# Altoona Tribune.

## LOCAL ITEMS.

EDITORS' SUFFERINGS.—What better commentary on the remissness of newspaper subscribers to perform their duty manfully, than the following brief article, from the pen of a Burlington (N. J.) editor. Although short, it contains a world of meaning. We advise every one of our readers to read it carefully and reflect over it seriously. Those to whom it does not apply, will then see what a fearful sin they have refrained from committing, while those to whom it does, should be prompted, by its perusal, to immediately make amends, and to carefully avoid rendering themselves liable to such complaints in future:

"Where is money coming from to pay for paper for our next issue? We cannot get a quire without the cash in advance. We have borrowed until our credit is gone. We have worked two years for nothing, and boarded ourselves—or rather our wife has boarded us "free, gratis, for nothing." Our compositors want their wages. Our landlord wants his rent. Our children want shoes, and our wife wants a new calico dress. We are out of wood, out of potatoes, out of flour, out of meat, out of sugar, out of patience—in short of nearly every thing, except a clear conscience. We dodged the Sheriff until we could no longer, and have dodged our creditors until we are tired. We have not a shilling in our pocket and you owe us two thousand dollars! We are trying to live a christian life, and hope to get to heaven. It affords us no satisfaction to think we all meet you there. We should greatly prefer to have you pay us, and thereby remove a very great obstacle in your way of reaching that place of rest."

MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.—We have frequently requested our subscribers and others to furnish us with the particulars of all the marriages and deaths, of which they may be cognizant, in order that we may publish the same. Many of our readers expect us to publish all the cases of this kind which occur in the town and surrounding country, and we would cheerfully do so could we obtain the particulars in each case, but we have not got time to hunt them up, even if we knew of them, though in many instances we do not hear of them at all. As we publish such items free of charge, we think it is asking but little that we should be furnished with the particulars. Within the last month we have observed three or four funeral processions pass our office each week, and yet we have not been furnished with a single notice.—We furnish our paper free of charge to ministers of all denominations, and only ask in return that they furnish us with all the marriages at which they officiate, or deaths which occur in their congregations. We hope they will do this.

HOUSEBREAKING.—On last Sunday evening some person or persons broke into the clothing store of Ettinger and Ullman, in this place, and relieved the proprietors of some small change which was in the till, a revolver, a pair of boots and a vest. The thieves effected an entrance through the back door, by means of a chisel. The chisel was left as an offset for the things taken. Friend Ullman does not seem at all satisfied with the manner in which his revolver "went off." When is it taken into consideration that the robbery was perpetrated between 7 and 9 o'clock in the evening, the daring of the thief or thieves seems remarkable. Our citizens had better exercise a watchful care over their premises.

THE WEATHER.—Since our last article on this subject there has been a decided change.—The earth is now covered with a mantle of snow, some two or three inches deep, while the air is considerably cooler. We are satisfied with the change, if it will continue long enough to afford a good supply of ice for next summer's consumption. All doubts on this subject are now almost removed, as we learn that the river is frozen over at Hollidaysburg. If we had a few inches more snow, good sleighing could be had in abundance. We wonder what has become of his ground-hogship, as when he appeared on last Monday he failed to see his shadow. We suppose he has got scared and slipped back into his hole again.

OUR BLACK LIST—As many of our contemporaries throughout the State are publishing a "Black List," in which the names of those who have swindled them are prominently set forth, we have concluded to "follow suit." We are busily engaged in getting one up, and next week shall publish chapter 1. It is emphatically one of "lengthened sweetness long drawn out," and many, who do not expect it, will be surprised to see their names occupying prominent positions in it. Ye who have coolly swindled us during the last two years, if ye don't fancy "Waitin' for the Wagon," had better "pony up" "instanter," as "no favor sways us, no fear shall awe."

IMPROVEMENT.—We notice that workmen are now busily engaged in laying another track in front of our office, to connect with the siding on which the Hollidaysburg Branch train, and empty passenger and baggage cars used to stand. When completed, we understand that the empty cars will be placed below the switch in front of our office, the Branch train will stand upon the main track, and all the passenger trains, which take meals here, will switch on the siding, and thus stop directly in front of the Logan House. This is a desirable improvement and will be of great convenience to the travelling public, especially in disagreeable weather.

YOUNG OFFICERS.—John W. Humes is out this week as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the ensuing Borough election.—He did the same last year, and served as a good man and will if elected and Mr. Wareel also out in a card as a candidate for constable. He is well qualified for the office and will if elected make a good officer.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—As will be seen by reference to our corresponden column, our fellow townsman, John Wareel, signifies his intention of being a candidate for the office of Sheriff, at the next October election. Mr. Wareel is a good man and would, if elected, make a good officer.

