Altoona Tribune.

LOCAL ITEMS.

COMPLIMENTARY. On Monday evening last, while seated in our *sanctum*, we were attracted to the door by hearing the Altoona Brass Band, discoursing most excellent music. On repairing thither we were astonished to see the Band marching up Main street, preceding a large torchlight procession, marshalled by Messrs. Sink, Eberle and Renner. Unable to fathom the design of this unusual manifestation, we followed the procession up Main to Julia, up Julia to Virginia, and then down Virginia to the Superintendents office, in front of which it halted, and the Band re-commenced playing. It then occurred to us that this manifestation was got up, by the employees of the R. R. Co., as a complimentary tribute to Col. H. J. Lombaert, the late General Superintendent. On inquiring of a friend at our elbow if we were correct in our surmise, he informed us that we were, and that after the Band ceased playing, the Committee on Resolutions would read the resolutions adopted by the employees at a meeting in the early part of the evening. Col. Lombaert had by this time appeared and stood upon the steps of his residence. As soon as the Band ceased playing, Edmond J. Turner, Esq., Chairman of the Committee, read to Col. Lombaert, the following Preamble and resolutions:

ALTOONA, March 15, 1858,

At a meeting of the employees of the Penna. R. R. Co., in general council met, the following Preamble and Resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

Whereas, by the re-organization of the Penna. R. R. Co., Herman J. Lombaert, Esq., the former Superintendent became Auditor and Controller, thereby involving his removal to Philadelphia, therefore

Resolved, That it is with deep regret we part with one so thoroughly associated with our place, our occupation and ourselves.

Resolved, That in him we recognize one, who, to the strict discipline of the officer has added those considerations for the comfort and well-being of his subordinates, which characterize and mark the man,

Resolved, That we consider the union and harmony existing between the different departments, as one of the fruits of that energy and ability, which has been so prominently manifested in his administration.

Resolved, That we have ever found him ready to sympathize with us in our distress, counsel us in our difficulties and aid us in our misfortunes,

Resolved, That it is most gratifying to our feelings to know that his new position will be more exalted and honorable, and more conducive to his own health and comfort,

Resolved, That as a testimony of our affection and esteem, we extend to him the title of *Pater Hominibus*.

Resolved, That we proceed in a body to his residence, and that E. H. Turner, Chas. R McCrea, Alex. A. Smith, Archibald Maxwell, Ralph Greenwood, Paul Buckwalter, John R. Nichols, C. R, Hostetter, Jacob S. Sink, Geo. Hawkesworth, William Boyden, Chas. C. Mason, A. C. Vauclain, Chas. Bussman, Andrew Henderson, Frank Miller, John Hamilton, John B. Warfel, David R. Courter, Andrew Kipple, J. M. Glanding, Henry Sperling, Geo. R Everson, Solomon Boyer, Zack. Neff, Geo. B. Cramer, David M. Green, be a committee to wait upon him with this expression of our sentiments, and with it our true and heartfelt wishes for his future honor, welfare and prosperity.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be published in the Altoona *Tribune*.

After the resolutions had been read, Col. Lombaert returned thanks for the honor conferred upon him in a few brief but pertinent remarks. As he spoke entirely on the spur of the moment, without previous preparation, and as we were unable, on account of the crowd, to make out a report on the spot, we are compelled to trust to our memory for the substance.

He commenced by saying that he was no speechmaker, as all present knew, however he could not be otherwise than highly gratified at this manifestation by the employees of the Road. During all the time that he occupied the post of General Superintendent, it had always been his earnest care and desire, that perfect harmony and concert of action should exist between the officers and employees of the Road. That it was to this harmony and concert of action that the unexampled success and high character of the road is to be attributed. That the honor of this success and the establishment of such a character for the Road was not due to one class of the Company's employees alone, but to all—officers and employees alike. This he had always, in all his reports and communications, distinctly laid down. He claimed for himself no credit on this score, for unless his subordinates had earnestly co-operated with him, his exertions would have been fruitless.

