Local Department.

☞ *No Communications can be noticed unless accompanied by the writer's real name, not necessary for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.*

To Correspondents.

Communications, letters, contributions, generally of merit and interest to the writer, will be acceptable from friends from all quarters.

W. H. F.—The question, or puzzle you send us was published in the Spy, of Feb. 27th.

KEYSTONE.—Your explanation is sufficient. The article you speak of would be interesting, and we would be glad to have it. Write it out and send it along.

TYRO.—"Lines to Lillie L. H." were received, but cannot be published. We would advise you to tell the young lady personally, that you love her, and not cause her to blush at seeing your miserable production in print.

J. A. M.—We cannot find anything out about the matter you refer to, save the poster we sent you.

JENNIE.—We cannot think of entertaining your proposition for a minute; Mrs. —— is an amiable lady, but we are not sure she would be pleased to hear of your flirtations with a married man.

SALLIE.—Your poem is very pretty and will be published soon. Shall we leave out the third stanzas?

S. M. S.—We rather like the spirit which pervades your efforts, and there are really some good thoughts in your piece, but it will hardly do for publication. Try again.

WAYNE.—The poem is a good one, but you should not claim it as your own. It was published in the *The Odd Fellow's Magazine*, about 12 years ago.

IDAHO.—The communication handed to us a few days ago relative to "street walkers," we refer back to you. We cannot publish it in that condition.

NOTICE.

The first of October, and April of each year, is my regular time for rendering bills. Don't wait to have your bills presented, or to be "dunned," but come forward and pay with half the promptness you send for me, when some member of your family is sick, and my word for it, you will feel much more comfortable and independent. S. ARMOR.

Columbia, Sept. 17, 1864.

MASONIC.—Columbia Lodge, No. 286, A. Y. M., have accepted an invitation from York Lodge, to participate in the ceremonies of dedicating their new Hall on Thursday, the 29th inst. A meeting of Columbia Lodge will be held on Monday evening next at 7 o'clock, to make the necessary arrangements, at which all the members are requested to be present.

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ATTENTION UNION MEN OF COLUMBIA.—A meeting of the Union men of Columbia will be held on Tuesday evening, September 27, 1864, at 7½ o'clock, at the Union League Room, Locust Street, to make arrangements to attend the Grand County Mass Meeting at Lancaster on Wednesday, October 5, 1864. A full attendance is earnestly requested.

By order of the Committee.

Sept. 24-1t

RELIGOUS.—The Rev. Joseph Stevens of Jersey Shore, is expected to preach in the Presbyterian Church, on to-morrow, (Sabbath,) morning and evening.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—We call especial attention to the valuable property advertised by Samuel Wright, Ann E. Wright and North & Case, in to-day's paper.

SEGAR INSPECTOR.—We see it announced that John A. Jordon of this place has been appointed Inspector of Segars for the 9th Collection District, including Columbia Borough.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—Columbians visiting Lancaster should not fail to call at Mr. A. N. Breneman's cheap shoe store. He manufactures all kinds of boots and shoes for ladies and gentlemen—worked slippers &c. See his advertisement in another column.

SALES OF REAL ESTATE.—A. J. Kauffman Administrator of John Keesey decd., sold House and lot on Third street between Lawrence and Perry street, to Isaac Keesey, for $1200.

Wm. McChesney, Administrator of J. Milton Cowden, decd., sold lots of ground on Lancaster Turnpike for $780.

REPRESENTATIVES.—The following named persons have put representatives in the army, in addition to those heretofore mentioned in our columns:

Fred'k Stotz for Mrs. Wm. A. Martin.
Onstus A. Hipple for Mrs. Wm. G. Case.
Samuel Moore for Mrs. E. K. Smith.
Wm. Dockhart for Mrs. Jere. G. Hess.
John Thomas for Mrs. J. B. Bachman.
James White for John A. Jackson.
Wm. Gross for Isaac O. Bruner.
Leonard Shields for Benj. F. Appold.
Fred'k Streck for Rudolph Williams.

We believe that this Borough has put in more representative recruits than any other district in the State.

GENERAL SHERIDAN'S VICTORY.—The glorious victory of General Sheridan, in the Shenandoah Valley, was received here on Tuesday evening, and was the subject of much rejoicing amongst our people. A large bonfire was built at the corner of Second and Locust streets—flags were thrown to the breeze—the bells were rung and cheers were given for Sheridan and "Father Abraham." This victory is one well calculated to fill every loyal heart with joy, as it is one step further towards wiping out this infernal rebellion.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—Lawrence Smith, keeper of a Hotel in "Fish town" was brought before Samuel Evans Esq., by Constable McGinnis, for committing a violant assult and battery on Evan Millward on the night of the 16th inst. We understand that the complainant and a number of other Welshmen have been in the habit of frequenting Smith's and taking a social glass together, upon this occasion it seems that Smith made Millward drunk and then pushed him out of the house, and struck him with some hard instrument making a very ugly cut in the back of his head. Mr. Smith was bound over for his appearance at November Session to answer.

