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THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1881

Ash Wednesday—2nd of March.

Berwick wants an Opera House.

A demand for tenant houses this year is extensive.

Wonder if Vennor hasn't been employed by the plumbers.

Milton will have a firemen's parade on the 22nd. inst.

The *Democratic Watchman* has a lady compositor.

There was an immense amount of road business in court this week.

The Hempty Dampty troupe stopped at the Exchange.

The skating rink has been booming this week.

The thought of the five weeks more of cold weather makes us shake.

Cash paid for oats by W. C. Richart, Iron street below Main, Bloomsburg.

Lockards are running out seven cars per day now.

The schools of Nanticoke have been closed on account of small pox.

No grumbling about the scarcity of ice this winter.

A large number of calves are being shipped from the depot at this place to different cities.

Some fine specimens of poultry from Catawissa were on exhibition at the Reading and Pottsville poultry shows.

Contrary to our expectations matrimonial stock is still on the decline. To much timidity in the buyers.

In this State physicians are required to register their names in the Prothonotary's office. Many, however, neglect to do it.

The erection of a number of cheese factories in Northumberland county is urged by the newspapers of that region.

The Central Pennsylvania Methodist Episcopal Conference will hold its annual session at York, commencing March 16th.

At present writing, Wednesday, it looks as though the ground hog was going to fool us this year.

"The house was crowded, enthusiastic and immensely pleased." Bric-a-Brac.—*Phila. Mirror.*

Canes are now made which hold a pint of whiskey. All a man has to do is to raise the cane and imbibe.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A valuable house and lot with plenty of fruit and berries. For information call at this office.

Drunkenness is said to be demoralizing the regular army, and there is some talk of sending it to an inebriate asylum.

Sarah Bernhardt is said to be "immense on the faint act." She did it so well in Cincinnati that the audience thought she was dead.

A brakeman of the D. L. & W. R. R. named Kisner had one of his wrists badly crushed while coupling a car at Rupert last Saturday.

Rumor has it that Allen C. Laros, the murderer and escaped "lunatic," has married Hattie Blaine, who killed her husband, William Blaine of Easton.

Rev. T. F. Reeser, of St. Paul's Lutheran church, of Williamsport preached an able sermon in the Lutheran church of this place on Sunday.

"Mr. Basset's impersonation of an old maid sighing for some one to love was perfect."—*N. Y. Tribune.*

A sleighing party consisting of twenty-two ladies visited Danville Wednesday and took dinner at the City.

Three or four men standing around a corner, holding a confidential conversation with their heads close together, indicates that a slate is being fixed up.

There is a splendid chance for some one to open up a first class hotel in Shenandoah. There isn't a good hotel in that city, which contains over 10,000 inhabitants.

This cold weather has broken up, for the time being, that detestable practice indulged in by so many of our young men, of loafing around the entrances of church doors during service.

"No man and wife should fail to see this ingenious Bric-a-Brac. Originality is no name for it. Even poor Mrs. Finch would have gone wild over it."—*Wilkie Collins.*

We have received an invitation to the second annual ball of Co. F., 12th Regt. N. G. P., of Danville, to be held in the Opera House of that place on Tuesday evening, February 22nd The Repasz Orchestra will furnish the music.

For rent from the first of April, 1881—A Store Room and also two communicating rooms on second floor in the Ent building. Apply to N. U. Funk. Feb4tf

Soon we can expect to see our streets swimming with newly painted "tiles." A man soliciting for a hat renovating establishment was in town gathering up dilapidated "cadies."

The Fourteenth Annual Ball of the Friendship Fire Company will be held in Brower's Hall on Tuesday evening, February 22nd. The boys will be around to see you. Buy a ticket, it will only cost you 50 cents.

If your girl has treated you shabby, and you wish to make her mad, purchase one of those hideous caricatures displayed in bookseller's windows and mail it to her. If she don't get angry then there remains no revenge for you.

There is being built, at the Scott Foundry in Reading, a cannon that is expected to throw a ball with a velocity of 3000 feet per second, which will fly a distance of about ten miles.

Frank Vanderslice, who together with Frank Cosper, has purchased a job printing office in Pittston, circled around among his many friends here several days ago. We wish him and Mr. Cosper success.

Lockards have recently added to their machinery a new wheel press, bolt header and turning lathe, all labor-saving machines, the bolt-header doing away with four fires in the blacksmith shop.

Mrs. Sarah Roberts, formerly Mrs. John Thomas, died in Plymouth last week and her remains were conveyed to this place on Monday and interred in the Old Welsh graveyard. The deceased lived for many years in this town.

Nine persons were immersed in Fishingcreek by the Rev. J. P. Tustin on Sunday, in the presence of a large concourse of people. The Rev. was assisted in the exercises by two ministers from Lewisburg, Revs. Redding and Williams.

The *Scientific American* gives a recipe for curing a burn that has been tried and found to work like a charm. It consists in rubbing the burn with ordinary cooking soda. It removes all pain and trace of the injury.

A monster steam engine was hauled through town one day this week. It was manufactured at Zanesville Ohio, and, we presume, is intended for saw-mill use. It took eight mules to pull the engine and fixtures.

J. H. Maize and C. C Peacock were admitted to the Bar on Wednesday morning. The former was a student of Hon. C. R. Buckalew, and the latter of E. R. Ikeler Esq. Both passed creditable examinations, and we have no doubt they will be successful in their profession.

"Bric-a-Brac" will be played here on the 19th of February. Our theatre-goers will then have an opportunity of attending a first class show.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—Snyder's tannery, located in Bloomsburg, is for sale or rent. Possession given April 1st, 1881. For price and terms apply to C. W. Neal or F. P. Billmeyer, Bloomsburg, Pa. jan 7tf

An antiqated style of bonnet has its revival in the poke bonnet now in vogue with the ladies. To the best of our recollection it is shaped exactly like those worn ninety years ago.

J. F. Burnham, Nashua, N. H., says: The A. S. T. Co. Black Tip is the best protection I have found for childrens shoes. Sell them every day; can't keep store without them.

Daniel Kalbfus, an able lawyer and orator of Mauch Chunk, who has been an inmate of the Danville insane asylum for several years, is dead. Mr. Kalbfus spent his boyhood days in Berwick, this county, and had a large circle of personal and political friends here.

If you want to get rid of pimples, boils, tetter, &c., use 'Lindsey's Blood Searcher. Sold by all druggists. feb 114w

Mr. T. C. Mullaly, of Planes, Luzerne county met with a serious accident recently whilst out with a sleighing party. The sleigh was upset and the occupants thrown out. Mr. Mullaly had his right arm broken in two places, and was the only one injured beyond slight bruises. He is well known here, having spent several months in the Recorder's office, assisting in making new indexes.

Headache cured for 25 cents. by *Dr. Mettaur's Headache and Dyspepsia Pills.* feb41m

Two young men named Vanliew and Drake were convicted in court on Tuesday morning of libel. After dinner their bail delivered them up, when they deliberately attempted to run away. One was captured by the Sheriff before he had gone far. The other gave himself up on Thursday morning.

