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Office in Odd Fellows Hall.
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Office in Odd Fellows Hall.
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ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Office in Odd Fellows Hall.
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COLLECTIONS Made in Lancaster and adjoining Counties.

Pensions, Bounty, back pay and all claims against the Government promptly prosecuted.

Office—Locust Street, between Front and Second.
Dec. 17, 1885.

SAMUEL EVANS,
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July 18, 1884.

J. Z. HOFFER,
DENTIST—OFFICE, Front Street, next door to R. Williams' Drug Store, between Locust and Walnut sts., Col., Pa.

Dr. J. K. LINEAWEAVER,
OFFERS HIS PROFESSIONAL SERVICES to the citizens of Columbia and vicinity.

Office—Locust Street, between Second and Third Streets.
June 17, 1885.

WASHINGTON HOUSE HOTEL.
Front Street, Columbia Pa.
DANIEL HERR, Proprietor.

FRANKLIN HOUSE.
LOCUST STREET, COLUMBIA, PA.

THIS is a first-class Hotel, and is in every respect adapted to meet the wishes and desires of the traveling public.

ACCOMMODATION.
JACOB S. MILLER, Proprietor.
Col., July 15, '85.

MISHLER'S HOTEL,
EVAN MISHLER, Proprietor.

WEST MARKET SQUARE,
READING, PENN'A.
Oct. 7th, '85.

WASHINGTON HOUSE RESTAURANT.

WHERE may be found Oysters served up in every style.

Also a room for the accommodation of ladies or families. Oysters can be had by the quart or hundred.

Dec. 3, 1884-17.

GEORGE BOGLE,
Dealer in

LUMBER OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,
Also, PLASTERER'S HAIR.

Office and Warehouse—Front Street between Locust and Union.
July 8, 1885.

Confectionery

AND FRUIT OF ALL KINDS IN SEASON. Parties and families supplied with

ICE CREAM

by the freezer, or in moulds, with promptness at

Geo. J. Smith's

Adjoining the Franklin House, Locust St. P. S. Also a fine assortment of Toys and fancy articles constantly on hand.

July 22

COLUMBIA FLOUR MILLS,

GEORGE BOGLE, Proprietor.

THE HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID for all kinds of Grain.

Superfine and Extra Family Flour for sale, also mill feed of all kinds. Wheat ground and packed to order.

See Town and country custom solicited July 29th 1885.

SUPPLEE & BROTHER,

Manufacturers of

STEAM BOILERS.

In addition to our Foundry and Machine work, we are now prepared to manufacture every variety of boiler and plate iron work.

Mending and Repairing Boilers Promptly attended to. Thankful for past favors, we would invite the attention of our friends and patrons to this new branch of our business.

SUPPLEE & BRO. 2d Street, Columbia, Jan. 21, '85.

GIFTS, GIFTS, GIFTS,

SPLENDID Christmas gifts at E. Sperling's Cheap Jewelry Store, consisting of

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES.

Gold and Silver Chains, Gold and Silver Trimmings, Fine Gold Jewelry, Silver and Silver-Plated Ware, consisting of Tea sets, Gobelins, Napkin Rings, Sugar Spoons, Pickle Forks, etc.

Susquehanna Planning Mill.

FRONT ST. AND PENN. RAILROAD

Columbia, Lancaster County, Pa.

THE subscriber would respectfully announce to the patrons of his Mill, that the advanced prices of labor and expenses incident to carrying on the business of his establishment compels him to charge his customers an advance on former rates, and takes this method to inform them that the following are the prices for work done at his Mills:

For working Flooring per M. \$4.50
do Weatherboards do 4.50
Surfacing one side, per M. 2.50
do two do 4.50
" Re-sawing White Pine face measure, per M. 5.00
do Poplar face mens, do 5.00
do Ash, Oak & Cherry, face mens, per M. 8.00
Ripping 1-4 per line, 16 ft. do 3.4
do Joice do 4.4
Lumber hauled to the Mill and returned to Yard without extra charge.

