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To those having no Appetite,
To those with Broken Down Constitutions,
To Nervous People,
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To any with Debilitated Digestive Organs.
Or suffering with any of the following Symptoms, which indicate Disordered Liver or Stomach.
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PHILADELPHIA, April 28 1867.
I consider "Hoofland's German Bitters" a valuable medicine in case of attacks of Indigestion or Dyspepsia. I can certify this from my experience of it. Yours, with respect,
JAMES THOMPSON.

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The most Powerful, Yet Innocent, Vegetable Cathartic known.

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MILLINERY & FANCY GOODS.

E. PETERMAN, Millinery and Fancy Goods, opposite Episcopal Church, Main st. vl-n43

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MISS M. DERRICKSON, Millinery and Fancy Goods, Main st., below Market. vl-n4

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E. JACOBS, Confectionery, groceries etc., Main st., below Iron vl-n6

E. MENDENHALL, General Stock of Merchandise and Lumber, corner of Main street and Berwick road. vl-n43

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SAMUEL JACOBY, Marble and Brown Stone Works, East Bloomsburg, Berwick road. vl-n4

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Buck Horn.

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THE ESPY HOTEL.
ESPY, COLUMBIA COUNTY, PA.
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WILLIAM PETTIT,
Apr.23,69-tf Espy, Pa.

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ROHR M'HENRY, Proprietor.
This well known House, having been put in thorough repair, is now open to the travelling public. The bar is stocked with the choicest liquors and cigars, and the table will be, at all times, supplied with the delicacies of the season. No pains will be spared to insure the comfort of guests.
Orangeville, dec. 16,'69-tf.

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RUPERT, PA.
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This House having been put in thorough repair is now open for the reception of guests. No pains will be spared to ensure the perfect comfort of the travelers. The Proprietor solicits a share of public patronage. The bar will be stocked at all times with fine liquors and cigars. mar11'70-tf.

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This well known House having been put in thorough repair is now open for the reception of visitors. No pains have been spared to ensure the perfect comfort of guests. The proprietor also runs a Stage from the Hotel to Bloomsburg and intermediate points on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of each week. [may5'70-tf

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THE CELEBRATED MONTOOR IRON BEAM AND
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Castings and Fire Brick for repairing city Stoves All kinds of Brass or Iron casting made to order upon short notice.
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A large assortment of Stoves, Heaters and Ranges constantly on hand, and for sale at the lowest rates.
Tinning in all its branches carefully attended to, and satisfaction guaranteed.
Tin work of all kinds wholesale and retail. A trial is requested.
Apr.9,'69-1f

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Customers can be accomodated with
FANCY STOVES
of all kinds, Stovepipes, Tinware and every variety of article found in a Stove and Tinware Establishment in the cities, and on the most reasonable terms. Repairing done at the shortest notice.
2 DOZEN MILK-PANS
on hand for sale.

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Neatly and Cheaply Printed
From the Latest Styles of Type at the
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ICE! ICE! ICE!
The undersigned having built the largest ice house in the county, (of 800 tons capacity) will be prepared to furnish clear, pure Fishing Creek Ice during the ensuing summer, at the lowest market rates. Ice delivered to any part of the town. Picnics supplied. All orders promptly filled.
CHARLES FORSTER.
Bloomsburg, Dec, 30, 1870-1m.

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Bloomsburg, Friday, Feb. 17, 1871.

Court Proceedings.

Reported for the Columbian.

FEBRUARY 6, 1871.

Court met. Hon. WILLIAM ELWELL, President Judge, and his Associates on the bench. DAVID R. COFFMAN, Esq., appointed Cryer, and ELIJAH SHUTT, WILLIAM MCNINCH and WILLIAM KILE appointed tipstaves.

All Constables sworn and made their returns excepting the Constable of Jackson township.

JAMES FAHRINGER, Esq., of Locust township, was appointed foreman of the Grand Jury.

B. P. Fortner, R. Thornton and P. Brennan, Grand Jurors, were excused. Stott E. Colley of the Petit Jury was excused.

In the case of John L. Kline, use, against Wm. B. Yocum and Joshua Womer, on motion of Mr. CLARK, the judgment in the case was stricken off at the cost of the plaintiff.

A. B. Stewart vs. James W. Jones. On motion of Mr. KNORR, Court grant rule on Mordecai Millard, late Sheriff of Columbia county, to pay money raised on the above case into court.

Shultz & Else vs. James N. Jones. On motion of Mr. KNORR, court grant a rule on Mordecai Millard, late Sheriff of Columbia county, to pay the money raised on sale into court.