'Dr. Seller's Cough Syrup' will ensure you a good night's rest. It is the best cough medicine in the market. Price 25 cents. feb114w

The report circulated around that the proprietor of the Hess Hotel, of Benton, will not receive any more sleighing parties, we are authorized to state is utterly false. Mrs. Hess, the landlady, is ready and willing to accommodate all who may desire to visit Benton, and will be glad to entertain them, should there be any more sleighing this winter.

NOTICE—SECOND WEEK OF COURT.—The attendance of Jurors for the second week of February term, and of parties and witnesses, will not be required until Wednesday, the 16th instant at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

WM. ELWELL,
Bloomsburg, Feb. 1, '81. President Judge.

Headache, all bilious disorders, dyspepsia and constipation cured by *Dr. Mettaur's Headache and Dyspepsia Pills.* Price 25 cents. feb41m

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

I would inform the citizens of Bloomsburg and vicinity that I have sold my Photograph Gallery to Mr. C. C. Wirt, whom I consider capable of producing first class pictures. Thanking the public for past favors and soliciting a share of your patronage for my successor,

I am Respectfully
R. F. SNYDER.

The vendue season is approaching. All persons, who propose having sales this spring, will do well to consult our prices before ordering elsewhere. No extra charge for illustrated bills. Orders by mail will be promptly attended to.
jan 28-3w

The Managers of the Opera House have had the flues cleaned out and the entire heating apparatus of the building put in good order. It is to be hoped that hereafter the house will be comfortable. It has been so cold this winter that the greater portion of the audience has left before the plays were half over.

We have much pleasure in recommending Thermaline to our readers, as an absolute cure for Malaria. The manufacturers' name alone is a guarantee of its merit. It sells at 25 cents per box. For particulars see Advt.
july 30, '80-6m

The republican candidate for justice of the peace can hardly expect to get many Democratic votes. All through the campaign he never spoke of our party except as "rebels." Show him that there are still too many of the same party that he abused last fall to permit his election now.

Elegant wedding invitations, with inside and outside envelopes, calling cards, printed or engraved, can be obtained at this office. We have a large line of samples to select from. There is a great advantage in buying at home where you can see the proof and know exactly what you are going to get. The low prices will astonish you.

January 28, 3w

When you see a young man sailing down the street shortly after midnight with his collar mashed down his neck, you can make up your mind that there's a young girl crawling up stairs not far distant with her shoes under her arm and an extingushed lamp in her hand.—*Ex.*

The large attendance at the Democratic caucus held in Evans' Hall on Saturday evening attracted the attention of some young ladies who came tripping up the steps with the expectation of enjoying themselves witnessing so many roller-skaters on the floor. Words are inadequate to picture the grave look of disappointment that overshadowed their beautiful countenances when, rushing up to the entrance to the hall to gain admission, they were courteously informed that a political meeting was in session.

The medicines of DUNDAS DICK & Co. are unexcelled for elegance, purity, and reliability. Their Seidlitine Seidlitz Powders, are as pleasant as Lemonade. Their Soft Capsules are world famous. See Advt.
july 30, '80-6m

The residence of Capt. Glasco Cameron was the scene of a jolly festive party of colored gemmen and ladies from Berwick on Monday. There were fifteen or sixteen of them ranging in size from four and a half to nearly seven feet in height, all of whom covered the floor gracefully to excellent dancing music provided for the occasion. They returned highly elated with the kind reception and splendid time, and particularly the good meal provided them by the "boss."

WEATHER FOR FEBRUARY

Vennor's almanac has the following weather predictions for February. The mild spell with which January closes will probably continue well into the month, with balmy, spring-like weather prevailing in many parts, and snow rapidly disappearing. A couple of days of blustering weather with rain or snow will be followed about the sixteenth by storms of wind rain and snow previous to the setting in of a cold snap. With the beginning of the last week of the month, brilliant, mild spring-like weather will again appear, melting the snow and rendering sleighing impossible in some localities. A few days before the close of the month high winds will prevail, with gales around New York, Long Island Sound and other points, with blustery weather in Canada and the northern United States. The last two days, however, are likely to be fair, and the month will end with little snow on the ground.

The managers of the Opera House went to great trouble to get Basset's Bric-a-Brac here. They have been obliged to insure them a certain amount. *Every one* should attend, thereby showing that they appreciate the efforts of the managers, and that Bloomsburg can and *will* give a good house to a deserving entertainment. Remember the date, Saturday the 19th.

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Humpty Dumpty was very well patronized on Wednesday evening. The programme was on the variety order, and each actor sustained his speciality in a fine manner. The Lamont family were particularly good, being the best acrobats we have ever seen.

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200,000 bricks for sale. Apply to John S. or James C. Sterner, Bloomsburg.

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All the licenses applied for on Wednesday were granted, except the following: William Williams, of Berwick, which was refused for the same reasons for which it was rejected on several previous occasions, intemperate habits of the applicant. No evidence was offered to prove that he had reformed. The application of A. C. Rabb was rejected on the ground that the public necessity for a new liquor store was not sufficiently shown. The application of J. F. Caldwell was continued until Thursday afternoon.

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A meeting of the G. A. R. will be held on next Tuesday night for special business. A full attendance is desired.

W. H. SWENTZELL,
Quarter-master.

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A Democratic caucus, pursuant to announcement, was held in Evans' Hall on Saturday evening February 5th, and the following ticket was nominated to be voted for at the coming election, Tuesday, February 15th, 1881:

President of Council—Geo. A Herring.

Members of Council—William Rabb, John Lockard, Geo. Hassert.

Justice of the Peace—John M. Clark.

School Director—Stephen Knorr.

Constable—Reuben Harris.

Judge of Election—Geo. Lockard, East Ward; C. A. Kleim, West Ward.

Inspector—Peter Billmeyer, East Ward; J. K. Girton, West Ward.

Assessor—L. B. Rupert.

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We have not obtained the particulars of an accident which happened on the D. L. & W. R. R. on Saturday last. All that we have learned regarding it is, that early on Saturday morning a coal train coming up stopped a short distance above the Catawissa depot, and owing to the negligence of a brakeman to flag a train that was following, a collision occurred which resulted in severely injuring two men, inasmuch as the condition of one is very precarious.

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There is likely to be some lively work on Tuesday. Everybody will have a ticket of his own and vote it. Though both parties have nominated "straight" tickets. it is doubtful whether the voting will all be that way. Many Democrats will vote for the Republican candidate for President of the Council, because he is in favor of water and gas and improvements generally, and on the other hand many Republicans will vote for the Democratic candidate because he has heretofore been opposed to these measures. Party lines cannot be drawn in a municipal election like ours. No matter who is elected, neither party can claim it as a victory. The vote will simply show which of the candidates is believed to be the best man by a majority of the citizens, irrespective of politics.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Truss, of New Castle, Delaware, is the guest of Mrs. L. Zahner.

