

Local Affairs.

The Holy Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered in the Lutheran church of this place, on Sunday next, services beginning at 10 o'clock A. M.

Services preparatory will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

New Goods.—J. M. Shoemaker has just returned from the East with a new stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, &c., that cannot be surpassed in Bedford either in quality or price.

The communication of S. M. F. has been received. It is not exactly suited to our columns. We were much pleased on reading it, and would suggest to the author that he cannot spend his time to better advantage than he has suggested.

EDUCATIONAL REVIEW.—The papers in the April number are, 1, The Positive Philosophy of M. Auguste Comte; 2, Western Civilization; 3, The Monks of the West; 4, Technical and Scientific Education; 5, Rousseau's Memoirs; 6, The Irish Abolition; 7, Danton's French in 1793; 8, The Dilemma of the Future; 9, Terms, \$4 a year. Address Leonard Scott Publishing Company, 140 Fulton street, New York.

THE LONDON QUARTERLY REVIEW for April, comes to our table from the Leonard Scott Publishing Co., 140 Fulton street, New York, with the following table of contents: Lord Macaulay and his school; The Ten of Bedou, Robert South; University Reform; Remilly's Irish Publications; The Farmers Friends and Foes; The New School of Radicals; William Von Humboldt; Purchase in the Army and the Irish Church.

RASCALLY.—A scoundrel offer was made, by certain "barrow-minded" leather-heads to bring about the impression that the ceremony of decorating the soldiers' graves on last Saturday was a political affair!

A SUGGESTION.—We would suggest that the "Mrs. Surratt Nine," who made up a considerable portion of the audience at the "Kerr Hancock Fizzle" on last Saturday night, be made a "Special Committee on Appliances," and assigned to a position where they will not be an annoyance to decent folks.

AVENUE.—The Post of the G. A. R. at all places with "his" son half dozen members, all told," has become a sore of much annoyance to certain Democratic orators.

"They made a grave too cold and damp for a soul so honest and true."

LOOKOUT FOR SHAD.—The wisdom of the Legislature in passing an act authorizing the construction of dikes in the Susquehanna river and its tributaries has been most satisfactorily vindicated.

PITTSBURGH TO NEW YORK.—The distance from Pittsburgh to New York by way of the Connetquot, Sherman's Valley and Allegheny routes are as follows: Connetquot to Harrisburg, 278 miles; Harrisburg to New York, 182 miles.

LET US ILLUSTRATE THIS MATTER. Publishers are daily, almost hourly asked "to do much more in charity," and there are no five single occupations in the community which do so much to illustrate the duty of the publisher.

THE REAL ESTATE AGENCY OF Durborough & Lutz, has effected the sale of a number of tracts of land within the last few weeks.

GRATUITOUS ADVERTISING.—WHAT IS EXERCISED BY COURTESY NEWS.—Country newspapers, as a general thing, are owned by private individuals and conducted for the benefit of their proprietors, and the reciprocal effect which they produce upon those who subscribe for them. Their number is regulated by the demand, and in this respect they are like any other business in the community—the silversmith, the grocer, the merchant, the tinker, the tailor, all of which are governed by the same inexorable rule.

MEMORIAL.—Decorating the Soldiers' Graves.—Saturday last, the day previously designated for the strewing of flowers on the graves of deceased soldiers, was appropriately observed by a very respectable number of the arriving soldiers of the town and neighborhood.

THE LINE WOULD RUN FROM COWAN'S GAP to the base of the Alleghenies, a distance of about 30 miles, requiring short tunnels through the crests of Cove mountain, Siders Hill, and Mt. Pleasant.

IMPROVEMENTS.—BEDFORD LOOKING UP.—During the present Spring our town has advanced considerably in way of substantial improvements, more so than at any time during the past twenty years.

HEAVY STORM.—Struck by Lightning.—On Wednesday afternoon of last week, a heavy rain and thunder storm passed over this section. The storm commenced about three o'clock and continued with unabated fury until after six in the evening.

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