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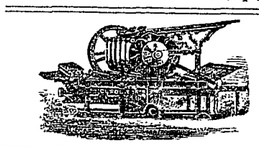

Columbia, Pa.
Saturday, April 6, 1867.

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

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Persons who wish their advertisements to reach the greatest number of persons, will do well to avail themselves of the superior inducements offered through the columns of the Columbia Spy. It possesses large advantage over any other newspaper; its average weekly circulation being more than thirty per cent. greater than any other paper published in this vicinity, and promises to be more than one hundred per cent. greater, in less than six months.—In addition to this, the patrons of the Spy are of the class that advertisers wish to reach—liberal minded and intelligent people, thereby making it the most desirable medium for all classes of advertisers. This fact should have a great weight with advertisers.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

N. J. A. S.—Happy indeed were we to hear from you—thought you were dead. Let us have the letters and all will be well. We send the exchanges you mi-sed. We are glad to know that "teaching the young idea how to shoot," is better than "catching rats and mice."

J. H.—Received the solution to problem, and will hand it over to friend G. who will report.

C.—"The old Spy makes a good appearance, and your enterprise deserves commendation." Thank you brother C. We never had the "kinks" very badly.

L.—Received your letter and MSS. Thank you kindly for good wishes expressed. Don't recollect about a former letter. Perhaps we can find it "among the rubbish of the temple."

B. M.—Your letter is a perfect enigma to us—after studying for some time, had to give it up. Can you enlighten us?

H. Van N.—We cannot comply with your request; you ask too much of us. If you cannot get the requisite number of names, send us what you have, and we will make all due allowance.

V.—Will write you in a day or two, in reference to catalogues, &c.

S.—"Your enemies seem to serve a good purpose." A fact Dan—your head is right—they're mad. Received the note, money enclosed. Thanks. We'll see you soon; probably this P. M.

N.—The story entitled: "The Dream and the Awakening," will be published next week. Will write you in a day or two.

J. J. C.—Don't look for us—can't come.

The following articles are accepted, and will be published soon:—"Marion Glenn's Romance," "Over the Way," "To a Friend," "My Childhood Home," "To Kate," "Truth," "The Twilight Hour," &c., &c.

Cold Sparkling Soda Water at J. A. Meyers', this day.

The Columbia Spy Job Printing office is the place to get your printing done. Why? Because we can do it better and cheaper than any other office. Try us.

Robert J. Fry has opened a trimming and gentlemen's furnishing store, in the Post office building. He has a fine assortment of goods. Read his advertisement.

Persons who have changed their places of residence and fail to receive their Spy in consequence, will please leave word at this office, or at Hess' book store, where the Spy can be obtained at all times.

Crowded Out.—We have another article—"Columbia as it is,"—prepared, but it was unavoidably crowded out. It will appear in our next issue, together with several other interesting items.

Base Ball.—A special meeting of the Columbia Base Ball Club will be held in the Vigilant Engine House, Second street, on Wednesday evening, 10th inst. A full attendance is requested.

Fishing.—Fishing has been going on during the week, but with dip-nets only. No shad have yet been caught, though plenty of mullets and other fish of an inferior quality.

Pocket Books.—At the store of W. U. Hess will be found a large assortment of ladies' and gent's pocket books. Call and see them; he gets them manufactured to order, and can sell them cheap.

Woods on Fire.—A fire occurred during the week, in the woods, about a mile from Wrightsville. It burnt over a very large space. The fire was plainly seen by the residents of Front street, Columbia, and it is said was a most beautiful sight.

Paper your Houses.—If you want your house painted or papered, now is the time to have it done. Read the advertisement of Don Juan Wallings, in another column. He is an experienced workman. Give him a call.

Notary Public.—We understand Gov. Geary has as yet made no appointment for Notary Public for this place. The present incumbent's term expires in about two weeks, so we suppose the applicants for the position will not be kept in suspense much longer.

"American."—The American House, on Front street, which was partially destroyed by fire, sometime ago, has been repaired, and now presents a very handsome appearance. We believe the name has been changed to the "Lockard House." Mr. Samuel H. Lockard still does the honors.

Number the Houses.—A resolution was passed in Council, some time since, to have all the houses numbered, and also, to place the names of streets at every corner. We have not heard of anything being done in the matter. We hope it will be commenced at once.

Religious.—Rev. W. S. H. Keys will preach in the U. B. Church, of this place, to-morrow (Sabbath morning,) at 10 o'clock. Subject:—"God's call to Higher Life, or, the duty of Religious Progression"—a sermon for the young professor. Also, Sacramental services. In the evening, services commence at 7½ o'clock. Subject:—"The Hard Saying."