Miss Annie Morris, of Susquehanna county, has been spending a few days with Miss Ella McKinney.

Miss Lottie Powell is visiting Miss May Brower.

P. W. Kline and George Laycock, both typos employed on papers in Wilkesbarre, were in town this week.

L. A. German, Esq., of Pine township, was foreman of the Grand Jury.

Misses Lizzie and Annie Hassert have returned from a visit to their relatives and friends in Philadelphia.

Keller Sharretts, of Briarcreek, contemplates coming to town to pursue the study of the law.

W. A. Marr, Esq., of Ashland, attended court this week.

M. C. Woodward is an independent candidate for the office of constable.

J. J. Brower proposes to be an independent candidate for justice of the peace.

Miss Everitt is the guest of Mrs. J. F. Peacock.

J. Lessig and daughter, of Shenandoah, registered at the Exchange on Wednesday.

Hon. T. J. Vanderslice spent Sunday here.

J. M. C. Ranck Esq. attended court this week.

W. J. Baldy Esq. of Danville, was registered at the Exchange Monday.

O. B. Melick, of Williamsport, made his parents at Lightstreet a visit recently.

R. F. Snyder intends locating in Philadelphia.

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The members of the Winona Fire Company tendered a banquet on Tuesday evening to Mr. R. F. Snyder, one of their number who is about to leave town. Mr. Snyder has taken a very active interest in the company, and this mark of respect was given to show their appreciation of his worth as a member and a friend. The dinner was served at the Exchange Hotel, and the general expression of entire satisfaction by those who participated proves that Mr. W. R. Tubbs, the popular propritor, left nothing undone for the comfort and pleasure of his guests. The affair was a very pleasant one, and judging from the peals of laughter that issued from the dining room, it is presumed that the boys had a jolly time. Speeches were made by Messrs. Elwell, H. W. McKelvy, P. E. Wirt, W. C. Sloan, R. R. Little, E. B. Clark, B. P. Vannatta, L. S. Wintersteen and the guest of the evening, Mr. Snyder. The speeches were all *pungent* and appropriate to the *occasion*. The dinner lasted from 8½ to 10 o'clock, and the company then adjourned to their room where a social hour was spent. No wines or liquors of any sort were included in the bill of fare, and none were indulged in by any present. This is greatly to the credit of the company. It is not often that thirty young men meet to spend a social evening without some indulgence. The occasion was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The report that the supper was paid *for* by company funds, is not true. Each person paid his own bill.

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What a remarkable head Dr. Ananius Bumps must have. Once upon a time he had a chart made of it by some itinerant phrenologist, and the result of the survey was so gratifying to the Dr. that he at once determined to apply himself to the study of the science, and so informed the professor who encouraged him and consequently sold him a book disclosing all the secrets of the profession. For six long years he assiduously devoted all his spare time to the study of that work, besides spending three months under instruction, and if he is to be believed he is now thoroughly prepared to enter practice. He hath manfully withstood the scoffs and frowns of his associates who used every method to discourage him in aspiring to a business for which he was specially adapted, and we sincerely hope that great as has been his labor, his reward will not be priceless. We had an audience with him on Monday evening and, we must admit, came away greatly edified and strongly convinced that the Dr. knew whereof he spoke when he eloquently expatiated on the merits of "bumps." "Figures don't lie," says the Doctor, as he goes over your cranium with a tape measure large enough to take the circumference of a good sized wagon wheel. To hear him discourse on the functions, propensities, &c., (giving to each its technical name of course) is a rare treat which the Doctor cordially invites every one to come and listen to at the cheap tune of one dollar a head.

A LADY'S SOLILOQUY.

TIME—January and February.
PLACE—Home.
SUBJECT—As follows:

"Now let me think: the Holidays are over, and for these two months I really believe I shall have more time than during any part of the year. In March and April spring dress goods will come out, so my time will be taken up then, and I'm *sure* I don't want to have much on hand when warm weather comes; so I'll just see what I need for Housekeeping, get the things ready, and make them up.

"There are sheets, pillow-cases, and perhaps some other articles for bedding; then I must have a supply of table-cloths, napkins, towels, and—and—oh! a good many things, so I'll send a postal card for a *Housekeeper's Price List*, and see what I *do* want. If I go to the city I can then have my memorandum made up, and if I don't go I'll order by letter, as I have done before, and get promptly just what I want at the same prices that I would pay if in person.

"Of course something *might* not be *just exactly* as I expect it, so I must send my order to a store that will let me exchange or will pay my money back if I want it. To do this, and have the greatest variety of goods in any one establishment in the United States to select from, I must address my postal card 'JOHN WANAMAKER, GRAND DEPOT, PHILADELPHIA.'

"There, I came near forgetting! This is a good time to make up underwear, too; so I'll add to my postal card—'*Send me an Underwear Price List*,' and see if it won't be cheaper to get it already made, and save all that tiresome cutting, sewing and trimming."

RHORSBURG ITEMS.

RHORSBURG, Monday Jan. 31 '81.

Many changes have taken place during the past few months in our little town. The destroying hand of the reaper death hath taken some dear ones away.

Mr. Isaac Black, who was severely injured by the upsetting of his loaded sled in Orangeville last month, is still unable to attend to his business.

Mr. W. W. Bogert, and Miss Arwilda Manning have bid farewell to single bliss. They were married on the 22nd of January.

Mr. John Barber and wife were agreeably surprised on Friday last by their friends from Eyersgrove and vicinity.

Mrs. Keller and daughter are visiting in Luzerne county.

The Lyceum was a success on Friday evening last in every sense of the word and the young workers showed that they had taken much pains to make the entertainment a pleasant one.

POOR PEN.

Fred Amos, Tyler Street, Rochester, writes. Your Spring Blossom is wonderful, I never used anything that acted so well on the Bowels, and at the same time was so freed from the Drastic properties of medicine usually sold for the purpose. Prices: 1., 50 cents, and trial bottles 10 cents.

Business Notices

See a woman picking a bunch of grapes in another column, at Speer's Vineyards, from which Speer's Port Grape Wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession for the use of invalids, weakly persons and the aged. Sold by C. A. Kleim. jan 7'801y

Ladies' Calf Shoes 1.30 at Gross' N. Y. Store.

Wm. C. McKinney has removed his stock into his new building across the street, and extends a cordial invitation to every one to call.

Wanted 2,000 bushels Good White Oats at once, For Cash.
H. W. AUL, Espy Depot.

Harriet A. Newkirk, of Salem, says: I was cured of tetter in my hand by three applications of Camphor Milk. My husband was cured of old running sores by using it. It cured my son of a sprained ankle. Price 25 cents. Sold by C. A. Kleim, Bloomsburg.
april 16, '80,1y

Important Notice to Parties Attending Court.
For Thirty Days Great
Bargains
Can be Bought in Clothing.
You can buy a Winter
Suit or Overcoat
At Cost.
Must Be Sold to
make room for
ALTERATIONS IN BUILDING
at David Lowenberg's

Men's Boots formerly sold at $3.00 now $1 75 at Gross' New York Store.

