RAND DISPLAY
AT THE
MODEL.
UNDERSIGNED HAVE THE
ure of announcing to their friends and custom-
ns the public at large that they are now re-
LL STOCK OF GOODS,
been selected with care and bought at prices
enable us to offer inducements to purchasers.
HES' DRESS GOODS
ed varied, including all the newest styles of
ns, Delaines, Joplins, Fulvurias, Plain and
ed, Black and Fancy Silks, &c. Also, Shawls,
d Cloth Dusters, which have been brought very
l be sold at a small advance.
OR THE GENTS,
Black and Fancy Cassimeres, Satinetts, Jeans,
, one stock of FLANNELS and DOMESTICS
sisting of Muslins, Tickings, Denhams, Drill-
Blankets and Comforts, &c.
o a fine stock of
CERIES, HARDWARE
are, Wooden & Willow Ware,
OOTS & SHOES,
Goods, Gloves and Hosiery, and Notions of all
wish to call especial attention to our large
Wool Filling, List and Rag Carpets,
ction, and which we can offer at prices that
petitors.
s for sale by Wholesale at City prices with
freight added.
Country Produce taken at the highest mar-
e respectfully invite all persons in want of
Good GOODS, to call and be convinced that we
Stock at Model Prices.
J. & J. LOWTHER.
ct. 13, '59.
UST OPENED
A STOCK OF
rely New Goods.
R. A. O. KERR
LD INFORM THE GOOD
ds of Altoona, the surrounding country, and
ankind," that he has just returned from the
e stock of NEW GOODS, which he offers
prices, at the stand formerly occupied by
ly by W. O'Neill, on Main street. His
any one in town which is
NTIRELY NEW,
himself that he has something to please the
ity, and suit the wants of every gentleman.
necessary to enumerate all the articles on
to do so would require a whole newspaper,)
that he has everything in the line of
ES' DRESS GOODS
dian calls for, and all just suited to the
with a well selected assortment of House
ds, such as Carpets, Window Blinds, Shades,
commend themselves.
GENTLEMEN,
variety—from which they can not fail to
ctory selection. He has also a tip-top as-
GROCERIES, as good, fresh
be had this side
growing or man-
HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, and eve-
y to complete a store in a thriving town
that the people call and examine his stock,
all times take pleasure in showing, and
that he can send them away rejoicing, if
ase of just such an article as they wanted,
nce of having looked upon the handsom-
ever exhibited in the town.
20, 1859.
EAT OPENING
OF
G AND SUMMER
OODS.
NTLEMAN HAS JUST RE-
and opened at his old stand, on Virginia st.,
active assortment of seasonable goods, com-
novelties in
ES,
CHINTZES,
LAWNS,
GINGHAMS,
LACES, HOSIERY & GLOVES,
EMBROIDERIES,
varieties and textures of
N'S GOODS,
full assortment of goods for gentlemen's
ishes, Cassimeres and Vestings.
Stock of Hardware, Queensware and
GROCERIES,
ment of
S, SHOES, GAITORS, &C.,
styles, which equal to any in the market,
at fair prices.
fully enlarged my store-room, I can now
my increased stock to better advantage.
ectfully invite everybody to call.
HT REASONS
WHY
BODY SHOULD GO TO
SINK'S STORE.
AS A LARGE AND WELL
tment of Dry Goods, which are worth
unequalled stock of GROCERIES, fresh
will sell as reasonable as any merchant
ware, Queensware, Stoneware, &c., at the
ock of Boots and Shoes for Gents, La-
Children, embracing all sizes, qualities
stock of HATS for Summer wear—just
ashion—all very cheap.
ays on hand an assortment of Ready-
suit the season.
and a large stok of Cloths, Cassimeres and
will make up to order on short notice
style, and at prices which must give satis-
all people to come and buy—only to come
stock, feeling confident that if they but
will buy without asking.
, 1859.-tf
OUT FOR YOUR HEAD!
es the following advice to young men on
hatter, just mind what your at;
ur head and take care of your HAT;
that a favorite son of your mother,
in the one and a brick in the other.
hats and heads—the subscriber would
ence that he has just returned from the
and well selected stock of Men and Boys'
OF
ALL
STYLES,
ALL AND WINTER,
and shape. Also, a good assortment of
S AND MISSES FURS,
rieties, all of which will be sold
HEAP FOR CASH.
ort of anything in the above line, will
well before purchasing elsewhere, as I am
at the very lowest possible prices.
n street, opposite the Lutheran church.
28, 1859-tf. JESSE SMITH.
AND LOT FOR SALE.—
ber offers at Private Sale
F now occupied by him,
Adaline and Julia streets,
House is a good Two-
ding, containing a Hall,
om and Kitchen on the
d sleeping rooms on the second floor, &
The lot is in good order.
y to view the premises and obtain further
call upon the subscriber.
MARGT. M. McCRUM.
11th, 1859-tf.
ATED FUR CHEST PRO-
A SAFE SHIELD AGAINST THOSE
nchitis, Coughs, Colds, and other affec-
which arise from the exposed state of the
Weather and the continual changes of our
at the Drug Store of G. W. KESSLER.
usiness and Factories can be
fitably at Hammonton. See advertise-
on Lands.
BOUGHT AT H. TUCH'S,
& Co's Patent Shoulder Seam Fine Shirts
CLES AND EYE PRESER-
KESSLER'S.
[1-tf]

Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA MAIL SCHEDULE.

MAILS CLOSE.	
Eastern Way at	7 25 A.M.
Western "	7 25 A.M.
Hollidaysburg,	7 25 A. M. and 6 00 P.M.
Western Through,	6 00 "
Eastern Through Mail	7 30 "
MAILS OPEN.	
Eastern Through Mail,	8 20 A. M.
Western Through,	7 25 "
Western Way,	11 15 A. M.
Eastern "	7 25 P. M.
Hollidaysburg	7 30 A. M. and 6 15 "

Office open for the transaction of business from 6.30 A M. to 8.30 P. M., during the week, and from 8.00 to 9.00 o'clock, on Sunday.

June 4, '57-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

Express Train East arrives	9.22 P. M.,	leaves	9.40 P. M.
" " West "	8.20 A. M.	"	8.40 A. M.
Fast " East "	7.40 A. M.	"	8.00 A. M.
" " West "	6.45 P. M.,	"	9.05 P. M.
Mail " East "	11.15 A. M.	"	11.35 A. M.
" " West "	7.25 P. M.,	"	7.45 P. M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with Express Train East and West, with Mail Train East and West, and with Local Freight Eastward and Westward.

The BLAIRSVILLE BRANCH connects with Johnstown Accy Train East and West, Express Train West and Mail Train East.

November 29, 1858. THOS. A. SCOTT, Sup't.

LOCAL ITEMS.

INTRODUCTION OF GAS AND WATER INTO ALTOONA.—It is said by those who have supervision of the Gas Works, that gas will be manufactured and ready for burning and water ready to be supplied in our progressive town, some time during the first week in December. That this will be *one* of the grandest additions to our *town, ever* received, all will freely acknowledge, and in the scale of modern improvement will place us in advance of everything outside of the cities. Our business places will no longer emit the dim light of tallow candles and oil lamps, but send out a stream of bright, clear and welcome gas light.

Since the addition is of so much magnitude, would it not be well to introduce the grand affair by appropriate ceremonies. We have in our town a Lodge of Free Masons, Chapter, Council and Commandery, two Lodges of Odd Fellows, an Order of the I. O. of Red Men, a Division of Sons of Temperance, two Camps of the Junior Sons of America, two Military Companies and an excellent Band, a Fire Company and apparatus which is a credit to any place, six Public Schools, and other Associations. A grand parade of all these Lodges, Orders, Companies and Schools, would be one of the most magnificent sights ever seen outside of any of our cities, and we think all would unite in it; at least so far as we have been able to ascertain, everybody is in favor of it; and as such a demonstration without a speech would not be finished, we have those in our midst who could get up a nice little addres on the rise and progress of Altoona, which would make all feel happy and proud. And to climax the whole we would have a grand torch light procession and general illumination in the evening—those who have gas illuminate with it, and those who have not, illuminating with candles, lamps, or whatever they may see fit.

