Local Department.

To Correspondents.

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

ED.—We sent the documents.

H. H.—Accept our thanks, friend H., for your valued favor. The receipt is before you.

A. G.—You have credit for the amount sent.

J. R. S.—Will write in a day or so, when we hope you will give us your attention.

R. S. M.—The "cabinet" has not yet arrived. Will you please make inquiry about it?

J. A. R.—Mss. received. Will comply with your request as far as it is possible for us to do; errors of the head—not of the heart.

"JOSIE."—The small piece of "dry goods" purloined from you, on Saturday evening last, is in our possession and will be returned—when you call for it. Yours of the 20th received. The lines are beautiful, and your taste good.

☞ WESTERN Congress tobacco, for sale at Geo. M. Booth's tobacco and segar store, 25 cents per pound, and upwards.

The Berks and Schuylkill Journal appeared in a new dress, last week. It is greatly improved in appearance. The *Journal* is one of the best papers in Reading, and is a great terror to Copperheads and rebels.

SNOW STORM.—The greatest snow-storm of the season took place during the week. There is more snow on the ground now than at any one time during the season. Winter has commenced again in earnest. The weather is cool, the sleighing good, and those who have "cutters" are making use of them.

HANDSOME HARNESS.—Mr. Amos Miley, saddle and harness maker, Lancaster, has just completed six sets of wagon harness for Mr. Silas Buley, of Philadelphia. They are pronounced the best, handsomest and most substantial harness ever made in this part of the country, and reflects credit upon the manufacturer.

GOLDEN MORTAR DRUG STORE.—Parry, of the Golden Mortar Drug Store has lately fitted up his store and stocked it with an abundant supply of fresh Drugs and Medicines, new Garden Seeds, fancy articles, perfumery, &c. He has the celebrated Ring's Ambrosia, which is said to be the best hair preparation in the world. Go and see Parry.

SPIRITUAL MEETINGS.—We learn that several Spiritual meetings have been held in Columbia and vicinity, by Miss Josephine Orr, a celebrated Medium—daughter of Dr. Orr, of Chester county. It is said the meetings have been of a very interesting nature, and those who have been in attendance were highly pleased with the developments brought forth.

CANE PRESENTATION.—Gen. Simon Cameron was presented with a beautiful gold headed cane, manufactured from black ebony wood, on Saturday last, by the employees of the Lochiel Iron Works, at Harrisburg. It was presented as a token of their high appreciation of his valuable services in favor of American industry, and had several appropriate mottoes engraved on it.

THE 22ND OF FEBRUARY.—The 135th anniversary of Washington's birthday was celebrated in Columbia by a Grand Military Ball, held in Odd Fellows' Hall, by the Columbia Zouaves. The occasion will long be remembered as one of the most pleasant and successful entertainments that has yet been given this season. The festivities were kept up till a late hour, when they all returned to their homes, highly pleased with the Zouaves' ball.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.—List of letters remaining in the Columbia Post-Office, unclaimed, up to this date:

Ladies' List.—Miss Tillie Conklin, Miss Barbara Celean, Miss Lizzie Diritt, Barbara Funk, Mrs. Rebecca Gibbons, Mrs. Rebecca Hudson, Mrs. Sarah Jackson, Mrs. Desdemona Johnson, 2; Miss Frances Marten, Emma S. Treat, Miss Amelia Walton.

Gentlemen's List.—R. W. Boyle, Henry Cannon, F. P. Fruzee, Daniel Gingen, A. E. Gile, Jacob Krome, S. P. Kauffman, Thomas Kerr, Lewis Lattin, S. Lattin, John Ortman, John Paxton, Sam'l Pert, 2; Jacob Rasser, Samuel A. Struck, John Stoffer, George Slackoff, Samuel Stafford, J. D. Thomas, J. P. Woodside.

NEWSPAPER BORROWERS.—The Pittsburg *Dispatch* makes the following hit at newspaper borrowers:

"It is generally your small potato chap, who has the means but lacks the disposition—who would rather bore his good neighbor to the point of distraction, than expend fifteen cents a week in a newspaper. This class is not a small one, and it has representatives everywhere."