Hon. George N. Corson, Norristown, says: The Phœnix Pectoral is indispensable in my family. It acts like a charm in curing coughs and colds with the children, and I always use it when addressing a jury. Price 25 cents. C. A. Kleim, Bloomsburg. apr16-1y

RESCUED FROM DEATH.

The following statement of William J. Coughlin, of Somerville, Mass., is so remarkable that we beg to ask for it the attention of our readers. He says: "In the fall of 1876 when I was taken with a Violent Bleeding of the Lungs followed by a severe cough. I soon began to lose my appetite and flesh. I was so weak at one time that I could not leave my bed. In the summer of 1877 I was admitted to the City Hospital. While there the doctors said I had a hole in my left lung as big as a half dollar. I expended over a hundred dollars in doctors and medicines. I was so far gone at one time a report went around I was dead. I gave up hope, but a friend told me of DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS. I laughed at my friends, thinking that my case was incurable, but I got a bottle to satisfy them, when to my surprise and gratification, I commenced to feel better. My hope, once dead, began to revive, and to-day I feel in better spirits than I have for three years.

"I write this hoping you will publish it so that every one afflicted with diseased lungs will be induced to take Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs, and be convinced that CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED. I have taken two bottles, and can positively say that it has done more good than all the other medicines I have taken since my sickness. My cough has almost entirely disappeared and I shall soon be able to go to work. Sold by druggists. Take Wm. Hall's Balsam only—Beware of counterfeits. oct.15-1yeow

Clearing Out Winter Goods
to make room for
Extensive Alterations at
The Popular Clothing
Store of
David Lowenberg.

Handsome Shoes and Slippers at McKinney's Boot and Shoe Bazaar.

500 nice white thrifty shotes wanted by Silas Young, Lightstreet, that are 2½, 3, 4, 5 to 6 months old that weigh from 25 lbs. 30, 35, 40, 45 50 to 60 lbs. each.

Persons that want to buy shotes please call around, I handle from 30, 40 to 50 shotes per week.

dec 24, '80 2m.

Hats and Caps at
Cost for Thirty Days
at D. Lowenberg's.

Binghamton Boots	Buy them at McKinney's.

Ladies' Morocco Lace Shoes 1.00 at N Y. Store.

HEALTH AND HAPPINESS.

It seems strange that any one will suffer from the many derangements brought on by an impure condition of the blood, when SCOVIL'S BLOOD and LIVER SYRUP will restore perfect health to the physical organization. It is indeed a strengthening syrup, pleasant to take, and has proven itself to be the best blood purifier ever discovered, effectually curing Scrofula, Syphilitic diseases, Weakness of the Kidneys, all Nervous disorders and Debility. It corrects indigestion. It makes the old feel young, and the young feel gay; and will invariably drive out of the system the many ills that human flesh is heir to. A single bottle will prove to you its merits as a health renewer, for it acts like a charm, especially when the complaint is of an exhaustive nature, having a tendency to lessen the natural vigor of the brain and nervous system.
oct 22,'80 1yeow

Don't miss this opportunity to buy your Shoes below cost at Gross' N. Y. Store, only during court.

100000 lbs. of good prime pork wanted in the next eight weeks by Silas Young, Lightstreet. I want hogs that dress 50 lbs. 60, 75, 100, 125, 150, 175, 200, 225, 250 up to 275 lbs. apiece. I always want my pork dressed on Saturday and brought in early on Monday morning. Persons wishing to buy pork, please call around early on Monday mornings.

dec. 25, '80-2m.

I am paying the highest cash price for Wheat and Rye. Loading every day except Sundays. Cannot come amiss. Will pay 77 cents per bushel for all Rye delivered within the next two weeks.

Cash paid for Railroad Ties.

All sizes of coal constantly on hand.
H. W. AUL, Espy Depot.
feb 4, 2w.

Children's Shoes from 25 cents up, at Gross' N. Y. Store.

Good Clover Seed wanted by Silas Young at Lightstreet. jan 28 81 4-w

Ladies' Button Shoes formerly sold at 2 00 now 1.15 at New York Store.

You are hereby notified that L. Gross will sell his entire stock of Boots and Shoes below cost in order to make room for Spring Stock of Clothing. New York Store, Sharpless building.

His Boots were leather	and made to stand the weather for he bought them at McKinney's.

The highest cash price paid for wheat by Z. T. Fowler, at Willow Grove. No difference as to variety. Rye 75 cents a bushel. Avondale Red Ash Coal, 4. 5. and 6. always on hand. Railroad Ties taken in exchange for coal, or cash will be paid for them.
jan 28 8-w*.

Men's Fine Calf Boots No. 9 and 10 at 1.50 at Gross' N. Y. Store.

She wore french heeled shoes	with opera toes and said she bought them at McKinney's.

The Great Bargain Room at OAK HALL.

There never was anywhere before, so far as we know, such a sale of clothing as is now going on at OAK HALL, taking up the whole ground floor. A hundred thousand dollars' worth of good clothing, nearly all of it new and fashionable, all of it well made and of good materials without exception (for we make no other) is being sold at prices which bring loss instead of gain.

Clearing sales occur at the close of every season; but they commonly are sales of broken assortments and odd garments, and of small quantities.

Here toward the end of our most successful season we are clearing out whatever, for any cause, has shown signs of being slow. Thousands of whole suits and overcoats and odd garments as well.

Now the sole reason for selling this mass of valuable clothing, without even an attempt at profit, is that stated above, which may be put into different words, thus: To get our stock into the most attractive condition, without regard to immediate profit.

And so, while this sale is going on, the choicest, most approved, most successful, clothing we have is up stairs. The prices there are not reduced at all. This sale will hurt that while it lasts, because the clothing in the bargain room is extremely good. For this reason we want it short; and to make it short, the prices are low.

Bring back promptly what you don't want at the price.

You can order by letter, or buy here, according to your own convenience. On receipt of a letter from you, will send the means of taking your own measure. Then you can tell us what you want, near enough so that we can take the risk of suiting you.

WANAMAKER & BROWN,
OAK HALL, Market and Sixth, PHILADELPHIA.

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCES OF THE COUNTY OF COLUMBIA

From January 1st, 1880 to January 1st, 1881.

Statement showing taxes assessed and balance still due.