That Altoona is one of the most enterprising towns on the continent, all who have ever visited it will acknowledge. That we have the material to get up one of the grandest celebrations, no one will doubt, and we know that there is spirit enough in the people of this place to prevent it being a failure if it be once determined upon. All that is wanted is a start, and we will have it. Let arrangements be entered into at once—have a meeting of the citizens' called for Saturday evening next—have suitable committees appointed to perfect the affair and everything will go off with a hurrah.

Our Firemen want a chance to show themselves and their handsome machine, our military want an opportunity to turn out in their might, our associations of different kinds want an opportunity to show themselves, and the children, the hope of our country, want a holiday. Therefore, let the celebration come off. If this suggestion be entered into with spirit it will be all we have pictured it, and the archives of Altoona will contain the history of an inauguration of modern improvements which will be referred to in after ages with pride and pleasure; and that our neigboring towns will read an account of which will strike them with astonishment. Remember the first week in December.

ANOTHER TRIAL.—At four o'clock, on Saturday afternoon last, the Citizens' Fire Co., brought out their superb engine for another trial and perfecting themselves in working the machine. It was first worked at the crossing of Virginia and Annie streets and rendered entire satisfaction. Other trials in different parts of the town were equally successful, and fully satisfied all that in the engine and the company that worked it, they had a valuable safeguard in case of a visit from that destroying element —fire. Well may the Citizen boys feel proud of their machine—both as to its appearance and work—for certainly there is not a more handsome one in the country, nor one that can excel it in throwing water when it is properly worked. As a matter of course, the boys require a little more practice before they can make the machine do her best; but if they continue to run her out once a week, or more if required, they will soon learn all the "ropes." When the Company again calls upon our citizens for material aid, we feel confident that they can not refuse to contribute, because all must feel an interest in keeping up the company and perfecting all appurtenances which would contribute to her efficiency in case of fire. The attention of the members of the company is respectfully directed to a communication in another column, which certainly contains some very good suggestions.

THE MEETING.—The Protracted Meeting is still in progress in the Methodist Church, and we are happy to state with greatly increased interest and success. A number have lately came forward as "seekers," some of whom have found the "pearl of great price." The meeting having been kept up nightly for four weeks, many of those who have participated therein are much wearied and would be glad to receive assistance from other charges. We hope they may receive it, and that many who are now "halting between two opinions" may speedily choose "the better part," and the meeting be thus kept up yet another four weeks, or longer.

☞ It gives us great pleasure to copy the following notice of a heroic act, performed by one of our townsman, which we find in the *Standard*. Such coolness and presence of mind is worthy the highest praise:—

THRILLING INCIDENT.—HEROIC ACT.—Our readers will doubtless recollect reading a thrilling incident, published by us some time since, of an engineer, upon some western rail road, having crawled down upon the cow catcher of the engine and saving a child, which was playing upon the road, from destruction by throwing it off the track.

We are informed that an almost precisely similar incident occurred on the Pennsylvania Railroad on Friday last. As one of the freight trains east rounded a sharp curve, near Barree Siding, the engineer saw a small-child sitting in the middle of the track, playing, unconscious of its danger. He instantly whistled down brakes and reversed his engine, but the weight of the train and the high speed at which it was running, rendered it impossible to stop before reaching the child, which must inevitably have been crushed to death. In this emergency, when most man would have stood paralyzed with horror, the conductor of the train, Daniel McCoy, with a bravery and steadiness of nerve that has few parallels, ran to the front of the engine, crawled down on the cow-catcher, and, holding himself with one hand, leaned as far forward as possible, and as he approached the child, with a sweeping blow of the other he threw it off the track. It was the work of an instant, and required a steady hand and cool head to accomplish it, but he was equal to the emergency.