Person vs. Leiby. On motion of Mr. FREEZE, attachment issued returnable first Monday of May, 1871, for witness for defendant.

Susan Gilham vs. C. B. Brockway, administrator of Deborah Dean, dec'd. Jury returned a verdict in favor of the defendant.

Report of sale of the real estate of Andrew Freas, deceased, confirmed nisi.

The return of inquisition in the estate of William Pegg, deceased, confirmed nisi.

Return of inquisition in the estate of George Rupp, deceased, confirmed nisi.

Return of inquisition in the estate of Chas. Hess, deceased, confirmed nisi.

Return of valuation in the estate of John Richards, deceased, confirmed nisi.

Return of sale of real estate of Anthony Witman, deceased, confirmed nisi.

Report of sale of real estate of John Hess, of Fishingcreek township, dec'd. confirmed nisi.

Report of sale of the real estate of Albert Hunter, of Pine township, deceased, confirmed nisi.

Report of sale of real estate of Mary Creasy, of Mifflin, deceased, confirmed nisi.

Petition of Jacob Hill for guardian. Charles F. Hill, appointed.

Petition of J. B. Karshner, guardian of Rush D. Marteeny, to expend pension money for ward. Ordered agreeably to the prayer.

Petition of Thomas J. Hill for guardian. Charles F. Hill, appointed.

Petition of the minor children of John P. Smith, deceased, for guardian. James V. Wilson and B. F. Battin, appointed.

On motion of Mr. CLARK, sale of the real estate of John Richards, deceased, ordered.

Motion for sale of the interest of Julia Clark in the real estate of David W. Clark, deceased.

Jonas Doty, A. B. Stewart and Samuel J. Pealer against Francis B. Jolley. Daniel F. Seybert prays the court to become a party defendant. On motion of Mr. LITTLE, Daniel F. Seybert is made a party defendant, agreeably to the prayer.

Samuel Potter vs. Margaret Potter, Petition for divorce. On motion of E. H. LITTLE, C. W. MILLER appointed examiner to take testimony.

Report of viewers of a road in Greenwood township, near Wm. Patterson's, confirmed nisi.

Appointment of viewers to view a road in Sugarloaf and Benton township, near Ezekiel Cole's, order continued.

Report of reviewers of Centre street, Bloomsburg, confirmed nisi, and width of road fixed at thirty-three feet.

Report of W. WIRT, Esq., auditor in the matter of the account of E. R. IKELER, assignee of H. D. Walker, confirmed nisi.

Report of M. E. WALKER, auditor to distribute funds in the hands of Johnson Ikeler, administrator of Caleb Oliver, deceased, late of Greenwood township, confirmed nisi.

Report of M. E. WALKER, auditor to distribute fund in the hands of the administrator of Isaac Oliver, deceased, confirmed nisi.

Petition of the citizens of Catawissa for the appointment of Overseer of the Poor. Stephen Baldy, Esq., appointed.

FEBRUARY 7, 1871.

Com. vs. B. F. Warner. Charge obtaining goods under false pretence. Bill ignored and prosecutor, A. W. Eaton, to pay costs.

In the estate of David Rohrbach. On motion of W. H. ABBOTT, C. B. BROCKWAY, Esq., appointed auditor to make distribution to and among the heirs and creditors of the funds in the hands of the administrators.

Petition of Biglow and Mary Kile, for guardian, Joseph V. Hess appointed.

Petition for partition in the estate of William Welliver, late of Madison township. Inquest awarded.

Report of sale in the estate of Jacob Eyer, dec'd. confirmed nisi.

Michael McMahon vs. William Black. Petition for opening the judgment. Rule granted to show cause why the judgment should not be opened and defendant let into defence.

Petition of Aaron R. Huttenstein for divorce. Subpœna ordered.

Com. vs. Martin Colihan. Charge assault and battery. A true bill.

Com. vs. John Gunning. Charge Larceny. Bill ignored.

Com. vs. John Gunning. Charge Assault and Battery. Not a true bill.

James L. Hess vs. Annie E. Hess. Alias Subpœna in Divorce awarded.

Nellie M. Robinson vs. Harvey P. Robinson. Alias Subpœna in Divorce awarded.

Com. vs. Wm. P. Shoemaker. A true bill.

Com. vs. Martin Colihan. The Jury find the defendant not guilty, and prosecutor, John Gunning and the defendant, Martin Colihan, each pay one-half the costs and sentenced by the Court accordingly and stand committed until the sentence is complied with.