Accounts for working or dressing lumber will be considered collectable every four months.

The subscriber has on hand an assortment of ROUGH AND DRESSED LUMBER, suitable for sale in Market Place, and solicits a continuation of public custom.

JOHN B. BACIMAN.
Columbia, March 18, 1884.

TO TOBACCO GROWERS!

I HAVE constantly on hand at my Planning Mills, Tobacco cases, and will furnish them at reasonable prices, to those who desire to smoke Tobacco.

JOHN B. BACIMAN,
Susquehanna Planning Mills.
May 13, '85.

COAL COAL COAL!

Baltimore Co. Lump for melting Iron.

No. 1 for Heating do
do 2 for Cannon Stoves, do
do 3 for Parlor Stoves, do
do 4 for Ranges, do
do 5 for Stoves, Grates & LIME BARNER.

Shamokin Stone & Nut, a medium burning coal.
" No. 1 for Heating do
" Lyken Valley, a free burning coal.
Parties wishing to buy Coal by the car load, which comes via Reading & Columbia R. R., can be accommodated at nine prices, and having made arrangements so that coal can be delivered leaving the yard. Our office has been moved south side from the old place. Sept 6.

BIRNEY & MOORE.
J. DUNCAN COFFRELL,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

775 Penn. Avenue, near opposite National Hotel, Washington, D. C.

Pensions, Bounty, back Pay, Prize Money, and all claims against the Government promptly attended to.

SHOCKING ACCIDENTS.

MANY KILLED AND A LARGENUMBER WOUNDED.

Over two hundred accidents from kicking and running away of horses occurred during the past year, in Lancaster county alone, nearly all of which resulted in injury to the rider, and in many cases, the rider being killed or maimed, and in most cases, breaking costly carriages and hurting the horses.

Of the above, nine-tenths were tame family horses. The safety bridle will put an end to all such needless accidents, and with the Safety Lines the speed of every horse is increased.

At the special meeting of the Saddlers of Lancaster city, Nov. 27, 1885, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

"The undersigned, in testimony of their entire satisfaction, and since it was proven at the Millersville horse exhibition on four of the most vicious and confirmed kickers and runners of the State, the Safety Bridle and Lines it is utterly impossible for a horse either to kick or runaway; therefore

Resolved, That we the Saddlers of Lancaster county, Pa., believe that the Safety Bridle and Lines accomplish all and even more, that is claimed by the patentee, in preventing horses from kicking and running away."

"Resolved, That in view of the above facts we deem it our legitimate duty, both individually and collectively, to testify our entire satisfaction, and to once introduce the Bridle and Lines, because in doing so we in a very great measure prevent all accidents with horses, while with the old and defective bridle, we put in great jeopardy both life and limb."

Resolved, That hereafter we manufacture no other but Safety Bridles, unless expected and ordered.

"The price of individual Rights is \$5 each; County Rights, from 100.00 to 500.00 according to population—these containing large copies accepted."

"No other investment before the public presents such inducements of making money. In every county there are at least one hundred persons who drive horses—which at five dollars for an individual right will amount to \$500 per township or five hundred dollars each! I have not the least doubt but that amount of money can be made out of a county with proper business tact and energy. The price of counties is so small as to place the investment in the hands of every one, for few are so poor as to be unable to raise one hundred dollars."

"Another feature about this invention is that the proprietor of the territory need not manufacture the bridles and lines, as the ordinary bridle can be easily altered into a Safety. The lines only require to be made to order, and these can be made by any sojourner for a trifle more than the ordinary lines. Hence, unlike other patents, the right to use it only is sold."

"No man need wish for a greater fortune than the right of a State. To show the confidence the patentee has in his invention, he offers to pay 1,000 dollars for any horse that can kick or run away when under the influence of the Safety Bridle and Lines. For County and State rights address for circular, and for individual Rights, enclosing five dollars to S. B. Hartman, Millersville, Lancaster Co., Pa. Dec. 9-11

JACOB S. SNYDER,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN BOOTS, SHOES, GAITERS, &c.