WATCHES, &c.—H. Geisinger has just opened out at his Literary Emporium, a large and varied assortment of Valentines—sentimental and comic, which are now going off like hot cakes. Ye love-sick swains and damsels who are head over ears in love, but afraid to acknowledge the fact are allowing "concealment like a worm i' the bud prey on your damask cheeks," had better embrace the opportunity afforded you by St. Valentine to send a love missive. It may save you years of sorrow and may gain you a life partner. Try it on.

## HOME CORRESPONDENCE.

[From Our Own Correspondents.]

SINKING VALLEY, Feb. 1, 1858.

Pardon me for the intrusion of sending you another communication. Since I last wrote to you, nothing of importance has transpired in this part of *beau monde*. For this reason I have selected three subjects on which to diffuse my meditations.

"These three bear mighty sway with men,
The Sword, the Sceptre and the Pen."

Fearful indeed have been the blighting consequences occasioned by the sword. Kingdoms have been almost deluged in blood, and empires laid waste by its devastating influence. Continents have been set in commotion, and their inhabitants appalled by its glittering edge. By it, mighty revolutions have been brought about which changed the position and destiny of nations. Crowned heads have trembled, and thrones have crumbled before it. The sword in the hands of an Alexander, a Caesar, a Hannibal, or a Napoleon, was weilded with skill and power. In their hands, it was the instrument of slaughtering millions of human beings, overturning dynasties, filling the inhabitants of populous cities with terror at the mere mention of their names, and causing families to flee from their homes and seek shelter in the solitary and dreary wilderness. These are but a few of the numerous evil results of the power of the sword. From time immemorial, it has been the instrument with which haughty monarchs and oppressors of the people have maintained their sway. When any darling scheme was projected, with a view to further their avaricious designs, their resort was to the sword. Time would fail us to speak of the different eras in the history of the world, that were immortalized by its stupendous results. They were characterized by scenes of carnage and blood. History reveals to us, in characters of livid light, that the sword has caused heinous crimes, raised to eminence and distinction the basest of mortals, and subserved the most injurious purposes of those who wielded it, while it suppressed truth and propagated superstition in all its cursed forms. On the other hand it has ameliorated the condition of man, released the prisoner and thrown from off his neck oppression's galling yoke, propagated the cause of religion, advocated justice, and aided in spreading truth and commanding respect to laws, civil and ecclesiastical.

The sword did the work, but the sceptre, in too many cases, was the object to be obtained. The assign of royal authority and power caused ambitious minds to seek no other gratification than that its possessor might bear it, whether acquired by honesty or stratagem. Every other object in life was forsaken, every principle sacrificed at its shrine, by attempting to reach that coveted goal. Hence the bodies of millions were consigned to torture, their characters held up to ignominy and shame. That was the cause which gave keenness to the edge of the sword and nerved the arm that held it. All other circumstances were subordinate to it. It was gazed upon with envious eyes, as it was held by rival kings. Stratagem and treachery bore conspicuous parts in the attempts to gain it, and no artifice was left untried by the contending parties. The sword has slain its thousands, but the sceptre has tortured its millions. Let the misery of oppressed nations speak of the wrongs sustained by its cruel sway.

We turn with pleasure to a more pleasing part of our subject—the pen—the mightiest and most potent of the trio. When we consider the glorious results of this champion of civilization, we are ready to despair of portraying them in their proper light. As we look back along the hazy stream of time, we see that the effusions of the pen have never been engulphed beneath its ebbing tides, nor ceased to shed their hallowed light upon the benighted minds of nations. The achievements of the pen reveals something unto us of greater moment than the slaughtering of human beings upon ambitious blood-stained altars. How unlike the lauded actions of the renowned votaries of ambition. Instead of spreading ruin and desolation over the land, it lifted the veil of darkness that enshrouded nations, and light and intelligence entered. We have the great thoughts of genius, and the words of surpassing eloquence handed down to us through succeeding generations.—Although the hands that penned them are now motionless, yet the authors' names are still honored and appreciated by christian hearts, and mentioned only to be admired and loved. Their pure words, unsullied by the flight of ages, and preserved from the ruins of corrupted nations, and transmitted to us in all their beauty, pathos and alacity. The "Words of Life" were first written and then given to us. They have been spread abroad and cast over continents by other pens, while millions of superstitious minds have been enlightened.

The pen did all this and more. It has been the champion of liberty, the proclaimer of glad tidings to the discontented, the weapon of defence against error and the vindicator of justice. Nations, in preserving their rights untramelled, have used it most successfully. May it ever be used for noble purposes, in preserving our liberties, spreading truth and promoting virtue. May it ever serve as a beacon light to warn us of the approach of danger, whereby we may avoid the calamities and vices of life to which human nature is heir.