I. O. O. F.—At the regular meeting of Susquehanna Lodge, No. 80, I. O. of O. F., held on Monday evening last, the following officers were installed for the ensuing term, by Dr. D. I. Bruner, Acting D. D. G. M.:—N. G., Benjamin Haldeman; V. G., Samuel Funk; Secretary, R. J. M. Little; Assistant Secretary, Simon C. May; Treasurer, Davis Murphy; Chaplain, ——.

The River.—The river is on the *rise* and is at a splendid rafting stage; but as yet no lumber worthy of note has arrived. Wonder what's the matter with our up river friends—not off the track we hope. We expect to see our shores lined with rafts, during the coming week. The lumber business this season, promises to be more active than for some years back.

Onward.—The circulation of the Spy is growing, and its progress is right onward, ahead—straight forward. While other journals are "laying on their oars" in tremulous fear, the perseverance and indomitable energy of the Spy is manifesting itself in the vigor with which it is conducted and put before the public. All classes are its patrons, for all can find in it something to please, instruct and interest them.

The Presbytery of Donegal will meet in the Presbyterian Church of this place, on Monday evening next, 8th inst. A sermon will be preached by one of the ministers. Also, on Tuesday evening, a sermon will be preached by Rev. Mr. Rutter, on the subject of Temperance, by appointment of Presbytery. The public is cordially invited to attend these services, and to all the sessions of Presbytery. Evening services begin at 7½ o'clock.

New Paper.—We are in receipt of the Lycoming *Standard*, published at Williamsport, Pa., by Col. Levi L. Tate, formerly of the Bloomsburg *Democrat*. It makes a very handsome appearance, and the style of its get-up is admirable. It contains a large amount of reading matter.

Hammond's Pat. Burglar Alarm.—This most valuable invention is worthy the attention of the public; and there is a fortune in store for any one who will purchase Territory for its sale. Read the advertisement in another column, and then call on the agent, at Cooper's Hotel, West King street, Lancaster, Pa.

Advertise.—Dull times are the very best for advertisers. What little is going on, they get; while others are grumbling, they pay their way, and with a newspaper for a life-preserver, swim on the top of the water, while others around are sinking. Merchants, and others, will find the Columbia Spy the best medium through which to advertise their wares, as it has a larger circulation, by thirty per. cent, than any other paper in this vicinity.

Home Insurance Company of New Haven, Conn.—We would call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of this Company, in another column of to-day's paper. It is one of the best Insurance Companies now represented here. A. J. Kauffman, Esq., the agent here, will take applications and issue policies at once. Now that moving is over, our readers had better look about them and have their property insured.

Handsome Hats.—Throw away that shocking old hat, and procure one of those handsome and beautiful ones from the establishment of J. M. Green. He supplies all the fashionable young gents of Lancaster with hats, because he manufactures them himself, and is a superior workman. He has fitted up sale and manufactory rooms at No. 4, East King street, Lancaster City, where he will be happy to see his friends at all times. Call and get a new style Spring hat. See advertisement. †

Progress of "The Columbia Spy."—We are daily receiving letters containing flattering praises and good wishes for the success and prosperity of the Spy. We have had printers to tell us that the Spy was an ornament to the profession, and certainly a credit to Columbia. We feel greatly encouraged by these manifestations of good will. Our circulation is daily on the increase. Not a day passes that we do not receive new subscribers. We printed, last week, 3,500 copies and had scarcely enough to supply the demand.

Unclaimed Letters.—List of letters remaining unclaimed, in the Columbia Post Office, up to this date:

Ladies' List.—Lizzie Breiner, Miss Marrie Buhler, Mrs. D. Kimport, Miss Sallie Manveys, Mrs. Kate Nittman, Emma Great, Miss Lizzie Stoner, Mrs. Marrie Witmer, Miss Kate Wolf.

Gentlemen's List.—Edward Bembow, E. Boyd, Barth, Victor & Meier, Brooks & Bro., E. C. Caufman, T. C. Clarkson, Benjamin Carter, William Jinneson, Samuel Johnson, George Keaser, John Kaine, James Lece, Daniel Lefever, George Seits, (2), John F. Turner, Samuel Thompson, Henry Wilson, George T. Wiley, Lucius White.

Cattle Disease.—We learn that a strange and fatal disease has made its appearance among the cattle of a farmer name l Rudesill, residing in Heidelberg township, a few miles from town. Two valuable cows, attacked by the disease, died last week after suffering but a short time. We have not learned any particulars concerning the nature of the disease, but the symptoms manifested upon its first appearance among the cattle, are said to have strongly resembled that dread disease, *pleru pneumonia*, or cattle plague, which prevailed a year or two ago, in the New England States.—*Spectator*, Hanover, Pa.

