

Terrible Explosion of Pice Dams.

Seven Miners Killed.

We copy the following from the Pottsville Journal of the 26th inst.:

An explosion of fire damp attended by a loss of life, took place at the "Pottsville Colliery, Hancock, Lehigh Co., near Ashland, on Friday night, April 12th, at 8 o'clock. It appears that at 12th and 24th o'clock, it was a trip of wagons. When about one hundred and fifty yards from the face of the slope they felt the shock of a light explosion. This was immediately followed by a heavy explosion which knocked them down. They arose, ran out and informed Mr. Mr. Eltringham, the Superintendent of the Colliery, of the explosion. He got some men and went down into the mine. They found all the miners in a state of alarm. They were in a state of alarm. They were in a state of alarm.

As the editor of the Gazette, with his usual magnanimity, forgetting the personal laudations of himself in the Democrat, has seen fit to act in concert with the editor in this small business, it may be proper to explain why it is that our Northumberland pack is not as large as it was several years since.

A few years ago, it will be remembered, quite a spirit of rivalry existed between Sunbury and Northumberland, growing out of the removal of the Bank, and the location of the Machine Shops. The editor of this paper was more than suspected of being an active and open supporter of the interests of Sunbury.

THE NEW RAIL ROAD.—The contemplated new rail road, from this place to likebarre, by way of Danville, is an improvement of the utmost importance. A party of able engineers, under Col. F. C. Maas of this place, left the Northern Central Railway, commenced a survey of the route, from this place, on Monday last.

THE WAR FLEETRY IN EUROPE.—It seems to be somewhat difficult to understand the precise status of the Luxembourg question. We have accounts stating distinctly that the treaty for the transfer of the Duchy from Holland to France has actually taken place, subject however to two conditions, 1st that it shall be approved by the people of Luxembourg; 2d that it shall be approved by the Prussian Government.

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What the Connecticut Democrats Did.

The Hartford Times, which is the Cincinnati Enquirer of Connecticut, has paraded a long list of the things the Connecticut Democrats did last session day.

"The Democrats and Conservative men of Connecticut sent glad tidings to their brethren throughout the Union; to wit: Jefferson Davis, Andrew Johnson, C. L. Vallandigham, James Buchanan, Mayor Monroe, and others."

"They have sustained the principles of the Constitution," as misrepresented and belied by Calhoun, Yancey, Frank Pierce and Brick Pomeroy.

"They have sustained the constitutional course of President Johnson," and also his unconstitutional course, which chiefly needs sustaining.

"They demanded the Union for our soldiers fought." This must be understood in a Pickwickian sense. Taken literally, it implies that our soldiers don't know what they fought for, since they don't demand any such Union as Copperheads are striving for.

"They demanded representation in Congress for all the States," but emphatically demanded it for disloyal communities not yet recognized on a constitutional basis.

"They demanded that the rights of States should not be subverted," and that all rights of their inhabitants forfeited by treason should be restored immediately without condition.

"They protested against the centralization of power," except it be centralized in the President, "and the usurpation by Congress of authority not delegated by the Constitution," but endorsed the constitutional usurpation of legislative powers by the Executive.

"They opposed negro suffrage," that is, the extension of negro suffrage to loyal black soldiers, but favored giving the ballot to unrepentant white traitors.

"They protested against the assumption of power by an arrogant and fanatical Congress to repeal a section of the Constitution of Connecticut, in order to open the ballot to the negro race."

"They achieved the victory against great odds," viz, the natural impulses of humanity, patriotism, and justice; but a victory over them is never more than temporary.

"Glorious and heart cheering to the Union men of every State is the result." This is either an intentional cruel wrong, or what is a more charitable supposition, suggested by the evident confusion of ideas, the writer's mind was sadly muddled, and he inadvertently wrote Union for disloyal.—Cincinnati Gazette.

THE REPUBLICAN CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE.—The following is a list of the Republican Congressional Committee, selected from the general Congressional Committee, which is now engaged in Washington in aiding the loyalists of the South in carrying through the coming political reconstruction campaign.

Peace Almost Despaired of.

Prussia Quietly Arming.

London, April 22.—Monday Evening.—U. S. bonds in Frankfurt are quoted at 73 1/2. Peace is almost despaired of and there is a tendency to a panic.

Prussia, it is said, is quietly arming. PARIS, April 22.—It is reported on very good authority here that the Emperor Napoleon, in his preparations for war, is engaged in an endeavor to purchase arms in the United States.