Our highly respected citizen, Mr. Robert Crawford, who, a few weeks ago, met with a very serious accident, while crossing the mountain, is now at home, and is fast recovering. May he soon be able to "bob around" again.

MAC.

SPRINGFIELD MANOR, FEB. 1st, 1858.

I am afraid you will begin to think that the correspondent on this side of the county is becoming remiss in duty, but the fact is we are such a quiet, unpretending sort of people, that *news* are scarce. We have no litigation to disturb us, no Military to excite our patriotism no drunkenness to disgust us.

Religion and Education are the themes of nearly all conversations, this to aid our minds in their search after truth, that to enable us to apply its principles to our necessities. Since I have been in this section of the country (five months) I have not witnessed a single quarrel between neighbors; and it is but seldom that profane language is heard. This certainly speaks well for this place, where are found representatives from many nations, and as many different creeds. We have here the Lutheran, Methodist, United Brethren, Presbyterian, Catholic and Winebrenarian, all living together in peace and harmony, each seemingly interested in the other's welfare.

On Friday last I started to visit some of the Schools in this District with the intention of giving you a report of my visitation. I started accordingly, for Williamsburg intending to give Prof. Miller the first call, but unfortunately the door was "obseratus," the Prof. having gone to Lecture before a Teacher's Association. This put me a little out of sort, but "what can't be cured, must be endured" was my consolation.

I next knocked at Miss Cunningham's door and was promptly admitted into the Girls High School. Here were many smiling faces, which were very sure indices of happy hearts. Several classes passed through their accustomed duties very creditably, not only to themselves but to their Instructress. Indeed the manner in which they spoke or read or whatever was done, at once showed that they had been under the direction of one whose duty was understood and well discharged. The room is commodious and comfortable, blackboard surface good, desks calculated for two pupils with aisles between. Many of the desks and some of the windows were decorated with flowers and other fixings of which the young Ladies know much better the names and uses than I.

The teacher is undoubtedly well prepared to conduct a school of this kind, as any one will evidence who will give themselves the pleasure of a visit. Owing to want of time I made no more visits that day, but promise myself the pleasure hereafter. The next thing in order was to prepare the "matches" for the home journey which was performed well.

On Saturday evening 30th ult, we had a spelling match in the Furnace School-house.—At an early hour the house was filled, and the parties arranged themselves in battle array, after having sung several pieces to enliven and stir up the trembling hearts of the youthful contestants, and the spelling began. It was a well-fought battle—"Greek met Greek." In an hour's spelling only twenty eight words were missspelled. After intermission the Class sang "Home, can I forget thee," "A Tear for every Gallant Soul," and "Little Drops of Water," to the evident satisfaction of all present.

Now came the "*tug of war*," spelling off the floor. Both parties now spelled their best, and the contest was well sustained, but all things (except a ring) have an end. The victors were Master Clarence McAlister, son of the Manager, and Miss Maggie J. Tiperry, daughter of J. W. Tiperry, ex County Auditor. The crowd dispersed very orderly and much pleased.

I had intended giving you a description of *our* Rail Road, but have already I suppose, run you out of patience, so I will give you that at some other time.

ALPHA.


☞ Who that is troubled with any of those disagreeable Complaints, such as Jaundice, Dyspepsia or Liver Diseases of any kind, but would like to know of a remedy for these unseemly visitations? We feel that we are doing our invalid readers an invaluable service if we can induce them to get a bottle of Dr. Sanford's Invigorator, and take it, for we know from personal experience that it is one of the greatest remedies for general debility, and consequent inactive bodily powers ever before used. Its action is so perfect and complete as to give relief the first time taken, and if it does to others as it has to us, half a bottle will be all that is needed. We know of nothing we can recommend with such confidence, as a family medicine, as the Invigorator.

WOODLAND CREAM.—*A Pomade for beautifying the Hair*—highly perfumed, superior to any French article imported, and for half the price. For dressing Ladies Hair it has no equal, giving it a bright glossy appearance. It cause the gentlemen's Hair to curl in the most natural manner. It removes the dandruff, always giving the Hair the appearance of being fresh shampooed, Price only fifty cents. None genuine unless signed

FETRIDGE & CO. Proprietors of the
*"Balm of a Thousand Flowers."*

For sale by all Druggists.

THE PANIC—MORE FAILURES.—The panic in New York seems to be on the increase. In this city everything goes on smoothly, and the only failures we have heard of were the failures to furnish good fits made by some inferior clothing establishments. There is no such difficulty to be encountered by those who patronize the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill and Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chesnut street, above sixth. Gentleman and youths never fail to procure capital fits at this popular establishment.

☞ Du Vall's Galvanic Oil acts on the system by imparting to the diseased part a natural current of electricity, by which the restoration of all the natural functions are produced immediately, and a cure is at once obtained. This is the great secret which no other medicine in the world has got, and hence the great success this medicine has in curing diseases.