He then said that he did not feel as if he was taking leave of the employees. He had only released himself from severe labor, and in future mean't to work less and travel more. That they would often see him, and if they did not, they would at least see his name appended to their checks once every month. In leaving them at this time he especially recommended them to preserve the harmony and concert of action that had existed up to this time. That an employee hitherto, who sought employment on another road, needed no higher recommendation than that he had been an employee of the Pa. R. R. Co., in good standing. He hoped they would never do anything to render any other recommendation necessary.

He then said that he thought that there was a misapprehension in the minds of the employees in reference to the President of the Road, Mr. Thompson. He could assure them that Mr. T. was a kind-hearted and gentlemanly officer, who had the comfort and welfare of the employees as much at heart as he had. That, although a few months ago, some dissatisfaction was felt by them at the reduction of the wages, they should remember that that reduction operated upon all the servants of the company, from the President down. That his (Mr. L's) salary was reduced $1,000 by that order. That although it seemed hard, yet he hoped that they would all cheerfully put up with it for the time being, and that as soon as the financial difficulties which prompted the reduction have cleared away, the wages would be put back to the old standard. He could assure them of this, as Mr. Thomson had positively given him his word to that effect, and whatever Mr. Thomson promised he would perform. He wished them all to cherish the kindest feelings towards Mr. Thomson, as there was no better railroader in the country, nor one who had the interest of his subordinates more at heart.

He then said that his successor, Col. T. A. Scott, was well worthy of their confidence and respect. He was a man well qualified for the post, and he had no doubt that he would prove a most popular officer. He knew him and could truthfully say that he had the best interests of his subordinates at heart. Whatever might turn up, they should first go to Mr. Scott, as he would do everything that was right, and settle everything to the satisfaction of all parties. If he can not settle any matter satisfactorily it must be a most serious one indeed. He (Mr. L.) hoped that they would always cherish the best of feeling towards Mr. Scott, and act in concert with him. At any rate he (Mr. S.) was well worthy of it.

He again returned thanks for the honor conferred upon him, and said that he would like to shake hands with all the employees present, but as that was impossible, he must content himself with shaking hands with those only who stood near him.

The Band then played a tune, during which Col. Lombaert, shook hands with all who could reach him.

After the music ceased, three hearty cheers were given for Mr. Lombaert; three more for the President of the Road, Mr. Thomson; three more for Mr. Scott, and three for the Pa. R. R. Co. The Marshals then formed the procession into line, after which, preceded by the Band, it marched to the Logan Rifle Rangers' Armory, where the members were dismissed.

Some 500 men marched in the procession, and to their credit be it said, the best harmony characterised the whole proceedings. Every one seemed desirous of testifying their respect and esteem for Mr. Lombaert, who, without any flattery, during his service as General Superintendent, discharged the duties of the office in such a manner as to promote the best interests of the road and its employees, the whole of the latter of whom he has endeared to himself by a "thousand nameless ties"—that of friendship.

CONCERT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE POOR.—On Friday evening last, we attended the concert for the benefit of the poor, given in the West Ward School room. To say that the room was *crowded* would but faintly convey an idea of the extent to which it was filled. It was completely *packed*, there being scarcely room for the musicians to perform upon their instruments. We think no more forcible argument could be used in favor of a Town Hall, than to pack those of our citizens, who have the means to erect a suitable building, into such a crowd, on every occasion of a public meeting, concert, exhibition, &c. It would have a tendency to induce them to "shell out," if they prize comfort.

Owing to the crowded condition of the room, and the talking, laughing and other disturbances created by a number of boys, and, we are sorry to add, a few who wish to be considered young men, who occupied uneasy positions, or paid no regard to the company they were in, the pieces of music performed by Mr. E H. Turner, on the piano, and Messrs. Nagle, Bennet and others on the flute, guitar, violin and vocally, though beautiful and performed without a fault, could not be heard by one-half the audience. The Brass Band executed the pieces selected for the occasion in a style highly creditable, considering the disadvantages under which it labored.

The Committee have handed us the following statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Concert, which show that a handsome sum, sufficient we think to meet all demands which will be made upon the treasury this season, has been netted:

ALTOONA, March 15, 1858.