Franklin House.—Good hotels, in inland towns, are not so plentiful, yet some are more pleasantly located than others, and are kept by gentlemen well learned in the business of catering to the wants of guests. The Franklin House, Columbia, may certainly be numbered among the real excellent houses in Pennsylvania. Its location, neatly furnished apartments, and good fare, are such attractions as cannot but charm and content the traveler. Mr. Martin Erwin, its proprietor, assisted by Mr. C. Straw bridge, are gentlemen who "know how to keep a hotel." When you visit Columbia, by all means stop at the "Franklin."

Tableaux.—The Columbia Fire Company will give a series of interesting and instructive entertainments; consisting of Tableaux, Vivants, Vocal and Instrumental Music, Pantomime and Comedy; commencing on next Thursday evening, April 11th. It is to be hoped that the citizens of Columbia will patronize them, as the proceeds will be devoted to furnishing their new Hall, on Locust street. Judging from the energy and taste of the company, as well as those who are managing the affair, we promise to all who wish to witness spirited representations of life scenes, complete gratification; and as the company is worthy, let none hesitate in going to the Odd Fellows' Hall, on Thursday evening.

Home Insurance Company, N. Y.—The agent of this prominent, reliable and highly popular Insurance Company, is A. J. Kauffman, Esq., Locust street, Columbia. Its present position and prospects so highly flattering to the energy, fidelity and promptness of the officers in the execution of their duties to the public and the company, are illustrated by the following abstract of their 27th semi-annual statement, bearing date January 1st, 1867:

Cash Capital	$200,000 00
Assets	$3,665,888 87
Liabilities	$267,951 65

The Home insurance Co. has just paid its regular semi-annual dividend to its stockholders, and no instance has occurred of its failure or reluctance to cheerfully and promptly pay all just losses against which it has insured its patrons. In a word, it is a model insurance company, and advancing in the esteem and support of the public, with steady and prodigious strides. Its cash capital has quadrupled since it first started. Need we say more? We could not in justice say less. We refer for further details to their 27th Semi-Annual Statement, which will be found in another column, and which we commend to the thoughtful perusal of the readers of the Spy. †

First of April.—Monday last was the first of April, and it being the great financial day of the year, in this State, a large amount of money changed hands. A few disappointments occurred in reference to money matters, and we have heard of some parties backing squarely down from their obligations. In this they not only make enemies and law-suits, but disappoint, probably a dozen other parties. For on that day payments are made, notes drawn, and all who are indebted by note or otherwise for farms, &c., are expected to come forward and pay up, and begin the new year with clean books. It is the great financial day in money matters, which creditors hail with joy, and debtors look upon as they do upon an unwelcome visitor, whose presence they would rather dispense with for all time. More money changes hands on this day, than a score of others at any time during the whole year.

The first of April, in this State, is also the great annual moving day, and upon that day all families, whose term of rent or lease have expired, are expected to remove to other locations. As usual, the first of April just passed, witnessed numerous "flittings" in this section, and during the day our streets were lined with wagons, constantly passing and repassing, laden with the household effects of persons removing. Of all the vexatious trials incident to this life, moving is decidedly one of the greatest, and moving day is generally dreaded by persons who are compelled to shift their places of residence.

"Come to the Bower we Have Shaded for You."—The mild disposition of the weather gives hope that winter has spent her cold breath, and soon the cheerful impression of spring will infuse additional energy to business. I. O. Bruner, in view of this condition of things, will open during next week a beautiful assortment of Spring Dry Goods, also a large stock of Notions, Boots, Shoes, &c., at his Store on Front Street above Locust, Columbia.

Applications for Tavern Licenses in Columbia.—April Sessions:

Edward Collins,	William Rochow,
William Brady,	W. G. Duttonhofer,
Cornelius Tyson,	Mary A. Wagner,
Frederick Smith,	Charles Pantle,
Joseph H. Black,	Urisah Findley,
Bernhard Joos,	Elizabeth Vogel,
Joseph Ulmer,	Philip Deitrich,
Anna Zink,	Samuel J. Atlee,
Conrad Myers,	John Kramer,
Samuel H. Lockard,	John C. Bryan,
Philip Royer,	Fred'k Abendshein.

FOR EATING HOUSE LICENSES.

Peter Reisinger,	Valentine Mack,
Jacob F. Wisler,	J. N. Thorp,
Charles Pantle,	Conrad Myers,
August Shuler,	John Shormair,
Andrew Zeller,	James Leece.

FOR LIQUOR STORES.