Our community has a few of the same sort, and some even purloin their neighbor's paper from the door-step, before the rightful owner has had an opportunity of reading it. For shame! when the "Spy" can be obtained for the low sum of $2.00 per year.

BETTER FOOD THAN BREAD OR MEAT.—The experiments of a French chemist, show that certain cheeses contain from twenty-six to forty per cent. of nitrogenized matters, which are considered the most highly nutritive constituents of food. Consequently these cheeses are from twenty-five to a hundred per cent. more nutritive than bread or meat, which is set down at twenty-two per cent. of nitrogen. In the fatty elements for heating the body, cheese yields only to butter. In point of mineral nutrition, cheese is found pre-eminent, containing seven to eight per cent. of ashes, where meat and bread contain only one per cent. In fact, it is too rich for most persons, requiring strong digestive powers. It might be combined with other elements of food, however, to make an extremely valuable diet.

THIRD ANNUAL SUPPER.—Washington's birthday was celebrated by Shawnee Encampment, No. 23, I. O. of O. F., at their Hall, last evening, by their third annual oyster supper. It was the most successful entertainment of the kind, that has yet taken place; which reflects great credit upon the Committee having it in charge. They did their whole duty, likewise did the Patriarchs. It was indeed a great treat—a feast which only the members of the Camp, with their ladies, know how to get up. About forty of the brethren, with their wives, sat down at the tables, and partook of the "good things" set before them.—After full justice had been done to the numerous and excellently prepared dishes, an interchange of sentiment took place, and a good time was had generally. The company separated at an early hour, all highly pleased with the pleasures of the evening's entertainment. Many returns, &c.

W. F. LOCKARD, SUPT. OF PHIL'A DIV. PA. R. R.—A MERITED PROMOTION.—It affords us great pleasure to announce the appointment of Wm. F. Lockard, Esq., to the responsible office of Superintendent of the Philadelphia Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad. A wiser and better choice could not have been made. He will, we learn, enter upon the duties of his office during the ensuing month.

Mr. Lockard recently held the position of Assistant Train Master, on both branches of the Pennsylvania Railroad, between Lancaster and Harrisburg. His close and undivided attention to that office has recommended him to the Directors; and while he will most ably fill the more elevated position, we think it will be difficult to replace him in the responsible one he now vacates.

He has been long identified with railroads; his first association with them commenced as brakeman on the old Bingham Line, twenty years ago. Mr. Lockard understands the workings of the business and the public wants, more fully than any other man; and he has the lasting regard of all who have had intercourse with him, as a man of strict probity, honor and fairness in all his dealings.

His efficiency and fidelity to the interest of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company—as well as the old State Road—by which he has been employed, in faithfully discharging the duties required, in every position in which he has been placed, as an employee or officer, has gradually been rewarded by promotion; until his many friends, the employees, and the business community with which he has for so many years had intercourse, have the gratification to know that this last promotion could not have been conferred upon any officer of the road possessing larger capabilities or experience. We regret to say that the duties of the office will require the removal of Mr. Lockard and family to Philadelphia.

In conclusion we are proud to say, that Columbia has produced more eminent railroad men than any other town in the United States. We may mention the name of Col. Thomas A. Scott, first Vice President of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, whose comprehensive abilities as a railroad man is known throughout the whole country; indeed the same may be said of G. C. Franciscus, J. J. Houston, (E. J. Sneeder, and Samuel D. Young, dec'd,) H. H. Houston, Wm. F. Lockard, and others.

THE MODEL SEWING MACHINE.—Prominent among the mechanical triumphs of this most ingenious age, common honesty compels us to notice the Empire Sewing Machine, commended as justly styled perfection itself. Useful as have been the various sewing machines, from time to time presented to the public, each one of them has been cursed with some radical defect, which detracts from general utility. Warned by the experience of his predecessors, the inventor of the Empire Machine has produced an instrument, combining *all the advantages for which others are* vaunted, and obviating every defect which can be attributed to them by the most fastidious critic.

The Empire Machine is a marvellous combination of simplicity, economy and perfect workmanship, being durable, free from liability to get out of order, noiseless, and easy of operation. Its mechanical contrivance is such as to secure stability, freedom from accident, and accuracy as to workmanship. By the use of the patented shuttle and straight needle, it makes a stitch, which can neither rip nor ravel, while, at the same time, it can operate perfectly upon every species of material from leather to cambric, with threads of cotton, linen or silk, from the finest to the coarsest number.

