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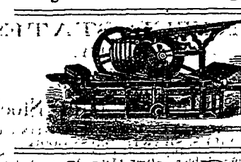

Columbia, Pa.

Saturday, August 1, 1868.

Advertisements to secure immediate insertion, must be handed in on or before Thursday evening, each week.

BUILDING is right lively in Columbia.

THE nights are growing cool, and sleep becoming refreshing and enjoyable.

IDLE.—The furnace of the Kauffman Iron Company has blown out, for repairs, etc.

WATERMELONS have made their appearance in our market, and command a high price.

To give brilliancy to the eyes—shut them early at night and open them early in the morning.

WHY is the loveliest young lady in Columbia like a hinge? Because she is something to adore.

LAGER BEER is harmless, if taken in moderation. For some folks moderation is about forty glasses.

REV. JOHN CHESTER will preach in the Presbyterian Church, to-morrow (Sabbath), morning and evening.

THERE is to be an eclipse of the sun on the 18th of next month. It can be seen by visiting Egypt, and going one eye out.

WE met a chap yesterday whose hair was cut so short that a blind man mistook his head for a plush covered piano stool.

THE market reports say that butter was firm on Saturday. How could that be with the thermometer dancing in the nineties.

ROASTING ears have made their appearance in market. Roasting ears have been plenty on our streets during the hot weather.

FOR LEGISLATURE.—Captain W. D. Reitzel is announced as a candidate for the Legislature, in opposition to all cliques, factions, or rings.

LOOKS WELL.—The lettering over the entrance to the First National Bank, of this place, looks well, indeed; so will the banking room, when finished.

THE Reading *Dispatch* was mistaken about the robbery of the Reading & Columbia Railroad ticket office, at this place. It was at Reading it occurred.

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING.—The school board of Manheim are about to erect a two-story building for the accommodation of four schools under one principal.

IT has been discovered that coal exposed to the weather, loses in nine months, fifty per cent. of its value as fuel, and nearly as much gas-making material.

NEW STYLE.—Sponges are being worn by a number of our citizens, soaked with water, in their hats, to prevent sun stroke. Their heads are evidently spongey.

WHISKEY is recommended as a protection against mosquitoes. Probably the immense consumption of this beverage during the summer can be thus accounted for.

AN immense lot of Canada thistles are growing along the pike leading to Chestnut Hill, at the head of town. There is a heavy fine for permitting their growth.

REDUCTION OF RATES.—On and after August 1st, 1868, the rate of fare on the Pennsylvania Central Railroad will be reduced about one-half per cent. per mile.

OUR readers should be careful in receiving any fifty cent notes, as a number of well executed counterfeits of that denomination have lately been put in circulation.

BE careful when you eat, what you eat, and how much you eat in this season of the year, and drink very little ice water at a time. By little care a person can keep in good health.

GIPSIES.—A band of Gipsies were encamped yesterday, along the extended portion of North Third street. They were about the roughest looking set we have seen for many a day.

RAIL ROAD ACCIDENT.—Geo. Coleman and Slater Brown, both of this place, employees on the Pennsylvania Railroad, were injured by coming in contact with a bridge, near Downingtown, Wednesday.

BLACK OATS.—There is much complaint of the failure of the oats crop in Chester county. Mr. Thos. Ingram, West Bradford, seems to be an exception. His is the black oats, and he thinks he will have a fair crop.

OUR merchants and business men are anxiously looking to the fall for a revival and restoration of trade. Until the harvests and crops are gathered by farmers, a stagnation and depression in business may be anticipated.

BOAT CLUB.—Before getting up a boat club, had not the enterprising gentleman, who got up a *Skating Club* in this place, and sold the property belonging to it, make out a report as to the disposition of the proceeds thereof? WALTONO

BROKE DOWN.—A country wagon laden with lumber, broke down at the foot of Locust street, on Monday afternoon. Another wagon was procured, the lumber reloaded, and the countryman went on his way rejoicing.

OPENED AGAIN.—Mr. Daniel McCauley, whose store was closed during the Camp Meeting, has opened it again, and is prepared to supply his customers with the best family flour, feed, groceries, queensware, &c., &c.

COAL.—The prices of coal will soon go up, on account of the strike in the coal regions. Once up they will be likely to be maintained until next Spring. Housekeepers, if they can get a cheap article, ought to lay in their winter stock at this time.