OUT OF THE DRAFT.—Our citizens liable to shoulder the musket, can now breathe easy, as Columbia has nobly done her duty and sent ninety-one able-bodied men to aid in putting the finishing touch to the rebellion. The Town Council, and especially the part forming the Recruiting Committee, certainly deserve much praise for their zealous efforts in preventing a draft. When the call was made for troops, a great many scouted the idea of trying to raise the men, and said it would prove a failure, the result proves that anything can be accomplished when energetic men put their shoulder to the wheel. Something must come or a breakup will be the consequence, especially when we have such men at the helm as A. Bruner and DeNegre. Also Col. Philip Gossler, T. R. Supplee, Hiram Wilson, James McGinnis, Harry Brandt and other gallant chiefs deserve the commendations of all loyal people for having done so nobly in spending their time and money to accomplish the work of clearing this district of a draft.

NEW BOOKS.—W. U. Hess, advertises in to-day's paper a new invoice of books, periodicals, stationery, &c.

ARRESTED.—On Thursday, Sarah McClune and Sarah Burkins were brought before Samuel Evans, Esq., by Constable McGinnis for keeping a bawdy house.—From the testimony of those persons living in the neighborhood, it appears that a number of men, both married and single, have been in the habit of frequenting this house at all hours of the night, making it a common nuisance to the neighborhood. In default of bail the defendants were committed to the County Jail to answer at November Session.

LOCOMOTIVE LOOSE.—A few days ago an engine on the Pennsylvania railroad at West Philadelphia, which had been supplied with fuel and water preparatory to taking a train west, got loose from the hostler and run off up the south track like a streak, snorting and puffing as if giving challenge for a race. Engineer Black, with an engine of the fast line, was dispatched at once on the north track in pursuit of the fugitive, and she being the faster animal, caught up with the runaway at Athensville, and, running along-side, the engineer stepped over and reined in the flying steed. The Superintendent at West Philadelphia took the precaution to telegraph to White Hall, and had the switch turned so as to throw her off the track, in case she reached that point.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK.—The fashion plates in this, the October number, are superb. Godey is unsurpassed, and as he was the pioneer in this enterprise, he seems determined to maintain his pre-eminence. This Magazine is a guide for every fashionable young lady; and its literary departments are equal to any of the periodicals in the country. The publisher gives the following notice in this number:

"*Owing to the enormous increase in the price of paper, and of every article in our business—more than double—we are obliged to increase the Club subscription of the Lady's Book, to what prices will be announced in our November number. The object of this timely notice is to prevent making up Clubs at the old prices.* ☞ *We cannot receive Clubs at the old prices. Notice will be given in our November number at what prices we can take Clubs.*"

BOILER EXPLOSION.—On last Saturday evening as the fast train was within fifty yards of the railroad bridge over the Little Conestoga Creek, about two and a half miles west of this city, the boiler of the engine exploded, blowing off the "wagon top" and dome six inches below the level of the crown sheet of the fire box.—This mass of iron, weighing about six hundred pounds, was carried a distance of over a hundred yards by the concussion. The fireman, who seems to have had some intimation of the approaching explosion, jumped off the train just as the explosion occurred. The engineer remained at his post, and was thrown to the height of the telegraph poles and landed some twenty yards from where he started. The engine tore loose from the train, taking with it the fore part of the first freight car, and running a distance of fifty yards before it stopped. The balance of the train, which was composed of twenty-five empty freight and six passenger cars, was stopped the moment the last car reached the spot where the explosion took place. Those who witnessed the affair describe it as a frightful scene. The air was filled with pieces of iron, wood and debris, scattering them over the adjoining fields on both sides of the road.

Six cars, containing about four hundred persons who had attended the Democratic Mass Meeting in this city, were attached to the fast freight in order to make the connection at Columbia. The consternation of the passengers was great at the occurrence, and some jumped out of the car windows, before the true state of affairs was ascertained. None of the passengers were injured.

The engineer, John Elliott, was taken to his home in Columbia, where he is doing well.—*Express.*

STATED MEETING OF THE TOWN COUNCIL, Sept. 16, 1864.—Members present: Messrs. H. Breneman, C. Breneman, Wilson, Wisler, Bruner, Mullen and Bogle.