To the Citizens of Altoona:

Below please find a statement of the proceeds of the Concert given for the benefit of the poor:

No. of tickets sold by C. R. McCrea,		60
" " " A. C. Vauclain,		35
" " " Robt. Pitcairns,		25
" " " C. R. Hostetter,		20
" " " John Shoemaker,		6
" " " Henry Lohr,		6
" " " Geo. B. Cramer,		68
Whole No. of tickets sold,		220
220 tickets at 25 cts each,	$56,50	
Money taken in at door,	12,62	
		$69,12
Amount paid for printing tickets and posters,	$5,00	
" " for posting bills	50	
		$5,50
Leaving a balance of		$63,62

Received, Altoona, March 16, 1858, from Geo. B. Cramer, sixty-three dollars and sixty-two cents, being the nett proceeds, of the Concert given for the relief of the poor.

JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Treasurer.*

The thanks of the citizens of this place will, we think, cheerfully be accorded to Mr. Geo. B. Cramer, on whom the task of getting up the concert principally devolved, for the creditable manner in which he discharged his duty, and also to those persons who enlisted themselves on the side of humanity, and took a lively interest in disposing of tickets for the concert.

A HINT TO ADVERTISERS.—The following which we find in almost every newspaper we pick up, should be printed in letters of gold and hung up in the counting-room, office or workshop of every man or firm who depend upon the public for their support. It is true to the letter, and those who follow the example of the partner mentioned below will find so, or their experience will be different from that of any one who has ever tried the virtue of printer's ink:—

The leading partner in a publishing house, who was rapidly pushing his advertisements during the dull season, being interrogated by the editor in regard to the policy, replied, "The very time of all others to crowd, sir; give us the field when few advertisers occupy it, and we care not how hard the times are; it pays us well at all times, because we know how far to go, but especially it pays us in times like the present, when the most of business men in our line have taken the hooks out of the water, thinking no bites to be had; we are satisfied that nothing has kept us a constant run of trade for the last ninety days but pushing our notices through this dull season."

WALL PAPER.—By reference to our columns it will be seen that Mr. J. M. Hewit, of Hollidaysburg, has on hand a large and varied assortment of Wall paper, which he is selling at low rates. Those in want of that commodity will do well to give him a call before purchasing elsewhere.

WHERE IS THE SCHOOL-MASTER NOW!—The following is a *verbatim, et literatim, et punctuatim* copy of a letter received by one of our business men. In our opinion, it throws all other epistles of the kind, which we have ever yet come across, far in the shade. It needs no comment. The names are of course omitted:

1857

Plesent vill December the 17th

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to ——— ———

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RICE, THE STREET PREACHER.—During the last few days, a street preacher named Rice, of the Seven-Day Baptist denomination, whom our Martinsburg and Hollidaysburg correspondents have heretofore noticed, has been lecturing our citizens at the street corners and other places, wherever he could collect a crowd, on his favorite topics, viz: calling Sunday the seventh day of the week instead of the first, against the use of intoxicating beverages and tobacco. On Sunday afternoon last, he collected a crowd on the platform in front of the Logan House, and commenced his harangue. In the course of his remarks he gave offence to one of his hearers who attempted to take his (Mr. R's) staff from him with the intention, it was supposed, of using it upon the speaker. This hostile demonstration excited the anger of another of Mr. R's hearers, who forthwith "pitched in," knocking down and pumelling the assailant of the preacher in scientific style. A general free fight was then apparent, but fortunately for the good name of our town and the faces of some of our citizens, the better judgment of those present overcame their passions and the affair ended with the separation of the first combatants. Rice is evidently a monomaniac on the subjects on which he lectures, and no good can regul therefrom. On the contrary he only engenders ill-feeling between persons of different sects who are weak-minded enough to allow his remarks to excite their passions. We have not heard of his obtaining any converts to his doctrine, in this place, nor do we think it likely that he will. It would be advisable for him to "pull up stakes" and migrate to a more congenial clime, as we judge from the manner in which the boys "roast" him as he travels along the street, that Altoona will soon be too hot for him.

CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS.—The East Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, have made the following appointments for this district, now called the "Juniata District:—

Rev. GEORGE GUYER, P. E.