The chances are apparently in favor of war on the Luxembourg question. The neutral great powers have, it is said, proposed a compromise of the difficulty, but Prussia disapproves of it.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—Advices from Matamoros, 11th inst., say that the Liberals captured Puebla, and that Maximilian is offering to surrender, but his overtures are rejected. The Liberals refuse to grant the terms demanded by Maximilian.

THE LIBERAL VICTORY.—ATTEMPTED REVOLUTION.—DARTMOUTH TAKEN AND ORDERED TO BE SHOT.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.—The reported egress of Maximilian's forces from Acereero without a battle, and the rumors that the Liberals were in part defeated, and were suffering from a lack of supplies, are all directly contradicted. The report of a revolution, headed by Herera, in San Luis Potosi, is also denied.

THE CAPTURE OF PUEBLA CONFIRMED.—Surrender of Vera Cruz Demanded.

HAVANA, April 23.—Letters from Vera Cruz to the 18th inst. confirm the capture of Puebla by the Liberals. Some 140 officers, who had strengthened themselves in the Defenses of Gaudaloupe and Loreto were allowed to capitulate at discretion, and their lives were spared to them.

Further India Outrages.—WASHINGTON, April 23.—Dispatches from Denver city say the Indian war appears to have spread vigorously.

Gen. Sully Holds a Council With Indians.—850 LODGES REPRESENTED.

CALIFORNIA CROSSING, 25 MILES EAST OF FORT SEDGWICK, April 21.—About eighty of the chiefs and head men of the Brule and Ogish bands of Sioux, representing three hundred and fifty lodges, met at General Sully's commission in council at this point today.

THE COAL TRADE.—The Pottsville Miners' Journal of last Saturday, says:—The quantity sent by Railroad this week is 62,175 1/2 tons; by Canal, 25,919 1/2; for the week 87,095 1/2 against 114,859 tons for the corresponding week last year.

Latest from Europe.

The Richmond Dispatch notices an increasing disposition on the part of northern capitalists to invest in Virginia lands.

The Treasury Department has sent officers to Middle Tennessee to close the distilleries for violation of the revenue law.

A watch has been manufactured in Paris which is wound up by simply opening the case to note the time. It only requires to be opened once a month to keep it always going, and it is perhaps the nearest approach to perpetual motion yet invented.

The Austrian Minister has sent Secretary Sava a note of thanks for his prompt intervention in behalf of Maximilian's personal safety.

OVER-EXERCITION, either of body or mind, produces debility and disease. The usual remedy is to take some stimulant, the effect of which is the same as giving a tired horse the whip instead of oats.

The Missouri river is higher than at any time since 1844. Everything movable near its banks is being swept away. Two miles of the Pacific Railroad is impassable for trains, passengers being conveyed in boats.

The pastors of the several churches at Oil City and Franklin, and of Lancaster, have tendered their thanks to Governor Geary, for his decided stand on the subject of intemperance.

A Wisconsin lady has a beard two inches in length, which commenced growing four months since.

A government train was destroyed recently in Colorado, and two men were drowned by a sudden rushing down the declivity in which they were camped.

General Hancock held a council at Fort Larned on the 12th inst., with the Cheyenne chiefs, which amounted to nothing. The next night they abandoned their village, and Gen. Custer was despatched in pursuit.

The Legislature of Wisconsin adjourned sine die on the 11th inst. The Republican papers generally allude to the resolution submitting to the popular vote the question of female suffrage as more of a joke than anything else.

A burglar in New York having become disgusted with his profession, recently sent Captain Jordan of the police department, his entire collection of burglars' tools, accompanied with a note, stating that he intended hereafter to try and make his living honestly.

THE NEW SIX PER CENT. PENNSYLVANIA STATE LOAN.—FREE FROM ALL STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXATION.

NE GROCER.

Market Street, three doors east of the Railroad, north side, SUNBURY, PA.

HURSH & BROWN.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERY.

Provision Store.

FOR CHEAP GOODS!

Their Stock is complete, consisting in part of EGGS, COFFEES, TEAS, SPICES, COAL OIL, Tobacco, Cigars, Flour, Feed, Fish, Salt, Hams, Shoulders, Cheese, Fruit, Glass, Lamps, &c., &c.

Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.

Call and examine our Stock, and satisfy your selves.

Sunbury, April 27, 1867.

FANCY DRY GOODS STORE.

MISS KATE BLACK.

Market Street, four doors west of Wm. H. Miller's Boot and Shoe Store, SUNBURY, PA.