Com. vs. Mary Gunning, charge keeping a Tippling House. A true bill.

Com. vs. William Strausser. Charge an attempt to poison. A true bill. Verdict not guilty.

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Thaddeus G. Bogle vs. Mary E. Potter Bogle. On motion of J. H. JAMES, alias Subpœna in Divorce directed to be issued.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Delong, dec'd. On motion of Mr. FREEZE, R. F. CLARK, Esq., appointed auditor to ascertain indebtedness of the estate to the children and to distribute the funds in the hands of the administrator to and among the persons entitled thereto.

Return of inquest in the estate of Adam Heller, confirmed nisi.

Notestein vs. Notestein. Petition for divorce. Divorce decreed.

All Licenses were granted to the petitioners for Public Houses except D. Cosgrove of Conyngham township, and George M. Baker of Scott township.

Widow's appraisement in the estate of Albert Hunter, dec'd. confirmed.

Widow's appraisement in the estate of Daniel Nyer, deceased, confirmed.

Widow's appraisement in the estate of Peter Bitner, deceased, confirmed.

Widow's appraisement in the estate of Anthony Witman, dec'd, confirmed.

Widow's appraisement in the estate of Samuel G. Pilkington, deceased, confirmed.

Widow's appraisement in the estate of Jacob Ash, deceased, confirmed.

Report of reviewers reporting against a road in Scott township, confirmed nisi.

Petition for viewers to vacate a road in Hemlock township. Order for reviewers continued and W. M. Monroe appointed instead of Peter Evans.

Com. vs. Theodore B. Swayze and George Kramer. Charge selling intoxicating drink to minors. A true bill. Jury returned a verdict—finding the defendants not guilty—the costs divided between George Fox, the prosecutor, and the defendants.

Com. vs. Mary Gunning. Charge keeping a "Tippling House." Jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and Mary Gunning, the defendant, to pay costs.

Report of viewers of a road in Locust township, near Currantown. Report against a road confirmed.

Report of viewers of a road in Mount Pleasant, near Philip Kline's, confirmed.

Report of viewers of a road in Hemlock township, confirmed.

Adverse report of viewers of a road in Greenwood township, near A. P. Young's, confirmed.

Report of viewers of a road in Sugarloaf leading from Cole's Creek to Central, confirmed.

Report of viewers in favor of a road in Catawissa, confirmed.

Report of viewers in favor of a road in Mount Pleasant, leading from Light Street to near Welliversville, confirmed.

Report of viewers to vacate a road in Greenwood, near Wm. Robbins, confirmed nisi.

Report of viewers of a road in Orange township near Mary Ricketts, confirmed nisi.

Report of viewers to vacate a road in Orange township, near Mary Ricketts, confirmed nisi.

A license to keep a Public House was granted to James V. Gilaspie of Rohrsburg.

James V. Gilaspie, constable of Greenwood township, tendered his resignation. Resignation accepted, and Jacob S. Evans of Greenwood township, appointed constable.

Sofarus Smethers vs. Amandus Smethers. Divorce decreed from the bonds of matrimony.

Petition for changing the place of holding the election in Montour township; also a petition to remove it to the Public House of William Butler at Rupert. Election ordered.

Petition to vacate a road in Fishingcreek: I. K. Kriekbaum, John C. Doty and Peter Case appointed viewers.

Petition to vacate a road in Bloomsburg: John Thomas, George Correll and John Barkley appointed viewers.

James Hess' administrators vs. Collins Sutliff's administrators. Jury returned a verdict in favor of the defendants.

FEBRUARY 10, 1871.

Report of viewers assessing damages to Wm. S. Heilinger and Joshua F. Brink, for damages arising from the opening of a road in Sugarloaf township, confirmed nisi.

Petition for a bridge over Roaring Creek in Locust township, near Henry Yeager's: Jacob Shuman, Wm. T. Shuman and Isaac Yeiter appointed viewers.

Petition for a road in Locust township, near George Fox's: Michael Mench, Jackson Cleaver and James Hover appointed viewers.

Petition of George F. Craig for divorce: Subpœna awarded.

Petition for Partition and valuation of the Real Estate of Peter Bitner deceased: awarded.

Petition of Jacob Hartman, committee of Henry Hartman, to sell the real estate of said Henry Hartman. Ordered that sale be made by the committee of the land in Hemlock towship, notice to be given as in cases of sale by order of the Orphans' Court. Terms same as in the Orphans' Court.

Report of E. H. LITTLE, auditor in the estate of James Dugan, dec'd, confirmed nisi.