As the Empire Machine is gradually supplanting its more antique rivals, no one in want of a useful instrument of this description, be he or she tailor, coach-maker, dressmaker or seam-stress, can do otherwise than secure one of these economical and inimitable machines, suited alike for family and manufacturing purposes. The office of the Empire Manufacturing Co. is at No. 536 Broadway, New York City, where they are now supplying these Empire Machines at prices far below the real value of the instruments.—*New York Herald.*

THE EVIL OF LATE HOURS.—An eminent author, in a treatise on family worship, has said that the present custom of having our hours of business and meals later than our fathers, especially late evening visits, whether to our friends or public places, are mischievous to personal and family order and godliness. It is true, and by no means the whole truth. Keeping late hours is a pernicious practice, physically and intellectually, as well as morally. The old adage is correct, which assumes health, wealth, and wisdom to be dependent largely upon early retiring and early rising. Fashionable dissipation in the shape of balls, parties, and so forth, with the attendent loss of sleep, and eating at irregular intervals, is responsible for a vast proportion of the ailments that afflict society, including lassitude, dyspepsia, consumption, and innumerable other complaints. Persistence in such a mode of living, for a single season, is enough to impair the most robust health, and bring a pallor to the rosiest cheek.

CONSOLIDATION OF FIRE COMPANIES.—The Vigilant and Susquehanna fire companies have consolidated; taking in with them a portion of the Columbia Zouave Battalion. A meeting was held at the rooms of the "Susquehanna," on Thursday evening last, and elected the following officers:—Abram Bruner, jr., President; Jos. Hogentogler, Vice President, A. J. Kauffman, Secretary; George Bogle, Treasurer; C. S. Kauffman, J. B. Bachman, and T. R. Supplee, Trustees. A. Bruner, jr., J. B. Bachman, A. J. Kauffman, J. G. Hess, and H. S. Hershey, were appointed a Committee to revise the by-laws. Adjourned, to meet this (Saturday) evening, at 7 o'clock, at the Hall of the Vigilant Fire Company.

PRUNE YOUR GRAPE VINES.—A gentleman who pays considerable attention to the culture of grapes says that grape vines should be pruned during the month of February. In trimming cut away two thirds of the length of last year's growth, and all straggling, spindling vines. Don't be afraid of cutting too closely. If you desire a good crop of this luscious fruit attend to the pruning of your vines at once.

A FEARFUL EPIDEMIC is raging in our midst; daily are its victims carried off, after an attack, the symptoms of which are easily detected. Prolonged in some cases for *long* years, in others *a few short* months, it generally culminates in matrimony.—This disease may be classed as incurable, but for the cure and *prevention* of almost any other complaint of humanity, Meyers, the Apothecary, at Odd Fellows' Hall, can furnish a remedy. To those in need we would say that a call at his counter rarely fails to produce the desired article. ‡

THREE RULES FOR READERS.—First—*Finish* each word. We use the phrase in the sense of a watchmaker or jeweler. The difference between two articles, which at a little distance looks much the same, all lies in the *finish.* Each wheel in a watch must be thoroughly finished; and so each word in the sentence must be pronounced. This will make reading both pleasant and audible. Careful pronunciation is more important than noise. Some time ago we heard a person make a speech in a large hall; he spoke distinctly, and we heard every word; unfortunately he became warm in his subject and spoke loudly and energetically, and immediately his speech became an inarticulate noise.

Secondly—Do not drop the voice at the end of the sentence. Simple as this rule may seem, it is one of the most necessary to enforce. If the whole of the sentence be audible except the conclusion, the passage read becomes discontinuous, a series of intelligible portions interspersed with blanks. Confusion, of necessity, attaches to the whole.

Thirdly—Always read from a full chest. The reading voice should always be a complete *voce de petto;* and the chest, which is truly the wind chest of the human organ, should never be exhausted. This is as important for the speaker as for the hearers, and for the hearers as for the speaker. The voice is delivered with ease, and becomes agreeable. Singers know well the importance, indeed the necessity, of taking breath at proper places. The same thing is important for reading; in a large building, attention to this matter is indispensable.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD CONDUCTORS.—The *Pittsburgh Commercial* says the Conductors on the Western division of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad have received handsome vouchers, and are set down as gentlemen of irreproachable character, polite, attentive and honest.