	ASSESSED.			STILL DUE.	
DISTRICTS.	County Tax.	Dog Tax.	State Tax.	County.	Dog.
Beaver	$728 77	$88 50	17 32	66 97	68 50
Benton	1006 23	64 50	28 20	572 42	64 50
Berwick	1655 75	45 00	155 65	684 11	45 00
Bloom	4658 97	83 00	135 35	2565 05	83 00
Briarcreek	1454 70	78 00	21 55	667 54	78 00
Catawissa	2002 47	79 00	175 20	814 28	79 00
Centralia	769 62		4 35	563 95	
Centre	1972 47	86 50	69 55	1062 50	86 50
Conyngham	2856 24	7 00	50	352 49	7 00
Fishingcreek	1339 68	95 00	45 39	654 28	95 00
Franklin	*656 07	*34 50	*12 30	*453 18	*34 50
Greenwood	1490 78	101 00	67 50	1182 37	101 00
Hemlock	1202 97	60 50	11 20	659 13	60 50
Jackson	383 81	51 00	4 40	141 44	51 00
Locust	1440 59	76 50	16 71	709 26	76 50
Madison	1211 68	79 00	21 25	303 37	79 00
Main	720 21	47 50	24 25	176 39	47 50
Mifflin	1227 09	68 50	16 60	616 19	68 50
Montour	1017 39	51 50	17 70	276 92	51 50
Mt. Pleasant	718 58	55 00	69 94	368 53	55 00
Orange	1012 38	50 50	50 70	519 52	50 50
Pine	461 79	59 00	2 21	321 99	59 00
Roaringcreek	498 26	44 00	7 89	116 27	44 00
Scott	1654 50	69 50	111 51	483 46	69 50
Sugarloaf	426 98	69 50	2 65	439 08	69 50
	$22525 98	1544 00	1081 10	14670 99	1524 00

AMOUNT DUE FOR YEARS PREVIOUS TO 1880.

Districts and Collectors	Year	Co.	Dog.
Benton, F S Smith.	1879	$224 34	56 00
Bloom, A L Fritz.	1879	951 34	29 00
Briarcreek, John F Miller	1879	812 74	52 50
Centralia, Thomas Geraghty	1879	575 25	5 00
Centre, Joseph Wise	1879	271 65	86 50
Hemlock, Wm F Foust	1879	178 89	56 00
Montour, Wm H Weaver	1879	177 40	51 00
Greenwood, Jacob S Evans	1878	321 18	42 00
Hemlock, A B Hartman	1878	181 24	17 00
Madison, James Welliver	1878	79 90	14 00
Sugarloaf, Wm A Kile	1878	81 53	9 20
Conyngham, Aaron Person	1877	300 50	8 00
Catawissa, Joseph Martz	1876	96 45	35 50
Conyngham, Aaron Person	1876	185 41	9 00
Catawissa, Joseph Martz	1875	494 60	14 50
		$4532 52	$485 20

H A Sweppenhiser, Treasurer of Columbia county, in account with said county on county funds January 1st. 1880, DR.

To am't uncollected prior to 1880	$18610 34
" " on hand at last settlement	1122 50
" county tax assessed in 1880	22525 98
" tax on registry of voters	272 59
" added tax on Catawissa duplicate for '79	5 10
" Frank Jones, rent for old jail	35 00
" H G John for Wm Harner ex. tax	96
" costs paid by E J Albertson	2 00
" Isaac Hess, old brick	75
" am't paid by Montour county—Books vs. Danville borough	178 75
" Frank Jones, old fence	1 00
" county tax on unseated lands	1384 89
" county tax on seated lands	405 04
" road tax on unseated lands	927 95
" to road tax on seated lands	355 70
" school tax on unseated lands	1616 25
" school tax on seated lands	514 49
" poor tax on unseated lands	553 97
" poor tax on seated lands	297 53
" special poor tax on unseated lands	146 89
" special poor tax on seated lands	6 31
" special road tax on unseated lands	741 17
" special road tax on seated lands	31 91
" seated land tax since distribution	25 60
" unseated land tax since distribution	22 14
" Wm Krickbaum, jury fees, &c	45 70
" assessing, managing, etc., of dog fund	500 00
	$50,450 61

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HOLMES & SCHUYLER.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

We carry the largest stock of house furnishing goods in the county. We have never been known to make an assertion that was not true that we would confess to, and if you doubt the above look at what the others keep and then look over ours. Every year brings many new things useful in the kitchen and elsewhere throughout the house and we are constantly adding to our stock such articles as we think saleable. Unless you have looked over our stock from time to time you would be surprised to know how many little articles there are made for kitchen use, labor saving and just what you have so often wanted at a low price. We sell lots and lots of Tinware, our trade increases every year and we do not sell lower than the others either. Sometimes we want more and we get it and the reason is simply that our customers are finding out that for the money we give the best made and most durable Tinware in the county; you can hardly wear it out, and therefore it is cheap. We buy the best tin and have it made under our own eyes, and we know how its done. It is not long since a "Cheap John" located here with a 99 cent store and sold a whole cart load of tinware for 99 cents. You green housekeepers took the bait, but the old experienced ones didn't; they had been there before. Well, it lasted about as long as John stayed, which was a very short time. It is more healthy for such traders to move often, and then you commenced to bring it in for new bottoms and tops, &c. If you want any more of it give us a few days' notice and we will make you some but you will not find it on our shelves.

We are opening this week a new lot of Marbleized Ware of all descriptions for table and cooking purposes. Of all the improvements in kitchen utensils, none has met with more favor than Marbleized Ware, its beauty and durability commending itself to every one and the demand is greater than the supply. A lady told us the other day whenever her friends spoke of buying table cutlery she always sent them to us as we kept such a large variety of patterns and they had more choice. Those of you who were in last week saw we had a large stock then, but it is all sold out. The manufacturers of Table Cutlery have a meeting in New York every once in a while and besides having a good time they decide as to whether to put their prices up, down, or leave them alone. This time they decided to put them down and we bought several very handsome new patterns which we can sell lower than ever. We keep Woodenware, Washboards, Tubs, Churns, Buckets, Bowls, Ladles, &c. Space will not permit us to go further and we will wind up by saying almost every thing useful for house keepers may be found among our stock except——(modesty forbids) but Cadman has them next door.

HOLMES & SCHUYLER.

HOLMES & SCHUYLER

A FAIR OFFER.

We have a few Heating Stoves and double Heaters on hand, which we will sell to responsible parties and give you time until June 1st to pay for them.

HOLMES & SCHUYLER.

By commission, exonerations and returns allowed collectors for 1879.

Districts	Com	Ex	Districts	Com	Ex
Beaver	$7 84	$19 14	Madison	$60 73	$17 46
Berwick	74 99	18 04	Main	37 75	6 42
Catawissa	104 34	28 15	Mifflin	59 97	7 73
Conyngham	45 26	56 67	Mt Pleasant	76 69	2 37
Fishingcreek	63 66	18 60	Orange	52 69	19 10
Franklin	22 99	4 50	Pine	23 25	16 68
Greenwood	70 66	26 09	Roaringer'k	26 39	6 43
Jackson	16 95	3 90	Scott	81 87	15 62
Locust	73 65	21 51	Sugarloaf	27 20	45 97
1878.					
Benton	52 63	16 64	Centralia	40 30	80 31
Berwick	70 95	16 96	Conygham	42 40	37 86
1876.			1875.		
Sugarloaf	15 49	11 81	Conynghm	121 84	76 9
				$1,269 20	$572 97

By total commissions	$1269 20
" total exonerations	572 97
" county orders redeemed	33815 32
" am't due from collectors	19203 51
" am't to meet sum paid State for quota charged on coupons	29 20
" commission to Treasurer	1352 77
" balance in hands of Treasurer	4207 04
	$60,450 01

H A Sweppenhiser, Treasurer in account with dog fund.