KILLED BY A FALL.—A man named John Kob, employed by Mr. Hartman, at Rocky Springs, near Lancaster, fell a few days ago, through the door of the overshot of a barn at that place, upon his head, from the effects of which fall he died in a short time. He leaves a wife and child at the alms house.

NEW LIBRARY.—The Sunday School of the E. E. Lutheran Church has just added some two hundred volumes of new books to the Sunday School library. The Teachers' library will also receive a large addition in a few weeks. We are glad to notice this mark of prosperity in the Sunday School, and hope they may continue in well doing.

BURNED.—Mr. James Orrem, of Baltimore, had his face severely burned, on Sunday, whilst assisting in extinguishing the fire in Bletz's stable. It is feared his eyes will be considerably weakened in consequence. He worked valiantly, and did effective service in his *warm* position. His doings are very commendable, from the fact that he is not a citizen of our town, nor a member of either fire company.

UNION SERVICE.—Rev. W. S. H. Keys will preach to Rev. Mr. Stock's people to-morrow (Sunday) morning, at 10 o'clock. The United Brethren congregation will join in service at the Lutheran Church. Preaching in the evening at the U. B. Church.

MANY of our citizens are already laying in their winter supply of coal. This indispensable comfort during the bleak and stormy months is now at its lowest price, and those who can afford it find it to their advantage to purchase. The speculators have endeavored in vain to cause an inflation by fears of a strike among the miners.

PERSONAL.—Our young friend W. N. Williams, son of Mr. R. Williams, druggist, of this place, called on us yesterday. He returned home on Wednesday, from Newcastle, Del., where he is engaged in the drug business. He is looking remarkably well, and seems surprised with the progress Columbia has made since his last visit.

NEW BUILDING.—Mr. Jacob Bahn has commenced the erection of a two-story brick building on Third street, below Cherry, adjoining the German Reformed Church, which, when completed, will be another valuable addition to this square of Third street. Thus the work of building and improvement is going on in all parts of our borough.

COLORED CAMP MEETING.—A union colored camp meeting will be held at Heise's woods, near Columbia, by the A. M. E. Zion Wesleyan connection, commencing on Saturday, August 15th, and continuing until the 24th. Rev. D. A. Miller minister. Persons wishing to rent grounds for stands, &c., will apply to Moses Pinckney, agent, Marietta.

THE FIREMEN.—The Columbia boys talk of getting a larger hose carriage.

In London there are, according to the last report, thirty-six thousand fire plugs.

When will the new plugs be put in in Columbia?

The "Columbia boys" have been invited to participate in the reception and parade of the Vigilant Fire Company, of York, on the advent of their new steamer.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.—List of letters remaining unclaimed, in the Columbia Post Office, up to this date. Persons calling for these letters will please mention that they are advertised in the SPY:

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.—Francis Derick, Joseph W. Gernsey, J. J. Garrett, Geo. A. Heyers, A. J. Hess, Geo. W. Hensel, Jno. B. Love, Samuel Logue, Cyrus McClure.

LADIES' LIST.—Annie Metzger, Mrs. M. Rutter, Hettie J. Roe, Adaline Shofstall.

ADVERTISE.—"We have been carrying on the Louisville *Journal* (says Geo. D. Prentice) thirty-seven years, and during all this time we have known no man of business in the city to fail who advertised liberally. And we have known no one to succeed in any considerable, if even in a respectable degree, who didn't advertise liberally." Business men of Columbia, think of that, and practice accordingly.

EARLY CLOSING OF THE STORES.—There seems to be a disposition on the part of our merchants to close their stores at 7 o'clock in the evening. This would give the pent up clerks a little time for recreation. But there should be a concert of action. *All* the stores should be promptly closed at this hour. If there is any one mean and contemptible enough not to accede to this demand, he does not deserve the patronage of the people.

REVENUE MATTERS.—The new Internal Revenue bill, which received the signature of the President on Thursday last, provides that the functions of all the inspectors, detectives and special agents acting under the old bill, shall cease ten days after it becomes a law. This, with the fact that the distillers generally are making arrangements to carry on the manufacture of whisky under the provisions of the new bill, accounts for the little now doing in revenue matters.

SOMNAMBULIST.—On last Tuesday night, Augustus Haines, employed at Henry Clay Furnace, a few miles above this place, supposed himself upon the towpath, and about to take a dive into the river; the plunge was made but it was out of a second story window to the ground, his arm was broken, and his hands very much injured, by fragments of cinder. But, for the fact that he had his hands together in front of his head, as is usually the case when diving, he might have lost his life.