The Paving Committee reported the following pavements out of order: Union, above 5th street, Henry Pfahler; corner of Third and Union, David Mullen; Second, between Locust and Walnut, Wilson & Ryon; Front street, A. Beiter's Est.; and Front above Walnut.

A petition was received from Isaac Appold, Martin Davis and Jeremiah Brown, asking Council to compel Joseph Tyson and Sylvester Vogle to make pavements on their properties in Lawrence street.

On motion of George Bogle, it was referred to the Paving Committee.

John Eddy proposed to collect the Bounty Tax at the rate of 3 per cent. If the whole amount of the Bounty Tax be assessed at one time, 2 per cent.

The following bills were read and ordered paid:

Jacob Hardy, for stone,	$6 75
Wm. Baker, for land,	60
Sam'l Hogendobler, for labor,	29 57½
J. O. Bruner, for stone,	4 50
D. L. Challant, one month's services as Supervisor,	41 66
Jacob Hogendobler, hauling,	21 45
Rudolph Binkley, labor,	20 82
C. A. Hook, for Constable, lighting lamps, feeding vagrants, &c.,	43 40
Peter Gardner, paving,	5 12½
Total,	$173 88

On motion of C. Breneman:

Resolved, That owners of property whose pavements are out of order, be notified to have them repaired by the 1st of October next, otherwise they will be repaired by the Borough and said owners charged with the costs of the same, with 20 per cent. added thereto.

On motion of George Bogle:

Resolved, That the Tax Collector of the Bounty Fund Tax be required to give bonds to the amount of five thousand dollars, and that he be required to pay over to the Treasurer all money before it amounts to five thousand dollars.

On motion,

Resolved, That when we adjourn, it will be to meet on Monday evening next, to receive proposals to collect the Bounty Tax.

ADJOURNED MEETING—Sept. 19, 1864.—Members present, Messrs. H. Breneman, C. Breneman, Wisler, Wike, Mullen and Wilson.

Mr. H. Wilson reported that Daniel Culley would agree to collect the Bounty Tax at 2 per cent., the Borough to pay for the Government stamps.

Messrs. H. Wilson and J. Wisler were appointed Tellers to hold an election for Bounty Tax Collector, and reported that D. Culley had received three votes, which were all that were polled. D. Culley declared elected.

On motion of H. Wilson, adjourned to meet on Wednesday next at 7½ o'clock, P. M. JAMES BARBER, Clerk.

HARPER.—Harper's New Monthly Magazine for October, has been received, and is for sale at the counter of Wm. U. Hess. This is an excellent number. It contains, among other things, "Our Mutual Friend," by Charles Dickens. "How we Fight at Atlanta," "Shells at Lookout Mountain," &c. Get this number by all means.

LADIES' FRIEND.—The October number of this beautiful magazine of fashion and literature has been received. The Fashion Plates are as rich and elegant as usual—illustrating the new modes for ladies and children. The music in this number is a new song called "I love thee, dearly love thee"—a popular sentiment, as all will admit.

Price, $2 50 a year—single numbers, 25 cents. Wm. U. Hess has it for sale.

WILLIE WARE.—Our half-brother and contributor, WILLIE WARE, well known in literary and dramatic circles, is now delighting the people of Rochester, N. Y., with his personation of *Glavis*, in the "*Lady of Lyons*." The two last productions of his fertile pen, are, "*The Adventurer*" and "*The Female Patriot*." They have been dramatized; and as comedy is his *forte*, we have no doubt that he will sustain his part in these plays as well as he has done "*Captain Dashaway*," in "*Young America*."

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT ON THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—One of the most fearful accidents that ever took place on this road, occurred about 4 o'clock on Wednesday morning last, at Thompsontown, about thirty-five miles west of Harrisburg. The fast line which left Pittsburg on Tuesday night, and when within a short distance of the station above named, dashing along at full speed, ran into a freight train which was standing on the track, causing a terrible collision and loss of life, forcing the baggage car into the first passenger car; they immediately caught fire and were consumed with nearly all on board, so that only the charred remains could be found, beyond identification. Six or seven are known to be killed and thirteen wounded, some totally.—The passengers in the third and fourth cars were saved without injury, but the cars were burned up. It is said that more lives might have been saved had not the doors of the cars been locked; a number of the survivors subscribe to a statement to this effect.

We regret to announce that the Conductor, Mr. John Mullison, was among the killed. His lifeless and charred remains were found amongst the ruins of the burning wreck, and could only be identified by his ticket-punch, watch and switch keys, which were found upon his body.—He was a brother-in-law to Col. Thos. A. Scott, Vice President of the road. He formerly lived in Columbia, where his mother resides, and where he had a host of friends and relatives. He was universally respected wherever known. We sincerely mourn his untimely death, and offer our heartfelt condolence to his family and friends in this the hour of their bereavement. He was married a little more than a year ago, and had one child; latterly he lived in Philadelphia. His remains were brought to this place on Thursday, and was followed to the grave from the residence of his mother yesterday afternoon by a large concourse of people.

