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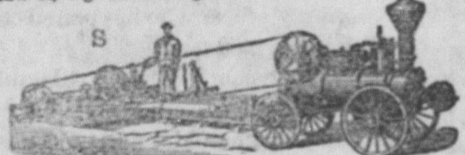
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17 May 17

PAYNE'S 10 Horse Spark-Arresting Portable Engine has cut 10,000 ft. of Michigan Pine board in 10 hours, burning slabs from the saw in eight-foot lengths.



Our 10 Horse We estimate to furnish power to saw 8,000 feet of Hemlock boards in 10 hours. Our 15 Horse will cut 10,000 feet in same time.

Our Engines are constructed to furnish a horse-power on less fuel and water than any other Engine not fitted with an Automatic Cut-Off. If you want a Stationary or Portable Engine, Boiler, Circular Saw Mill, Shaving or Pulley, either cast or Medlar's Patent Wrought Iron Pulley, send for our illustrated Catalogue for information and prices.

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Orders should be Sent in Early to Secure Our Cheap and Reliable

BAUGH'S 25-DOLLAR PHOSPHATE,

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PRICE \$25 PER TON OF 2000 LBS.

On Cars or boats in Philadelphia.

—Guaranteed Analysis Printed on Each Bag.

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20 South Delaware Ave., Philad.

24 May 16

NEW GROCERY —AT—
—COBURN, PENN'A.—

R. F. Vonada will keep staple groceries, pure and fresh, and low in price.

COFFEES, SUGARS, SYRUPS, TEAS, CANNED GOODS, DRIED FRUITS, HAM, DRIED BEEF, COAL OIL, FISH, SALT, BEST OYSTERS, CRACKERS, &c. &c.

All kinds of Country Produce wanted, and highest market prices paid for it. 11 Jan 17

DANIEL PRUTZMAN, BOOT AND SHOEMAKER.

After April 1st will open in the Durst-building, when he will be prepared to make to order Boots and Shoes, and do all kinds of repairing. Satisfaction guaranteed, and charges reasonable. He asks a share of the public patronage. Smart

Here At Last.

After Long and Weary Waiting Relief is Brought to Those Who Need it.

"Well, Pat," said an Orange county physician to a complicated Irish patient some years ago, "for that pain in your chest you had better go home and put on a mustard plaster. I can't think, this minute of anything better. And by the way," added the doctor turning to a friend, "I wish somebody would invent a real good plaster—something actually helpful for such cases as Pat's. Maybe they will sometime when its too late for me to use it."

When DENSON'S CAPSICUM POROUS PLASTER was placed on market about ten years ago the doctors' hope became a fact. Because of the rare medicinal virtues inherent in it, its rapid action and sure results, the Capsicum is fast displacing the slow-acting plaster of former days. For all affections to which a plaster is ever applicable. Price 25 cents. In the middle of the genuine is cut the word "Capsicum."

Seabury and Johnson, Chemists, N. Y. June

THE CENTRE REPORTER.

CENTRE HALL, PA., May 31, 1883.

The Largest Paper in Centre County.

FROM ILLINOIS.

RIDOTT, ILL., May 17.

ED. REPORTER.—Allow me to answer through the columns of your worthy paper some of the questions asked by my friends in "old Centre."

Ridott is located in the most beautiful and fertile part of Stephenson county on the south bank of Peconicon, and on the Chicago & Northwestern R. R. and seven miles east of Freeport, the county seat, and 113 miles northwest of Chicago. It is an incorporated town containing about 500 inhabitants, a brisk business place, being a coal and grain centre; has two churches, viz: Free Methodist and United Brethren which are well attended; a large school building in which are two schools—grammar and primary—open nine months of the year; two Sunday schools, two stores, steam elevator and chopping mill, three smith shops, harness and shoe shop, meat market, public hall, two saloons and billiard halls.

The river is well stocked with fish, viz: Buffalo, redhorse, pickerel, pike and catfish, the latter grow very large; what are called catfish in the East are here called bullheads.

The surrounding country is a little rolling, but said to be very productive, prospects are good for a big hay crop; grain looks well, but owing to the hard winter fruit will be scarce, as it is nearly all frozen. The wet weather has delayed the farmers with their work, consequently there is a great deal of corn to plant yet. Timber for fuel is plenty, varieties are oak, sugar, maple, hickory, walnut, etc.—no pine.