This is all very well Mr. *Commercial,* but you overlooked the fact of us having equally as good, honest and attentive Conductors on the Eastern divison of the road as the Western. *Our* Conductors, too, have passed through the searching ordeal inaugurated by the Chicago Detective, Pinkerton, (who should never be allowed to travel on the Penna. Central,) and came out without a blemish.

Our Lancaster train has Conductors and patrons which will compare favorably with any other passenger train in the world. The Conductors are polite, gentlemanly and attentive to ladies and children *placed in their charge; and they, too,* have received the "handsome vouchers."—These vouchers are a *donation* of one hundred dollars for services over and above regular salaries. They were ordered by the Board of Directors in consideration of accuracy and faithfulness in the discharge of their duties as passenger Conductors.

Our Conductors who have received this high compliment, on this division of the road, are H. N. Zook, (formerly of the Lancaster train,) Ed. Chase, (Judge,) John Michael, Elias J. Unger, and Thomas Cunningham. There may be others, but we cannot now think of their names.

For the Spy.

MR. RAMBO:—I observed an article in the *Examiner & Herald* of the 16th inst., signed "Columbia," censuring General Fisher, in relation to his vote against reviving the Charter of the Connellsville Railroad.

It cannot be expected that Gen. Fisher will undertake to kick every cur that chooses to bark or snarl at him,—but will vote for or against measures, as the case may be which will subserve the real interest of our Commonwealth and his constituency; *hence,* we believe his voting against the revival of this Charter, largely promotes the interest of our State.

"Columbia" certainly has not a comprehensive nor intelligent understanding of the interest at issue, else he wishes to confer upon the City of a neighboring State, the trade and commerce developed by a road traversing nearly the entire width of our State, which legitimately belongs to our own State and Philadelphia.

If we understand the question at issue, it is substantially this: The Company owning the Railroad from Pittsburg to Connellsville, will, in the event of the revival of the Charter asked for, make overtures to the Baltimore and Ohio R. R. Co., in which event, a connection will be made *from Connellsville to the Potomac,* connecting with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and directing the trade of its whole line through our State to Baltimore, instead of Philadelphia.

Efforts are now being made by prominent rail road men, to make railroad connections from Wrightsville, and a through route to Pittsburg via Connellsville, thus securing the trade developed by this road to Philadelphia, which should be a matter of just pride to any son of our glorious old Commonwealth, who is not recreant to her true interests and the grand destiny which awaits her. PENNSYLVANIA.

For the Spy.

TAXES! TAXES!! TAXES!!!

By a resolution adopted at the last meeting of our Town Council, the Solicitor of the Borough is to draw up a bill to be presented for enactment, by our State Legislature, authorizing the Council to borrow a sum of money not exceeding $100,000, to be expended in opening streets, and for other public improvements. This looks *like doing* business, and it may be well enough for the tax-payers and property holders, to consider the *magnificent* scale upon which our Borough is to be improved, and our annual taxes increased—for what and by whom? A matter of so much importance as this, should at least have the sanction of a majority of our citizens, and those who will be compelled to pay the money; therefore, they have a right to be consulted. When the members of the Council were elected, there was no proposition for borrowing money, to this amount, before the people. It never was dreamed of, and it is hoped that before the Legislature will pass such a bill, the remonstrances of the tax-payers of Columbia will be attentively heard and considered. Q.

For the Spy.

Columbia Post Office.

MR. EDITOR:—The closing of the Post Office at 7 o'clock P. M., does not give general satisfaction, neither can I see the necessity for the change from 8 to 7 o'clock, P. M., while our tradesmen keep open their stores until the former hour.

The duties of the office, I admit, are monotonous and arduous. But the compensation received for the services of Post Master and clerks, are, I presume, sufficiently renumerative to afford public convenience.

The room in which the office is located, is as *unfavorable for the purpose,* as well can be conceived. But of this I desire to make no complaint at present, but simply request that the office be kept open until 8 o'clock, P. M., giving proper time and facility for receiving mail matter by the 6½ o'clock P. M. train.