Charles Grove,	J. C. Bucher,
Martin Smith,	Robert Hamilton,

A Handsome Present.—The workmen of the Columbia Rolling Mills are about presenting their manager, Mr. William J. Richards, with a handsome present, consisting of a fine gold American lever watch, and gold chain to correspond, as a token of their respect for Mr. Richards, who is about leaving this place for another field of labor. The present is one of which both the givers and the recipient may well be proud, and shows that the workmen under Mr. Richards, appreciate his services and gentlemanly conduct towards them. We believe the presentation will take place to-day, at the Town Hall. The watch and chain were gotten up by Messrs. P. Shreiner & Son, who always get up a good thing in their line of trade; and at prices as cheap as can be procured in the city.

The engraving on the watch reads as follows:

"To Wm. J. Richards, from the Workmen of Columbia Rolling Mills. April 6th, 1867."

The Printer.—A printer is the most curious being living. He may have a *bank* and *quoins*, and not be worth a penny—have *small caps*, and neither have wife or children. Others may run fast, but he gets along swiftest by *setting fast*. He may be making *impressions* without eloquence; may use the *lye* without offending, and be telling the truth; while others cannot stand when they set, he can *set* standing, and even do both at the same time—use *furniture*, and yet have no dwelling—may make and put away *pi*, and never see a pie, much less eat it, during his life—be a human being and a *rat* at the same time—may *press* a great deal, and not ask a favor—may handle a *shooting iron*, and know nothing about a cannon, gun or pistol; he may move the *lever* that moves the world, and yet be as far from moving the globe as a hog with his nose under a mole-hill—spread *sheets* without being a housewife; he may lay his *form* on a *bed*, and yet be obliged to sleep on the floor; he may use the † without shedding blood, and from the earth may handle the ***; he may be of a *rolling* disposition, and yet never desire to travel; he may have a *sheep's foot*, and not be deformed; never be without a *case*, and know nothing of law or physic; be always *correcting* his *errors*, and growing worse every day; have em——s without ever having the arms of a lass around him; have his *form* locked up, and at the same time be free from jail, watch-house, or any other confinement.

Improvement of our Town.—Never in the history of Columbia, has so great an improvement been manifested as at this time, and will be during the coming year. On almost every street ground is being broken for the erection of dwellings. The character of the improvements contemplated, are such as will add much to the real wealth and ornament of the borough. This is, as it should be; give us homes and habitation for a large population, and the energy of our people will be equal to the development of the great and many advantages which are presented, and surrounds us.

We learn that E. Hershey, Esq., will, the ensuing week, commence the excavation, on Cherry street, and M. M. Strickler, on Second street, for the erection of new dwellings; both of which report says are to be elegant.

Hiram Wilson has commenced tearing down his frame house and old frame work shops, in the rear of his dwelling, on Second street, and will erect in their stead, a handsome three-story brick building; Mr. W's business having grown so large that these improvements were rendered absolutely necessary.

We also notice the German Lutheran Congregation have commenced building a parsonage, adjoining their church, on Walnut street.

Mr. S. Vogel is building three houses on Union St., between Fourth and Fifth streets.

Mr. C. B. Grubb has commenced the erection of ten new buildings, on the Marietta pike, in the vicinity of the Truscott Oil Works.

Marriages.

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 the 7th ult., in Marietta, by Rev. John Stringer, Hosmer McAsall to Sarah Fisher, both of Columbia, Pa.

On the 31st ult., by Rev. Samuel Laird, Amos K. Bowers to Margaret E. Cormeny, both of Lancaster, Pa.

On the 21st ult., by Rev. A. H. Kremer, B. F. Eckman to Sarah Mehaffey, both of Pequea township.

Deaths.

On Sunday morning, March 31st, at 10 o'clock, Eliza Sweeny, aged 87 years. And on the following morning at 1 o'clock, John Sweeny, aged 77 years.

This aged couple had been married more than forty years, and thus, in their own house, where they had lived, without other companions, for about thirty-three years, they finished their journey together.

Their home on Chestnut Hill, about a mile and a half from Columbia, was a very humble one, yet made comfortable by their industry and temperance; but only to be noted for its early garden which their constant attention made productive. The soil, naturally stony, had been cleared and made fertile by the labor of Mr. Sweeny, and, even during the last year, Mrs. Sweeny could be seen attending to her early cabbage-plants, and the flowers in her borders, as usual.

Mrs. Sweeny had been a strong and masculine woman, but for twenty years past had grown remarkably large and fat, and, recently, almost helpless from her size and weight, which was not less than four hundred pounds; and this, with inflammatory rheumatism, made it difficult for her to stoop or to walk for many steps. She suffered greatly, no doubt, from internal pain; and from her huge size and weight, she was compelled to take her rest in a large chair, not being able to rise from her bed if she should lie down to sleep—while her really devoted husband, though becoming himself more feeble from his age and from Asthma, refused himself to take his rest in bed, and thus shortened, probably, his own life in watching her, faithfully to the last. He survived her long enough to know that she had ceased to suffer, and to say that he was glad she was relieved from pain.