ALL styles and varieties of Men's, Boy's, Misses' and Children's wear.

WE MANUFACTURE TO ORDER, and keep constantly on hand, a stock of ready-made work, which we warrant to give satisfaction.

Hats, Caps, Straw Goods, &c.

A full assortment of the latest styles, always kept on hand.

Our whole time and attention is devoted to our business, hence we are better able to give our customers satisfaction. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine our stock.

Cor. Front and Locust Streets.
Columbia, Nov. 4, '85

MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS.

—Below the afflicted will find a condensed statement of the cures of various individuals whose names are herewith appended, and who certify that at any time by seen by calling at the Store of the Proprietor, Centre Square, Lancaster, Pa.

B. MISHLER, Sole Manufacturer.

John C. Walton, Lancaster, cured of Disease of Spine and Kidneys, &c., contracted in the Army.

Thomas Groom, Glou Hope, cured of Disease of the Back and Nervous system.

Henry Nagle, Lancaster, cured of a stroke of the Palsy, causing the loss of the use of the right arm.

Joseph Wilmer, Philadelphia, certifies that Mischler's Bitters has restored him to health, having been much afflicted with various ailments for a long time.

James Kennedy, Lancaster, cured of Chronic Diarrhea and Rheumatism.

Daniel Finstock, Lancaster, cured of Chronic Rheumatism, which he was much afflicted with while in the Army—recommends the use of the Bitters to soldiers and others similarly afflicted.

Charles E. Williams, Lancaster, cured of Rheumatism occasioned by exposure in the Army.

Henry Mader, Lancaster, cured of difficulty in passing his water, by the use of the Bitters, and his wife also relieved from Rheumatic pains.

Philip Bone, Lancaster, cured of an affection of the Kidneys and Bladder, by the use of Mischler's Herb Bitters.

Daniel B. Herr, Rohrersstown, Lancaster Co., certifies that he was cured of severe stiffness in the side which he was afflicted with for nine years.

Jas. Beking, Litiz, Pa., was cured of a severe attack of Chronic Rheumatism.

Jos. H. Watson, Lancaster, relieved of pains in his shoulders and limbs, that he was unable to sleep.

Andrew Eberly, Lancaster, cured of Cramp Cholera—was so severe that he became apprehensive of Rapture.

Mary J. Carney, Lancaster, cured of weakness of the breast and pain in the side by Mischler's Bitters.

Win. H. Jordan, Lancaster, relieved of Cholera Morbus in 10 or 15 minutes, by the Herb Bitters.

Jacob Lang, Lancaster, says that his son was relieved of extraordinary pains in his arms and legs.

Samuel McDonnell, Lancaster, cured of Dispepsia of 20 years standing by Mischler's Bitters.

G. G. Kendall, Farmer, near Lancaster, cured of a severe attack of Dispepsia, by the Bitters.

Hugh Dougherty, Lancaster, says his daughter was cured of weakness, phthisis sore throat, &c.

J. L. Baker, Lancaster, certifies that his father has been much relieved from affliction by the Bitters.

E. H. Rhoads, Reamstown, Lancaster Co., cured of Inflammatory Rheumatism of some years standing.

Jonathan Sprague, Reamstown, Lancaster Co., cured of Rheumatism of the Bitters—contracted in the Army.

Thomas Brophy, Lancaster, recovered from attack of Fever and Ague, by the use of Mischler's Bitters.

A. Musketness, Lancaster, cured of what is called a Running Leg, by application of the Bitters.

John Rete, Lancaster, cured of a Running Leg of 20 years' standing, by Mischler's Bitters.

Edw. McIntyre, Lancaster, relieved of a severe pain across his kidneys, by the Herb Bitters.

C. B. Mayor, Lancaster, cured of a severe colic, which he had in his teeth, by Mischler's Bitters.

J. F. Freidenberg, Lancaster, was entirely cured of a remarkable distressing Abcess by the Bitters.

Henry G. Keudig, Camp Potomac, was cured of Diarrhoea by the use of Mischler's Bitters.

