

LAPLAND LOVE-MAKING.

When a young gentleman in Lapland desires to assume new responsibilities, he lays in a large stock of brandy, and his parents, relatives and friends meet in as great numbers as possible, to treat the friends of the bride.

The Columbia Spy.

PENNSYLVANIA INDEPENDENT JOURNAL. COLUMBIA, Pa. SATURDAY, OCT. 4, 1856.

Porter's Spirit of the Times.—This chronicle of the turf, agriculture, fieldsports, literature and the stage, edited by W. T. Porter and George Wilkes, has advanced to its fourth number, and has been received by the public with every manifestation of popular applause.

The Knickerbocker Magazine.—Old Knick keeps his reputation up and considerably more so. The last number is a jewel and an stand on its own merits.

The October number of Godey's Lady's Book was received early, but we had not room to notice it. It is a little the best taken together, that he ever put out, but Godey beats him off every time.

Burlington.—The Hon. Mr. Burlingame has been re-nominated by the Americans and Republicans of the Fifth District in Massachusetts, for Congress.

Fall Fashions.—There is no perceptible change of importance in the dress of the ladies. The bonnets and bonnet-ribbons are the same as last year.

Parade for Personal Injury.—In the Supreme Court of Boston on Saturday, the case of Charles Demings, administrator of George Palmer, against the City of Boston, was decided.

The Louisville (Ky.) Courier, says, "the weather over there partakes of polar severity, and that they have had frost in Kentucky, and more of it over in Indiana."

Town and County Matters.

We are requested to announce that the regular quarterly Communion season in the Presbyterian Church occurs on to-morrow, Sabbath day.

Gift Exhibition.—Mr. Winters intends giving a Gift Exhibition this evening. All who have witnessed his Views, say that they are superior to anything ever displayed in this town.

Political.—The meeting in Lancaster on Wednesday last, of the friends of Fremont and Dayton, is represented by the Inland Daily, as the largest held in that city since the days of Tip and hard cider.

Lectures on Memory.—A series of lectures on Memory and a new system of improving it, given in this place during the week in pronounced by our friends the worst kind of humbuggery.

The Fair at York.—The Agricultural Fair at York, this week, was more numerous attended than at any previous exhibition of the same kind in that place.

More Good Shooting.—Jos. Black, Esq., went gunning the other day and after shooting about three or four hours, counted his spoils. The number killed was 43.—Rail, Bitter duck, English snipe and Red birds.

Fatal Accident.—Yesterday a young man named Wm. Brecht, was accidentally killed, his head being crushed by the wheel of a wagon loaded with stone, that he was driving on the Marietta turnpike at Rohrerstown.

The Geneva Fireman's Journal has for its motto: "Out with the snakehen." Wouldn't "Out with the fire" be a little more appropriate?

ABRIDGED DEBATES IN CONGRESS.—The National Intelligencer announces that the work of presenting an abridgment of the debates in Congress from March 4, 1789, to the present time, undertaken by ex-Senator Benton, has been so rapidly progressed with that the first volume is already nearly completed.

A New Printing Press.—Among the many mechanical inventions already on exhibition in the Fair of the American Institute, one of the most interesting is a printing press, invented and patented by J. F. Starrett, of this city, which is designed for printing music from steel plates, copper and steel-plate engravings, &c.

EUROPEAN GOLD AND SILVER COIN.—The governments of Europe, it is probable, will be forced to resort to the same debasement of their silver coin as has been practiced in the United States, in order to prevent its absorption by China and the East Indies.

Horrible Murder.—A MAN STONED TO DEATH.—ANOTHER SEVERELY BEATEN.—Much excitement was caused, yesterday morning, by the announcement that Patrick Carroll, seagr maker, of 109 Lumber street, aged 23 years, had been beset by a party of men and murdered, while returning home with Jessup Townsend, also a seagr maker of 130 Second street.

BEAUTIFUL NIGHT SCENE.—Hon. Edward Everett, in his lecture at the opening of Dudley Observatory, New York, presented the following description of a night scene: "I had occasion, a few weeks since, to take the early train for Boston, and for this purpose rose at two o'clock in the morning—Everything around was wrapped in silence, broken only by what seemed at that hour the unearthly clank and ruck of the train."

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS.—FLOUR.—Standard superfine, for shipment sold at \$6.75, and good straight brands at \$6.87 1/2 per bbl, at which rate there are some buyers.

THE BALTIMORE MARKETS.—FLOUR.—There were sales this morning of 400 bbls. Howard Street super at \$6.87 1/2, but subsequently there were sales of 600 bbls. do. at \$6.75, at which figure it was offered quite freely at the close, without finding buyers.

WHISKEY.—We hear of sales of about 150 bbls. City Whiskey at 37 cts., 100 bbls. Ohio do. at 37 cts., and 100 bbls. do. at 35 cts. cash. We heard also of some small lots City Whiskey having been sold at 37 1/2 cts.—American, 2d inst.

THE AMERICAN FLAG.—The flag of our country is a banner of beauty, and opened to the breeze, it always inspires a descendant of revolutionary ancestry, with patriotic devotion to liberty.

YERES'S SELF-ACTING FARM WELL.—Mr. J. A. Yeres, of Hartford, Ct., has invented a mode of drawing water for cattle, horses, and in pastures, yards, and other places where water cannot be had above ground.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS, a certain Remedy for Ulcerous Sores.—Jeremiah Henderson, of Wilmington, North Carolina, suffered for seven years and five months with six ulcers on his leg, and three on his arm, which defied every kind of treatment.

H. WINTERS'S GIFT EXHIBITION, AT ODD FELLOWS'S HALL, SATURDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 4, 1856. In addition to the Exhibition of Chemical Dioramas, Crystalline Views, Chromatopes, &c., there will be distributed OVER 25,000 numbers of our celebrated GOLD ENAMELED WATCH, Gold Pencils, Car Rugs, &c.

DR. ISAAC THOMPSON'S much celebrated EYE WATER.—This old, tried and invaluable remedy for all diseases of the eyes, after having stood the test of over Fifty Years, and the demand for it still increasing, has been prepared for the past two years, after a long and successful trial.

WOOD'S HAIR RESTORATIVE.—This is a new and valuable preparation for restoring the hair to its original color and permanency. It is made from the most delicate and purest ingredients, and is perfectly safe and reliable.

WOOD'S GREAT PEPPERMINT CURE.—This is a new and valuable preparation for curing all kinds of coughs, colds, and bronchitis. It is made from the most delicate and purest ingredients, and is perfectly safe and reliable.

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