Mrs. Sweeny was an object of interest, if not of curiosity to many friends, and particularly to her few visitors—the neighboring children, whom, with coarse voice, but pleasant words, she flattered with praises, and made happy with little presents—the boys with a hand'ul of dried cherries, and some of the bright flowers of her borders,—Marigolds or Lady-slippers,—to the little girls.

John was a remarkably examplary citizen, and some years since, when he could leave his home upon the hill, he could be seen every Sunday at church in Columbia; but all his actions denoted the good neighbor and just man.

The writer has never known one in the same humble circumstances possessed of a more nice sense of justice and honor. He never forgot a kind action, and to 1 is friends was glad to make acknowledgement by some return—often tendering to them a day's work to assist them in the hurry of hay-making and harvest. For years he was a good active hand upon the farm, and ambitious to "keep up" with the best.

In his earlier life he had been for a while at sea. He was a native of Donegal, Ireland, but had lived in this country nearly half a century.

In common phrase, "no one that knew him could say ought against him;" and these old neighbors, that have left Chestnut Hill, will never be succeeded by others more worthy of respect and esteem. M.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE SPY.

Great Inducements Offered.

Valuable Premiums.

Notwithstanding the great expense our enlarged paper and other improvements have cost, there will be no increase in the subscription price of the "SPY." It will be published as heretofore, at $2 per annum, in advance, or $2 50 if not paid before the expiration of the year. We wish to add to our list several thousand new subscribers, and in order to do this we offer the following liberal inducements to Clubs, as well as single subscribers:

The "SPY" and Godey's Lady's Book, one year, cash, $4 00.

The "SPY" and The Ladies' Friend, one year, cash, $3.

Similar reductions to all the Magazines published.

Four New Subscribers, $1 75 each.

To every person sending us a Club of Five New Subscribers, with $10 cash, we will send one copy of the "SPY," free of charge, for one year, and a valuable book.

For Ten New Subscribers, with $20 cash, we will send any $5 00 book the person may name, or a $5 00 gold pen and holder, and a copy of the "SPY" for one year.

For Fifteen New Subscribers, with $30 cash, we will send one of Foley's celebrated gold pens and holder, valued at $8, and a valuable book, and also the "SPY" for one year.

For Twenty New Subscribers, with $40 cash, we will send Lippencott's Pronouncing Gazetteer of the World, a most valuable book, or a copy of Webster's Illustrated Dictionary, valued at $12, and a copy of the "SPY" for one year, or $9 in greenbacks.

For Twenty-Five New Subscribers, with $50 cash, we will send one of Shaw & Clark's sewing machines, valued at $25, and a copy of the "SPY" for one year.

For Thirty New Subscribers, with $60 cash, we will send a revolver, or books, valued at $18; or a silver watch, valued at $25, warranted a good time piece, and a copy of the "SPY" for one year, or $13 in greenbacks.

For Forty New Subscribers, with $80 cash, $30 will be paid back to the person sending it, and a copy of the "SPY" for one year, with a valuable book.

For Fifty New Subscribers, with $100 cash, we will send one of the Empire Family Sewing Machines, guaranteed to be one of the best in the market, valued at $60, and a copy of the "SPY" for one year; or will send a Grover & Baker or a Howe at the same price, or we will give a second-hand piano valued at $65.

For Seventy-Five New Subscribers, with $150 cash, we will send a Grover & Baker Sewing Machine, valued at $75.

For Ninety New Subscribers, with $180 cash, we will send a Grover & Baker Sewing Machine, valued at $95, a superb Machine; and if the persons getting it do not like it, we will take it off their hands, and pay them $80 cash for it, if delivered in good order.

For Three Hundred New Subscribers, with $600 cash, we will send a splendid new 7 Octave Rosewood Piano, one of the best makes, and elaborately finished, valued at $150.

Persons may have Premiums changed to something more desirable, if they wish it. For further information address

A. M. RAMBO,
Columbia, Penna.

[ADVERTISEMENT.]

Mr. Editor.—A certain article in your paper has created a good deal of rattling among the dry bones, and considerable cursing and swearing in some lager beer shops. It is not surprising, as a "guilty conscience needs no accuser."

O! thou mighty spirit of Luther—come back, and see how some—only some—of thy followers have turned into Lager Beer Clubs, and managers of Lager beer Pic-nics and Balls; but they have no desire to come back, those mighty spirits of the Reformation, for fear they be stamped as cowards and liars, and Temperance Fanatics.