The train was immediately stopped, and on going back the child was found lying at the foot of a small embankment, some twenty or thirty feet from the track of the road, alive and kicking, but somewhat stunned and bruised. The child belonged to a farmer named Neff, residing immediately along the road. As may well be supposed, the parents were profuse in their expressions of gratitude to the noble hearted conductor, but for whom their child would have been carried to its home a shapeless mass of flesh and bones. All honor to Conductor McCoy —compared with whose disinterested act of heroism, the boasted feats of warriors sink into insignificance.

MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE.—We copy with reluctance the following item from the Pittsburgh *True Press*, of Wednesday last. Fain would we console ourselves with the belief that the surmises may prove incorrect, but alas, the plot continues to thicken, circumstances connected therewith pointing almost unerringly to the conclusion arrived at by the writer of the item.—Mr. Keesey was well known to many of the citizens of this place, and enjoyed the confidence of all who became intimate with him. The news of his fall, (if it really proves to be as surmised) astonished every one:—

Rev. T. L. Keesey, minister of the Curch of the United Brethren in Christ, residing in Greensburg, Westmoreland county, Pa., having a wife and five children, left home on the 29th of October, to fill an appointment for Rev. B. Dick, in Altoona, on the following Sabbath.—He also intended to stop on his way in Johnstown several days. On inquiry it was ascertained that he had not been at either place, nor can any traces of his whereabouts be ascertained. Mr Keesey is an able and popular preacher —happy in his family relations—no man was more prudent and circumspect in his deportment, a most kind and affectionate husband and father. For some days before he left, he appeared to be gloomy and in deep trouble.—Simultaneous with his leaving home, a very handsome and fascinating young grass widow, also disappeared in a mysterious manner. The disappearance of the grass widow on the same day that Mr. Keesey left, has thrown a dark cloud around the circumstance and filled the hearts of his wife and friends with the deepest anguish. We hope, however, that a few days will explain the matter in such a manner as to relieve the character of the reverend gentleman from suspicions that now surround him, and restore him to that high position in the affections of his congregation, that he has hitherto occupied. Any information concerning him will be gladly received by his wife, Margaret Ann Keesey, Greensburg, Pa.

Messrs. Editors:—I am not entirely responsible for the torturing of "cat-gut" and "horse-hair" alluded to in one of your "pen and scissors" items of last week, as having occurred across the street, at the Book and Music-store. Some of the musical amateurs and performers on the violin, belonging to the borough, with the view, no doubt, of giving me a demonstration of their valor in the use of cat-gut and horse-hair, paid me a visit with their instruments, one or two evenings last week, and although it is the exception rather than the rule, in my store, to have much music until after business hours, in this instance, without giving offensive, a musical *bravura* was unavoidable.

If, however, at any future time, being immediately under the eye of your sanctum, in the trial of music or instruments, I should happen to send up a strain, please excuse

BOOKSELLER.

Altoona, Nov. 8th, 1859.

Hold on now, Mr. Bookseller, no excuses whatever. We are partial to the dulcet strains artistically extracted from feline intestines by the vigorous application of elastic filaments from the "narrative" of a valuable quadruped, and very much regret that your rule will not admit of a daily repetition of the harmonical sounds to which we so vulgarly alluded last week.

HANDSOME SHAWLS.—Every lady we know likes to sport a handsome shawl. You need not attempt to deny it, ladies; and we intend to tell you where you can find as pretty an assortment of the article as can be found this side of Philadelphia, and that is just beneath us in the "Model" store of Messrs J. & J. Lowther.—Ask any one who has examined their stock, and you will be told that they are magnificent articles, and more than that they are cheap for the quality. Call and see the shawls, ladies.

