

# THE COLUMBIA SPY.



INDEPENDENT, FEARLESS & FREE.  
COLUMBIA, PA.,  
Saturday, Dec. 30, 1865.

All advertising will be required CASH and  
collected at any time after the first insertion.

## A Matrimonial Advertisement.

A French lady advertised, some time ago, in the Parisian journals, under the initials A. C., that she was young, handsome, and worth two millions, and was anxious to get married, but did not care whether her husband was rich or poor. She invited the aspirants to her hand to send their photographs. A month afterward, having, in the meantime, received fifteen hundred applications, she started a journal, soliciting subscriptions from all her would-be husbands, and promising to publish her reply to the respective candidates in her new journal. She immediately received several thousand francs, the aggregate amount of the subscription money, and, forthwith, published all the letters. The journal ceased to appear after that first, and it seemed last issue, the befoaled parties now appealed to the court, where the trial of the ingenious lady has lately taken place—Among the most spicy letters is that of a dragoon major, who declares himself ready for all sacrifices, including that of his post in his regiment, provided he can secure Mlle. A. C. and her two millions. A cook writes to her: "My physique is admirable, mademoiselle, and my two sisters are milliners. Your two millions would make us the kings of France."—Among the amateurs of this double-mitioned woman are not a few persons occupying high stations, who thus find their matrimonial ambitions rather awkwardly exposed.

**OLD JOHN ADAMS.**—Mr. Webster, visited Mr. Adams a short time before his death, and found him reclining on a sofa, evidently in feeble health. He remarked to Mr. Adams:—

"I am glad to see you, sir, and I hope you are getting along very well."

Mr. A. replied in the following figurative language:—

"Ah, sir, quite the contrary. I find I am quite a poor tenant, occupying a house much shattered by time. It trembles with every wind, and what is worse, sir, the landlord, as near as I can find out, doesn't intend to make any repairs."

"ATTENTION, SOLDIERS UPON LATE ARMY!"—Many discharged Soldiers have claims of which they have no knowledge. By applying to a Circular to the Town & Co., of No. 2 Park Place, N. Y., information will be furnished which may be valuable.

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THE CELEBRATED SETH THOMAS CLOCK. E. Sperling has just received from the city a choice stock of these celebrated clocks. The best, neatest and prettiest Yankee Clock warranted for two years.

RODGERS & BROTHERS' SUPERIOR SILVER PLATED WARE.

E. SPERLING'S CHEAP JEWELRY STORE.

THE CELEBRATED IXL CUTLERY.

E. SPERLING'S JEWELRY STORE.

NEWSTYLING OF WATERFALL COMBS.

E. SPERLING'S JEWELRY STORE.

MASON, PEASE & MOORE'S PENNSYLVANIA LUBRIC OIL WORKS.

PITTSBURGH, PENN'A.

Owing to extensive improvements, and increased facilities, we are now enabled to offer superior inducements to all consumers of Lubricating oil.

Grades, "A," an extra engine oil.

"C," a heavy Lubricator.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 18, 1865.

Albert, Marion, Pease & Moore.

Gen. Agent.—We have been supplying your Lubricating Oil (C) in our nail factory, for some time past, and find it to answer our purpose as well as any oil we have been using on our nail machines.

SCHOPENBERGER & CO.

Nov. 25, '65.

MALTBY HOUSE.

A. B. MILLER, Proprietor,

Baltimore, Md.

This hotel has been lately refitted with all the necessary improvements known to hotel enterprise, and the accommodations are equal to those of the best hotels in Baltimore.

Oct. 21, 1865.

EXCHANGE HOTEL,

MOUNT JOY, PENNA.

ALEX. D. REESE, Proprietor.

FIRST-CLASS ACCOMMODATIONS.

The Choicest Liquors at the Bar.

Oct. 7, '65.

No. 23

E. GOODWIN & BROTHERS' YEL-

LOW BANK Chewing Tobacco in Tin.

For only \$ per gross at JOHN FENDRICH'S

Front Street, Columbia, Pa.

UPHOLSTERING.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS TAKEN

Rooms adjoining the residence of James K. Miller, in Walnut street, where he is at all times prepared to do all kinds of work in his line. Such as: Manufacturing, cutting, making and laying up, repairing sofas and chairs, making spring, car-bunk or air mattresses, cushions, &c.

