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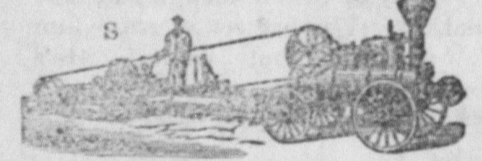
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COFFEES, SUGARS, SYRUPS, TEAS, CANNED GOODS,

DRIED FRUITS, HAM, DRIED BEEF,

FISH, SALT, BEST OYSTERS,

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All kinds of Country Produce

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A Perfect Combination with two Silent Advantages—Why it Concerns You.

"There is no mistake about it," remarked Dr. M. F. Flowers, of Gallatin, Missouri, "BENSON'S CAPSINE POROUS PLASTER are one of the nearest combinations ever produced. They have two kinds of advantages over all others, which we may call the minor and the major. First, they are clean and pleasant to use, never soiling the hands or the lines of the wearer. Second, they act quickly and powerfully. I have tried the Capsine Plaster on myself for pneumonia and on my patients for various diseases, such as Neuralgia, Muscular Rheumatism, Lumbago, Kidney trouble, etc., and in all cases relief has followed in from three to forty-eight hours."

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Seabury & Johnson, Chemists, New York.

THE CENTRE REPORTER.

CENTRE HALL, PA., May 24, 1883.

The Largest Paper in Centre County.

THE ERB COMMUTATION.

Reasons Why the Pardon Board Recommended the Death Sentence.

The board of pardons have filed the following reasons why the commutation of the sentence of Israel Erb, the last of the Kintzler murderers, was asked: First, Good and reasonable doubt exists as to the degree of the complicity of the defendant in the killing of John and Gretchen Kintzler. That while due respect has been shown for the opinion of honestly disposed persons, we have reached our decision only on the basis of evidence appearing since defendant's conviction, and his evidence strongly supports the doubts referred to above, and is not without a positive right in defendant's favor, yet not sufficient, in our judgement, to warrant his pardon.

Second. The statement of Uriah Moyer, who suffered the extreme penalty of the law and was executed March 7, 1883, was made in the presence of G. H. Grimm, Esq., district attorney, and J. B. Wonderly, Esq., and contains an allegation that defendant was present at the killing of the Kintzlers. It lays the guilt of the killing upon Emanuel Ettinger and himself—Uriah Moyer—and the taking of the money upon Samuel Ettinger, Jonathan Moyer and himself—Uriah Moyer.

Third. The confession of Uriah Moyer, made in the presence of Rev. A. H. Spangler and J. P. Shindler, shortly before his (Moyer's) execution, details the manner of the killing and makes Emanuel Ettinger and himself (Moyer) the only actors in it. According to the confession defendant was not even present at the killing.

Fourth. Whilst Uriah Moyer charges that "the first he ever heard or thought of in connection with the murder of Mr. Kintzler or anybody else," was brought in a conversation with defendant, yet it appears that conversation occurred several years prior to the murder, and he is distinct and positive in statement that defendant advised the killing of only John Kintzler and the scaring of his wife Gretchen.

Fifth. The defendant was arrested, indicted, tried for and acquitted of the killing of John Kintzler.

Sixth. The confession of Jonathan Moyer, made in the presence of Rev. D. E. Reed, is to the same effect as Uriah Moyer's. He does not connect the defendant with the killing nor even with the taking of the money. He says that Emanuel Ettinger and Uriah Moyer were present at the killing on Friday and that Emanuel Ettinger, Uriah Moyer and himself were present at the taking of the money on Saturday. That they were present on the former occasion and he names them.

Seventh. The confession of Emanuel Ettinger, made in the presence of his spiritual adviser, Rev. J. P. Shindler, J. P. Stetler, a jail keeper, and the Hon. Andrew H. Dill and F. J. Smith, attorneys at law, as sworn to by them severally and individually, makes no mention of defendant advising the killing, and does distinctly make the actors in it Uriah Moyer and himself.

