's as cheap as dirt." Satisfactory, that.

Rich—the "discussion" on family affairs, which came off in one of the bar-rooms last Friday evening.

Swarming—locusts, in "Egypt," alias Southern Illinois. The woods and orchards are covered with them.

Sharp—the fellow who stole his own axe, which he had loaned to a neighbor, and then demanded payment for it.

The Atlantic Monthly says that "woman is a link between earth and heaven." So is a sausage tossed into the air.

Fact—which all grumblers at the weather should remember—if we never had mud, we would never have flowers.

What church do you attend, Mrs. Partington? "Oh! any paradox church where the Gospel is dispensed with."

Sells—a tobacconist at Cincinnati, upwards of 200 pounds of snuff per month to ladies. (7) Up to snuff, those ladies are.

Are run by steam—sawing machines, in Bridgetown, Conn. They average 1200 stiches per minute. Beat our tailors two to one.

Reviving—the iron trade, slowly. All the melting furnaces on the Schuylkill, between Philadelphia and Norristown, are in blast.

The Washington States say they shall add "Union" to the title of that paper, since it has been repudiated by the Presidential organ.

A fabrication—the story, that postage stamps to the amount of a million are counterfeited annually. It was started by a Washington news agent.

Owens—the New York Central Railroad, 200 locomotives, and 2000 freight and passenger cars. It averages 10,000 passengers, and takes in \$38,000 per day.

A salve made of the yolk of an egg and rendered stiff with salt, is an infallible remedy when applied to the wound of a rattle-snake bite. Worth remembering.

Great institution—the "Turn-out-pike" between Clearfield and Curwensville. By hard driving a man can go from one town to the other in three or four hours.

The Madison Times speaking of the Democratic strife in Kentucky, says that the editor of the Courier "keeps up his end very well." Certainly he does—but which?

Reported—that a gentleman in Waterloo, Seneca county, New York, owns a canary which will warble "Hail Columbia!" without missing a note. Too much wishing, that.

At a hotel table one day, one boarded remarker, to his neighbor, "This must be a very healthy place for chickens." "Why?" asked the other. "Because I never see any dead ones about."

Drinking fountains have been established in New York city, at which the wayfarer can slake his thirst. Very truly has it been said, that "this is the best temperance movement yet started."

Danced a \$3500 jig—John Baughen, of Maryland, for trifling with the affections of a Miss Herring, in that State. He promised to marry her, and then wouldn't. Herring fishing ain't very profitable, John.

Refuses to pay—the white man in Mississippi who was fined \$100 dollars for selling a colored lady a hoop skirt, on the ground that there is no law on the subject on the statute book of the State.

Were fined—the editors of the San Francisco Herald, one hundred dollars for publishing the disgusting details of what purported to be the confession of Mrs. Sickness. Never was a fine more justly inflicted.

The bridge over the Ticino, at Buffalora, destroyed by the Sardinians, by blowing up with gunpowder, was a magnificent structure of heavy stone, over 1000 feet in length, and cost even that country of cheap labor, nearly \$700,000.

The day after the whirlwind in Morgan county, Ill., a half sheet of a letter, written by Mal. S. B., in which he presented the claims of God upon us so successfully that many hearts were moved, and the entire congregation held, as if spell-bound, by his eloquence. He is emphatically one of the workmen that need not be ashamed, and as a financier, or collector, he has few equals. After the sermon, he stated to the congregation that the church debt must be paid for; and to our surprise, yea astonishment, the amount asked for was more than raised, and that almost without an effort. Indeed, we were under the necessity of restraining the people, so liberal were they in their contributions. Methinks twice the amount could have been raised. We feel under many obligations to our friends who have taken such a lively interest, and contributed so liberally. May they all receive it back again a hundred fold. The day was one of great interest and will doubtless be reverted to in years to come. The dedicatory hymn was then sung commencing, "The perfect work by Adam trod, Was the first temple built by God."

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FOR SALE at the "corner store" of Wm. Irvin, one Rockaway, one Falling top, and one Open Buggy, all new, and will be sold on reasonable terms. Curwensville, June 13, 1859.

AMBOYPES.—The undersigned has fitted up rooms in Shaw's new store, where he is prepared at all times to take pictures in a workmanlike manner. He will remain until after the coming Courts. Call and examine specimens. W. H. CRANDALL, June 8, 1859.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Ralph Campbell, late of Union township, Clearfield county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to pay the same to the undersigned, having claims will present them duly authenticated to L. J. CRANS, Esq., Clearfield, Pa., or WM. F. JOHNSON, Administrator. Union tp., June 8, 1859.

CLEARFIELD NURSERY.—The subscriber wishes to inform the citizens of Clearfield county, that he has established a nursery on the pike leading from Curwensville to Clearfield town, and will, for the present, keep up a supply from other nurseries, until his trees are fit for sale. His stock will be of the best varieties and most hardy kinds, and will consist of Fruit Trees, such as Apples, Peaches, Grapes, Gooseberries, Currants, Raspberries, Strawberries, &c., which will be sold on reasonable terms. All orders will receive immediate attention. Address: JOHN D. WRIGHT, June 8th, 1859-St-p. Curwensville.