P. S. A fresh invoice of those handsome Cloaks, Raglan's, &c., have just been received, and we urge the ladies to call immediately and examine them.

LUTHERAN COLONY.—We understand that arrangements are being made to organize a Lutheran Coleny, to emigrate to Missouri. G. W. Patton and Dr. D. R. Good, of this place, are the originators of the project. Persons wishing to unite on such an enterprise, or desiring information can confer with them until arrangements are more fully matured.

The object in attempting to organize a denominational Colony is to secure church privileges at once. It is not designed however to be exclusively sectarian.

THANKS.—Our thanks are due Capt. Cramer, the "Model Conductor" and member of Van Tries' Cornet Band, for complimentary tickets to the Band Concert, given in Hollidaysburg, on Friday evening last. We are sorry that we could not be in attendance, as we have since learned that it was one of the best concerts ever given in the country.

AN IDEA THAT MAY BE PROFITED BY.—We have often thought of writing an article similar to the one copied below, suggested to us in the same manner it was to the editor of the *Journal*; but now that our ideas have been so fully expressed we copy the article and ask for it a thoughtful perusal.

A gentleman called on us a few days since and subscribed for our paper, to be sent to a friend in a distant State, saying that it saved him writing letters, and would apprise his friend of what was going on in this quarter better than he could tell him if he should write; besides, he would save, in postage stamps and paper, in a year, more than the subscription would amount to. That was a sensible and philosophical man, but we know of scores who have done the very same thing, though they have not given us the reason in the same language. What better present can be made to a friend who has gone to another part of the country, than a newspaper published in the vicinity he has left? In it he will seek every week familiar things. The marriages and deaths will be looked for with deepest interest, while all the local news of his town or county will possess a charm that he never knew before. It will be like talking with an old friend, every time he takes up the paper. Still more, it will keep alive in him a warm remembrance of those he has left behind—a remembrance of friendly faces, of kind neighbors and scenes hallowed by associations the most dear of all that have been experienced in life. He will laugh over comical occurrences recorded of his neighbors, take a deep interest in their cattle shows, their Fourth of July celebrations, and all their public ceremonies. He will also rejoice over the list of marriages, and weep over the obituary of some old acquaintance. We know of nothing which can give more satisfaction to an absent friend than a home newspaper! and to every one who wishes to keep distant friends or relations posted up concerning home matters, and at the same time save time and money that would be spent in writing letters, we recommend the idea suggested above.—*Palmer Journal.*

PA. CENTRAL R. R.—The editor of the Mercer *Dispatch*, who has had occasion to travel over the Penn'a Central Rail Road, makes the following mention thereof, in his last issue. No other road in the country receives so many and highly complimentary testimonials as the P. R. R. The *Dispatch* says:—

Having just returned from a trip over this road, we can add our testimony to that of all who travel on it, that it is one of the best, if not the very best, managed road in the country.—When a person starts on this road, he feels confident of arriving at the end of his journey in safety, and well conditioned; not so with other roads, where mishaps and break-downs are of common occurrence. We have heard it said that no traveller has yet been killed on a regular train on this road, although in a few instances the employees have. The same, probably, cannot be said of any other road in the Union, at least not of the same length. To all going eastward, we say, be sure you take the Pennsylvania Central.

DUFF'S MERCANTILE COLLEGE, IRON BUILDINGS, FIFTH STREET, PITTSBURGH.—The splendid new hall of this institution is in every way worthy of its long established reputation.—Duff's system of Book-keeping as here taught by its author, has long had the unanimous commendation of his numerous students' of the American institute and chamber of commerce of New York, with four first premium silver medals from state fairs; silver plate and first premium diplomas from a number of state fairs, and the United States fair, with the first premium for best business penmanship by the last Ohio state fair, over nearly all the best penmen of the west, is a decisive verdict upon the superiority of the writing department of the institution. No institution of the kind in the country offers the commercial student the combined advantages of such teachers of book-keeping and penmanship.