Hollidaysburg—J. H. C. Dosh.
Altoona—Samuel A. Wilson.
Woodberry—George Berkstresser, John B. Scarboro.
Schellsburg—Henry Wilson.
Bedford—Wm. L. Spottswood, Samuel W. Smith, Sup.
Bedford Circuit—James A. Coleman, G. Tarring Gray.
Coalmont—Enoch G. Jamison.
Manor Hill—J. A. Melick, John W. Cleaver.
Williamsburg—Alfred K. Erskridge.
Cassville—George W. Bouse, Hugh Lynn.
Birmingham—Robert W. Black, J. W. Buckley.
Phillipsburg—Edmund W. Kirby.
Curwinsville and Clearfield—Thos. Barnhart.
New Washington—Charles Cleaver, one to be supplied.

The next East Baltimore Conference will be held at Williamsport, Pa.

LOOK OUT.—The public will do well to refuse any notes on the following named banks, which may be offered to them: Crawford County Bank, Meadville, Pa., Shamokin Bank, Sunbury, Pa., Tioga County Bank, Pa., Jersey Shore Bank Pa. These Banks are all under the supervision and control of the "Buffalo kiters" who wanted to secure the Central Bank at Hollidaysburg, consequently their notes should be regarded with suspicion. The safest plan to guard against loss at the hands of these "kiters" is to refuse all notes on their pet swindling institutions.

MAN FROZEN.—A man named Walter, aged about 55 years, was frozen to death in Greenfield township on Tuesday night of last week, whilst attempting to go from Claysburg to his home, about three miles distant. When his body was found on the Friday following, a flask partly filled with whiskey was in one of his pockets, of which, it is supposed, he had partaken, and was overcome. His sudden death is deeply mourned by a large circle of respectable connections and friends.—*Hol. Register.*

MAIL MESSENGER.—Mr. Wm. Cramer has been appointed Mail Messenger at this place, in room of C. W. O'Donnell, removed to the West. A more trust-worthy person could not have been selected.

MIRACULOUS FEAT.—While standing on the corner of Virginia and Caroline streets, a few days since, we witnessed a teamster, with four horses, perform the miraculous feat of dragging a load of iron ore through the sea of mud which covers Virginia street. The horses sank into the mud to their knees at every step, and the hubs of the wagon wheels were scarcely discernable above the black mass. By dint of spurring and lashing, and wiggle-wagling from side to side of the street, the team, which was a good one, finally made the landing (landing we say, because it was the only dry spot we could discover up or down the street) on the crossing where we stood. We pitied the horses, who seemed to be almost done out, and wished that every member of the Town Council could have been present to witness the scene; we think it would have induced them to take action immediately on the subject of filling up and and piking said street.—As it is at present it is a disgrace to the town and we hope to see it repaired at an early day.

ARGUMENT COURT.—An argument Court was in session on Monday and Tuesday, of this week at Hollidaysburg. The business transacted consisted chiefly of motions and presenting of petitions—nothing of any interest save to the parties, Plaintiff or Defendant, having transpired. The case of the Penna. R. R. Co., versus W. J. Sellers *et al* came up, on a motion for a new trial on the part of the Plff., but was not disposed of, the Dfts. not being prepared to argue it. The Plff. asked a new trial, both because the verdict was against the charge of the court and the evidence in the case. If either of these objections are founded on fact, we suppose the motion will be granted. The arguing of the motion was postponed until the next argument Court. It is a case of a good deal of importance, involving several thousand dollars.

THROWN OFF.—The Hollidaysburg Branch train did not reach here this morning at the usual time, 5,50, having, when about a mile from town, come in collision with a tree which the storm had blown across the track, by which the locomotive and tender were thrown off the track. Fortunately nobody was hurt and but little damage was done. The tree must have lodged on the track just immediately before the train reached the spot, as the watchman had passed over the track but a few minutes before and found all right.