SAMUEL, CARTER,

Dec. 2, 1865.

## I. X. L.

ALL fine brands of Chewing Tobacco, all other houses. My Tobaccos are all warranted free of iniquity, must, or disagreeable mixtures, they are all selected with the greatest care by the manufacturer.

Constantly on hand

HARDCASTLE, NAVY,

Baltimore Spun,

Oronoko Twist,

Diamond,

Old Dominion,

Light Pressed,

Sun Cured,

Congress,

Queen City Fine Cut,

Grant Fine Cut,

Michigan Fine Cut,

and different other brands.

A large assortment of Smoking Tobacco's Snuffs, Tobacco bags, together with all the latest improved pipes known in the market.

Great Segars cannot be beat for stock in the county. Friends call and try my American Cousin's Union's, Isabel Cuban's, 70's, Grant's, Attiles, &c., &c.

Cheap Segars constantly on hand. Booties is supplied.

Min. in the old Post Office Building, Locust Street.

GEO. M. BOOTH.

Col. June 24, '65.

PACIFIC HOTEL.

170, 172, 174 & 176 Greenwich Street,

(One Square West of Broadway.)

Between Cortlandt and Dey Sts., N. Y.

JOHN PATTEN, Jr., Proprietor.

FOREIGN and Domestic Hardware.

An extensive assortment of house furniture, hardware, also for carpenters and builders use, always on hand.

IRON AND STEEL.

Blacksmiths, wagon makers and others, furnished with all kinds of iron, nails, horse shoes, coach trimmings and other goods in their line.

WOOD AND WILLOW WARE.

In great variety, such as tabs, brackets, wash boards, brooms, washing machines, &c., &c.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

Plows, shovels, hoes, plow castings, scythes, forks, rakes, and all other implements used by the farmer.

STOVES AND TIN WARE.

Stoves of every style and pattern, cook, baker and office stoves, for coal or wood.

A large assortment of tin ware always kept on hand or manufactured to order.

OIL, PAINTS, &C.

Coal oil, linseed oil, sperm and machine oils of all kinds. Alcohol, benzine, lamp and other varnish, glass, paints, putty, white lead, &c.

Locust St., Columbia, Pa.

Aug. 19, '65.

NEW GOODS!

Special ATTENTION IS CALLED

to our New Stock of DRY GOODS

which has been purchased for cash, and we are determined to sell at the lowest possible price.

STEACY & BOWERS,

Corner of 2nd & Locust Street.

Oct. 14, '65.

BENJAMIN HERR,

HAS JUST OPENED

A new stock of goods, at

Third and Union Sts.

Where I would be pleased to see all my customers. My stock of goods is full and complete, comprising

DRESS GOODS,

CASSIMMERS,

CLOTHES,

VESTINGS,

DELAINES,

PRINTS,

DOMESTICS,

Together with as good assortment of goods as is found in any similar establishment.

Family Groceries,

Coffee, Tea and Sugar of all kind.

PRIME SUGAR CURED HAMS.

FLOUR,

POTATOES,

FISH, &c.

Country produce taken in exchange for goods at the highest market rates.

I hope to be the recipient of a liberal patronage.

BENJ. HERR,

Cor. 3rd and Union Sts.

Nov. 19, '65.

PHOTOGRAPHS.

THE OLD ORIGINAL GALLERY.

The subscriber has completely re-fitted his establishment, and his gallery cannot be surpassed by any in the country, and he hopes by careful personal attention to give the public better pictures than have hitherto been produced.

AMBIROTYPEs, PHOTOGRAPHs,

IVORYTYPES, MELAINOTYPES, Carte de Visite, and pictures on canvas taken in the best style, and at prices which cannot be beaten for cheapness.

Likenesses warranted, and a satisfactory picture furnished without repeated sketches. I ask a continuance of the liberal patronage already given to my establishment.

Cull and examine specimens at the rooms, northeast corner of Front and Locust streets. Entrances on each street.

R. J. M. LITTLE,

Oct. 24, 1863.

PIANOS, ORGANS AND MELODEONS.

W. H. HEISLER INSTRUMENTS,

Manufacturers of

MANUFACTURERS OF

PATENT STANDARD SCALES,

SAFETY, & STANDARd SCALES,