The cause of the accident seems to be conflicting. The freight train was on the fast line's time, which was contrary to orders, and the conductor, it seems did not take the precaution to send a flag-man back in time. On his head rests the responsibility of these murdered victims.—He should be hung—we had almost said, without judge or jury.

For the Spy.

Dogs.

No one who believes in astrology can doubt that Columbia was founded under the dog-star. With a slight alteration of a classic author, one might sing the new *Columbiad* thus:

"Dogs! dogs! dogs!
While the cock is crowing aloof,
And dogs—dogs—dogs
'Till the stars shine through the roof!

Dogs—dogs—dogs,
In the dull December light,
And dogs—dogs—dogs
When the weather is warm and bright."

A canine concert is a thing of nightly occurrence, and although it is as free as the open air, the dogs, nevertheless, make us *pay for it* with a witness. The variety of voices is such that it ought to please the most fastidious ear, for we have

"Mongrel, pappy, whelp, and hound,
And cur of low degree."

Dogs infect the alleys, they abound in the principal thoroughfares, and they penetrate into the dining-room and parlor, where Gray, if he were still living, might again be most unwillingly forced to "regale his ears and nose with their comfortable noise and stink." I should read with great patience, Mr. Editor, any exposition of the causes which lead a professedly Christian and enlightened community to breed and foster these canine hordes.

QUIET.

MARRIED.

Deaths and Marriages are published in this paper without charge. When accompanied by commentaries, whether prose or poetry, five cents per line will be charged. Payable in advance.

On the 6th inst., at the residence of Mr. A. Nicely Esq., (the Brides father) by Rev. H. R. Callaway, Mr. Amos R. Hogentogler, to Miss Margaret Nicely, both of Columbia.

DIED.

On Sunday morning 18th inst., Samuel E. Maxton, of Dropsy.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BUILDING LOTS AT PUBLIC SALE. The undersigned will sell at Public Sale at the Public House of Mr. Jacob Miller, in Columbia, on Saturday, October 8th, 1864, at 7 o'clock, P. M.

40 valuable lots of ground each containing from 20 to 25 feet front and from 147 to 180 feet in depth, on Fifth Street, near the Rolling Mill of Maltby & Case in Columbia.

Any one wishing to purchase at private sale will call and see the plan at H. M. North's office. Terms will be easy and if desired by the purchasers, they can pay in labor at the Rolling Mill.

H. M. NORTH,
W. G. CASE.

Columbia, Sept, 24, '64.

GRAND OPENING OF "BOWERY HALL."
THE OLD CONTINENTAL SALOON,
FOR THE SEASON.
Corner of Front and Locust Streets,
COLUMBIA, PA.

The best Wines and Lager Beer, Aff and Aff, &c. Served at all hours. Admission free—come a running.

GEO. H. ERISMAN.

Columbia, Sept. 24, tf.

LETTERS REMAINING UNCLAIMED in the Post Office at Columbia, Pa., Saturday, September, 24, 1864.

☞ To obtain any of these letters, the applicant must call for '*advertised letters*,' give the date of this list, and pay one cent for advertising.

LADIES' LIST.

Brown, Virginia, (2)	Jones, Hannah
Bame, Caroline	Little, Mary A.
Brown, Josephine	Mayle, Mary M.
Erwin, Lucy	Meads, Mrs. John F.
Gonder, Christie	Stewart, Martha E.
Hinnaplus, Mary	Seveley, Rebia
Huss, Abbie	Smith, Sarah
Johnson, Lavina	Snider, Lina

GENTLEMAN'S LIST.

Adamson, J. B.	Huffman, Arnst (2)
Burn, Chritian	Howyer, Henry
Covert, Jas. B.	Hauffman, Dan'l Sr.
Douglass, Westley	Huff, Wm.
Delger, John	Myers, John
Eberheart, John	Mellinger, Christian
Eboy, Abnatt	Pierce, Alfred
Gordon, D. W.	Raney, Jesse
Garpher, Franklin	Richardson, James
Gilman, Jacob	Rosenfeld, Henry
Goodrich, Jos. W.	Smith, Henry
Grosh, Henry	Snively, H. H.
Wilson, Wm. G.	

Sept. 24, 1864. M. J. FRY, P. M

NEW BOOKS!

THE ALABAMA & SUMPTER.