RESPECTFULLY informs her friends in Sunbury and vicinity, that she has just opened her SPRING & SUMMER DRESS GOODS, of every description.

Fashionable Dress Trimmings, Head Dresses, Gloves, Hosiery, Embroideries, Lace Collars, Ribbons, Unbleached Muslin, Sheetings, Drillings, Alpaca, Poplin, Crapes and Lace Veils, Ladies' Hats, Children's Hats and Caps, of every variety.

Mrs. Demore's Hair Cutters, Hair Combs and Brushes, Collars, Corsets, &c., &c.

Bradley's new Patent Duplex Klips (or double Buttons) for Dressing (see Advertisements).

HOPKINS' Klips for Dressing.

Perfumery, Toilet Soaps, Hair Brushes, Combs, Toys, and a general variety of NOTIONS.

Sunbury, April 27, 1867.

REMOVAL.

MASONIC HALL BUILDING.

DREIBACH BROTHERS.

RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and customers, that they have removed their Store to the south end of the Masonic Building, on Third Street, opposite the Depot, Sunbury, where they will be happy to wait upon them.

Their large assortment of

Groceries, Provisions,

&c., are all fresh and of the best quality, consisting of Tea, Coffee, Sugar, and Spices.

Dried and Canned Fruits, Prunes, Raisins, Cheese and Crockery, and in fact everything usually kept in the Grocery line.

They would also call attention to their large and cheap lot of Good Family Flour, Green Tea, Hams, Shoulders, &c., which are constantly kept on hand.

FRESH FISH and Vegetables, every Tuesday and Friday.

Give them a call and see for yourselves.

Sunbury, April 27, 1867.

NEW GROCERY STORE.

W. S. FURMAN & CO.

Market Street, six doors East of Third Street, north side, SUNBURY, PA.

RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the public, that they have opened a

NEW GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE.

and will be happy to have them call and examine their stock, which has just been opened, embracing everything in the Grocery line, such as

Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Syrup, Spices, Canned and Dried Fruits, Beans, Honey, Raisins, Prunes, Bacon, Ham, Fish, Salt, Potatoes, &c., together with Soap, Candles, &c., &c.

and in fact everything in the Grocery and Provision Lines.

FLOUR and FEED, Queensware, Willow-ware, Glass, Coal Oil Lamps, Coal Oil &c.

Call and see before purchasing elsewhere.

W. S. FURMAN & CO.

Sunbury, April 27, 1867.

THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE of the Senate met at Harrisburg on Monday, May 13th, prox., at two o'clock P. M., to hold a session for the investigation of the charges made against Railroad Companies for illegal extortions charges upon freight and passengers. Parties interested are notified to attend.

I. D. SHUMAKER, Chairman Committee.

April 27, 1867.—2.

AGENTS WANTED FOR GENERAL L. C. BAKER'S HISTORY OF THE SECRET SERVICE.

This work was announced more than a year ago, but owing to the attempts of the Government to suppress it, it has not been published. It will now be published, unaltered and unbridled, under the supervision of General Baker. These marvelous narratives are all attested by the highest official authority.

The Moral of the National Capital are thoroughly ventilated, and there are some strange Revelations concerning Heads of Departments, Members of Congress, FEMALE PARSON BROTHERS, and distinguished military characters.

Sent for a Circular and see our terms, and a full description of the work.

Address P. GAILRETT & CO., 322 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

April 27, 1867.—1.

Fashionable Dress TRIMMINGS.

AND

Millinery Goods.

Just opening at the Millinery Store of

Miss M. L. GUSLER.

Fourth Street, two doors below the Railroad, West side, SUNBURY, PA.

Such as

BONNETS, HATS,

Dress-Trimmings, Head-Dresses, Gloves, Hosiery, Ribbons, Flowers, Collars, Handkerchiefs, &c., &c.

which have been carefully selected.

Miss M. L. Gusler has just opened a large assortment of Millinery Goods. Ladies should not fail to call and see the latest styles as it will pay to visit in visiting her store.

Call and examine for yourselves. No trouble to show goods.

Sunbury, April 27, 1867.

SPRING AND SUMMER MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS.

Just opening at the Store of

Miss LOUISA SHISLER.

South side of Market Square, SUNBURY, PA.

MISS SHISLER has just returned from the cities with a choice and fashionable selection

BONNETS, HATS, SHAKERS, SUNDWONS, RISTORI, COMET, &c.

of the latest styles and patterns, to which she invites the attention of lady patrons. Also,

Misses and Children Hats of different varieties.