A. Fairer, Lancaster Co., Poorhouse, cured of Dispepsia and disease of the Kidneys, by the Bitters.

Mary Rives, Lancaster, relieved of a terrible cold on the breast of three months standing, by the Bitters.

John Weidman, Lancaster, says that himself and wife were cured of severe Rheumatism by the Bitters.

A Lady of Lancaster, writes to Mr. Mischler, that the Bitters cured her of Piles of a year's standing.

John Gilman, Lancaster, cured of Dispepsia of the Heart and a severe pain in his breast, by the Bitters.

G. W. Whitfield, Agent at Altoona, Blair Co., writes of the success he has met in selling the Bitters.

Amos Aument, of Strasburg, Lancaster Co., used the Bitters for a wound in the leg received at the Battle of South Mountain, and had no more pain.

J. C. R., a member of Co. E, 15th Regiment, P. V., writes to the Proprietor, that the Bitters cured him of a distressing cold which has afflicted him from duty.

Martha Bents, Lancaster, was cured of Inflammatory Rheumatism, from cold taken by a broken arm.

John Neidich, Lancaster, was cured of Palpitation of the Heart, which he had for 25 years.

John Schock, Peques, Lancaster Co. was relieved from an attack of the Gravel by the Bitters.

Mrs. Druckenmiller, of Mount Joy, Lancaster Co., was cured of an excruciating pain in her hands and feet, by the use of Mischler's Bitters.

John Lesher, of Reamstown, Lancaster Co., was cured of a swell in the neck and jaw by the use of Mischler's Herb Bitters.

H. C. Ginkinger, Philadelphia, after being confined to the house for two years, was cured by the use of Mischler's Bitters.

Geo. W. Killian, Lancaster, was confined to the U. S. Hospital for 10 weeks, by the use of Mischler's Bitters.

Mrs. Margaret Kirk, Lancaster, was cured of a severe pain in her side and nervousness, by the use of the Herb Bitters.

Mrs. Eliza Wenditz, Lancaster, was cured of Inflammatory Rheumatism by the use of the Bitters.

Amos Groff, Lancaster, was relieved of a severe cold in the throat by the use of the Bitters.

Henry J. Etter, Lancaster, had his sight restored (which he had been deprived of for about 5 years,) by the use of Mischler's Bitters.

Charles P. Miller, Philadelphia, writes that he was cured of a distressing cold which has afflicted him from duty.

Harriet Orr, Lancaster, was cured of inward weakness and pain in the back, by the Herb Bitters.

John Kautz, Lancaster, had a slight attack of Lockjaw, which was cured by the Bitters.

Thodore Wendits of Pa. Reserves, was shot in the arm at the battle of Fredericksburg, by using the Bitters he was soon relieved from pain in the arm.

Poetry.

Written for the Columbia Spy.
Under the Cloud.

BY VIOLA MAY.

O how very unhappy indeed I should be,

Thought a dear little bird in a dark prison cage,
Were it not for the notes that come wafted to me,
What power in thy music, my grief to assuage.

"Th' repeat the sweet notes as they fall on my ear,
Like an echo they'll thrill in melodious sound,
Until stamp'd on my heart with their comforting cheer,
Sweet will be the relief—mid the darkness around.

Thus sang the warbler, and had soon learned each air,
That was sung for his ear, with voice and with harp;

This done, they removed from his prison so fair—
What was purposely placed there,—the curtain so dark.

Fellow Christian, how oft dost thou sadly complain,
Of overshadowing grief and of wearisome days;
Ereth hath wisdom, not taught thee again and again;
Hast failed that, to learn from her beautiful ways?

O, how often our Father the mantle doth cast,
That our spirit be turned to the music above;
But transient the shadows, they soon will be past,
And our souls ever sing, in the fulness of love.

Original

Written for the Columbia Spy.

The Beginning and the Ending.

A Story founded on Facts.

BY J. S. G.

Reader, let me draw you a picture!