Now some of these Fellows step into an independent American Editor's Sanctum, with an aristocratic air, to demand the names of his correspondents. Why some of these fellows have got the impudence of the devil himself; they must think they are in Austria or Russia; they forget they are in a free country. Why some of them are not fit to live under the Stars and Stripes. It was the greatest blessing for their native land that they left, and the greatest curse for this country, that some of them ever came to this. After having some of us to be slandered, when we see on the Holy Sabbath, some stalking in the sanctuary and some out of it into a Lager Beer hell-hole. These are the men that want to teach us Morals and Religion.

A Lutheran.

Markets.

BALTIMORE MARKETS.

Reported weekly by Clarke & Truscott, Commission Merchants, No. 61 South Gay Street.

BALTIMORE, April 5, 1867.

FLOUR.

Trade Brands	$15 00@16 00
Western Extra	10 00
" Super	10 00@11 00
Howard Street Extra	12 50@13 50

GRAIN.

Corn—Prime White, ₩ bushel	$1 00@1 09
" " Yellow	1 00@1 00
" Western Mixed ₩ bushel	1 03@1 05
Wheat—Red ₩ bushel	3 70@3 80
" White ₩ bushel	3 85

REFINED SUGARS.

Crushed, ₩ lb	@15
A White, ₩ lb	@14½
B ₩ lb	@13½
C Yellow	13@13½
Yellows of lower grade	12 @12¾

SYRUP IN BARRELS.

Golden Syrup	58 cts.
" Extra	90 "

In half bbls. 5c, and in kegs 10c. additional.

No charge for Packages.

Coffee—Rio, good common to fair, 17c., net cash in gold. Market firm.

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS.

Reported expressly for this paper, by Janney & Andrews, Commission Merchants, No. 122 Market street, Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, April 5, 1867.

Flour—Extra Family	$11 75@15 50
" Extra superfine	10 50@12 00
" Superfine	10 00@10 25
Rye flour	9 00@9 25
Wheat—White, per bushel	3 20@3 25
" Red	3 00@3 15
Rye	1 45@1 52
Corn	1 02@1 10
Oats	67@68
Clover seed	9 50@10 50
Timothy seed	3 25@3 50
Lard, ₩ lb	12@13
Butter, best quality	35@40
Eggs, ₩ dozen	23@25
Tallow, ₩ lb	10½@13

Columbia Flour and Grain Market.

Reported weekly for the "Spy," by George Bogle.

Family flour, ₩ bbl	$18 00
Extra family flour	14 00
Superfine flour	12 00
Rye flour, (none)	
White Wheat ₩ bushel	3 00
Red Wheat	2 60
Rye	1 10
Corn	80
Oats, 32 lbs	32

Columbia Produce Market.

Columbia, April 5, 1867.

Apples, per bushel	$2 50
Potatoes, "	1 00@1 15
Eggs per dozen	20@22
Butter, per lb	40@45
Chickens, ₩ pair	75@1 25
Lard, ₩ lb	14@16
Sides, "	14@15
Hams	18
Tallow	10@13
Country Soap	10@12

Columbia Lumber Market.

Reported for the "Columbia Spy," by Bachman & Martin, Susquehanna Planing Mills, Front Street.

Columbia, April 5, 1867.

White Pine Cullings, or samples	$16 00@18 00
" " 3d Common	21 00@25 00
" " 2d Common	40 00
" " 1st Common	60 00@65 00
" " Pannel	75 00
" " Joist and Scantling	20 00
Hemlock, Joist and Scantling	18 00@20 00
Ash and Oak	40 00@45 00
Dressed flooring Boards	$32 38 00@40 00
Cherry	45 00
Poplar	25 00@45 00
Walnut Plank	$40 75 00@90 00
Pickets Headed	12 00@18 00
Fastening Lath, per Quart	5 00
Shingles, 26 inch	16 00@25 00
Bunch	$6 00 8 00@10 00
Roofing Lath	8 00

Columbia Coal Market.

Reported weekly for this paper, by Bruner & Moore, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Coal.

Columbia, April 5, 1867.

Baltimore Co. Lump Coal, delivered	$6 00
" No 1, 2, 3 & 4, "	6 00
" No. 5, "	5 00
Shamokin Egg and Stove "	5 50
" Nutt, "	5 00
" Red Ash, "	4 50
Lykens Valley Stove and Egg "	6 50
" Nutt, "	5 25
Shamoken Stove and Egg sold by car loads at Yard, gross tons, for	4 75
Shamoken No. 5 or Nutt, sold by car load at Yard, gross tons, for	3 75

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HOUSE, SIGN & ORNAMENTAL PAINTING!