THE CROPS.—Our reports so far of the crops of the present year especially of breadstuffs, in the United States are very encouraging, East, West, Northland, South. There is a fair prospect that our surplus products of the soil, in the aggregate, in wheat, corn and cotton, will create a margin to our credit in foreign exchanges which will materially contribute to reduce the premium on gold (and the prices of living). The seasons so far have been auspicious and the promise of bounteous rewards to our farmers is good, and indeed it is to a great extent already fulfilled.

THE JAIL BIRD seems greatly annoyed about our report of the fire, and, we are told, calls attention to errors in the SPY. Goldsmith, in his "Deserted Village," sketches a character which suits this *learned* individual exactly, here it is:

"The village all declared how much he knew,
'Twas certain he could write, and cipher too,
Lands he could measure, terms and tides presages,
And even the story ran that he could gauge.
In arguing too, the parson own'd his skill,
For even though vanquish'd he could argue still;
While words of learned length and thundering sound
Amaz'd the gazing rustics rang'd around—
And still, they gaz'd, and still the wonder grew
That one small head could carry all he knew."

NEW DRUG STORE.—Mr. W. D. Blensinger will open a new drug store in Shenberger's building, in a few days. He is now fitting up his room in complete order, and will furnish it in a style entirely new in this region. Mr. B. is a practical druggist, and will be assisted by a young man who has had many years experience in the drug and prescription business in Philadelphia. So, with a perfect knowledge of the business, and a good locality to operate in, a splendid trade cannot help but be done. The store will be stocked with all kinds of fresh drugs, family medicines, soaps, perfumery, fancy articles, &c., &c.

THE *Express* furnishes the following: James B. Henderson, of Middletown, Dauphin county, Pa., who is well known in this county has been appointed a special agent of the United States Treasury Department.

The Hand-in-Hand steam engine company, of Philadelphia, will participate in the firemen's parade and reception of a steamer by the Vigilant company, of York, on the 7th of next month. The Citizen fire company of Harrisburg, also contemplate participating, together with companies from neighboring towns, and the occasion promises to possess great interest.

A DROPPED LETTER.—A peculiar sensation is felt in dropping a letter, especially if it is one of value, into the box of a post office. One feels a sort of revulsion, as if a part of himself, as it were, had fallen into an unfathomable abyss, never to be recovered. The act strikes the heart like destiny irreversible forever. If any error has occurred in the letter it is entirely beyond correction; if anything happens at the instant as there sometimes does, which ought to make a change, there is no hope for it. What is done is done, and past redemption. No repentance will avail. You would have something otherwise, but it cannot be. It is too late. The missive has passed away, and it is no longer yours, or subject to your alteration or control. Beware, therefore.

FREDERICK HILDEBRAND, a vagrant, was arrested at Mr. Kline's, on the Marietta turnpike, for threatening to burn his (Kline's) barn down. He was taken before Samuel Evans, Esq., last Monday, who committed him to prison as a vagrant, for ninety days.

A REMEDY FOR LIGHTNING STROKES.—A human being, struck by lightning is, in 99 cases out of 100, placed beyond relief; but a human being affected by the concussion of such a stroke can be saved, 99 cases out of a 100, by reactionary remedies, such as the rapid dashing of cold water over the victim, and the application of friction.—Every man and woman should constantly bear these facts in mind. The means for this remedy are always at hand; so that those in the house, in the field, on the highway, in the workshop, everywhere where lightning reaches the earth to affect mankind, the remedy for its terrible influence can always be commanded.

BASE BALL MATCH.—An interesting game of base ball was played at Marietta, Wednesday, between the active club, of this place, and the Bucktails, of Marietta, which resulted as follows:

ACTIVE.	O.	R.	BUCKTAIL.	O.	R.
Smith, s.s.	1	6	Lindsay, c.	3	2
Winkelone, r.f.	6	0	Mehaffey, p.	3	3
Withers, p.	4	4	Sitbegen, 1 b.	3	4
Mayer, 3 b.	3	3	McKinsey, 2 b.	3	3
Clark, c.	4	1	Bastin, s.s.	3	2
Bruner, 2 b.	5	2	Bucher, 3 b.	4	2
Mullin, 1 b.	3	6	Kelley, r.f.	3	2
Lichty, l.f.	6	7	Mehaffey, c.f.	3	2
Baumgardner, c.f.	3	4	Rollin, l.f.	2	3
Total,	27	33	Total,	27	26

The above clubs are composed of quite young chaps, and it is said they play remarkably well.