Town and county is made up principally of people from Penn'a and New York, except the Germans we have, all in good circumstances. Aaron Dupst, formerly of near Centre Hall, moved to this place about two weeks ago. We have no desire as yet to return and are all well. Thus I have told all the news in general. Yours truly,

C. F. LEITZELL.

The June number of the *North American Review* opens with an article by Joseph Nimmo, Jr., Chief of the Treasury Bureau of Statistics, on "American Manufacturing Interests", in which is given a singularly full and instructive historical sketch of the rise and progress of manufactures in the United States, together with a very effective presentation of their present condition, and of the agency of tariff legislation in promoting diversified industries and encouraging the inventive genius of the people. Should this author's advocacy of protective legislation prove distasteful, the reader finds the needed corrective in an article by the Hon. Wm. M. Springer, on "Incidental Taxation", which is an argument for Free Trade. Dr. C. Gilman, President of Johns Hopkins University, writes of the "Present Aspects of College Training", as affected by the increase of wealth and luxury, and the development of natural science, and the influence of a larger religious liberty. Edward Self presents some weighty considerations on the "Abuse of Citizenship", as exhibited in the machinations of the dynamitists against a friendly power, in disregard of the obligations of American neutrality. Prof. Isaac L. Rice criticises some of "Herbert Spencer's Facts and Inferences" in social and political science, and Christine Nilsson contributes "A Few Words about Public Singing". Finally, there is a symposium on "The Moral Influence of the Drama", the participants being on the one side, the Rev. Dr. J. M. Buckley well known as an opponent of the stage, and on the other, John Gilbert, the actor; A. M. Palmer, theatrical manager; and Wm. Winter, dramatic critic. 50 cents a number: \$5 a year. Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York.

OVER ONE HUNDRED MILLIONAIRES IN THE QUAKER CITY.

George Alfred Townsend writes to the *New York Tribune* Mr. Frank McLaughlin, of Philadelphia, told me on Thursday that Francis Drexel, of the banking house which originated there, was said to be worth thirteen million dollars, and Anthony Drexel worth eleven million. There were about 100 millionaires in Philadelphia, and some fortunes of five to ten millions. Jay Cooke was probably worth three millions again. A Mr. William, of whom little was known, was one of the wealthiest Philadelphians. The son of Thomas A. Scott, age about thirty, was building the finest residence in Philad., on Walnut street. Mr. George Roberts, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, was put down at six millions, and Mr. Cassatt at two or three. Mr. Roberts' salary is \$25,000 a year. Mr. Thomas, once of Jay Cooke's banking house, was now a partner in Drexel's. Colonel McClure has \$24,000 income from his paper, his wife owning 555 out of the 2,000 shares, and his salary was \$12,000, included in the above.

At Lindenville, Ohio, two children, 6 and 2 years old, were drowned by their mother, and afterward poisoned herself.

The Grand Lodge of Good Templars, meeting in Chicago, proposes to aid in procuring liquor prohibition enactments in the several States.

Last week snow fell in Cincinnati, O., in Illinois the fruit crop has been injured by ice, and a severe frost has seriously damaged the crops in Missouri.

It was believed that upland cotton would suffer greatly from frost, which appeared in Arkansas and other portions of the South.

We learn that a few weeks since Mr. Geo. Reish at the distillery in Buffalo twp. purchased about 110 hogs in the west and brought them by cars to this county.

They were not sick on the way but since he has received them they have been attacked with some disease and are dying very rapidly. Up to last Monday he had lost 53 of them and he has little prospects of saving any of them. It is hoped this disease will be prevented from spreading to other parts of the county.—*Lewisburg Journal.*

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

John Wanamaker

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, 75. Far under value.

The following lots are very desirable:

- 40-inch all wool French Shooda, 50c.
- 42-inch all wool French Shooda, 75.
- 42-inch all wool Pin's Head Check, 60.
- 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.
- 40 inch do d 50c.
- 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, 21x21, 21x3, 21 1/2, 21x5 yards.
- Towel, 22x43 inches, weighing 1/2 a pound, 25c.
- Damask Towel, 23x48 inches, good and heavy, price now at first hands, 37c; our price 31c.

- Ladies' English solid color brilliant Lisle Hose, 50c.
- Ladies' colored Hose 12c, 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 12c.
- 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 12c a yard, and some of our Cretonne 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, 37c; used to be 50c. Good Night Shirt, 75.

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.
- Glace 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.

JOHN WANAMAKER.

Chestnut Street, Thirteenth and Market Streets,
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