I most respectfully inform the Citizens of Columbia and vicinity, that I am prepared to do all kinds of

PLAIN AND FANCY LETTERING,

PAPER HANGING, GILDING ON GLASS, &c.,

At the shortest notice, and on most reasonable terms, Third Street, between Locust and Walnut, Columbia, Pa. DON JUAN WALLINGS.

April 6, 1867-6mos.

FASHIONABLE HATTER.

JOHN M. GREEN,

Has removed his Store to No. 4 East King street, Next door to Barr's Book Store,

LANCASTER, PA.,

Where he has fitted up rooms to carry on in an extensive scale, the

MANUFACTURE OF HATS, &C.

Orders may be left, or sent at any time, and satisfaction guaranteed. I have only the best workmen, and am at all times prepared to supply those who may favor me with a call with the

BEST AND CHEAPEST HATS AND CAPS,

of the Latest and most Fashionable Style.

Having had considerable experience in the business, he hopes to meet a generous share of public patronage.

April 6, '67-tf.] JOHN M. GREEN.

GARDEN SEEDS!

Buy them at MEYERS' Family Medicine Store. [April 6, 1867.

POCKET BOOKS!

A Large and well selected stock of POCKET BOOKS, has just been received, which we will sell at reduced prices. Call and see our stock of

Photograph Albums!

A large and fresh stock just received from New York, which are offered at prices to suit every one.

ALL THE LATEST PUBLICATIONS.

A large assortment just received, and selling at very low prices. No person should be without reading matter.

ARNOLD'S WRITING FLUID.

The *genuine article*—quarts, pints, half pints, and 2-oz. stands. Everything usually kept in the Stationery line, will be found at

W. U. HESS' Book Store,
Locust street, opposite Columbia National Bank.

April 6, 1867.

AGENTS WANTED!

At $150 00 PER MONTH, to sell

THE HORSE & OTHER LIVE STOCK,

BY ROBERT JENNINGS.

Every Farmer should have a copy!

There is no disease to which *domestic animals* are subject, not amply dwelt upon, and the cure indicated. The price of the book bears no correspondence to its intrinsic value. For circulars, items, &c., address BARTHSON & CO.,

611 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

April 6, 1867-3t.

NEW STORE! NEW GOODS!!

THE UNDERSIGNED has opened a Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Store, in the Room adjoining the Post Office, where everything will be found, required for Ladies' or Gents.

LADIES' DEPARMENT.

A variety of Dress and Cloak Trimmings, Buttons, in great varieties.

The Latest Styles for Spring Wear, in Amber and Crystal Trimmings,

Black and Bugle Trimmings, &c.
Black and Colored Ribbons, and Belting.

ALL KINDS OF HOOP SKIRTS,

A Large assortment of Ladies' Misses and Children's HOSIERY,—suitable for Spring and Summer wear.

GLOVES OF ALL KINDS.

Embroidered Collars and Cuffs,

Lace Handkerchiefs,

Hem Stitched and Linen Handkerchiefs,

White Ruffling and Trimmings,

And a large variety of other goods used by Ladies,

GENTS' DEPARTMENT.

This department consists of a great variety of Gents' Goods, viz:

Latest Styles Cravats and Ties, Eugene, Henrietta, &c., &c.
Hosiery of all Kinds and prices.
Linen Collars and Cuffs,
Paper Collars and Cuffs,
Shirts, and Shirt Fronts,
Underwear in great variety, Suspenders &c., &c.

☞SHIRTS made to order and Warranted to fit.

ROBERT J. FRY,
Post-Office Building,
Locust St., Columbia.

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SHAKER, BRIGGS & BRO'S. AND WETHERSFIELD SEEDS—a fresh and full Stock at J. A. MEYERS'.

GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

AT PRIVATE SALE, BY PITKIN & CO.

5,000 New and Second-hand Team HARNESS.
10,000 BRIDLES and COLLARS.
3,000 SADDLES, all Styles—$22½ to $8.00
300 Four Horse Government WAGONS.
2,000 WAGON COVERS, all sizes, new and worn.
5,000 BLANKETS, and HORSE COVERS.

Also, a large Stock of Reins, Lead Lines, Whips, Buggy and Ambulance Harness, Portable Forges, Chains, Swingletrees, Lead Bars, etc., etc.

Wheel Team Harness—little worn, all Oak tanned Leather, and serviceable, cleaned and oiled $5.00 per horse or mule, including Bridle, Lead do. $4.00, Wagon Bridle, $1.00; Collars, $1 to $2. Extra Hair lined Artillery Coes, ditto, $24 and $26.00

Double Reins, $1.75 to $2.25. Lead Lines, $1.00. Halters, $6 to $12 per doz. Officers' new Saddles, $18.00, with Plated Bit Bridle, $21.00; good as new, $12.00, with Bridle, $11; valise Saddles for Boys, $6.00.