DR. KEYSER'S PECTORAL SYRUP.—A dose or two of this valuable Pulmonary Balsam will, at the onset of a Cough, allay all irritation of the Lungs, and hinder the development of Pulmonary Disease—Consumption is never Consumption until the Lungs are ulcerated and wasting; you can hinder that condition of affairs, if you take our advice, and try a bottle of Dr. Keyser's Pectoral Syrup. It is pleasant to take, and costs but half a dollar. For sale by G. W. Kessler.

ACCIDENT.—A son of John Harnish, of the Loop, about 9 or 10 years of age, met with an accident on Wednesday last which came very near resulting in his death. He was playing on the hay mow, when he accidentally slipped and fell, head foremost, upon the barn floor, a distance of 10 or 15 feet, producing a severe contusion of the brain. His injuries were properly treated by Dr. Landis and he is recovering as rapidly as possible.—*Hol. Standard.*

TO WESTERN EMIGRANTS.—As will be seen by reference to a card in another part of to-day's paper, a meeting of the Western Industrial colony will be held in the Masonic Temple, in this place, on next Thursday evening, the 25th inst All those desirous of emigrating to the West, who wish to enrol themselves as members of this association will do well to be in attendance. We shall speak more at length upon this subject next week.

SELECT SCHOOL.—Mrs. M. E. King gives notice by a card in our columns, to the public in general and parents in particular, that she purposes opening the spring term of her Select School, in West Altoona, on Monday week, the 29th inst. Her terms are reasonable and her qualifications as a teacher are undisputed. No parent or guardian need fear to entrust her with their children or wards. For terms see card.

LITERARY EMPORIUM.—Fettinger notifies the public through our columns that he has always on hand the latest standard literature of the day, in the shape of Books, papers &c. His stock of stationary is also good He has also become sole agent in this county for the sale of Rohn's celebrated salve, which has a bad habit of curing every sore to which it is applied. Give him a call.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—We learn from the *Whig* of this week, that on Monday of last week, a young lady named Mary Omerman, aged about 17 years, living with Mr. David Denny, near Tyrone City, in this county, while engaged in boiling soap in the yard, was so severely burned by her clothes taking fire, that she died the same night.

FOUND.—Mr. George Mock, desires us to inform the public that he has in his possession a lady's gold ear drop, which he found on the street, one day last week. The loser can have it by proving property, paying for this notice, and taking it away, otherwise it will be disposed of according to law.

"INJUNS."—On Friday last a delegation of Chiefs, Braves and Warriors of the Sioux tribe, some thirty in number, passed through town, on their way to Washington, to see their "great father," the President. They were dressed in their native costume, and looked as savage as could be desired. They were accompanied by interpreters.

STORMY.—One of the wind storms for which March is so justly celebrated, paid us a visit last evening. As yet, (Thursday morning) it don't seem inclined to bring its visit to a close, although the sun warns it to pack up its "traps" and travel.

THE BEST COUGH MEDICINE.—One of the very best Cough Medicines to be found anywhere, is Dr. *Keyser's* Pectoral Syrup, sold by G. W. Kessler, at 50 cents per bottle.

OUR BLACK LIST.

I PAID THE PRINTER! Ha! Ha!

I AM SORRY I DIDN'T!

CAREFULLY COMPILED BY THE EDITORS!

COMMENTS BY "SLEM!"

Published for the protection of our brethren of the Press and the Public generally.

SWAYED NEITHER BY FEAR, FAVOR, NOR AFFECTION, WE SHALL SPEAK OF MEN AS WE FIND THEM.

The following named individuals have "victimized" us to the tune of the amounts set opposite to their names.—Our brethren of the Press and the Public generally will do well to be on their guard while dealing with them. He who would cheat the printer would scruple at nothing.

T. & L. LAMBERT & Co., Philadelphia, $2 50.
These contemptible scoundrels, as Advertising Agents for a Cider Press, patronised us to the above time. If we ever come across them we'll *press* their miserable carcasses into their original nothingness.

DAVID AXE, $2 50.
Mr. Axe is another of our *honest* patrons. He victimized us out of the above sum, and sloped without paying us for a settlement. That *Axe* was rather *sharp* for us.

RICHARD ALLEN $2 50.
This *gent* graduated in rascality at our expense.

