

Local Department.

Notice to Subscribers. The terms of the Spy are \$2.50 per annum...

To Correspondents. Communications, letters, contributions, generally of merit and interest to the reader, will be acceptable...

J. B.—We were not aware that the Corporal had contracted any disease whatever, whilst in the army...

W. G. C.—MSS. received. Will comply with your request, and write you by the next mail.

My Policy.—You seem to be fully posted on the dog question. The matter has been pretty well canvassed, and we think your communication can avail nothing...

Justice.—The looked for has been received. Some of our friends will inform you of the date by letter...

J. S. L.—Yours received, with enclosures as stated. Many thanks. We made the arrangement to come some time ago, but our calculations were all knocked into "pl."...

CIDER MILLS.—The celebrated Key-stone Cider and Wine Mills are for sale at the Store of Hiram Wilson.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—C. S. Kauffman offers several desirable tracts of land for sale, in the vicinity of Cordelia Furnace.

OUT HIMSELF.—Master George Wilford cut himself with an axe, a few days since. He was in the act of climbing over a fence...

"TRUSCOTT TEA."—This once highly popular brand of tea has found its way into this market again.

RESIGNED.—Mr. William H. Meyers of this borough and freight agent of the Pennsylvania R. R. Company, at Lancaster, has resigned that position.

CATAWBA WINE.—The pure juice of our native Catawba grape, may be found in Fehr's Catawba Wine.

SCHOOL CLOSED.—Miss Amanda F. Jones' School closed on Tuesday last, and on Wednesday she gave a grand reunion to her pupils...

PERSONAL.—We were glad to take by the hand, a few days since, our friend Geo. W. Haldeman, Esq., who has just returned from a successful tour in Europe.

BE CAREFUL.—Our citizens should be exceedingly careful during the hot weather. The least excess may produce sickness.

FLOUR INSPECTOR.—Let us have a flour inspector appointed for Columbia. For obvious reasons we believe it would be for the benefit of our citizens.

ADVERTISING PAYS.—We will state this one fact for the information of our readers, and others, that it does pay to advertise.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.—We observe that this once popular and efficient institution is still kept up in portions of the State.

EXCURSION TICKETS.—The Reading & Columbia R. R. will issue excursion tickets to parties of five or more...

THE PIC-NIC SEASON.—The Pic-Nic mania has fairly seized hold of the people. Every day we hear of parties making up for Litz, Heises' Grove or Big Island.

A WARNING POETICAL.—"Tell me, angelic host, ye messengers of love, shall avowed printers here below have no redress above?"

"THE Reading & Columbia Rail Road" will issue excursion tickets from Columbia, Lancaster and Landisville and return...

CANCELLING STAMPS.—Some persons using internal revenue stamps are very careless, it appears, about cancelling them.

At a meeting of Rising Star Section, No. 30, Cadets of Temperance, held on Saturday evening, July 7th, the following officers were installed for the ensuing term:

W. P., Thos. M. Fisher; 2nd P., Martin Davis; 3rd P., T. J. Wright; W. A., Wm. Tyler; V. A., Chas. Scouber; S., Wm. Blackson; A. S., Albert Hogentogler; T., Thos. Mayrick; A. T., Henry Hogentogler; G., Sam'l Beaver; U., John Waters; W., Edward Ferree; A. W., Chas. Tyler.

RED MEN'S PIC-NIC.—The second annual picnic of the Chickasaw Tribe, No. 39, I. O. R. M., will take place in Heises' woods, near Columbia, on Saturday, July 29th.

COLUMBIA CORNET BAND.—We have heard with pleasure, several new pieces played by this band, and must congratulate them on their proficiency.

They are striving to get their new instruments paid for, and will be grateful for any donations to this object. They return thanks to several noble-hearted individuals who have very materially aided them.

Mr. Editor.—We are told that music hath charms. I am fully convinced of it, for I find that when I go to church, some of my friends are so musical that they have their children with copper-heels and toes to drum Yankee Doodle or some other inspiring air on the backs and bottoms of the pews.

HOUSEHOLD MARKETS.—Our domestic markets are well supplied. We give a list of prices of some of the leading articles as follows: Butter 25 to 28 cents per pound.

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EVERY FAMILY SHOULD HAVE A SEWING MACHINE. And when getting, be sure to get a good one.