January 1st, 1880 DR.

To am't due at last settlement	$1401 83
" am't assessed in 1880	1544 00
" am't on hand at last settlement	181 60
	$3,127 43

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Districts	Com	Ex	Districts	Com	Ex
Beaver	$4 40	11 50	Madison	$3 97	$1 00
Berwick	1 85	1 50	Main	2 10	50
Catawissa	3 77	4 50	Mifflin	3 62	3 50
Conyngham	22	3 50	Mt.Pleasant	2 95	2 50
Fishincreek	4 62	7 50	Orange	2 42	3 50
Franklin	1 80		Pine	2 87	7 00
Greenwood	4 97	7 50	Roaringer'k	2 05	1 00
Jackson	2 25		Scott	3 02	3 00
Locust	5 67	5 00	Sugarloaf	3 66	3 50
1878.					
Benton	2 77	2 00	Briarcreek	4 07	1 00
Berwick	1 27	3 50	Conyngham	37	1 50
1875.					
Conyngham		9 00			
				$64 69	$83 50

By commision to collectors	$64 69
" exonerations allowed collectors	83 50
" orders paid of '79	41 50
" orders paid of '80	381 75
" am't paid county for assessing, &c	500 00
" commission to Treasurer	21 16
" am't due from collectors	2009 26
" am't refunded to E J Albertson colctr. 76	4 00
" balance in hands of Treasurer	21 57
	$3,127 43
By orders for '67 and '70 not presented and cancelled	14 00

H A Sweppenhiser, Treasurer, in account with State Fund.

DR.

To State tax assessed in '80	$1,081 10

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By commission and exonerations on duplicate settled for '80.

	Com	Ex		Com	Ex
Beaver	86		Jackson	22	
Benton	1 41		Locust	84	
Berwick	7 79		Madison	1 06	30
Bloom	6 76	4 00	Main	1 21	2 40
Briarcreek	1 67		Mifflin	83	
Catawissa	8 76		Montour	87	
Centralia	22		Mt. Pleasant	3 50	4 00
Centre	3 02		Orange	2 53	
Conyngham	03		Pine	11	
Fishingcreek	2 26	40	Roaringcreek	39	
Franklin	61		Scott	5 57	
Greenwood	3 37		Sugarloaf	13	
Hemlock	56				
				$53 98	11 10

By commission to collectors	$53 98
" exonerations allowed collectors	11 10
" am't paid to State for quota	589 40
" commission to Treasurer	5 89
" balance in hands of Treasurer	423 74
" am't due from collectors	2 99
	$1081 10

Commissioners' expenses for '80, for which orders were issued on the Treasurer.

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

J W Hoffman, sheriff's deed Bright lot	$3 00
Moyer Bros, express	3 90
W C McKinney, express	2 25
R Buckingham, auditing public accounts	35 00
W Krickbaum, recording names twp officers	34 60
H G Ort, hauling safe	5 10
Ed Moody, view of court house	1 00
J Dresher, road tax Bright lot	45
A B Stewart, lumber old jail fence	16 72
Jas Thomas, costs Col. co. vs Person et al	5 60
Eli Jones et al building fence old jail lot	18 87
A B Cochran, survey and map Curley trial	20 00
C M Low & Son, iron for jack screws	43
Eli Robbins, taxes on Bright lot	1 35
T J Morris, costs Columbia co vs Hower	1 12
B F Gardner, bill for post mortem case	15 00
E Mendenhall, lumber for old jail fence	8 04
U H Ent, taking two prisoners to Philad'a	57 65
" " " "	59 50
" " " "	61 45
M G Hughes, redemption money	6 69
L Runyon &Co, bill rendered old jail	2 60
W Krickbaum, indexing judgment dockets	85 50
" Prothonotary bill	155 65
W H Snyder, bill for Teachers' Institute	178 50
D McHenry, for damages w end Zaner bridge	20 00
J H Creveling, damage bridge Kimble's mill	95 00
H A Sweppenhiser, Treas. deeds to Comm'rs	383 72
	$1,278 59

COURTS, JURORS' PAY AND CONSTABLES' RETURNS.

Grand jurors during year	$719 24
Traverse jurors during year	2949 13
Constables' returns during year	285 63
Court cryer during year	137 50
Tipstaves during year	214 50
S N Walker, stenographer, $10 per day	$80 00
" Whiting vs Milnes estate	11 40
" Commonwealth vs Curley	7 50
" Christian vs Penn'a Fire Ins co.	5 10
" Jackson vs Stoetzel	33 30
" Stiles et al and Benton M S F & L Association	12 40
G E Myers, court calendar	7 00
Elwell & Bittenbender, court calendar	20 61
Eli Robbins, jury commissioner	28 73
John Hartman, "	24 72
J B Casey clerk to same	15 00
U H Ent serving jury notices	81 00
	$4,932 79

COSTS IN COMMONWEALTH CASES WHERE THE COUNTY BECAME LIABLE.

Justices, constables and witnesses	$1,269 09
R R Little, district attorney	116 00
Wm Krickbaum, clerk at court	85 40
Mrs Jane Brown, jury board Curley trial	120 75
	$1,591 24

ROAD AND BRIDGE VIEWERS AND ROAD DAMAGES.

Sundry persons as viewers			$598 11
Wm L Parks,	damage	Jackson	100 60
Jas Dennis,	"	Bloom	10 00
Aaron Boyd,	"	Centre	10 00
Alex Knouse,	"	Jackson	71 00
John Fritz,	"	"	10 00
Wash Knouse,	"	"	15 00
John Young	"	"	15 00
H Harrington,	"	Mt Pleasant	8 00
Aaron Kelchner,	"	Centre	25 00
Hrs of S Hoyt & Co	"	Bloom	72 00
J H Creveling	"	"	67 33
Mrs Jane Brown,	"	"	65 00
Geo Ikeler,	"	Mt Pleasant	15 00
Clark Vetes,	"	Bloom	69 22
Moses Savage	"	Jackson	20 00
Henry Klein,	"	Bloom	45 00
Henry Yost,	"	"	830 00
Geo Walters	"	Catawissa	50 00
Abraham Hidlay,	"	Jackson	1 00
E A Platt,	"	"	42 00
Alfred Stevens,	"	"	33 00
Jas Eves est,	"	Mt Ples't & Org	70 00
Abram Uldine,	"	"	40 00
Reece M'Henry	"	"	22 00
Joel Reifendifer,	"	"	30 00
Emanuel Appleman,	"	"	63 60
Samuel Trump,	"	Bloom	245 05
Henry Ortwine	"	"	190 00
David Demott est	"	Mt Pleasant	10 00
Stephen Pohe, com'r attending views			32 50
A B Herring " "			34 90
			$2,741 31

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE AND COURT HOUSE.

