

Altoona Tribune

ALTOONA MAIL SCHEDULE. MAILS CLOSE. 7:15 A.M. ...

RAILROAD SCHEDULE. Train East arrives 9:20 P.M. ...

LOCAL ITEMS. ODDEN DEATH.—On Sunday evening last, citizens were startled by the report that ...

MONSIEUR CHOIS SINGING.—A correspondent of a religious paper, who urges the necessity of ...

RAILROAD WATCHMAN KILLED.—Foot Play ...

COL. THOMAS A. SCOTT.—The Harrisburg ...

HIGH RAILROAD BRIDGES.—From the report ...

CHILD SCALDED.—Yesterday (Wednesday) ...

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mr. Samuel Miller, a farmer ...

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.—The property known as ...

BEAUMANS' POCO METALIC PAINT.—Equal to red lead and 75 per cent ...

FOR GRADING AND STAINING EQUAL TO TURKISH ...

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WITNESS IN COURT.—Of all unfortunate people in this world, none are more entitled to sympathy and commiseration than those whose circumstances oblige to appear upon the witness stand in Court. We will here draw a picture, of the pleasure of being a witness. You are called to the stand and place your hand upon a copy of the Scriptures in sheepskin binding. You are then arraigned before two legal gentlemen, one of whom smiles at you blandly because you are on his side, the other eyeing you savagely for the opposite reason. The gentleman who smiles proceeds to pump you of all you know, and having squeezed all he wants out of you, relentlessly hands you over to the other, who proceeds to show you that you are entirely mistaken in all your suppositions; that you never saw anything you have sworn to; that you never saw the defendant in your life; in short, that you have committed direct perjury. He wants to know if you have ever been in State prison, and takes your denial with the air of a man who thinks you ought to have been there. Asks you all the questions over again in different ways, and tells you with an awe-inspiring severity to be careful what you say. He wants to know if he understood you to say so and so, and wants to know whether you meant something else. Having belittled and scared you out of your wits, and convulsed you in the eyes of the jury of perjury, he lets you go. By and by, everybody you have fallen out with is put on the stand, to swear that you are the biggest scoundrel they ever knew, and not to be believed under oath. Then the opposing counsel, in summing up, paints your moral photograph to the jury, as a character fit to be handed down to all time as the type of infamy; as a man who had conspired against innocence and virtue, and stood convicted of the attempt. The Judge, in his charge, tells the jury if they believe your testimony, &c., &c., indicating that there is even a judicial doubt of your veracity, and you go home to your wife and family, neighbors and acquaintances, a suspected man, all because of your accidental presence on an unfortunate occasion. Who would be a witness?

THE POZO METALIC PAINT advertised in our columns to-day, charms the attention of builders and painters, and in fact everybody owning property that can be beautified and preserved by painting. The cheapness, durability and superiority claimed for this paint makes an investigation of its merits a matter of great importance, and we trust that some of our enterprising business men will make the examination and if so meritorious an article, benefit our community by its immediate introduction. Mr. Houpt desires an agent in every town.

AS THE time for gardening will soon be on hand, it would be well for our horticultural friends to look around for good and reliable seeds. We have noticed a large assortment of Landreth's Philadelphia Garden Seeds at the Drug Store of A. Roush, lately brought from the city, and we would recommend to all, who are in need of any, to buy of him in preference to buying worthless trash which is huckstered through the country.

MERCHANTS visiting Philadelphia, will find the largest Carpet Warehouse, and the largest and best stock of goods in the Carpet line, at No. 509, Chestnut st. Messrs. McCullum & Co., Proprietors, possessing great facilities for manufacturing and importing extensively, feel assured that they can offer inducements to purchasers. See their card in another column, and make a note of it.

THE lecture of Miss Louise E. Vickroy, on the "Poetry and Poets of America," delivered in Lowthers' Hall, on Thursday evening last, was well attended. Not having been present we can not speak of its merits.

PHYSIC SHOULD BE CHEAP.—We notice that three young men of this county have graduated at different medical colleges during the past winter, and are now prepared to hang out their shingles.

THE celebrated and successful Oculist and Aurist, Dr. Jones, from Jones' Eye and Ear Infirmary, 147, Fourth Avenue, N. Y., has been prevailed upon to make a professional visit to the principal places in this State in order to bring his skill within the reach of thousands who could not otherwise avail themselves of it. Dr. J. is the most scientific Oculist in America; he has had the benefit of a thorough medical education, having attended the best Colleges and Institutes in this country and Europe; he treats for all the diseases and deformities that the Eye and Ear are subject to. He straightens cross eyes, removes Cataracts, specks, and tumors from the Eye, cures deafness, noise in the head, and discharges from the Ear, no matter from what cause. Dr. J. performs all kinds of Surgical operations successfully, and has the advantage of all the late improvements in this department of science. He is prepared to treat and cure any disease that is curable. Dr. J. will be at the Logan House, Altoona, on Thursday, the 21st inst., and will remain until the 28th. Those afflicted should call on him.

HAVE YOU BOOKS TO BURN?—Many of our citizens we know take papers and magazines which are valuable, and would make handsome volumes if bound; and we believe that many would have such magazines and papers bound up if they could get it done without much expense or trouble. We have to say that F. L. Hutter, book-binder, at Harrisburg, by the way, one of the best binders in the country, has appointed us his Agents in this place. We will receive newspapers, magazines and books and forward them to him, and when finished they will be returned to us for delivery to their owners. This arrangement will save our citizens all trouble in the matter save the handling over of their documents to us. We are prepared to give information as to the different prices and styles of binding, &c. Bring along your documents.