☞ Time of Arrival and Departure of trains running on the Penn'a. Railroad, at Altoona station.

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| Express Train East | arrives | 2,48 A. M., | leaves | 2,55 A. M. |
| " " West | " | 8,35 " | " | 8,55 " |
| Fast " " East | " | 1,40 P. M. | " | 2,00 P. M. |
| " " West | " | 11,00 " | " | 11,10 " |

ALTOONA WAY TRAIN leaves Altoona for Philadelphia at 9,00 A. M., and returning arrives at Altoona at 7,15 P. M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with Express train West, Altoona Way Train East and West, and Fast Mail Train East.

The BLAIRSVILLE BRANCH connects with Express Way Train East and West, Express Train West and Fast Mail Train East.

Dec. 21, '55-tf] H. J. EBBERT, *Sup't.*


☞ A CARD—TO THE LADIES.—DR. DUPONCO'S GOLDEN FRENCH PILLS *are infallible in removing stoppages and irregularities of the menses.* These pills have been used by the doctors for many years, both in France and America, with unparalleled success in every case; and he is urged by many thousand ladies who have used them, to make the Pills public, for the alleviation of those suffering from any irregularities of whatever nature, as well as to prevent pregnancy to to those ladies whose health will not permit an increase of family.—Pregnant females, or those supposing themselves so, are cautioned against using these Pills while pregnant, as the Proprietor assumes no responsibility after the above admonition altho' their mildness would prevent any mischief to health; otherwise these Pills are recommended. Full and explicit directions accompany each box. Price $1 per box. Sold wholesale and retail by G. W. KESSLER, General Agent for Altoona and vicinity. He will supply dealers at proprietor's prices, and send the Pills to ladies (*confidentially*) by return mail on receipt of $1 through the Altoona Post Office.

Each box has my signature, J. DUPONCO, New York.

Samuel Breslin, general agent for Tyrone City. [1y.27

PROSPECTUS
OF THE
ALTOONA TRIBUNE.
FOR 1858.

THE CASH SYSTEM ADOPTED!

The Cheapest Paper in the County!

With the present number, the *Tribune* has entered upon its third volume. Commenced at a time when the confidence of the citizens of Altoona in newspapers and newspaper publishers was considerably shaken, if not totally annihilated, it has slowly but surely restored that confidence, and now stands upon a sure foundation, and is universally acknowledged to be one of the fixed institutions of our town. But this result has not been achieved without a hard struggle, and considerable expenditure of time and means on the part of its editors. The steady increase of patronage, however, has afforded indubitable evidence that their labors have been appreciated.

In entering upon the new volume it is almost unnecessary to say that the *Tribune* will continue to be "INDEPENDENT IN EVERYTHING," being biassed neither by fear, favor nor affection, in favor of parties or sects. In this respect it is only necessary to say that the past affords a fair index as to our future course.

It has always been our aim to make the *Tribune*, a reliable first-class LOCAL PAPER, as we believe that in that character alone, country papers can successfully compete with their flashy city neighbors. To this end we have secured correspondents in various parts of the county, who furnish us with all the items of local interest in their vicinity. We purpose adding others to our list as soon as we can obtain them. During the next year we shall redouble our efforts to make the *Tribune* a perfect compendium of HOME NEWS—A RELIABLE, FIRST-CLASS LOCAL PAPER, second to none in the country, and as such a welcome weekly visitor to our patrons, whether at home or abroad.

But while the Local Department shall be our special care, we shall also devote a considerable space to LITERARY MATTER, FUN AND HUMOR, and the chronicling of events of general interest to our readers. We purpose also publishing from time to time "Original Sketches of Men and Things" which will be furnished by our contributors. We have made arrangements also to have a weekly letter from Philadelphia, and judging from the reputation our correspondent sustains as a popular writer, these letters will be a rich treat to our readers.

As we are decidedly journalists of the progressive school, we have concluded to adopt the cash system in our business. The neglect of quite a number of our patrons to pay up promptly, and the rascality of others, has compelled us to adopt this course. Time and experience has fully proved to our satisfaction that the credit system will not work with newspaper publishers. From this date no paper will be sent from this office, unless paid for in advance, and at the expiration of the time paid for, if not renewed, will be promptly stopped. This arrangement does no injustice to our patrons, while it will protect us from the impositions of soulless scoundrels, and enable us to devote more attention to our paper.

Recognizing, the principle that contracts to be satisfactory should be fraught with mutual benefit to both parties, and as money in large amounts, *in advance*, is of more value to us than when received in driblets, as an inducement to numbers who would otherwise discontinue, as well as to those who have never yet taken the paper, we offer it at the following low rates for the coming year:

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| 1 copy, one year | | $1 50 |
| 10 copies " | ($1.25 per copy) | 12 50 |
| 20 " " | ($1.00 per copy) | 20 00 |

and all above 20 at the same rate—$1 per copy.