J. J BOTOFF, $2 50.
This gent should not be called "Bought-off" but "Slope-off." If he is not good on a *buy* he is on a *sell*. We have one consolation, however, and that is that he won't be able to cheat the Devil.

M. BOTTOFF, Bellefonte, Pa. $3 00.
We don't know whether this chap is related to the other Bottoff or not. If he ain't he ought to be, and if he is he's a *credit* to the family.

J. A. BRADLEY, Cressons, Pa., $4 00.
This 'sneak' sneakingly sneaked off, leaving us to console ourselves as we best could. He is such a veritable "sneak" that he would sell his soul (a very small one) for a "fip" (a big price) and after pocketing the money sneak out of the bargain.

THOS. ROY, $2 50.
This promising young man promised to pay us but didn't. He has lately been married in Reading. Poor fellow! his punishment soon overtook him.

A. S. MCCLINTOCK, Patterson, Pa. $3 00.
This is another of our *honest* patrons, such a small-souled wretch is not worth a longer notice.

P. FLANIGAN, Pittsburgh, Pa., $3 00.
This representative of the great "Flanigan family" walked into our affections "a fact." "Fire away Flanigan," but please don't "hit" us in future.

MOSES DOTTY, ESQUIRE, $3 75.
Cheating us out of the above snug sum, affords a fair specimen of the manner in which Moses dispensed justice, and how well *qualified* he was to discharge the duties of his office. After *impairing the eye-sight* of quite a number of our citizens, he "sloped" for Baltimore, leaving a host of friends to mourn their *loss*. We commend him to the "Plug Uglies," "Rip Raps," &c., as a fit recruit for their ranks.

E. A. C. DOTTY, $1 00.
This lazy puppy is a "chip of the old block," who exemplifies the truth of the old adages "like daddy like child," and "what is bred in the bone won't come out of the flesh." He also has "slaped" to the more congenial atmosphere of Baltimore. "Good riddance to bad rubbish."

Dr. W. E. HOYT, Syracuse, N. Y., $7 50.
This impudent *quack* bled us to the above tune for advertising. He is an arrant knave, who, making his living by means of the Press, is mean enough to cheat printers. We hope, when sick, he may be quacked to death by some brother quack.

Rev. W. S. H. KEYS, Tyrone, Pa., $2 00.
This political parson who sports the "cambric" extensively, owes us the above sum for printing Notices to K. N. Councils, stating his terms for lecturing before them. We should think that his "Intense Americanism" should lead him to pay his honest debts. We hand him over to the tender mercy of his conscience—if he has any—if not, to that of his friend and prototype ———

L. PALMER & Co., Travelling Opticians, $1 50.
The above firm was composed of a couple of precious rascals, as "dutch as sour crout," who passed themselves off as opticians. Whether they were or not we don't know, but we do know, that instead of improving the sight of our "peepers," they effectually "closed them up."

CUMMINGS & Co., Travelling Ambrotypists, $1 25.
This is another pair of contemptible knaves. Their skill was strikingly exemplified in our sad experience, they having left an indelible *impression* on our memory, that we were the victims of misplaced confidence.

RICHARD WHITE, $4 00.
This falsely named *gent* has left town without settling up with us, thus leaving a *black* record against him on our books, and getting his name on our *black* list. It is not the only *black* act he has been guilty of.

A. CLARKE, $1 50.
We suppose this gent had not time to settle this small bill before leaving, as he left town about a hundred yards ahead of the constable, making 2,40 time.

G. W. TEYON, $2 50.
This gent *tried us on* to the above tune, and then put us off by absquatulating without paying.

THOS. LEE, JR., left town owing us		$2 50.
LANG & WAGNER	do.	4 25.
DANIELS W. GARDNER,	do.	2 50.
L. KARG,	do.	3 00.
A. J. ANDERSON,	do.	1 00.

☞ The above is only the first chapter of our "Life Pictures." We have ample material for a dozen more, which will appear in due time.