PROGRESS.

LITERARY NOTICES.

"HARPER."—The March number of Harper's Monthly Magazine has just been received by Mr. Hess, bookseller and stationer. It contains the sixth paper on "Personal Recollections of the War" and the usual variety of reading matter. Mr. Hess is always in receipt of the best publications issued, and keeps on hand every variety of books and stationery.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK.—"Godey," for March, contains the spring fashions. It has a fine steel engraving, "Watching Baby," the usual double sheet fashion plate, fashion cuts novelties, patterns, &c. The Work Department contains a choice variety, and the Literary Department is filled with interesting reading matter. Marion Harland contributes an excellent story, besides which we have "The Shermans," "An Unhappy Likeness," "My Only Lover," &c. Terms for Godey's, $3.00 a year. Address L. A. Godey, N. E. Corner Sixth and Chestnut streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

LE BON TON, for March, has already appeared. It is a splendid number, containing the very latest Paris fashions. It is profusely illustrated with handsome colored cuts. Terms of subscription, $5.00; *six months,* $3.00. Single copies, with two or more patterns, 50 cents.—349 Canal street, New York.

"DEMOREST."—The March number of Mme. Demorest's Fashion Magazine has been received, at Hess'-book store. It is gorgeous with beautiful illustrations. Its pictures, fashions, stories, &c., make up a most attractive magazine. Get this number at Hess'.

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. Funeral notices ten cents per line Payable in advance.

On Monday, Feb. 18th, at the American Hotel, Philadelphia, by Friends' ceremony, in presence of Alderman David Beitler, John Peart, of Columbia, Pa., to Martha Herr, of Manor, Pa. No cards.

On Tuesday, 19th inst., in this place, by Rev. W. H. Stock, Mr. Henry Widener, of York Co. Pa., and Miss Adaline Goehn, of Wrightsville.

On the 17th inst., by Rev. J. B. Dougherty, Mr. Orville Kidder to Miss Harriet Broom, both of this place.

On the 19th inst., Mr. John W. Bruner to Miss Rebecca C., daughter of Gen. J. W. Fisher, both of Columbia.

On Thursday the 21st inst., by Rev. Mr. Ph. M. Ridenbach, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. John Michael Schaibley to Mrs. Dorothea Stetter, all of Columbia.

On the 14th inst., by Rev. Wm. Major, at the residence of the bride's father, Joshua T. Hughes, of Chester county, and Catharine Boyd, of Columbia.

On the 19th inst., by Rev. Wm. Major, at the residence of E. Hershey, Esq., Henry Bechtold, of Mount Joy, and Adaline L. Johnson, of Manor. (No cards).

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

$15,000 WANTED!

$15,000 WANTED by the Borough of Columbia.

"*Resolved,* That the Finance Committee be authorized to advertise for a loan for the use of the Borough to the amount of $15,000, and that said loan may be received in amounts from $100 to $1000, and the bonds of the Borough be given for the same, said bonds to run from one to five years."

As per the above resolution, the Finance Committee ask bids for the amount stated. It will be proper to state that the Borough is entirely out of debt, and free from County Tax. Persons having money to loan, will address or call at the Office of A. S. GREEN, Chairman of Committee.

A. S. GREEN,
PHILIP SHREINER, } Fin. Com.
DAVID MULLEN,

Columbia Feb. 23rd, 1867.

CONTROVERSY.

A PAMPHLET is for sale at Hess' Book Store, Columbia, containing a very interesting account of a controversy between

A Roman Catholic Priest,

of Columbia, and the Pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, Rev. J. M. Darmstetter, who is the author of the Book. It will be found very interesting. Price 35 cents. Feb. 23, '67—tf.

JUST THE PLACE!

ALL in want of very neat Dress Boots or Shoes, or Plain Boots or Shoes, made by superior workmen, and of the best material, are requested to call at Fraley's, in *Locust street, near Second.* A large Stock of **BOOTS,** (all our own make,) now on hand. P. FRALEY.

Columbia, Feb. 23, '67-3t.

Notice.

A MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of the COLUMBIA AND PORT DEPOSIT RAIL ROAD COMPANY, will be held

On Friday, March 29th, 1867,

At 1 o'clock, P. M., at 238 South Third St., Philadelphia, to consider the propriety of increasing the Capital Stock to One Million of Dollars, and of creating a Mortgage Loan of Two Millions of Dollars.

GEO. F. BRENEMAN,
feb 23-3t] Secretary.

Valuable MINERAL WATER ESTABLISHMENT AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber, having engaged in other business, offers at Private Sale, his

Mineral Water Establishment,

Consisting of GENERATOR FOUNTAINS, and other necessary apparatus, with about **800** DOZ. BOTTLES and necessary Fixtures, for Manufacturing and Bottling. All the Apparatus is in good and complete order, part of it having been renewed last season.

Also, MINERAL WATER WAGONS, for one or two horses. To persons wishing to engage in the business, superior advantages are offered, as the business has been carried on successfully since its establishment, by Smedley & Brandt, in 1850, and has at this time a large and paying patronage.

If not sold before the **2d of March, 1867,** it will be offered at Public Sale, on the premises, corner of Third and Walnut streets, Columbia, Pa.

Sale to commence at **2** o'clock P. M., when attendance will be given, and terms made known by

DANIEL McCAULEY.

Columbia, Feb. 23, '67—2t.

NOTICE.

THE Board of Directors of First National Bank of Columbia, have elected Jos. W. Guernsey a Director of this Bank, to fill H. H. Houston's place.

H. H. Houston declined serving on account of not being able to give it the attention that the qualification of Directors requires.

S. S. DETWILER, Cashier.

Columbia, Feb. 18, 1867—1t.

ANY PERSON in want of a good and substantial

TRUSS,

Can be accommodated by calling at the Drug Store of R. WILLIAMS,
Feb. 23, 1867. Front street, Columbia.

POUDRETTE!

(SEVENTEEN YEARS FAIR TRIAL.)

THERE is no better Manure in the market, for all kind of Crops.

POUDRETTE—at **40** cents per bushel, or **$20** per ton, delivered at Railroad and Steamboat Depots, in Philadelphia.

Manufactory—Gray's Road, above the Arsenal, Philadelphia. Peysson's Farm, Glocester, N. J. Woodbury Railroad.

DEALERS—French Richards & Co., 4th and Callowhill streets, Philadelphia, and for sale by Seed and Agricultural Implement Dealers generally.

Office—Library street, No. **420,** back of the new Post Office, Philada.

Liberal DISCOUNT to Dealers.

Feb. 23, '67-3mos.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, in the name of Maltby & Case, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either party will sign in liquidation, and the Books will be found at the office of Wm. G. Case, ready for settlement. C. S. MALTBY,
WM. G. CASE.

Columbia, Feb. 19, 1867.

Mr. C. S. Maltby will continue in the business of the Rolling Mill, and Mr. W. G. Case will continue in the mercantile business. [Col'a, Feb. 23, '67.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HANDS WANTED.

STONE MASONS, STONE CUTTERS, Quarrymen and Laborers, at Columbia, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, on the Reading and Columbia Rail Road.

P. GOSSLER,
M. CLEPPER,
Col'a, Feb. 23, '67. Contractors.

TOWN MEETING.

THE citizens of Columbia, opposed to a Borough debt of

$100,000,

are requested to meet at the TOWN HALL, on the evening of **Tuesday, 26th inst.,** at 7 o'clock. TAX PAYER.

Feb. 23, '67.*

JUST OPENING!

A LARGE and well selected assortment of

Drugs, Dye Stuffs, Oils, &c.,

together with an extensive variety of

Patent Medicines,

and a Stock of

Perfumery & Fancy Articles,

both stylish and of the best quality.

Lamp Chimneys, Wick, &c.,

always on hand.

Particular attention is called to our Stock of

SPICES,

all of which are strictly pure, and sold at as reasonable rates as elsewhere.

R. WILLIAMS,
Col'a, Feb. 23, '67.] Front Street.

Brushes! Brushes!!

WE ARE now receiving an entire new Stock of BRUSHES, of all kinds:

Hair Brushes,
Cloth Brushes,
Tooth Brushes,
Nail Brushes,
Shoe Brushes,
Comb Brushes,

Of different Styles and qualities. Also, a FULL ASSORTMENT OF **COMBS,** Of every description, at

Col'a, Feb. 23, '67.] R. WILLIAMS'.