In the matter of the lunacy of Henry Mather, report declaring him a lunatic approved, and Warren W. Wilbur appointed committee.

Auditors report in the estate of Wm. Sloan, dec'd, confirmed nisi.

Petition of Stephen Gearhart and Wm. Creasy, guardians of the minor children of Jacob Gearhart, Jr., dec'd, to set aside report of sale and grant a new order of sale. Sale set aside and new order granted.

Wm. McKelvy vs. the Danville, Hazelton and Wilkes-Barre Railroad. Claim for damages sustained by the plaintiff in the opening of the railroad by the defendants. Viewers report damages to the plaintiff at the sum of three thousand eight hundred dollars, confirmed nisi.

Martha E. Creasy vs. Freas Brown and others. J. B. Robison appointed Master.

In the Estate of Mathias Rhone, late of Jackson township, deceased, on motion of Mr. CLARK, C. G. BARKLEY appointed auditor to make distribution.

In the estate of Peter Melick, deceased, on motion of Mr. CLARK, C. G. BARKLEY appointed auditor to make distribution.

REPORT OF GRAND JURY, FEB. 8, 1871.

To the Hon. Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for the County of Columbia.

The Grand Inquest of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, inquiring for the body of the County of Columbia respectfully report:

That we have pursuant to our required duty, calmly and deliberately investigated all the bills of indictment presented for our consideration at this Term, and have passed upon them according to their merits:

That we have examined the Public Buildings and recommend that the jail be repaired so as to make it more secure and comfortable for the prisoners, also that it be kept cleaner.

We further recommend that there be windows put in the vaults of Prothonotary's office, similar to those in the Commissioners and Recorder's offices.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JONAS FAHRINGER,
Foreman.

Choice Poetry.

For the Columbian.

A Meteor.

One night when I was weary,
The birds had gone to sleep,
All nature calmly sunk to rest
I sat me down to weep.

I sat down by the window,
Laid my head upon the sill,
And gazed out in the darkness,
All, all was calm and still.

Suddenly a meteor flashed,
It was brighter than the sun
Or gold, or pearls, or gems,
Or any precious stone.

T'was a spark of love's candle,
Dropt from the light on high,
A beacon to lure my weeping heart,
To him above the sky.

And now, may I not believe,
When to death's dark valley I'm come,
That that bright light will reappear
And guide me safely home?

L. L.

Miscellaneous.

Etiquette.

The right of privacy is sacred and should always be respected. It is exceedingly improper to enter a private room anywhere without knocking. No relation, however intimate, will justify an abrupt intrusion upon a private apartment. So the trunks, boxes, packets, papers, and letters of every individual, locked or unlocked, sealed or unsealed, are sacred.—It is ill manners even to open a bookcase, or to read a written paper lying open without permission, expressed or implied. Books in an open case or on a centre table, cards in a card case, and newspapers, are presumed to be open for examination. Be careful where you go, what you read, and what you handle, particularly in private apartments.

Avoid intermeddling with the affairs of others. This is a most common fault. A number of people seldom meet but they begin discussing the affairs of some one who is absent. This is not only uncharitable, but positively unjust. It is equivalent to trying a cause in the absence of the person implicated. Even in the criminal code a prisoner is presumed to be innocent until he is found guilty. Society, however, is less just, and passes judgment without hearing the defence. Depend upon it, as a certain rule, that the people who unite with you in discussing the affairs of others, will proceed to scandalize you the moment you depart.

Be well read, also, for the sake of the general company and the ladies, in the literature of the day. You will thereby enlarge the regions of pleasurable talk. Besides, it is often necessary. Haslitt, who had entertained an unfounded prejudice against Dickens' works when they were first written, confessed that he was at last obliged to read them, because he could not enter a mixed company without hearing them quoted.

Always conform your conduct, as near as possible, to the company with whom you are associated. If you should be thrown among people who are vulgar, it is better to humor them than to set yourself up then and there, for a model of politeness. It is related of a certain king that on a particular occasion he turned his tea into his saucer, contrary to the etiquette of society, because two country ladies, whose hospitalities he was enjoying, did so. That king was a gentleman; and this anecdote serves to illustrate an important principle; namely, that true politeness and genuine good manners often not only permit, but absolutely demand, a violation of the arbitrary rules of etiquette. Bear this fact in mind.

Although these remarks will not be sufficient in themselves to make you a gentleman, yet they will enable you to avoid any glaring impropriety and much to render you easy and confident in society.

Gentility is neither in birth, manner, nor fashion—but in *the mind*. A high sense of honor—a determination never to take a