The money must, *in all cases*, accompany the order.

By the above it will be seen that our paper is emphatically the cheapest in the county.—As to its merits we leave in to the public to decide. We earnestly request our friends through out the county to "give as a lift," as we have no doubt each of them can readily obtain a club in their neighborhood.

CANVASSERS WANTED.—Several energetic business men wanted to canvass the county for subscribers to the *Tribune*. A liberal per-centage will be allowed.


☞ Time of the Closing and Arrival of Mails at Altoona Post Office.

MAILS CLOSE.

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| Eastern Way at | 1 00 P. M |
| Western " " | 8 00 A. M. |
| Eastern Through Mail " | 8 00 " |

MAILS ARRIVE.

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| Eastern Through Mail, | 8 35 A. M. |
| Western Way and Hollidaysburg, | 1 40 P. M. |
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Eastern mails close at 1.00 P. M. and 6.45 P. M.—Western mails close at 1.15 P. M. and 7 PM. P. M.

Office open from 7 A. M. to 7 P. M. and on Sundays from 1.15 P. M. and [57-tf] JOHN SHOENBERGER.

## CANDIDATES' CARDS.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.—To the Voters of the Borough of Altoona. I offer myself as a candidate for the office of JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, at the ensuing election, and if elected, will endeavor to discharge the duties of said office to the best of my ability.

Feb. 4, 1858-te.] JOHN W. HUMES.

TO THE CITIZENS OF ALTOONA.—I offer myself as a candidate for the office of BOROUGH CONSTABLE, at the ensuing election, and if elected I pledge myself to use all my abilities in maintaining order, enforcing the Borough laws, and performing all my duties appertaining to said office.

Feb. 4, 1858-te] JOSEPH MOIST.

SHERIFFALITY.—I offer myself as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF of Blair county, at the ensuing election in October next. If elected I pledge myself to discharge the duties appertaining to said office to the best of my ability.

Feb. 4, 1858-te] JOHN B. WAREEL.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.—I offer for myself to the citizens of Altoona, as an independent candidate for the office above named, at the ensuing Borough Election. If elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties appertaining to said office to the best of my ability.

PETER REED.

Altoona, Jan. 28, 1858-te.

BOROUGH ELECTION.—AT THE earnest solicitation of a number of my friends I offer myself to the citizens of Altoona as an INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE for BOROUGH CONSTABLE, at the ensuing election. If elected I pledge myself to do my duty fearlessly, to the best of my ability, without fear, favor, or affection.

A. W. B. LAUB.

TO THE CITIZENS OF ALTOONA.—I respectfully offer myself as an Independent candidate for the office of CONSTABLE, at the ensuing Borough election. If elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties appertaining to that office, to the best of my ability, without respect to friends or foes.

Jan. 21-tf. JOSEPH K. ELY.

## ALTOONA MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY LOWTHER & M'DOWELL.

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| Flour—superfine, | ₩ bbl. | $5,25 |
| " extra, | ₩ " | $5,50 |
| Corn Meal, | ₩ cwt. | 2,00 |
| Buckwheat | ₩ " | 2,40 |
| Potatoes | ₩ bush. | 75 |
| Apples | ₩ " | 87 |
| Butter | ₩ ℔ | 22 |
| Lard, | ₩ " | 14 |
| Pork, | ₩ " | 06 |
| Side, | ₩ " | 05 |
| Eggs | ₩ doz. | 16 |

MCLAIN & LEHR'S FLOUR MARKET.

McLain & Lehr sell their Flour at the following rates:—

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| White Wheat Flour, Extra Family, | ₩ bbl. | $5.62 |
| " " " Superfine, | " | 5,50 |
| Buffalo " " | " | 5,50 |
| Mill Creek, " Superfine, | " | 5,25 |

H. LEHR'S FLOUR MARKET.

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| Extra Family Flour, | ₩ bbl. | $5 25 |
| " " | " | 5 50 |
| Extra Superfine, | " | 5 25 |
| Buffalo " | " | 5 50 |
| Mill Creek, " | " | 5 50 |


☞ The stated Councils of the "WHITEHALL TENT," No. 34, I. O. R. M., are held every Wednesday evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall, in the Masonic Temple. Council Fire kindled at 7½ run 30th breath

June 25, '57-1y] A. EBERLE, *C. of R.*

GIFTS! GIFTS!! GIFTS!!!—A prize to every purchaser.

500 DOLLARS WORTH OF GIFTS!!
consisting of
GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES,
FINE GOLD JEWELRY, &C.,
WILL BE DISTRIBUTED WITH EVERY 1000 BOOKS.