NOTICE.—The Capital Stock of the Anderson Coal and Navigation Company, having all been taken, the subscribers to the stock will meet in the Borough of Curwensville, on the first Monday of July, 1859, for the purpose of electing One President, Five Managers, One Treasurer, and such other officers as may be deemed necessary to conduct the business of said company. An installment of \$5 per share will be required to be paid to entitle the shareholder to a vote. The following names are proposed: JOHN D. WRIGHT, JAMES SPENCER, SAMUEL ARNOLD, DAVID KIRK, DAVID DRESSLER, WILSON MOORE, WM. F. JOHNSON, WM. M'BRIDE, Curwensville, June 1, 1859. Commrs.

CLEARFIELD COMMERCIAL INSTITUTE.—This Institution is pleasantly located in the town of Clearfield, Clearfield county, Pa., and will be open for the reception of Students on and after June 13th, 1859. The course of study will embrace Double and Single Entry Book Keeping, and all the ordinary branches of the science of accounts. The student will be taught to conduct on systematic principles Merchants, Mechanics, and Manufacturers books of every description, either Individual, Partnership, or Stock Companies; Wholesale and Retail Trade, and the Commission or Exchange; Commercial calculations, Plain, Ornamental, Business Penmanship and Card-making. Terms—Full course, time unlimited. Tuition, \$25. B. METCALFE, Prof. of Book-keeping. W. B. THOMAS, Prof. of Penmanship and Commercial Calculations. June 1, 1859.

FRUIT AND ORNAMENTAL TREES.—The undersigned, proprietors of the East Avenue Nursery, Rochester, New York, beg leave to announce to all who take an interest in the culture of Apple, Peach, Pear, Plum and other Fruit Trees, that they have in their possession a large quantity of the best varieties of these trees, which they have been solicited to supply others with trees, induces them to establish an agency in Clearfield borough, under the care of Mr. C. M. Hertz, who will be pleased to receive orders, and to whom the undersigned supplied with trees, and to whom reference can be had, are—James A. Hegarty, W. A. Nevling, Abraham Nevling, W. M. Smiley, Abraham Byer, and others. Trees contracted for, now will be delivered the coming fall. W. M. HOYT & CO., P. S. James A. Hegarty is our agent at Jenneville, Clearfield county. June 8, 1859-3m.

NEW FIRM AND NEW GOODS.—The undersigned, having become sole owner of the store of Eliza Irvin & Sons, in Curwensville, Pa., and having a large stock of goods, and a number of customers of the establishment, that he has just received from the East, a large and extensive assortment of SPRING & SUMMER GOODS, which he will dispose of at the lowest prices. He desires to call attention to the great variety of LADIES' DRESS GOODS, which have been selected with an express view to meet the wants of the community. He has also Cloths, Cassimeres, Broad Cloths, and a large stock of Ready-made Clothing, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Ladies' Bonnets of the latest fashion; Mackerel and Herring; Sugar, Tea and Molasses; Hardware, Queensware, &c., &c., all of which he will sell at the lowest prices. Lumber and country produce of all kinds, taken in exchange for Goods. He invites purchasers to give him a call before supplying themselves elsewhere. JOHN IRVIN, Curwensville, Pa., May 18, 1859.

LATEST TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCH FROM DUNDALK, IRELAND. As this seems to be a fast age in more than one instance, and as we are in the midst of bogus Democratic Conventions and the excitement caused by the Sickly Trials, it is not surprising that the folks of Clearfield would get somewhat excited to keep up with the times; and as the subscriber likes to keep up to the fashions in more respects than one, he would announce to the people of town and country, that he has a large quantity on hand a large assortment of Boots and Shoes of every description. French and country Calf, Kip and Stogy Boots; Ladies' Morocco Lace Boots, dressed and undressed, with or without French heels; also, any amount of French and country calf Lace Boots; Gents French calf and cloth Gaiters, on hand or made to order; walking Shoes of every description from the Sickly's Lacer to the latest fashion, and all of the above will be disposed of at extremely low prices for Cash or Hides. Custom work made to order on short notice; and as the times are mending I will pay particular attention to mending Boots, Shoes, and Gaiters, on hand or made to order, at the Short Shoe Shop on Second street, nearly opposite Reed & Weaver's store. Please call and see Shorty. FRANK SHORT, Clearfield, May 4th, 1859.

APPOINTMENTS.—DR. JACKSON, the celebrated Indian Botanic Physician, can be consulted at the following places. Mark the time and day. Luthersburg, Pa., Stage House, Monday afternoon and Tuesday forenoon, June 20 and 21. Curwensville, Pa., Stage House, Wednesday, June 22. Clearfield, Pa., Mansion House, Thursday and Friday, June 23rd and 24th. Tyrone, Pa., National Hotel, Saturday afternoon and Sunday, June 25th and 26th.

WE battle against the Lead armies of death! And to God look alone for the blessings of duty; Our oracles are not a frail mortal's breath—We kneel before Nature and worship her beauty. And we march to a victory, bloodless and blessed! To the conqueror's arms, relieve the distressed. Dr. Jackson compounds his own medicines. Dr. Jackson's medicines are strictly vegetable and from our own forests and fields. Dr. Jackson uses no mercury or mineral poisons of any kind. Dr. Jackson treats all patients fairly and frankly—makes no false promises. Dr. Jackson does not tear down to build up. He invigorates the system and thus aids nature in overcoming disease. Diseases of the lungs detected by use of the stethoscope. Examinations of the chest and lungs free. No charge is made unless the patient takes medicine. Price of treatment is from three to thirty dollars. For a full course of months' medicine. The afflicted Poor will be at all times liberally considered. A. C. JACKSON, June 8. Indian Physician, Erie, Pa., Box 222.

SALT—course and fine—can be had by the sack