Eighth. These statements and confessions were made subsequent to the trial of defendant for the murder of Gretchen Kintzler.

Lastly. These facts and certain others connected with the trials of the several defendants, as shown by the testimony, seem to sustain a reasonable doubt in the case of this defendant, and while not sufficient, in our judgement, to justify his pardon, is sufficient to warrant our recommendation that his sentence be commuted from death to imprisonment for life.

This recommendation is signed by Lieutenant Governor Black, Secretary Stenger and Secretary Dunkel. Attorney General Cassidy voted against commutating the sentence, and therefore did not sign the recommendation.

Harrisburg, May 16.—The jury returned a verdict of acquittal in the case of Congressman Thompson for the killing of Davis. The jury was out an hour. The verdict was received with a deafening shout by the densely packed house. Thompson was warmly congratulated.

Who struck Billy Patterson, is not a question asked any more. The phrase is who can come nearest Lewins & Co. in selling cheap clothing?

The Sunbury Daily says that Mr. Buchholz, chief engineer of the Shamokin, Sunbury and Lewisburg railroad, has received orders to have the road completed and in running order by June 15th. Work will be carried on night and day to complete it by that time.

Mr. N. Elkin, Wrightsville, Pa., says: I used Brown's Iron Bitters for loss of appetite and found them excellent, invigorating and refreshing.

WHY THEY CALL HIM "OLD MAN."

"Yes, that's sadly so," said Jenkins, "my hair is turning gray and falling out before its time. Use something? I would but most hair restorers are dangerous." "True," answered his friend, "but Parker's Hair Balsam is as harmless as it is effective. I've tried it, and know. Give the Balsam a show and the boys will soon stop calling you 'Old Man Jenkins.' It never fails to restore the original color to gray or faded hair. Richly perfumed, an elegant dressing. may 17

Columbia, S. C., May 11.—News from the convict camp on the Georgetown and Lanes Railroad says in a break for liberty by nine of ninety-five convicts the guard fired. One was killed outright; another was shot in the river and drowned; a third was shot and supposed drowned. Six escaped. Two were recaptured.

ERIE'S EXPERIENCE.

ANOTHER CURE UTTERLY WITHOUT A PRECEDENT.

Erie, Pa., Sept. 10th 1881.—Dr. Hartman: I cannot but express my thanks to you for the great benefit I received from the use of *Peruna* and *Manalin*. One bottle of each placed me squarely on my feet after a long sickness, which had laid me in bed and then left me lame and crippled. Three day's use of these remedies dispensed with the cane, and in a week I was perfectly well.

N. J. WRIGHT.

Business Agent, Erie Evening Herald. Ask your druggist for Dr. Hartman's Book on the "Ile of Life" He will give it gratis. If not, address Dr. H. at Osborn, O.

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starts the May and June Sales with the unheard-of aggregate stock of Two and a Half Millions

\$2,500,000,

and nowhere in the United States is there so large a stock at retail to which City and Country People

have access alike, with prices marked plainly, so that

All pay the same at John Wanamaker's.

The certainty that besides numerous bargains daily spread on the counters the

Big Store is now known to fix the Market Prices

of all the things dealt in, settles conclusively that it is the BEST PLACE FOR STRANGERS to deal.

Those who do not care to stop over night at a hotel, can check bags, coats, umbrellas and packages at the store door and

get a lunch in the building.

The few items below show how things are going just now.

Send postal card for samples.

From one of the largest and best Paris houses we have some splendid lots of Dress Goods, all told about two hundred full pieces, that were not ready for delivery until long after the time, and on account thereof were reduced 25 per cent. all around.

This makes some famous bargains:

41-inch all wool Illuminated

Beige, 45c.

43-inch all wool Crepe Beige, 50c.

Far under value.

45-inch Cashmere Beige, 60c. Far

under value.