The cruise of these two famous Confederate vessels from the private journals &c., of Capt. Semmes and his officers.

Edmund Kirke's New Book, DOWN IN TENNESSEE.

CENTEOLA, an entirely new work, by the author of "Green Mountain Boys" &c.

ENOCH ARDEN.

PETERSONS NEW COOK BOOK, containing eight hundred and fifty-eight new and original receipts for cooking and preparing all kinds of poultry, puddings, omlets, jellies, meats, pies vegetables, terrapin, pastries, pickles, &c., &c.

WAX FLOWERS AND HOW TO MAKE THEM. THE FINGER POST TO PUBLIC BUSINESS.

The life of PRESIDENT LINCOLN. The life of GEN. GEO. B. MCCLELLAN. Pugh's Political Map of Pennsylvania, showing the result of the last Gubernatorial election, by counties and at a glance the Political complexion of the State.

A large lot of other New Books just received. School Books; all the different kinds in use in the country.

Stationery in great variety at
W. U. HESS' Book Store,
Locust St., opposite Col. Bank.

U. S. 7-30 LOAN.

The Secretary of the Treasury gives notice that subscriptions will be received for Coupon Treasury Notes, payable three years from Aug. 15th, 1864, with semi-annual interest at the rate of seven and three-tenths per cent. per annum—principal and interest both to be paid in lawful money.

These notes will be convertible at the option of the holder at maturity, into six per cent. gold bearing bonds, payable not less than five nor more than twenty years from their date, as the Government may elect. They will be issued in denominations of $50, $100, $500, $1,000 and $5,000, and all subscriptions must be for fifty dollars or some multiple of fifty dollars.

The notes will be transmitted to the owners free of transportation charges as soon after the receipt of the original Certificates of Deposit as they can be prepared.

As the notes draw interest from Aug. 15, persons making deposits subsequent to that date must pay the interest accrued from date of note to date of deposit.

Parties depositing twenty-five thousand dollars and upwards for these notes at any one time will be allowed a commission of one-quarter of one per cent., which will be paid by the Treasury Department upon the receipt of a bill for the amount, certified to by the officer with whom the deposit was made. No deductions for commissions must be made from the deposits.

SPECIAL ADVANTAGES of this LOAN.

It is a National Savings Bank, offering a higher rate of interest than any other, and the best security. Any savings bank which pays its depositors in U. S. Notes, considers that it is paying in the best circulating medium of the country, and it cannot pay in anything better, for its own assets are either in government securities or in notes or bonds payable in government paper.

It is equally convenient as a temporary or permanent investment. The notes can always be sold for within a fraction of their face and accumulated interest, and are the best security with banks as collaterals for discounts.

Convertible into a Six per cent. 5-20 Gold Bond.

In addition to the very liberal interest on the notes for three years, this privilege of conversion is now worth about three per cent. per annum, for the current rate for 5-20 Bonds is not less than nine per cent. premium, and before the war the premium on six per cent. U. S. stocks was over twenty per cent. It will be seen that the actual profit on this loan, at the present market rate, is not less than ten per cent. per annum.

Its Exemption from State or Municipal Taxation.

But aside from all the advantages we have enumerated, a special Act of Congress exempts all bonds and Treasury notes from local taxation. On the average this exemption is worth about two per cent. per annum, according to the rate of taxation in various parts of the country.

It is believed that no securities offer so great inducements to lenders as those issued by the government. In all other forms of indebtedness, the faith or credit of private parties, or stock companies, or separate communities, only, is pledged for payment, while the whole property of the country is held to secure the discharge of all the obligations of the United States.

While the government offers the most liberal terms for its loans, it believes that the very strongest appeal will be to the loyalty and patriotism of the people.

Duplicate certificates will be issued for all deposits. The party depositing must endorse upon the original certificate the denomination of notes required, and whether they are to be issued in blank or payable to order. When so endorsed it must be left with the officer receiving the deposit, to be forwarded to the Treasury Department.

Subscriptions will be received by the Treasurer of the United States, at Washington, the several Assistant Treasurers and designated Depositaries, and by the First National Bank of Philadelphia, Pa. Second National Bank of Philadelphia, Pa. First National Bank of Marietta, Pa. First National Bank of Strasburg, Pa. First National Bank of York, Pa. and by all National Banks which are depositaries of public money, and

All Respectable Banks and Bankers throughout the country will give further information and afford every facility to subscribers.

Aug. 18,

The above bonds are for sale by the First National Bank of Columbia.

CARTS FOR SALE.

FOUR LARGE CARTS, in good order. Apply to
CHESTNUT HILL IRON ORE CO.
Sept. 17, 1864.—4t*

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA.