☞ Harry Gray, that prince of Railroad Conductors, dropped into our sanctum on Wednesday afternoon last, and gave us the shake of a hand which every man grasps in friendship, for we think Harry has as many, if not more friends and fewer enemies than any man we know of. He stands the racket of a railroad conductor's life remarkably well, and is in a very good humor in consequence of the fine run he will have after Monday next. His train will be a favorite to travellers from this point. Success to Harry and the Fast Line.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.—The winter arrangement of running the passenger trains on the Pa. R. R. has been perfected and the schedules are out. An arrangement which would have better suited the citizen's of this place could not have been made. By it, all the trains arrive at this place at meal hours, consequently the "Logan House" will hereafter serve up six meals per day to passengers. For time of arrival and departure of trains and mails from this station, see schedule at the head of Local column.

THANKSGIVING.—At a meeting of the ministers of the different churches in Altoona, the following arrangement for religious services, on Thanksgiving day, were made:—A union meeting in the Lutheran Church, at 10½ o'clock A. M., when a sermon will be delivered by Rev. Sembower. A meeting for the benefit of the children will be held in the Presbyterian Church, at 2½ o'clock, P. M., at which short addresses will be delivered by the pastors of the different churches.

RETURNED.—We have heretofore neglected to notice the return of our young friend, Lige Taylor, who has been rusticating among the lasses down the road for the last month. He looks as though the trip had agreed with him, and he feels better prepared to serve up those delicious Cove Plant Oysters, a good supply of which he always keeps on hand at his saloon, next door to the Bank. Bob in and see him, all ye hungry.

☞ We notice that the "Great Southern" train between this place and Hollidaysburg is now under the charge of the handsome and agreeable conductor, Capt. Franks,—the "model" conductor, Capt. Cramer, being off on a visit to the City of Brotherly Love and other seaport towns. The countenance of Capt. F. is always welcome, as a conductor, to all who have occasion to travel by railroad.

COTILLON PARTY.—Tickets are out for a grand cotillon party at Stahl's Hotel, in this place, this (Friday evening.) Under the supervision of such a capital fellow as Alex. Vaughn, who will act as floor manager, the party can not be other than pleasant to those who enjoy such amusement.

For the Tribune.

The Fire Company

When the new Fire Engine was brought out for exhibition and trial on Saturday week, drawn by some 85 young men, clad in white shirts, black pants and glazed caps, with faces betokening happy hearts, no doubt from the consciousness that they would now be able, by its aid, to render material service in subduing the ravages of fire and thus add to the security of property and their neighbors happiness. I thought, as they passed me, these are noble fellows, willing to sacrifice time and risk life for the benefit of their fellow men, and will not fall into the many vices so common among firemen in our large cities, but will be an ornament to our town. An hour or two passes, and they have gone over our principal streets, and the machine is brought into service in front of the Presbyterian Church, for trial. She performed well, no doubt to the satisfaction of all. But what means this? Two of the firemen are walking rapidly towards the "Altoona House," and down they slip into the bar-room. In a few minutes they come out again, giving their mouths an omnious wipe, and return to the engine. This, thought I, is a beginning of Firemen's habits. After several trials in front of the church, the engine was taken in front of the "Logan House," and another trial made, after which she was housed. What now follows? I am sorry to say that these same persons who promised so fair at the beginning, to the number of 20 or more, are seen going into the aforementioned bar-room to partake of that which will create within a fire that cannot be quenched by water, and all the fire engines in the universe are not able to extinguish. Young men beware how you begin the fireman's life! you are exposed to dangers you know not of. Let no temptation draw you from the paths of sobriety and virtue. Surely it does not follow that because you are firemen that you must be a debauchee also? that because you are resolved to save your neighbor's property from the ravages of fire, you must partake of the intoxicating cup that will, in the end, consume your very bodies and sink them down to a drunkard's grave, and doom your souls to a world of endless woe? By no means. You are men, and as such at once resolve no more to follow in the steps of too many of your brother firemen of our large cities. Come boldly out and make your company one noted for the steady habits of its members and its usefulness to society.—Then those who have assisted you in procuring your fire apparatus will assist you again, if needs be. But on the contrary, if intemperance and rowdyism should follow this investment, be assured they will not be so ready to lend a helping hand in the future. Thus your usefullness may be destroyed and the good you may otherwise accomplish will be lost. That these remarks may have the effect to cause a watchfulness on the part of all the members of the "Citizens Fire Company," is the desire of a

WELL-WISHER.