42-inch all wool Check, 50c. Far

under value.

42-inch all wool Albatross, 60c.

Far under value.

42-inch all wool Albatross, 75c.

Far under value.

The following lots are very desirable:

40-inch all wool French Shoods,

50c.

42-inch all wool French Shoods,

75c.

42-inch all wool Pin's Head

Check, 60c.

31-inch Nun's Veiling (creams),

35c.

The steady increase of our Dress Goods Department must be

owing to the constant watch to keep our prices the lowest. We

could not afford to cut off dress

patterns and take them back, as our

rules compel, when others sold at

lower rates, so we are on the alert

all the time to protect ourselves by

marking the lowest figures going.

A magnificent lot of newly imported Lyons Black Grenadines, warranted all silk. The designs are rich and beautiful. Two qualities, \$1 25 and \$1 50, which is said to be less than half of the cost of importation. Before the goods reached the counters twenty dresses were sold by sample pieces that customers saw in passing. We have some other Black Goods at half price.

Linnen Sheeting, 2 1/2 yds wide, value 90c, now 65c; value \$1 00, now 75c; value \$1 20, now 85c.

45-inch Pillow Linnen, 37 1/2

54-inch do d 50c.

40 inch Butcher's Linnen, 22c.

2-4 Drawer Linnen, 18, 22, 25, 28

and 31c.

Fine Cream Damask, \$1 25; reduced to 1 dollar.

Table Cloths, 2 1/2 x 2 1/2, 2 1/2 x 3, 2 1/2

4 1/2, 2 1/2 x 5 yards.

Towel, 22x43 inches, weighing 1/2

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Damask Towel, 23x48 inches, good and heavy, price now at first

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Ladies' English solid color brilliant Lisle Hose, 50c.

Ladies' colored Hose 12 1/2c, hitherto 25c.

Ladies' long Balbriggan, French foot 20c, hitherto 31c.

Ladies' fancy Hose, a fifty cent quality for 25c.

Men's full regular made, (German) brown-mixed 12 1/2c.

Men's English Striped, full regular made, 18c.

Children's full regular made, at 15, 20, 30, 36c, worth double.

The Madras, Nottingham, Antique and Tamboured Curtains are in usual abundance.

Furniture Covering being at 12 1/2c a yard, and some of our Cretonnes are the cheapest we have ever had.

Handsome Antique Curtains, \$3 50 per pair.

Four styles Gentlemen's Suspenders, made in our work rooms at Oak Hall, 15, 25, 40 and 50c.

Balbriggan Underwear, 37 1/2c; used to be 50c. Good Night Shirt, 75c.

Some lots of Buttons and Dress Trimmings at nominal prices as long as they last. New importation of Paris Buttons open.

Children's and Misses Trimmed Hats, ready to put on for \$1 50 to \$1 75 and 2 dollars and upwards. These come from our own work rooms.

Ladies' Rough-and-Ready Bonnets and Hats, all colors and black, for 25c.

173 dozen of sprays of fine flowers at 25c a spray, for millinery and corsage. These are about half price.

There is a new counter for 9 and 12c, Satin and Gros Grain Ribbons, of which we have all colors.

The new Waukenphast Shoe is about the best thing yet that has done for men, if comfort for the feet is considered. Only first class workmen can make them, and, as yet, we have not been able to make sufficient quantities to get the price lower than 7 dollars; but this is a dollar less than we are told, is asked elsewhere.

15-yard lengths of Summer Silks, 35 to 65c.

Glance Changeable Silks, 65c.

New India Silks, black grounds, small white figures, very handsome, at \$1 50.

A fair Black Silk is going now for 75c, and quite a good one for a Dollar.

If you will pay \$1 50, we have a quality of the Bellon make that we recommend, and will ask you to recommend after wearing it.

20-inch Black Satin Parasol lined in various colors, ten gilt ribs, handsome natural stick, Spanish lace trimmed. Price, 3 Dollars.

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