The attention of the public is respectfully solicited to the extensive assortment of valuable Standard and Miscellaneous Books, which are offered for sale at the lowest Retail Prices. A GIFT WORTH FROM 25 CENTS TO $100, will be given with every Book. A complete Catalogue, giving full information, with a list of Prizes, will be forwarded on application.

AGENTS WANTED.

LIBERAL INDUCEMENTS OFFERED.—Persons wishing to order at once, can order any Book published in Philadelphia, New York or Boston, and it will be furnished at the publisher's price, with Gift. Any person ordering 10 Books will receive for commission an extra Book with Gift. For Postage send stamps, 18 cents, for $1.00 Books. Address

DUANE RULISON, Publisher,
No 33 South 3d street, Philadelphia.


LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING in the Post Office at Altoona, February 1, 1858.

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| Beason, Mary | Hogan, Daniel | Osborne, Kate |
| Ball, Charles | Johnston, Thomas | Oleson, Daniel |
| Burns, Francis 2 | Jittan, Charles | O'Brien, Mary |
| Brown, David | Jones, Daniel | Orborn, Charles |
| Baer, Abraham | King, Henry 2 | Price, J. K. 3 |
| Bond, Robert | Kline, Mary 2 | Peters, Thos. H. |
| Campbell, M. R. J. | Kimel, Eliza A. | Rupert, Amos |
| Crider, Esther | Keys, Thomas | Roberson, Josh 2 |
| Cawley, Denis | Kearns, Michael | Russ, A. |
| Corles, Bartley | Lean, on, George | Reed, Wm. |
| Conway, Peter | Lafferty, E. L. | Rigeel, Elizabeth |
| Cole, John | Moyer, Philip | Schmidhammer, J. |
| Cowen, E. S. | Moore, Henry | Smith, Josiah. |
| Deuch, Peter | Murry, Christopher | Schmitt, George |
| Davis, George | Moyer, Charles | Satterfield, A. B. |
| Dicker, Mr | Marshall, Kate | Thomas, J. W. |
| Dougherty, M. J. | Mank, Joseph | Troach, Samuel |
| Eshyser, John | Michel, Jas. | Tomhill, J. A. |
| Edwards, Aj | McColly, Nancy | Wilmer, Wm. 2 |
| Gallagher, D. | McCurdy, Nancy J. | White, Richard 2 |
| Geiser, Mary A. | McCoy, S. A. | Wrong, G. W. |
| Hartsher, Conrad | McIntosey, S. | Washington, Geo. |
| Hesdett, Harriet A. | McCance, Mary | Ward, Jennie |
| Howard, G. W. | | |

FOREIGN LIST.

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| Daley, John | Hicks, George | O'Neal, Jeans |
| Garvey, Edward | Lang r, Anton | |

Persons calling for letters on this list will please say they are advertised. [1t-1] JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.


HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers at Private Sale, a PLANK-FRAME HOUSE, 16x27 feet with a good cellar underneath. The lot is 50 feet front by 129 feet deep, and is sufficiently large to admit of the erection of two more houses as large as the one now upon it. The property is situate on Harriet street, East Ward, immediately opposite the Company's Houses. There is an excellent Well of Water on the premises. For terms, &c., apply to THOS. DAVEY.

Altoona, Jan. 21, 3t.*
(Standard please copy 3t. and charge this office.)

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of Jacob Reigh, late of the borough of Altoona Blair county, dec'd., have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned residing in Altoona. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

Jan. 14-6t.] C. B. SINK, *Adm'r.*

AGENTS, ATTENTION!—DO YOU wish to find good employment, and make money with little or no investment, and without interfering with your regular business? If you do, read this advertisement. C. E. TODD & Co., of 392 Broome Street, New York, are manufacturing and selling massive gold Pencils for $3 each, (which are cheap at that price,) and they throw in a gift or Prize with each Pencil, worth from $2 up to $5, $10, $15, $20, $25, $30, $50, $70, $100, $200, $500. Don't cry out, "Humbug! Lottery!" It's no such thing. The Pencils are sold at their cash value, and all the profits over the first cost are thrown into the gifts, which actually cost the purchaser nothing. The prizes are distributed on a simple plan of drawing, which would take too much room to explain, but which has never failed to give complete satisfaction.—Thirty thousand have sent to purchasers 183 gold watches of various prices, 74 pieces of gold dollars, 238 gold lockets, $50 gold chains, and a corresponding number of other prizes, within two months.

THERE ARE NO BLANKS,

but every purchaser draws a prize worth $2 certain, and it stands thousands of chances to be a higher figure.