CHANGED HANDS.—Scarcely had own paper of last week, containing a notice of the proprietor of the grocery, two doors below us, been circulated, ere the grocery passed into the hands of Geo. W. Cunningham, who now stands behind the counter, ready to wait on all who may give him a call, in the line of confectionaries, cakes, pies, fruit, nuts, oysters, potatoes, &c., all of which he will keep constantly on hand.—Drop in and make your bow to George.

☞ Rev. S. Creighton, will deliver a Sunday School sermon, in the Methodist Church, on Sunday morning next, after which a collection for the benefit of the Sunday School connected with the church will be taken up. All who feel an interest in this appropriately styled "nursery of the church" are expected to be present.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders that the sixth instalment on the Capital Stock of the Altoona Gas and Water Company, will be due and made payable at the Banking House of Wm. M. Lloyd & Co., on Wednesday, November 16th, 1859.

BENJ. F. ROSE, *Sec'y.*

November, 30th, 1859.

LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE

HOLLIDAYSBURG, Nov. 8, 1859.

MESSRS EDITORS:—On Friday evening last we had the pleasure of attending the Concert given by the Van Tries' Cornet Band, at the Court House, in this place. The performance was emphatically good: manifesting an improvement seldom, if ever, made before by any Band in the State, in so short a time. The audience though not as large as was expected, (from the amount of tickets sold,) was respectable and appreciative; and all left the Court House fully satisfied that Van Tries' Band cannot be greatly excelled. Great credit is due to Mr. J. P. Rowbotham their teacher, as an instructor, and a musician.

On the following evening we enjoyed another exquisite musical pleasure. Miss Kate Dean, the American Prima Donna gave a Concert in the Court House. Miss Dean possesses a pure soprano voice, of great compass, and bids fair to rank among the best of our Native Concert singers.

The "Camp Meeting" in the methodist church, still progresses, and will no doubt continue the entire week. Services are held daily, after the fashion of Camp Meetings, and some good has been done. We hope the meeting will result in the saving of many souls, and the glory of the God over all. W.

No. 1. Literary Emporium Still Ahead!

H. Fettinger begs leave to announce to his numerous patrons and the public generally, that he is now closing out the balance of his stock of fancy and staple articles *below cost*, in order to make room for his immense new stock of toys, notions and fancy articles which he will have on hand for the Holidays. He now offers a rare chance for bargains.

N. B. Also, a large stock of school books selling at cost. Call and be convinced.

☞ "Don't fail to see Sixth Annual Announcement," and brilliant offers, in another column.

LYON'S
Pure Ohio Catawba Brandy.
THE UNIVERSAL PREFERENCE
which is given to this brand shows that it is the only pure Brandy for medicinal purposes known, which is fully corroborated by all practicing physicians who have used it in their practice.

For Summer Complaints with Children, a cure is guaranteed or the money will be refunded, as it will effectually relieve that affliction, as well as Diarrhœa and Bowel Complaint.

As a beverage, the pure article is altogether superior, and a sovereign and sure remedy for Dyspepsia, Flatulency, Cramp, Colic, Languor, Low Spirits, General Debility, Nervousness, Liver Complaint, etc.

Physicians, who have used it in their practice, speak of it in the most flattering terms, as will be seen by reference to the numerous letters and certificates.

A. HART & CO., Proprietors, Cincinnati.
A. ROUSH,
Sole Wholesale and Retail Agent for Blair county.
Nov. 10, 1859.

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