☞ There are plenty of young gentlemen as well as plenty of old ones, whose beards are turning grey, which gives the former a great deal of uneasiness, and exposes the age of the latter. To avoid these little perplexities we advise such of our readers to use Prof. Wood's Hair Restorative, which will, in the course of a few weeks, change the hair to its natural color. It does not dye the hair like the most of the hair restoratives, but produces a gradual change of color from the roots of the hair to the final end, and gives it a fine and glossy appearance. We have seen many persons who have used it successfully, and pronounced it the only invention which has come up to their idea of a "cure for grey heads." We commenced using it about two months since, and if we are any judge of age and beauty, it has made us at least ten years younger; in fact we are beginning to look quite young, and feel very much like getting a young wife. The change is miraculous, and it would be as difficult to find a grey hair now as it would be to find an idea in the head of the Duke of Buckingham. We know several old maids and some young widows, whose locks are just beginning to assume a silvery hue, and who have been talking seriously about resorting to this remedy, and we advise them not to delay any longer. It never fails.—*St. Louis Herald.*

☞ The most skeptical people can be convinced by trial that all the family medicines are not humbug, and that among the thousand of butterfly life there are a few of great merit, and undoubted worth. Of these, Dr. Sandford's Invigorator, or Liver Remedy stands first and foremost among the remedies of the day that can be relied on as a medicine that is all it is recommended by its proprietors. It advertises itself on every trial, for there are none who use it but tell their friends to do so, and so it goes from mouth to mouth till all the people of the Union have learned the good of this truly valuable medicine. It is recommended with testimonials to prove its virtue for the cure of liver complaints of every kind, from the worst Dyspepsia to a common headache, and is particularly adapted to Jaundice, Deranged Stomach, Bowel Complaints and diseases of children.

One or two doses are said to cure a cold with scarce a failure. It is worth a trial for this alone. It is particularly adapted to the use of ladies, particularly those of sedentary habits.—Some ladies of the highest standing in society have given their certificates of its efficacy, and we say to all who are ailing, try one bottle, and you will never be without it.

☞ When Du Val's Galvanic Oil was first introduced into the market, it never was thought of being applied, by the proprietor, to Lung disease, but its being applicable to almost every other disease, the afflicted have used this preparation in Consumption, and, although it has never cured a purely consumptive patient, yet it has saved many who have been prone to the disease from an early grave.

WOODLAND GREAM, "—*A French 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 causes 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

PETRIDGE & 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.

The stated Councils of the "WINNEBAGO TRIBE," No. 35, I. O. R. M., are held every Wednesday evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall, in the Masonic Temple. Council Fire kindled at 7th run 30th breath.
June 25, '57–1y] A. EBERLE, *C. of R.*

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

MAILS CLOSE.

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

MAILS ARRIVE.

Eastern Through Mail,	8 35 A. M.
Western Way and Hollidaysburg,	1 40 P. M.
Eastern " "	7 15 "

Hollidaysburg mails close at 1,00 P. M. and 6,45 P. M., and arrive at 1,15 P. M. and 7,30 P. M.
June 4, '57–tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

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

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 6,00 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 with Fast Mail Train East

The BLAIRSVILLE BRANCH connects with Johnstown Way Train East and West, Express Train West and Fast Mail Train East.
Dec. 21, '56–tf] THOS. A. SCOTT, *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 are nothing new but 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

ALTOONA MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY LOWTHER & M'DOWELL.

Flour—Superfine,	⅌ bbl.	$4,25
" Extra,	"	5,50
Corn Meal,	⅌ cwt.	2,00
Buckwheat	⅌ "	2,00
Potatoes,	⅌ bush.	75
Apples,	⅌ "	87
Butter,	⅌ lb	20
Lard,	⅌ "	7
Pork,	⅌ "	6
Side,	⅌ "	8
Eggs,	⅌ doz.	10

M'LAIN & LEHR'S FLOUR MARKET.

M'Lain & Lehr sell their Flour at the following rates:—

White Wheat Flour, Extra Family,	⅌ bbl.	[illegible]
" " " " Superfine,	"	[illegible]
" " " Superfine,	"	[illegible]

H. LEHR'S FLOUR MARKET.

Extra Family Flour,	⅌ bbl.	6
Superfine Extra, best quality,	"	5 25
" " Brush Creek,	"	5 00
Superfine,	"	4 75

WOOD! WOOD!! WOOD!!!—90 Cords of good dry OAK WOOD for sale by LEWIS GWIN, 2 miles North of Altoona.
March 18, 1858–tf.

