

A. M. RAYBO, Editor, COLUMBIA, PA.

Hon. E. K. Smith, of the House of Representatives...

Written for the "Spy" Columbia's Future.

There is no medium in all the operations of the human race which affords so much benefit and prosperity to all classes as the employment of labor.

The other is called the "Lampugus" and is intended for river service, being the same length as the "Manayunk" but of lighter draught.

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Last week being the week for prayer throughout the Christian World, we were observed by the different congregations of Pittsburg, and more than ordinary interest was manifested in some of the churches.

Historical Sketches. BY H. W. G. The Founder of Pennsylvania. William Penn was the intimate friend of the celebrated Algernon Sidney.

Mr. Editor:—I notice a communication in the Lancaster Intelligencer of the 12th inst. in reply to a piece inserted in your paper last week, signed "Chip."

Mr. Editor:—Having been present, and having taken an active part in the late Borough election, I am, I presume, the person alluded to by your correspondent "Chip" in last week's issue.

ception of about twenty-five men. Upon their return they were well received by the citizens of the Borough...

Your readers are probably not aware of the fact that two "Monitors" are being built here for the Government, one of which, the "Manayunk" is for sea service and is larger than any of its class yet built, containing all the modern improvements.

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Historical Sketches. BY H. W. G.

The Founder of Pennsylvania. William Penn was the intimate friend of the celebrated Algernon Sidney. On his return to London, upon a certain occasion, several acquaintances told him that Sidney had been speaking of him in a manner incompatible with any true friendship.

Algernon Sidney stood for a seat in Parliament. Though of a very ancient and distinguished family, and though supported by men of the finest abilities, including our Founder, who strained every nerve to secure his friend's election, both by frequenting the hustings and by writing political tracts, one of which, entitled "England's Great Interest in the choice of a New Parliament," is styled by a distinguished critic "an elaborate and masterly address to Protestants, notwith-standing all these favorable circumstances Sidney was defeated."

But it was through bribery and corruption, on the part of the government, that Algernon Sidney was defeated in Guildford, and that a creature of the Stuarts, Colonel Dalmahey, was returned in his stead. The great republican was now induced, through the advice of his friends, to stand for Bramber in Kent. But the government feared his powerful mind and determined to keep him out of parliament. Though Sidney was returned, and that, too, in opposition to his brother Henry, who had consented to become a tool of the court, his election was annulled through intrigue and corruption, and he was excluded from his seat in parliament, his right to which Penn had been the most efficient in securing.

This defect made a profound and lasting impression on Penn's mind and turned his thoughts steadily toward America, having little hope left of the present regeneration of England.

among some of the actors to stiff with illegal votes, the ball was cast and a total ignorance of the provisions made to govern the Borough election, and aroar of all sorts...

Of the case of the freholder, who had been voting for twenty years, etc., I know nothing, but if his name was not on the list, it may have been the fault of the assessor, or his own not certainly was not a legal oppression, nor arising from any defect in the charter.

The "Chip" stands convicted of a falsehood unmanly and ungenerous. He complains that persons between the ages of twenty-one and twenty-two years should be deprived of a vote—but sees nothing wrong in the case of persons, coming hither within the year, being forced to get from the same dish!

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strength, there be to the end of years, yet is their strength but labored and slow, that their minds are so slight, and their spirits so weak, that they are unable to sustain their minds in the pursuit of their studies, and their bodies are so weak, that they are unable to sustain their spirits in the pursuit of their studies.

Although possessed of remarkable intellectual faculties, she never aspired to a prominent position in any of the walks of life; but justly judging that the Master knew best where and how she would be most useful, she devoted herself to the discharge of duty, well knowing that God is glorified by His servants as well in the faithful discharge of their ordinary duties, as in any more conspicuous sphere of action.

The deceased, with all the talent necessary to clear and retain to the last her property as a sphere of duty, the sweet and gentle ministrations of domestic life, and around these, the light of her genius, scattered by Christ, her principle, cast a halo which made them far more admirable than any more public activity. The tender sympathies which she carried for the numerous youth of two generations to whom, in Providence she was called upon to supply the loss of parents, is forever gratefully remembered to the heart.

Although spared to a fondly attached family-circle to an age, when the faculties are generally dimmed and feeble, she was a constant and lively sympathizer with passing events and with whatever interested her more youthful friends. Thus in the present crisis in our national affairs, she always exhibited the liveliest interest in true patriotism, and the practical sincerity of her views, by her care for consumption, asthma, bronchitis, and other pulmonary affections, through the agency of the "Ladies' Aid Society," to the comfort of our aged and infirm.

The final scene of such a life might have been confidently projected from its course. Truly may it be said of her, that as a living work of Christ, "to die was gain." "I know in whom she had believed, and was persuaded that she was able to keep that which she had committed to him against that day." She has left all her life to the cross the external manifestations of suffering, and she has left to the world a living example of the true Christian, who is a Divine Redeemer, only fearing that in her desire "to depart and be with Christ," she was indulging an impatience in the absence of her heavenly Father.

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Columbia, December 26, 1863-1m

PULMONARY CONSUMPTION A CURABLE DISEASE!!

The undersigned having been restored to health after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection, and that remarkable cures, performed by it within the last two years, attend this fact.

FOR RENT.

Store and Dwelling, No. 2 Mechanics Row, opposite Huldemans's Store. Possession, April 1st. G. W. HALDEMAN, Col'n., Jan. 16, '64.

WHEREAS, Letters of Administration

of the Estate of Joseph Smith, late of the Borough of Marietta, County of Lancaster, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

WANTED.

Information of the whereabouts of Mary Rodgers. When last heard from she was in West Chester, Pa., or somewhere in the same county with a family by the name of Newlin. Any information relative to her whereabouts will be thankfully received. Address this office, or to her brother, JOSEPH H. RODGERS, Jan. 16, 1864.

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

The School Directors will, at public sale, at the Public House, on Saturday, Jan. 26th, 1864, at 7 o'clock, P. M., the following real estate:

THE BRICK SCHOOL HOUSE

opposite the Episcopal church, on 66th street, containing 64 feet front and in depth 100 feet.

THE BRICK SCHOOL HOUSE

on Third street, below Perry, containing thirty-eight feet on Third street, and in depth eighty-two feet, six inches.

FOR RENT.

AN OLD AND ESTABLISHED BUSINESS STAND FOR RENT.

The undersigned, about to retire from the coal business, offers his Coal Yard with all the fixtures, for rent, at the foot of Canal Basin, Columbia. From the first day of April. The business has been in successful operation for fifteen years, and commands a business of 15,000 tons of coal per annum.

LIST OF LETTERS

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