A full assortment of Ladies' Hosiery, Gloves, Fans, Parasols, Veil Trimmings, Flowers, Ribbons, Belt Ribbons, Veil Ribbons, Brads, Ladies' Neck Ties, Dress Combs, Head Dresses, FANCY GOODS, Lace Handkerchiefs, Lace Collars, Zephyrs, Buttons, and all goods found in a lady's furnishing Store.

Also, received an excellent assortment of Perfumery, Toilet Soap, Tooth Paste, Hair Brushes, with a different variety of collars (pam and linen) and Neck-Ties, Half-Hose, Suspenders, &c., for Gentlemen.

A good assortment of Stationery.

Thankful for past favors she hopes by a further desire to please the public, the continuance of their patronage.

Prepared by

LOUISA SHISLER.

April 13, 1867.

NEW MARBLE YARD!

Third Street, North of the Depot, SUNBURY, PENN'A.

WM. RUSSELL, Proprietor.

MONUMENTS, Tomb-stones, and Ornamental and Plain Work in Marble promptly executed at the lowest prices.

The subscriber having had experience in the best establishments of Philadelphia, feels confident of being able to turn out the best quality of work.

By order of the Court,

J. A. C. GUNN, Clerk of Court.

Sunbury, April 27, 1867.

DREXEL & CO.

South Third Street.

(BETWEEN MARKET & CHESTNUT.)

PHILADELPHIA.

BANKERS,

AND DEALERS IN

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

7-30S,

JUNE, JULY, AND AUGUST

CONVERTED INTO

5-20S

Without charge, and at present with a PROFIT to the HOLDER,

GOLD, SILVER,

AND

COMPOUND, INTEREST NOTES

WANTED.

Applications by mail will receive prompt attention, and all information cheerfully furnished. Stocks and Bonds bought and sold on commission here or in New York. Orders solicited. February 25, 1867.—3m

A NEW ARRIVAL OF

SPRING AND SUMMER

GOODS!

AT THE STORE OF

J. H. ENGEL,

Corner of Fourth and Market Streets, SUNBURY.

JUST received from New York and Philadelphia, a large supply of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, which will sell at small profits, for cash or on any terms.

His Dry Goods department is full of every description. A splendid line of LADIES' DRESS GOODS, and White Goods at all prices.

Family Stocking for Ladies, and Shetland Wool Shawls

Yankee Notions in Great Variety. Also, Ladies' French Corsets and Hoop Skirts.

CARPETS,

Wool Floor Cloths, Stair Carpets, Floor Oil Cloths, all widths, Carriage Oil Cloth, Trawl Oil Cloth, Wilder Shawls, Green Grass, and Brown Oil Cloth and Fixtures for Windows.

GROCERIES,

Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Rice, Crackers, Spices, Salt Peas, Peas, Beans, &c.

Queensware, Glassware, splendid Sets of Teaware, at low prices.

BOOTS & SHOES IN GREAT VARIETY.

Hats and Caps, Oil, Paint, Glass, Putty, School Books, Paper, Stationery, &c.

HARDWARE.

Shovels, Forks, Nails, Locks, Hinges and Screw

A Large assortment of WALL PAPER and Border, at low prices.

All persons desiring to get good goods will please give me a call.

J. H. ENGEL.

Sunbury, April 20, 1867.

LADIES'

NEW SHOE STORE.

Market Street, adjoining Goshaw's Confectionery SUNBURY, PA.

THIS undersigned respectfully informs the citizens of Sunbury and vicinity, that he has opened a NEW SHOE STORE, for the sale as well as for the manufacture of the finest and best quality of Ladies' Shoes, viz:

Glove-Kid, Morocco, Calfskin and Lasting Gaiters, &c.

Children's Shoes of all kinds. His stock is entirely new and well selected.

He also manufactures the French and other Calfskin Boots and Shoes for Gentlemen.

Orders for ladies and gentlemen's custom work will be promptly attended to and got up in the best style by skillful mechanics.

Show findings &c., constantly kept on hand and for sale at the trade.

J. H. JEFFRIES.

Sunbury, April 20, 1867.

CLEANSE THE BLOOD.

WITH scrupulous or untended blood, you are sick all over. It may burst out in Pimples, or Sores, or in eruptions which are not only unsightly, but may seriously injure your health, and even endanger your life.

It is a well known fact, that a person who does not have good health will never be able to do his duty, and that a person who does not have good health will never be able to do his duty.

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