Wm L Manning, Auditor	$ 15 00
S E Smith "	15 00
C B Seesholtz "	15 00
Jacob Metz, repairing stove drawer	50
C M Drinker " vault lock &c	4 50
J B Casey, stating acc'ts for 1879	25 00
Wm. Ritter, painting	5 00
J C Sterner, repairing vault	50
C Krug, lumber &c for Court House	20 17
R Harris, rep lounge Com'r's office	6 00
Thos Gorry rep Law Library and office	85 73
Mosler Safe & Lock Co, safe treas office	481 00
Ed Searls painting roof court house	4 00
Rollins, Holmes & S. bill rendered	11 57
C C Galignan "	9 45
M J Casey plastering	3 00
Lewis Bernard repairing town clock	7 00
G M & J K Lockard bill rendered	10 73
Wm Crisman et al for work at office	24 50
B L Thomas a gross pens	3 00
L Runyon & Co bill rendered	5 07
B F Rice step ladder for court house	4 00
H H Sands for wood	2 00
O A Jacoby for coal	50 79
D R Coffman repairing blinds court room	1 00
I Hagenbuch repairing stove	1 65
M H Fry repairing court room	75
P Billmeyer bill rendered	3 65
E Mendenhall Agt Lumber court house	14 40
M Cox cleaning court house, &c	85 68
John Cox " " "	1 00
Gas Co for gas	80 03
Stephen Pohe, Commissioner	378 50
Chas Reichart "	368 00
A B Herring "	357 00
E R Ikeler attorney	100 00
J B Casey clerk	770 00
	$2,890 37

COUNTY JAIL.

Stephen Knorr, bill rendered	$ 3 91
P Jones repairs	3 60
W Ritter painting	13 50
Harman & Hassert repairs	17 20
Geo Zimmerman bill rendered	2 65
C L Pohe et al filling bed ticks	4 95
T Gorry repairing	30 50
Rollins, Holmes & S. nails	70
C C Galignan repairs	253 85
C E Hower plastering	1 50
Jas Cadman, Agt furniture	7 25
C Krug lumber	50
R S Ent, bill rendered	2 70
W C Evans repairing barrow	2 00
E Mendenhall, Agt lumber	5 04
O A Jacoby coal	115 29
Lutz & Sloan, bill rendered	2 26
L Gross, clothing	6 00
J Beagle, wood	5 00
Al Freas, trees	3 00
L Runyon & Co bill rendered	3 07
D T Jones, stone floor cellars	42 79
B F Rice, step ladder	4 00
C Reichart, plank for stable	6 84
Wm Pursell, wood	5 00
C A Kleim, medicines	5 50
W W Barret, work about prison	280 20
D Lowenberg, clothing	13 00
W C McKinney, shoes	7 50
P Billmeyer, bill rendered	6 94
I W McKelvy "	32 48
H W McReynolds, tending prisoners	7 00
Gas Co gas	18 10
U H Ent, boarding prisoners	447 50
U H Ent, washing &c	68 34
	$1,429 66

PRINTING, STATIONARY & POSTAGE.

Elwell & Bittenbender, Co Statement	$25 00
" election proclamation	26 00
" advertising	17 50
" blanks	2 35
C M Vanderslice, County Statement	25 00
" election proclamation	26 00
" advertising	13 50
" blanks	13 50
James C Brown, County Statement	25 00
" election proclamation	26 00
" court "	40 00
" blanks	8 50
" advertising	15 00
G E Meyers, County Statement	25 00
" election proclamation	26 00
" blanks	4 85
D A Beckley, postage and box rent	14 75
G A Clark, stationary for office and court	5 78
W F Bisel & Bro "	10 60
Wm Mann, "	17 80
F L Hutter, election blanks	13 33
Pat Pub Co, Daily Patriot	7 00
G A Potter, blanks	4 25
	$412 65

INQUISITION.

Sundry persons for inquests	$101 40

BRIDGES—BUILDING AND REPAIRS.

BEAVER.		
P Shelhammer,	Davis bridge	97
"	Shuman bridge	1 33
BENTON.		
Geo Keeler	Cole bridge	1 50
Wm Unger,	Kimble bridge	6 50
Ira J Thomas	"	2 00
Jas Conner,	Cole bridge	30 47
S Appleman,	Karns bridge	2 25
"	Mendenhall bridge	3 84
"	Westcreek bridge	1 25
Jas Wetreman,	Cole bridge	1 25
Z T Butt,	Kimble bridge	10 84
E Laubach,	Cole bridge	11 09
Ed McHenry	"	26 25
Sam Appleman	"	2 00
"	Benton bridge	2 26
J E Edson,	Cole bridge	1 25
S W McHenry	"	9 37
S D Cole,	"	6 55
W A Kile, contract Kimble mill bridge		59 00
BLOOM.		
Wm Pursel, Shaffer bridge		3 00
Martz & Ivy, Barton bridge		3 00
Wm Harman, Shaffer bridge		18 19
J S Mensch, Rupert bridge		2 25
BRIARCREEK.		
C Reichart plank Rittenhouse bridge		15 00
J A Wanick " "		1 50
" Bowman "		10 80
Ed Stewart " "		13 50
" Rittenhouse "		1 87
Low Bro & Co " "		3 90
" Bowman "		86
M Brittain, Rittenhouse "		8 25
E Krumm " "		3 50
CATAWISSA.		
C Reichart, plank McKelvy mill bridge		11 72
CENTRE.		
E Ringrose, Hutton bridge		7 00
Jacob Hetler, Centreville bridge		4 50
C Reichart, plank Centreville bridge		38 77
L Runyon & Co keg spikes		4 00
FISHINGCREEK.		
Jno Zahner, west end bridge at Zaner's		44 08
Jno Dresher, McHenry mill bridge		2 38
" Stillwater bridge		1 65
C & D McHenry, on contract bridge near Jno Zaner		237 00
FRANKLIN.		
Jacob Knittle, Mendenhall bridge		82
" Rohrbach bridge		2 98
GREENWOOD.		
B F Battin, iron bridge Millville		1 25
" Eyer Grove bridge		1 25
" Aikman bridge		1 25
" Iola bridge		1 25
J B Quick Eyer Grove bridge		6 10
H Colterman, Ed McHenry bridge		11 25
Wm Lawton, Eckman bridge		3 50
Jno Leggott, Millville iron bridge		13 97
J K Wellver, Ed McHenry bridge		54 75
HEMLOCK.		
Martz & Ivy, Pursell bridge		1 00
JACKSON.		
J M Larish, Elk Run bridge		11 72
LOCUST.		
Solomon Strauser, Snyder bridge		2 63
D Helwig, Walter bridge		2 50
Comr's of North'd county cont Walter bridge		275 00
MAIN.		
F E Bentz, Mainville bridge		2 00
MT. PLEASANT.		
G E Mordan, Wilson bridge		50
" Mordansville bridge		50
Amos Wanich, Wanich bridge		1 50
M Kindt, Sands bridge		1 00
" Wilson bridge		1 00
" Kester bridge		62
Philip Miller, Wilson bridge (above)		5 75
" " " (below)		1 00
ORANGE.		
J Heldebrant, iron bridge		25
PINE.		
M W Shoemaker, Shoemaker bridge		10 00
SUGARLOAF.		
E Cole, E Cole bridge		5 00
J H Fritz, A Cole bridge		30 00
Wm A Kile, A Cole bridge		5 02
" Hess bridge		2 91
" J O Hess		5 00
E Cole, E Cole bridge		2 50
J B Hess, Hess bridge		4 80
J M Shultz, A Cole bridge		1 72
		$1,088 12

PENITENTIARY AND ASYLUM.