LUMBER FOR SALE.—60,000 Shingles 50,000 Lathes, and all kinds of BUILDING MATERIAL lower than the lowest, for Cash. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER.

SELECT SCHOOL.—The Spring Term of Mrs. M. E. KING'S SELECT SCHOOL, will open in West Ward, on MONDAY, March 29th, 1858.
TERMS.—From $2½ to $5 a scholar, Payable semi-quarterly. [March 18-3t

HOLLIDAYSBURG WALL PAPER DEPOT.—J. M. HEWIT invites persons wishing to purchase PAPER HANGINGS to call and examine his new stock, which he gets direct from the Manufacturers, thus saving one profit for passing through second hands.
Prices reduced to suit the times.
March 18, 1858–3t.

WEST BRANCH INSURANCE CO.—The undersigned, Agent for Blair county, will take short and long risks on Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and Property of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State.—Risks also taken on the lives of horses. Office in Masonic Temple. JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agent.*
March 18, 1858–1y.

NOTICE.—A meeting of the members of the Western Industrial Colony will be held in the Masonic Temple, on Thursday evening, March 25th, at 7 o'clock, for the permanent organization of the same. All who have already signed or are desirous of signing the Constitution are invited to attend. Those who wish to secure for themselves a home in the far West, with the prospect of speedily making a fortune, should join this Colony, as its principles are, Mutual Protection, Encouragement and Assistance, and its motto is "In union there is strength."
March 18-2t.

H. FETTINGER'S GREAT CENTRAL LITERARY EMPORIUM, NO. 1, "ALTOONA HOUSE," ALTOONA, PA.—Where may be had all the popular Publications of the day, such as Daily and Weekly Papers, Magazines, Novels and Romances, Miscellaneous Books, School Books, Copy Books, Slates, Pens, Pencils, Inks, Cap and Letter Paper, Envelopes, Drawing and Tissue Paper, Blank Books and in fact everything in the Stationary line. Toys, Notions and Games of every variety, Pictures and Picture Frames, Tobacco and Segars of the best quality, &c., &c

N. B.—We are sole Wholesale and Retail Agent, in this county, for ROHN'S CELEBRATED SALVE. It does positively cure all sores to which it is applied. Try it. [1-tf.

GREAT DISCOVERY OF THE AGE IMPORTANT TO TOBACCO CHEWERS.

DR. GUSTAV LINNARD'S TASTE RESTORATIVE TROCHES, *the great Substitute for Tobacco.*

It is a well known and incontrovertable fact that the use of Tobacco is the promoting cause of many of the most severe.

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to which the race of man is subject, as careful analysis and long and painful experience have clearly proven that it contains certain narcotic and poisonous properties most dangerous in their effects, which by entering into the blood derange the functions and operations of the Heart, causing many to suppose that organ to be seriously diseased.

TOBACCO affects also the entire nervous system, manifesting itself—as all who have ever used the noxious weed will bear testimony—in Lassitude, Nervous Irritability, Water Brash, Dyspepsia, and many other disorders of a similar character.

THE TASTE RESTORATIVE TROCHES

Are designed to counteract these baneful influences, and have proved completely successful in a multitude of cases, and wherever used. Being harmless in themselves they exert a beneficial effect upon the entire system, restoring the Taste which has become vitiated or destroyed by great indulgence, completely removing the irritation and accompanying tickling sensation of the Throat—which are always consequent upon abstaining from the use of Tobacco, and by giving a healthy tone to the Stomach, invigorate the whole system.

Persons who are irretrievably undermining their constitutions and shortening their lives, should use these Trochees immediately and throw off the injurious and and unpleasant habit of Tobacco Chewing.

These Troches of Lozenges are put up in a convenient and portable form at the low price of 50 Cents per Box. A liberal discount to the Trade.

Prepared solely by the undersigned to whom all orders should be addressed.

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