Wagon Covers, made to fit any Wagon—heavy linen, $3 to $6.00; Superior Cotton Duck, $6 to $8; 12 oz., Duck, $9 to $12.

1,000 Hospital Tents, new and good as new. 12 oz. duck—14 feet square, $20 to $40.

Officers' A Tent, 7 feet square, from $5 to $8.

10,000 BAGS, from 12 oz., duck, 1st quality, 2 bushels, $9.00; 2½ bus. $10.00; 3 bus. $11.00 per dozen; 2d quality, $7.50, $8.50 and $9.50.

SMALL ORDERS sent by Express, C. O. D.

PITKIN & CO.,

No. 337 & 339 North Front St., Philadelphia, Pa.
No. 5 Park Place, New York.
No. 483, 8th Street, Washington, D. C.

PUBLIC SALE.

WILL BE SOLD, AT THE HOUSE OF John Sweeny, deceased, in West Hempfield twp., one mile and a half from Columbia, on

THURSDAY, the 11th day of APRIL, 1867,

The following Personal Property of said dec'd: One Cow and Calf, one Sow, some Shoats, Poultry, Bacon, Apple Butter, &c.

Also, Household and Kitchen Furniture, consisting of Bedsteads, Tables, Bureau, Chest, Tubs, one Copper Kettle, one Cooking Stove, Garden Tools, and other articles not enumerated.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., of said day, when terms will be made known by

J. H. MIFFLIN,
Administrator, *pendente lite*.

April 6,-1t]

DO NOT FAIL TO GET YOUR GARDEN SEEDS from J. A. MEYERS' Apothecary. [April 6, '67-tf.

AGENTS WANTED

For GREELEY'S HISTORY COMPLETE. Extraordinary Opportunity!

This History contains accounts of about One Hundred Battles not generally found in the earlier works on the Rebellion, even in these most widely circulated. Now that GREELEY'S HISTORY is completed, its popularity is greater than ever before, and sells with a rapidity which makes it the most valuable work for Canvassers ever published. Address,

O. D. CASE & CO., Publishers,
Hartford, Connecticut.

April 6, '67.]

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of JOHN SWEENY, late of West Hempfield township, deceased.

Letters of Administration on said estate having 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 township.

J. H. MIFFLIN,
Administrator, *pendente lite*.

April, 6-6t]

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS.

At J. A. MEYERS' Drug Store,
Odd Fellows' Hall.

Apr. 6, '67.]

INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.

THE COLUMBIA NATIONAL BANK will receive money on deposit, and pay interest therefor, at the following rates, viz:

3½ per cent. for 12 months.
3 per cent. for 9 months.
3 per cent. for 6 months.
1½ per cent. for 3 months.

7-30 U. S. Treasury Notes exchanged for new 5-20 Gold Bonds.

Mar, 16,'67] SAMUEL SHOCH, Cashier

FRESH ARRIVAL OF GROCERIES.

We are now ready for the Spring Trade, having just purchased a full assortment of

FAMILY GROCERIES,

Extra new crop Coffee, Refined Sugars and Syrups—an elegant syrup for 25 Cents

EXTRA FINE JERSEY HAMS.

We have also, No. 1, 2, and 3 Mackerel in barrels, quarters and halves, Dried Beef, Herring, &c. All kinds of Fruit and

VEGETABLES IN CANS.

Our assortment is full and complete, and our prices reasonable.

☞Call and examine for yourselves.

HENRY SUYDAM,
Cor. of Front & Union Sts

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CORRESPONDENCE WANTED.

The advertiser desires to correspond with one or more young ladies, with a view to friendship, advancement, mutual improvement, and perhaps matrimony. Am a bachelor, with a sufficiency of this world's goods; modest and retiring in disposition. All letters *strictly confidential*. Address with *real name*, BOX 403, Columbia, Pa. [mar 30 '67 2t

BANKS.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE CONDITION of the COLUMBIA NATIONAL BANK, on the morning of the first of April, 1867:

RESOURCES.

Notes and Bills discounted	$983,633.77	
U.S. Bonds dep'd for circul'n	509,000.00	
do on hand	22,100.00	$1,214,733.77
Notes of National Banks	395.00	
do State Banks	17.00	
Fractional Currency	965.00	
		1,377.00
Legal Tenders & Compound Interest Notes		127,493.00
Specie		210.00
Cash items & revenue st'ps		4,647.75
Due from Philadelphia and New York National Banks	120,641.45	
Due from other Nation B'ks	25,119.48	
Due from Banks & Bankers	598.84	
		146,269.77
Banking Houses and other Real Estate		12,500.00
Current expenses and taxes paid		9,985