THE WORLD'S GREAT REMEDY FOR
Scrofula and Scrofulous Diseases.

From Emery Edes, a well-known merchant of Oxford, Maine.

"I have sold large quantities of your SARSAPARILLA, but never yet one bottle which failed of the desired effect and full satisfaction to those who took it. As fast as our people try it, they agree there has been no medicine like it before in our community."

Eruptions, Pimples, Blotches, Pustules, Ulcers, Sores, and all Diseases of the Skin.

From Rev. Robt. Stratton, Bristol, England.

"I only do my duty to you and the public, when I add my testimony to that you publish of the medicinal virtues of your SARSAPARILLA. My daughter, aged ten, had an afflicting humor in her ears, eyes, and hair for years, which were more unable to cure until we tried your SARSAPARILLA. She has been well for some months."

From Mrs. Jane E. Rice, a well-known and much-esteemed lady of Dennisville, Cape May Co., N. J.

"My daughter has suffered for a year past with a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome. Nothing afforded any relief until we tried your SARSAPARILLA, which soon completely cured her."

From Charles P. Gage, Esq., of the widely known Gage, Murray & Co., manufacturers of enamelled papers in Nashua, N. H.

"I had for several years a very troublesome humor in my face, which grew constantly worse until it disfigured my features and became an intolerable affliction. I tried almost every thing a man could of both advice and medicine, but without any relief whatever, until I took your SARSAPARILLA. It immediately made my face worse, as you told me it might for a time; but in a few weeks the new skin began to form under the blotches, and continued until my face is as smooth as any body's, and I am without any symptoms of the disease that I know of. I enjoy perfect health, and without a doubt owe it to your SARSAPARILLA."

Erysipelas—General Debility—Purify the Blood.

From Dr. Robt. Sawin, Houston St., New York.

"DR. AYER. I seldom fail to remove *Eruptions* and *Scrofulous Sores* by the persevering use of your SARSAPARILLA, and I have just now cured an attack of *Malignant Erysipelas* with it. No alterative we possess equals the SARSAPARILLA you have supplied to the profession as well as to the people."

From J. E. Johnston, Esq., Wakeman, Ohio.

"For twelve years, I had the yellow Erysipelas on my right arm, during which time I tried all the celebrated physicians I could reach, and took hundreds of dollars worth of medicines. The ulcers were so bad that the cords became visible, and the doctors decided that my arm must be amputated. I began taking your SARSAPARILLA. Took two bottles, and some of your PILLS. Together they have cured me. I am now as well and sound as any body. Being in a public place, my case is known to every body in this community, and excites the wonder of all."

From Hon. Henry Monro, M. P. P., of Newcastle, C. W., a leading member of the Canadian Parliament.

"I have used your SARSAPARILLA in my family, for general *debility*, and for *purifying the blood*, with very beneficial results, and feel confidence in commending it to the afflicted."

St. Anthony's Fire, Rose, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Sore Eyes.

From Harvey Sickler, Esq., the able editor of the Tunkhannock Democrat, Pennsylvania.

"Our only child, about three years of age, was attacked by pimples on his forehead. They rapidly spread until they formed a loathsome and virulent sore, which covered his face, and actually blinded his eyes for some days. A skilful physician applied nitrate of silver and other remedies, without any apparent effect. For fifteen days we guarded his hands, lest with them he should tear open the festering and corrupt wound which covered his whole face. Having tried every thing else we had any hope from, we began giving your SARSAPARILLA, and applying the iodide of potash lotion, as you direct. The sore began to heal when we had given the first bottle, and was well when we had finished the second. The child's eyelashes, which had come out, grew again, and he is now as healthy and fair as any other. The whole neighborhood predicted that the child must die."

Syphilis and Mercurial Disease.

From Dr. Hiram Stout, of St. Louis, Missouri.

"I find your SARSAPARILLA a more effectual remedy for the secondary symptoms of *Syphilis* and for syphilitic disease, than any other we possess. The profession are indebted to you for some of the best medicines we have."

From A. J. French, M. D., an eminent physician of Lawrence, Mass., who is a prominent member of the Legislature of Massachusetts.

"DR. AYER. My dear Sir: I have found your SARSAPARILLA an excellent remedy for *Syphilis*, both of the *primary* and *secondary* type, and effectual in some cases that were too obstinate to yield to other remedies. I do not know what we can employ with more certainty of success, where a powerful alterative is required."