INFORMATION.—If you want to stop taking a paper, don't write "refused" on the margin and send it back, but "step up to the Captain's office and settle like a man," and tell the publisher to strike your name from the list. You have a right to stop at any time, but you should first pay what you owe. That's the manly and the honest way to do the thing.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mr. Samuel Miller, a farmer in Barre township, attended the Spring Election in Saubaug, on Friday last, in apparent good health and while in conversation with some gentlemen, fell to the floor, dead. Mr. Miller was about 28 years of age, a younger brother of Gruffus and John S. of this place. Mont. Globe.

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.—The property known as the Greening School Property, situated in North Ward, adjoining lots of Wm. Dent and W. A. B. Lamb, is, in accordance with a resolution of the School Board, offered at Private Sale. This is a desirable property, being two full lots of ground and a two-story frame house. It is well situated and can be made to accommodate two families. For further particulars inquire of Geo. B. Cramer, Wm. Boyden or John Shoemaker, School Directors. GEO. B. CRAMER, March 21, 1861-1m. First Altoona School Board.

BEAUMANS' POCO METALIC PAINT.—Equal to red lead and 75 per cent cheaper—stands 200 degrees heat—warranted water proof and will neither fade nor wash. For STEAM BOILERS AND PIPES, GAS HOLDERS, IRON AND DRINK FRONTS, TIN ROOFS, HOUSES, BARN ROOFS, WAGON SLEEPS, SHIP DECKS, PLUMBERS JOINTS, IRON FOUNDRIES PATENTERS, &c. &c. For graining and staining equal to Turkish Amber. COLORS are Umber, Brown Lake, Olive, Indian Red and Black. One responsible agent wanted in every town and county of the United States. For particulars apply to Geo. B. Cramer, & Co., Altoona, Pa., or to Geo. B. Cramer, & Co., March 21, 1861-1m. No. 102 N. 4th street, Philadelphia.

WHEELER & WILSON'S SEWING MACHINES.

R. A. O. KERR, ALTOONA, PA., Agent for Blair County. SINGMASTER

THESE MACHINES ARE ADMITTED to be the best ever offered to the public, and their superiority is satisfactorily established by the fact that in the last eight years...

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STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

For Labor on streets in month of March... \$84 00

For Labor on streets in month of April... 81 00

For Labor on streets in month of May... 87 00

For Labor on streets in month of June... 168 00

For Labor on streets in month of July... 172 00

For Labor on streets in month of August... 102 25

For Labor on streets in month of September... 72 00

For Labor on streets in month of October... 108 00

For Labor on streets in month of November... 64 00

For Labor on streets in month of December... 168 00

For Labor on streets in month of January... 102 00

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MEDICAL AND CHEMICAL REFORM.

ADVICE FREE. New York Benevolent Infirmary, ESTABLISHED 1850.

And devoted to the Cause of Medical Reform, to the Diffusion of Medical Knowledge, to the Relief of the Suffering, and to the Relief of the Destitute and Afflicted with Chronic and Violent Disorders.

THE FOLLOWING are some of the diseases we cure, not only at the Infirmary but in all parts of our country: Consumption and Pulmonary Complaints, Fevers, Scrophulous, Rheumatism, Erysipelas, Cancer, and other Tumors, Amnesia and Liver Complaints, Seminal Weakness, and all diseases of the Urinary and Sexual Organs, whatever cause or whatever nature. Our object will be to give joy to the afflicted by effecting all cases, excepting those which are incurable, and to relieve the suffering through thousands and tens of thousands annually.

THESE REMEDIES are prepared in our own Laboratory, known to select Physicians, and are the most reliable and successful ever published, including all the recent discoveries. To all addressing us by letter, containing full account of symptoms, appearance of disease, age, occupation, &c., we will write a candid reply, with advice and directions for cure. Any fee sent by mail or express is desired. Send for our list of medicines, works and pamphlets, free of charge. Also published at the Infirmary, to aid those who are afflicted with the above diseases. Price 25 cents.

THE FAMILY PHYSICIAN. Containing simple remedies easily obtained for the cure of Diseases in all its forms, with full explanations of the causes, symptoms, diet, bathing and all the latest and most successful Medical Advances. Price 25 cents.

THE GENTLEMAN'S MEDICAL COMPANION. A book for the old and young, embracing the Pathology, Prevention and Cure of all Diseases of the Urinary and Sexual Organs, and a valuable volume of advice and counsel, such as to be found in no other work. Price 25 cents.

THE HOUSEHOLD AND FARM. For every family, containing over 1000 receipts on Cooking, Preserving, Dyeing, Cleaning, &c. How to plant and what is the best to raise. How to cure animals, advice to housekeepers, farmers and mechanics, on 1000 subjects of interest. Price 25 cents. Worth \$10 to any one.

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CHILDREN TEETHING. Mrs. Winslow, an experienced Nurse and Female Physician, presents to the attention of mothers her SOOTHING SYRUP FOR CHILDREN TEETHING, which greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation, will allow pain and uneasiness to cease, and is sure to regulate the Bowels. Depend upon it, mothers, it will give relief to yourselves, and Relief and Health to your Infants.

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