We want a good agent in every neighborhood throughout the country, to solicit purchasers, and any agent, to be successful, must have a Pencil and prize to exhibit. We pay agents $1 each for each purchaser he obtains, and the first person in any neighborhood who applies for a Pencil and gift, will receive the agency for that locality. Should an agent obtain a valuable prize to exhibit with his Pencil, he would have little difficulty in obtaining scores of purchasers, and making it a paying business.

A NEW IDEA! READ! READ!!!

We ask no one to send their money till they know what prize they draw. Any person wishing to try their luck, can first send us their name and address, and we will make their drawing and inform them by return mail what prize they drew, when they can send us and take the Pencil and prize or not, whichever they choose. We give this privilege only once to a purchaser. After the first drawing, every purchaser will be required to send in advance, through the authorized agent. We will send with each drawing the number taken out, with full description of the plan of drawing. Address, C. E. TODD & Co.,

392 *Broome Street, New York.*

ITCH! ITCH!! ITCH!!!—BARNES' ITCH OINTMENT is the only remedy which thoroughly cures that dreaded disease—the SEVEN YEARS' ITCH—now prevailing to so great an extent. The usual remedies, such as Brimstone, Tar and Precipitate Ointments, are of no use. Many who have used them have been compelled to use Barnes' Itch Ointment, and found it the only cure. It is now the only remedy in which physicians place any reliance.

FROSTED FEET.

Jack Frost has commenced his reign and BARNES' REMEDY FOR FROSTED FEET is the only one that will cure those whom he has attacked.- Apply this remedy for a few days and a cure will be effected. The first application gives relief. It has cured cases where the *skin has bursted.*

RHEUMATISM.

The celebrated Liniment, called HYDER ALE, is more than a match for Rheumatism. It has cured more cases of Rheumatism than any other medicine in the Republic. For the cure of Palsied Limbs, Sore Throat, Swellings of the Joints, and Limbs, Bruises, it has no equal. As a Liniment for Horses, it cures Running Galls, Cuts, Sores, Strains, Swellings, and all other external injuries. Bone Spavin only accepted, all who have used it give it the preference over all others.

COUGHS AND COLDS.

BARNES' COUGH SYRUP, composed entirely of Vegetables, is a sure cure for Coughs, Colds and Bronchitis, it is without any exception, the best remedy known, of which fact thousands can testify. It will be found the best remedy that can be used for children.

Prepared only at Barnes' Drug Store, Trenton, N. J.—Sold by G. W. KESSLER, Altoona, and B. Page Jr. & Co., Pittsburg. [May 14, '57-1y.

ALTOONA SAVING FUND.—JESSE SMITH would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and the public generally that he has just returned from the East with a large and varied assortment of

HATS AND CAPS,

Which he purchased at low prices for cash and will sell at a small advance on the original cost. His stock comprises HATS and CAPS of every description, size and shape. All who are in want of anything in his line will do well to give him a call, as he feels confident he can suit the most fastidious, in quality and price.

He has now on hand a beautiful stock of LADIES FUR CAPES, CUFFS, &c., to which he invites the attention of the ladies, and also gentlemen who wish to make their wives a handsome and useful present.

He is always ready and willing to exhibit his stock *free of charge*, so that none need fear to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

Remember that his store is on Virginia street, directly opposite the Lutheran Church. [Oct. 15-tf.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION.—The subscriber takes pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Altoona and its vicinity, that he has opened a STORE in the ROOM formerly occupied by G. W. Patton, on Virginia street, where he will be happy to exhibit to them his splendid stock of

FASHIONABLE FALL GOODS,

which will be found entirely new and fresh. His stock is carefully selected and was purchased strictly for CASH, which just at this important time has enabled him to buy exceedingly low, and having adopted the

READY-PAY SYSTEM,

is determined to ask but "Small Profits and Quick Sales."

Among his stock will be found everything appertaining to Ladies and Gentlemen's wear, as well as all articles of

Groceries,
Queensware,
Hardware, &c., &c.,

usually kept in a town or country store. He respectfully invites a careful inspection of his stock.

Altoona, Oct. 1, 1857-tf. CHARLES J. MANN.

LIQUORS.—A LARGE AMOUNT of well selected LIQUORS has been received at the "LOGAN HOUSE," Hollidaysburg, which will be sold at the lowest cash prices, wholesale or retail. The man who wants has only to call. [Dec. 17, tf.

FIGS, DATES, PRUNES, Citrons, and Currants in store and for sale by

W. N. SHUGARD,
March 12, '57-1y] 101 *North 3d Street, Philadelphia.*

JUST RECEIVED FROM PHILADELPHIA—a fresh supply of CLOTHS, and CASSIMERES suitable for the season and selling cheap for cash as

Jan 14-tf] THOMAS EWAY'S.

SWAN & CO.'S LOTTERIES, AUTHORIZED BY THE STATE OF GEORGIA.
$70,000 FOR $10!!!