A form noble and commanding; a step firm and elastic; features not regularly beautiful, but beautiful in their irregularity; soft, silken brown hair; hazel eyes (no counterfeit) but real merry-tinkling, loving hazel eyes, fringed by lashes that rested on cheeks away, it is true; but then this only made the rich blood that sparkled through his veins and swelled to his oval cheeks the more brilliantly resplendent; and such a mouth!

now the brightest, most winning smiles wreathed it into a fit bow for Cupid's arrows; then, Ah, how it could curl in mocking contempt and withering disdain!

Is it wonderful that he soon learned the magnetic power of those smiles, or that amid the rarest wit, their sprang up the tiniest morsel of vanity? Not enough to make him angry, but just sufficient to give him that perfect ease, that is perfectly captivating when united to a superior mind. This he possessed, having taken honors at one of the first Colleges in our land, and having had an *utree* into the elite of society, it is not surprising that he soon became the "bright particular star," and a mark for manoeuvring manners and intriguing daughters.

He was blessed beyond most men in other respect; a father's and a mother's counsel he remembered—a pious mother's warm affection and constant care, and a brother's steadfast love, still shed their radiance around his life; and yet, with all these blessings there was a void unfilled, a constant unsatisfied desire for a deeper, more entire devotion; even when wit and beauty seemed vying with each other to give a passing smile. The most secluded work—the place most remote from the giddy crowd would be selected for his meditations, and to lament that there was none amongst the worldly throng to whom he might pour forth his abundance of warm-gushing heart love.

At length in an excursion thought the "Old Dominion," the dream of his life was realized; he met Jean Forest; met her in her simple home, before her young heart knew the sad meaning of guile or disgrace.

'Twas an evening in the latter part of October—one of those soft, balmy, quite Indian Summer evenings that shed peace deep into the very soul, making all God's creation seem glorious and great—one of those evening that soothes the excited nerves, the soft south wind chasing all shadows from the languid brow, the brain wandering away into wild, vague fancies of childhood or delving into the fathomless depths of an impenetrable fur; the chirp of the cricket, the buzz of the myriads of gnats, and the scarce audible flap-flap of the silken-winged butterfly, as he dips into some wild flower, were the only sounds that disturbed the stillness. The sun was fast hiding himself behind golden fringed clouds, and the old wood round sent forth no sound to direct a stranger. After winding zigzag over a well-trodden pathway for several miles, our hero, Mark Hillard, began to imagine he might not reach a habitation ere night-fall; but the timber began gradually to grow thinner and thinner, until he was suddenly made aware of the proximity of a dwelling by an opening in the forest. The scene was too lovely to be lost! He dismounted and quietly drank in the rural taint, that was before him, calmly nestled away in the warm sunshine.

In the distance was indistinctly discernable a low cottage, surrounded by fruit trees loaded with deep golden colored and red apples. The cottage was built of logs, but fresh and white with a recent whitewash; the front was so covered with all manner of creeping vines and flowering shrubs, that the small portico was scarcely discernable; the neatly kept garden in front, with the delicious scent of thyme and camomile filling the whole air with their perfume, was a specimen worthy a more advanced civilization; true the enclosure was rough, but a rare purity almost hallowed the place. An old man with elfin locks and furrowed brow, set snugly encooped in the coziest corner of the porch, calmly smoking his evening pipe; a matronly wife busied herself in her domestic duties, and in her passing, a quite happy smile brightened up her face until it almost glowed prettily again, and presently a merry little creature came dancing down the pathway with a troop of poultry chattering and singing after her. She holds a morsel high up, and as a venturesome chick steals it slyly from her fingers, a hand and arm of exquisite symmetry is displayed; she scatters the grain round her and laughs gaily to see the eager battling for a share; as the last is emptied from her basket and she turns to retrace her steps, Mark accosts her. "Pray miss can you direct me to an inn?" She turns round and with a mocking courtesy, "an inn, sir. Why, bless me, you will find none in this region! We call this the back woods; but I guess papa can direct you, come up;" and off she trips, displaying as she goes a foot of faultless shape.

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