Mr. Chas. S. Van Lieu, of New Brunswick, N. J., had dreadful ulcers on his legs, caused by the abuse of mercury, or *mercurial disease*, which grew more and more aggravated for years, in spite of every remedy or treatment that could be applied, until the persevering use of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA relieved him. Few cases can be found more inveterate and distressing than this, and it took several dozen bottles to cure him

Leucorrhœa, Whites, Female Weakness,

are generally produced by internal *Scrofulous Ulceration*, and are very often cured by the alterative effect of this SARSAPARILLA. Some cases require, however, in aid of the SARSAPARILLA, the skillful application of local remedies.

From the well-known and widely-celebrated Dr. Jacob Morrill, of Cincinnati.

"I have found your SARSAPARILLA an excellent alterative in diseases of females. Many cases of Irregularity, Leucorrhœa, Internal Ulceration, and local debility, arising from the scrofulous diathesis, have yielded to it, and there are few that do not, when its effect is properly aided by local treatment."

A lady, unwilling to allow the publication of her name, writes:

"My daughter and myself have been cured of a very debilitating Leucorrhœa of long standing, by two bottles of your SARSAPARILLA."

Rheumatism, Gout, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Heart Disease, Neuralgia,

when caused by *Scrofula* in the system, are rapidly cured by this EXT. SARSAPARILLA.

AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS

possess so many advantages over the other purgatives in the market, and their superior virtues are so universally known, that we need not do more than to assure the public their quality is maintained equal to the best it ever has been, and that they may be depended on to do all that they have ever done.

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aug. 13, 1864.

R. J. HALDEMAN,
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We invite attention to our stock of
STAPLE AND FANCY SILKS
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DRESS GOODS,
Of very recent importation, embracing the most extensive and desirable assortments that we have ever offered.

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All of which will be sold at the
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LADIES, GENTLEMANS, BOYS, GIRLS AND CHILDREN'S SHOE STORE.

The largest and best assortment of Ladies and Gentlemans wear in the

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The undersigned respectfully invites the citizens of Columbia and vicinity, to his large stock of

LADIES' BOOTS AND SHOES

Such as women's Kid and French Morocco Boots, Balmoral, Continental and other

FASHIONABLE STYLES.

We are prepared to manufacture at short notice every kind of ladies and gentlemans wear known in this market, and at as cheap rates as any similar establishment call and examine our stock.

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Opposite Cooper's Hotel,
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Sept. 24, '64.

CLOCKS, WATCHES, JEWELRY.
Silver and Silver-Plated Ware.
SHREINER & SPERING,
FRONT ST., COLUMBIA, PA.
In John Felix's Old Established Stand.

We would respectfully invite the public to call and examine our large and well selected stock of Clocks, Watches and Jewelry, Silver and Silver-Plated Ware, Cutlery, Combs, Pistols and Fancy Articles, such as are generally kept in a *first class* Jewelry Store.

AMERICAN WATCHES!
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We would especially call the attention of persons wishing a good time piece to our assortment of American Watches, which for reliability, durability, accuracy and time, cannot be excelled.

We are at all times prepared to order from the manufacturers such goods as we have not on hand, at less than city prices.

A continuance of the former patronage is respectfully solicited.

Repairing of all kinds promptly attended to. Feb. 6, 1864-1y

COLUMBIA CLASSICAL INSTITUTE.

THIS INSTITUTION DOES NOT PROPOSE to interfere with the legitimate work of the Common Schools, but is designed to take a far higher position in the education of the young, and to accomplish a work which the primary schools, from their design and organization, cannot. The special design of this institution is to prepare boys thoroughly for college or business, and young ladies to act well their part in life, by affording them every facility for acquiring an accurate knowledge of the solid and ornamental branches. Special attention is, therefore, given to the Classics, higher Mathematics, French, Music, and to all those studies which constitute a complete education. In order to secure a regular and well-directed system of exercise, and habits of entire subordination and obedience, a Military Department is connected with the school, under the supervision of a competent instructor. The fall session opens on the SECOND TUESDAY of SEPTEMBER. For Circulars, containing full information, address

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HENRY SUYDAM'S, Corner of Front and Union street is the place to get your FAMILY GROCERIES.

He keeps the best stock to be found in this market, and prices reasonable. Fancy groceries, vegetables, &c., in season. july'64.

IRON AND STEEL

THE subscribers have received a new and large stock of all kinds and sizes of *Bar Iron and Steel*. They are constantly supplied with stock in this branch of his business, and can furnish it to customers in largeor small quantities, at the lowest rates J. RUMPLE & SON,

Locust st., below Second, Col'a., Pa.
July 4, 1863.

JUSTUS GRAY & CO.'S
GOLDEN MORTAR DRUG STORE
FRONT STREET, COLUMBIA, PA.