The following Scheme will be drawn by B. Swan & Co., Managers of the Sparta Academy Lottery, in each of their Single Number Lotteries for February, 1858, at AUGUSTA, Georgia, to which city they have removed their principal office.

CLASS 1,
To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on Saturday, February 6, 1858.
CLASS 2,
To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on Saturday, February 13, 1858.
CLASS 3,
To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on Saturday, February 20, 1858.
CLASS 4,
To be drawn in the City of Augusta, Georgia, in public, on Saturday, February 27, 1858.

ON THE PLAN OF SINGLE NUMBERS.

FIVE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE PRIZES!
*Nearly one Prize to every Nine Tickets!*
MAGNIFICENT SCHEME!!
TO BE DRAWN EACH SATURDAY IN FEBRUARY.

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| 1 Prize of | $70,000 | 4 Prize of | | 800 |
| 1 " " | 30,000 | 4 " " | | 600 |
| 1 " " | 10,000 | 4 " " | | 700 |
| 1 " " | 5,0 | 4 " " | | 600 |
| 1 " " | 4,000 | 50 Prizes of | | 500 |
| 1 " " | 3,000 | 50 " " | | 300 |
| 1 " " | 1,500 | 100 " " | | 150 |
| 4 " " | 1,000 | 230 " " | | 100 |

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

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| 4 Prizes of $400 | Approx'ting. to | $70,000 Prize are | $2,000 |
| 4 " " 300 | " " | 30,000 " " | 1,200 |
| 4 " " 200 | " " | 10,000 " " | 800 |
| 4 " " 125 | " " | 5,000 " " | 500 |
| 4 " " 100 | " " | 4,000 " " | 400 |
| 4 " " 75 | " " | 3,000 " " | 300 |
| 4 " " 50 | " " | 1,500 " " | 200 |
| 5,000 " " 20 are | | | 100,000 |
| 5,485 Prizes amounting to | | | $235,000 |

Whole Tickets $10: Halves $5; Quarters $2,50.

PLAN OF THE LOTTERY.

The numbers from 1 to 50,000, corresponding with those numbers on the Tickets printed on separate slips of paper, are encircled in small tin tubes and placed in one Wheel.

The first 475 Prizes, similarly printed and encircled, are placed in another wheel.

The wheels are then revolved, and a number is drawn from the wheel of Numbers, and at the same time a Prize is drawn from the other wheel. The number and prize drawn out are opened and exhibited to the audience, and registered by the Commissioners; the Prize being placed against the number drawn. This operation is repeated until all the Prizes are drawn out.

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.—The two preceeding and the two succeeding numbers to those drawing the first 7 Prizes will be entitled to the 28 Approximation Prizes. For example: if Ticket No. 11,250 draws the $70,000 Prize, those tickets numbered 11,248, 11,249, 11,251, 11252, will each be entitled to $400. If Ticket No. 550 draws the $30,000 Prize, those tickets numbered 548, 549, 551, 552, will each be entitled to $300, and so on according to the above scheme.

The 5,000 Prizes of $25 will be determined by the last 3, figures of the number that draws the $70,000 Prize. For example: if the number drawing the $70,000 Prize ends with No. 1, then all the tickets, where the number ends in 1, will be entitled to $25. If the number ends with No. 2, then all the tickets where the number ends in 2 will be entitled to $25, and so on to 0.

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates, which is the risk:

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| Certificate of package of | 10 Whole Tickets, | $80 |
| " " " | 10 Half " | 40 |
| " " " | 10 Quarter " | 20 |
| " " " | 10 Eight " | 10 |

IN ORDERING TICKETS OR CERTIFICATES.

Enclose the money to our address for the tickets ordered, or receipt of which they will be forwarded by first mail.—Purchasers can have tickets, ending in any number they may designate.

The list of Drawn Numbers and Prizes will be sent to purchasers immediately after the drawing.

Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give their Post Office, County and State.

Remember that every Prize is drawn and payable in full without deduction.

All prizes of $1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing—other prizes at the usual time of 30 days.

All communications strictly confidential.

Address orders for tickets or certificates to

S. SWAN & CO., *Augusta, Ga.*

Persons residing near Montgomery, Ala., or Atalanta, Ga., can have their orders filled, and save time, by addressing S. Swan & Co., at either of those cities.

A list of the numbers that are drawn from the wheel, with the amount of the prize that each one is entitled to, will be published after every drawing, in the following papers:—*New Orleans Delta, Mobile Register, Charleston Standard, Nashville Gazette, Atlanta Intelligencer, New York Weekly Day Book, Savannah Morning News, Richmond Dispatch, New York Dispatch, and Pensacola (Fla.) Clarion, Augusta (Ga.) Constitutionalist.* [jan.7-1y.

ELISHA KENT KANE.—