Support of Lizzie Milton, Danville	167 00
" David Shea "	170 30
Convicts in Eastern Penitentiary for '79	661 75
	$999 05

ASSESSORS PAY.

Beaver	$25 45	Jackson	$15 25
Benton	15 25	Locust	22 00
Berwick	19 75	Madison	19 75
Bloom	29 00	Main	16 75
Briarcreek	22 75	Mifflin	21 62
Catawissa	25 00	Montour	10 75
Centralia	19 75	Mt Pleasant	16 00
Centre	19 37	Orange	14 50
Conyngham	22 00	Pine	16 75
Fishingcreek	26 50	Roaringcreek	11 50
Franklin	9 20	Scott	20 50
Greenwood	24 50	Sugarloaf	15 25
Hemlock	16 75		
Assessors for fall registry of voters			117 00
			$591 85

SCALPS FOR FOX AND WILD CATS.

Paid sundry persons	75 75

ELECTION EXPENSES.

Paid spring election officers	$549 38
" fall " "	485 00
" spring room rent	132 00
" fall " "	132 00
" constables advts & attending spring elc	146 40
" " " " fall elec 1879	52 00
" " " " " 1880	50 00
" C B Mason, overseer " 1879	2 00
" Benj Kistler " " " 1879	2 00
" Evan Buckalew " " 1879	2 50
J M Clark, senatorial R Judge	3 50
W J Buckalew, Congressional R Judge	13 70
F L Hutter, election blanks	17 34
W Krickbaum et al counting fall vote	20 39
	$1,408 21

TAXES REFUNDED.

Amt township taxes refunded	$4,195 68

BLANK BOOKS.

W F Murphy & Son, 1 doc Proth's office	$16 50
" " 2 " Recorders office	28 50
Wm Mann 4 " Proth's office	47 60
" 2 " Recorders office	26 00
F L Hutter, 84 registry books	16 81
" 75 duplicates	44 20
	$179 61

COUNTY BONDS.

Amt county bonds redeemed	$8,000 00
" coupons on same paid	1,881 00
Int paid on overdue county bonds	18 00
	$9,899 00

RECAPITULATION.

Miscellaneous	$1,278 59
Courts, jurors pay, constables returns, &c	4,932 79
Costs in commonwealth cases	1,591 24
Road & bridge viewers and road damages	2,741 31
Commissioners office and court house	2,890 37
County jail	1,429 66
Printing, stationary and postage	412 65
Inquisitions	101 40
Bridges—building and repairs	1,088 12
Penitentiary and Asylum	959 05
Assessors pay	591 85
Fox and wild cat scalps	75 75
Election expenses	1,408 21
Taxes refunded	4,195 68
Blank books	179 91
County bonds, coupons and interest paid on overdue county bonds	9,899 00
	$33,815 32

From amount of orders issued deduct $4,195 68, taxes refunded, and $6 69 redemption money and $9,899 00, bonds, coupons and interest on overdue bonds paid, leaves $19,713 95 which is the actual ordinary expenses for the year A. D., 1880.

SHEEP ORDERS ISSUED.

Beaver	20 00	Jackson	15 50
Benton	95 50	Locust	18 50
Briarcreek	33 75	Madison	6 00
Centre	5 00	Montour	5 00
Fishingcreek	7 00	Mt. Pleasant	17 00
Franklin	12 00	Pine	29 25
Greenwood	57 25	Sugarloaf	40 50
Hemlock	7 50		
			$381 75

STATEMENT OF DOG TAX AND SHEEP FUND.

Dog tax due from collectors	$2,009 26	
Probabable commission and ex off	325 00	$1684 26
Add amount in treasurer's hands		21 57
Gives total assets		$1,705 83

COUNTY FINANCES.

ASSETS.

Tax in hands of collectors' duplicates	$19203 51
Probable commission and exoneration off	2500 00
	$16,703 51
Add amount in hands of Treasurer	4207 04
Add value of old jail property	3500 00
Add value of Mary Bright prot'y F Creek	150 00
*Am't due from Benton twp for Colleys	59 78
Balance due on Gera Hower note	95 00
Two double set assess books	59 39
Two set duplicates	29 30
	$24,803 93

LIABILITIES.

Costs due in Commonwealth cases	$543 43
Amount tax due the several districts	1491 07
" road & brdg'e viewers due on bks	194 40
" county prison bonds unpaid	26300 00
" county prison coupons unpaid	575 00
" road damages assessed and unpaid estimated as nearly as can be	4000 00
	$33,103 90
	24,803 93
Actual indebtedness of the county January 1st, 1881	$8,299 97

We, the undersigned Commissioners of Columbia County, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct statement of accounts of said county, for the year A. D. 1880.

STEPHEN POHE,
A. B. HERRING,
CHAS. REICHART,
Commissioners of Columbia County.

Attest: J. B. CASEY, Clerk.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of Columbia County, having been duly elected to adjust and settle the accounts of the Treasurer and Commissioners of Columbia county, do hereby certify that we met at the office of the Treasurer and Commissioners, in Bloomsburg, and carefully examined the accounts and vouchers of the same from the 1st day of January, A. D., 1880 to the first day of January, A. D., 1881, and find them correct as above stated, and we find a balance due Columbia county on county fund of four thousand two hundred and seven dollars and four cents (4,207.04) from H. A. Sweppenhiser Treas. of Columbia co. And we find a balance of four hundred and twenty-three dollars and seventy-four sents ($423 74) on State fund found in the hands of H. A. Sweppenhiser, Treasurer. And we find a balance of twenty-one dollars and fifty-seven cents ($21 57) on dog fund found in the hands of H. A. Sweppenhiser, Treasurer.

Given under our hands and seal this 8th day of January, A. D., 1881.

WM. L. MANNING,
C. B. SEESHOLTZ,
SAMUEL E. SMITH,
County Auditors.

*Paid since settlement.

Commissioners' Office, Feb. 4, 1881.

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