1867. "THE WORLD" 1867.

THE attention of the public is invited to the claims of "THE WORLD" as one of the leading public journals of the country. It is the chief organ of the Democratic Party of the United States, and the foremost advocate of the immediate restoration of the Union. *Its* highest merit consists in its character as

AN ENTERPRISING AND TRUSTWORTHY NEWSPAPER.

The next year bids fair to be a more critical one in the history of our free institutions than even any of the eventful ones that have preceded it. The first requisite for an intelligent judgment of public affairs is a full and authentic account of facts as they transpire. These THE WORLD always aims to give with conscientious accuracy, and with equal fulness and fidelity, whether they make for or against its own views of *public policy. Prompt* activity in spreading before its readers every kind of news in which any part of the public takes an *interest,* is the first *duty* of a newspaper, and the facilities of the THE WORLD for discharging this obligation are unsurpassed by those of any journal in the United States. Whatever else it may fail in, it *certainly* will *not fail to furnish* the news, nor to supply it with such promptitude, spirit, freshness, abundance, variety, accuracy and candor, that no class of readers can miss anything of interest which they wish to find. THE WORLD will publish documents and *arguments prepared* by political foes just as freely as those prepared by political friends; making its own comments on them, of course, but never suppressing or garbling them because they are calculated to damage its own party. Adverse arguments, which it cannot refute, it is content to leave to make their full impression. THE WORLD adopts this rule because it believes no other is honest; because it conceives that its first duty to its readers is to keep them thoroughly informed on every passing subject of importance. In politics, THE WORLD will continue to be the bold advocate of

A LIBERAL, PROGRESSIVE DEMOCRACY,

The unflinching champion of Freedom, Justice, Order and Constitutional Rights. The inspiration of its politics is Freedom regulated by Justice; or, to speak more strictly, Freedom pure and simple, in the largest collective measure; the office of justice being merely to protect freedom from encroachments; Freedom of the individual citizen in his rights of thought, speech, religion and locomotion; in his Right to choose his own food and drink, in spite of meddle-some temperance laws; in his Right to make any money bargains he thinks proper, in spite of foolish usury laws; in his Right to buy and sell in all markets, domestic and foreign, in spite of unjust protective tariffs, in his Right to representation in the legislative bodies which tax him in spite of unconstitutional exclusions; Freedom of collective citizens to assemble for discussion of grievances; Freedom of all local communities to manage their local affairs without central interference; Freedom in every section of the country, from the arrogant and unconstitutional domination of other sections; this large and comprehensive idea of Freedom sums up the politics of THE WORLD, which will never be found wanting to this capital interest of the county and of the human race.

IN ITS ACCURATE COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE,

And careful, reliable market reports, THE WORLD will continue to maintain its present high reputation. A paper published in the commercial metropolis is naturally looked to for authentic information relating to trade commerce and finance; and this being a feature in which THE WORLD prides itself, it boldly challenges comparison with every journal in the metropolis.

EDITIONS.

The WEEKLY WORLD, a large quarto sheet, same size as Daily, is now *printed throughout in large type,* and has the largest circulation of any weekly journal published, save one. Its extraordinary success since its union with the New York *Argus* has justified the most liberal expenditures, which will make it unrivalled in interest an value to farmers. Published Wednesday.

1. Its Market Reports embrace the New York, Albany, Brighton and Cambridge Live Stock Markets; the New York Country Produce and General Produce Markets; special and valuable Hop Intelligence; a department of Agricultural Reading; all together composing an unrivalled hand-book of current information for the Farmer, Live Stock or Produce Dealer, Country Merchant, etc.

2. A page or more will be reserved for Entertaining Fireside Reading for the Family Circle, embracing the freshest and best Stories, Poetry, Religious Reading, etc., and a page for the Discussion of All Prominent Topics of general interest, political, agricultural, financial, etc., etc.

3. Its Digest of the News is not, like most city weeklies, a mere waste-basket of the Daily; only *matters of interest and importance are chosen from* the Daily, while the mass of its contents are prepared especially for the Weekly.

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