THE WHEELER & WILSON. Is undoubtedly THE BEST FAMILY MACHINE IN USE. Any one wishing to purchase a machine, can have one on trial, and if not entirely satisfied, can return it.

Howe's Tailoring AND FAMILY MACHINES. For sale by W. G. PATTON, Agent, at the Store of Maltby & Case, Locust Street, Columbia, Pa.

CORNER STONE LAID.—The Corner Stone of the new Engine House of the Columbia Fire Company was laid on Thursday evening last, with appropriate ceremonies.

PROFESSIONAL.—We would call the attention of the public to the card of Dr. S. C. Ermentrout, in to-day's paper. The Doctor comes highly recommended, and has taken the office formerly occupied by Dr. Devlin, who has entirely relinquished the practice of medicine.

IMPROVEMENTS.—The Columbia & Port Deposit Rail Road Company are making great improvements in Front St. They are putting in a new sewer at the foot of Union Street, and are still making substantial improvements wherever they are needed.

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH.—Met July 9th. President, S. Grove in the chair. Present, Messrs. H. Breneeman, C. Breneeman, Crane, Gröve, Hardman, Hardy, Stape and Young.

THE HARVEST.—The farmers in this section are now in the midst of harvest operations, and are rapidly gathering in the wheat, favored with excellent weather, and the entire crop will be securely housed within the next week.

On motion of Mr. Crane, the report was approved. Mr. H. R. Wolf, residing in 3rd street, between Locust and Walnut, then requested the Board to visit, at an early day, his residence and those of his immediate neighborhood, stating that the property next to him was in a filthy condition.

On motion of Mr. Young, it was resolved, that the several ward committees be authorized to grant orders for papers to such persons as they may deem unable to purchase the same, and that the High Constable be authorized to fill such orders from the Copperras owned by the borough.

On motion of Mr. Young, it was resolved, that when the Board adjourns it do so to meet on Monday, July 16th, at 8 P. M.

On motion adjourned. Geo. H. Richards, Sec.

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MUSLINS, SHEETINGS, CHECKS, TICKINGS, LINENS, FLANNELS, GINGHAMS, CALICOES, &c., at NEARLY OLD PRICES. A complete assortment of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, TWEEDS, JEANS, COTTENADES, &c., for men and boy's wear, at old prices.

Public Sale. THE undersigned will sell at Public Sale, at Cordelia Furnace, on the Columbia and Chestnut Hill Turnpike and Reading and Columbia R. R., about three miles east of Columbia, on SATURDAY, JULY 29th, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following Real Estate:

Tract No. 1. Containing about 16 Acres and 31 Perches, adjoining lands of Jacob Bishman, Rudolph Herr, C. M. Morgan and others, on which is erected a TWO-STORY FRAME HOUSE, with Kitchen, and other out building.

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SPECIAL ATTENTION Is invited to their large, and CHOICE SELECTION of IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC DRESS GOODS.

BOULEVARD!! The New "Boulevard" Skirt is the LATEST INVENTION, and for style and shape, is UNIQUE & UNEQUALED.

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Boots & Shoes Of all kinds and at styles AT REDUCED PRICES.

SUMMER HATS, ALL STYLES AND PRICES.

IMPORTED GOODS MUCH LESS THAN COST OF IMPORTATION. ALL WOOL DELAINES AT 45 cents.

OTHER GOODS IN PROPORTION PRICES OF OLD GOODS REDUCED ONE HALF.

OUR STOCK OF GOODS is being constantly replenished, and always kept full. Although they feel confident of offering greater inducements to purchasers, than any other establishment outside of the cities, we most respectfully solicit an examination of their goods that

JUDGE FOR THEMSELVES, ONE PRICE FOR ALL REGULAR GOODS. Col., may 6th '66

RESOURCES. Notes and bills discounted, 157,783.42 U. S. Bonds for circulation, 150,000.00 U. S. Securities on hand, 20,700.00 Cash in notes of other banks, 3,575.55 Legal tenders and Comp'd Notes, 500.00 Expenses, 1,955.46 Interest on deposits, 4,915.72 Taxes, 1,208.08 Fixtures, 8403.923.60

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CONGRESS AND A HIGH TARIFF! IN view of the possibility of Congress passing a high Tariff on all IMPORTED GOODS, it would be advisable for our readers to make early purchases from the Large and Beautiful Stock of Dry Goods,

QUEENSWARE, GROCERIES, Carpeting, Oil Cloths, WALL PAPER, &c.

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