A large stock of new goods just received. Such as
FRENCH EXTRACTS FOR THE HANDKERCHIEFS.
FANCY SOAPS,
STERLING AMBROSIA,
LONDON HAIR COLOR,
CELEBRATED POMADES,
FLAVORING EXTRACTS,
DRAKE'S PLANTATION BITTERS,
Hair Brushes, Tooth Brushes, Combs, &c. Wishart's Dyspepsia Pills. Ladies' Toilet Articles. Harrison's Extracts, &c.

All the most popular Family Medicines of the age are for sale at the GOLDEN MORTAR DRUG STORE.

The largest, best selected and greatest variety of Drugs and Chemicals in Columbia always on hand.

☞ Particular attention is paid to filling physicians prescriptions.

We especially invite the attention of the ladies to our extensive assortment of toilet articles at

GOLDEN MORTAR DRUG STORE,
Front street, above Locust,
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NEW STATIONERY, PERIODICAL
—AND—
VARIETY STORE.
NEWSPAPERS, PERIODICALS,
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NOVELS,
SONGS AND SONG BOOKS,
PICTURES,
PHOTOGRAPH CARDS,
&c., &c., &c.,

AN ASSORTMENT OF LADIES' TRIMMINGS, AND VARIETIES, &c.,

ALL AT REASONABLE RATES.

PLEASE GIVE US A CALL.

N. W. GREENE,
No. 4, Shreiner's Row, above
Sept. 3, '64-3 mo. Walnut Street.

Ladies' Fancy Furs!

AT
JOHN FARIERA'S
OLD ESTABLISHED
FUR MANUFACTORY
718 Arch Street,
Above 7th, Philadelphia.

I HAVE now in store, of my own Importation and Manufacture, one of the largest and most beautiful selections of FANCY FURS, for Ladies' and Children's Wear, in the City. Also, a full assortment of Gents' Fur Caps, Gloves & Collars.

As my Furs were all purchased when Gold was at a much lower premium than at present, I am enabled to dispose of them at very reasonable prices, and I would therefore solicit a call from my friends of Lancaster county and vicinity.

Remember the name, number and street.

JOHN FARIERA,
718 Arch street, above 7th, south side,
Philadelphia.

I have no Partner, nor connection with any other Store in Philadelphia.
Sept. 10, '64.

WILLIAM FROELICH,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
FRONT STREET, NO. 3, SHREINER'S ROW,
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I BEG leave to announce to citizens of Columbia, that I have opened a new establishment at the above named place and will be able to furnish those who patronize me, with the most fashionable goods.

Cutting and making up done at the shortest notice.

Sept. 10.-3t* WM. FROELICH.

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SEWING MACHINES
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For Sale by W. G. PATTON,
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

WHEREAS letters of administration in the estate of Jonas Delong, late of the Borough of Columbia, Lancaster Co., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate settlement, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, residing in said Borough.

JACOB S. STRINE,
Aug. 20-6t. Administrator.

SHAWLS! SHAWLS!

SPRING Shawls in great variety, just received.
Col'a, mar. 19 '64. MALTBY & CASE.

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IRON IN THE BLOOD,

It is well known to the medical profession that iron is the vital Principle or Life element of the blood. This is derived chiefly from the food we eat; but if the food is not properly digested, or if, from any cause whatever, the necessary quantity of iron is not taken into the circulation, or becomes reduced, the whole system suffers. The bad blood will irritate the heart, will clog up the lungs, will stupefy the brain, will obstruct the liver, and will send its disease producing elements to all parts of the system, and every one will suffer in whatever organ may be predisposed to disease.

The great value of
IRON AS A MEDICINE
Is well known and acknowledged by all medical men. The difficulty has been to obtain such a preparation of it as will enter the circulation and assimilate at once with the blood. This point, says Dr. Hayes, Massachusetts State Chemist, has been attained in the Peruvian Syrup, by combination in a way before unknown.

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Is a PROTECTED solution of the PROTOXIDE OF IRON. A NEW DISCOVERY IN MEDICINE that strikes at the Root of Disease by supplying the blood with its Vital Principle or Life Element—Iron.

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Cures Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Dropsy, fever and ague, Loss of energy, low spirits.

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Infuses strength, vigor, and new life into the system, and builds up an "Iron Constitution."

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Cures Nervous Affections, Female Complaints, and all diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder.

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Is a SPECIFIC for all diseases originating in a BAD STATE OF THE BLOOD, or accompanied by Debility or a Low State of the System.

Pamphlets containing certificates of cures and recommendations from some of the most eminent Physicians, Clergymen and others will be sent *free* to any address.

We select a few of the names to show the character of testimonials.

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Late Editor Christian Advocate & Journal.
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Editor New York Chronicle.

Rev John Pierpont,	Lewis Johnson, M. D.,