THE ODD FELLOWS.—The following statistics on the work of the Order are collected from the reports of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, made at the annual session: Number of lodges, 526; initiations, 10,360; rejections, 1,253; admitted by card, 1,106; withdrawn by card, 1,553; reinstatements, 800; suspensions, 2,989; expulsions 117; deaths, 543; Past Grands, 10,420; number of members, 66,235, amount of receipts, $523,290 26. Relief Report—number of brothers relieved, 7,032; widowed families relieved, 900; brothers buried, 489; amount paid relief of brothers, $154,692 11; amount paid relief widowed families, $15,876 54; amount paid burying the dead, $36,547 27. Total amount of relief, $207,115 92.

BOLD ROBBERY.—The ticket office of the Reading and Columbia Railroad at Columbia, says the Reading *Dispatch* of Saturday, was broken into and robbed between the hours of 11 A. M. and 2 P. M., yesterday, by means of taking the screws out of the lock of the door, all of which were found lying on the floor. The money drawer was wrenched open and contents taken therefrom, amounting in all to about one dollar and fifty cents in five cent nickel. The hatchet belonging to the office was found lying in close proximity to the drawer. The fact that this was done in broad daylight and where people are constanly passing and re-passing gives it an appearance of boldness seldom heard of in any community.

PASSING by the corner of Second and Locust streets the other day, we noticed that Meyers, the apothecary, had been making a raid upon the Philadelphia merchants, and was busily engaged unpacking large additional supplies of goods in his line. Some few specialities were noticed; a choice lot of very fine Bermuda arrowroot and Rio tapioca, rarely equaled; another lot of extra vanilla beans, and something for everybody, called indelible pencils; for marking clothing without the use of ink. To these were added fine selections of hair and tooth brushes, combs and other druggists' sundries.

J. A. Meyers' facilities for doing a prompt and accurate prescription business are unequaled in the county. Our readers will do well to bear this in mind.

ED. SPY.—For the benefit of those interested in the agricultural column of your paper, I am happy to say that the abundant crop of Canada thistles which flourished along the Chestnut Hill turnpike was carefully harvested at noon to-day. They grew along the East side of the road for a dozen panels, or a hundred feet, South from the reservoir. For half a dozen summers, about the first of August, I have had them cut down and hoed out, but they still reappear on the same spot where they have grown for fifteen years; but it is curious and encouraging to know that though so impossible to destroy, they have not increased in extent—not one of them has appeared on the Western side of the turnpike only thirty feet away, in all this time.
Columbia, July 29, 1868. M.

THE ORDER OF RED MEN.—The annual session of the Great Council of Pennsylvania, Order of Red Men, has just closed in this city. The report made to the Great Council shows there are about ninety subordinate Councils in the State, with a membership of about 10,000. The following Great Chiefs were elected and installed for the ensuing year: W. Great Sachem, Frank C. Knipe, of No. 18; W. Great Senior Sagamore, Charles C. Conley, of No. 51; W. Great Junior Sagamore, Adam Schub, of No. 44; W. Great Prophet, M. G. Weaver, of No. 22; W. Great Chief of Records, Andrew G. Baker, of No. 7; W. Great Keeper of Wampum, Lewis C. Pierce, of No. 5. During the session, eighteen representatives were elected to the Great Council of the United States, which meets in Cincinnati in September next.—*Ledger.*

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.—The Grand Lodge of this new but rapidly increasing order held its regular quarterly session in Rheem's Hall, commencing on Tuesday last, and closing its sessions on Wednesday evening. Mr. Frederick Coppes, of Philadelphia, the Grand Chancellor, presided. Mr. Wm. Blanchbois, of the same city is Grand Secretary. Almost one hundred Lodges were represented, and much important business was transacted. "True Friend's" Lodge, of Carlisle, entertained the Grand Lodge on Tuesday night with an elegant banquet, and the visiting brethren expressed themselves as being most highly pleased with the character of their reception.

The new Order is spreading with wonderful rapidity, and we should not wonder if in a few years it rivaled many of the much older societies.—*Carlisle Herald.*

ABANDONMENT OF A CHILD.—On Thursday evening the 16th day of July, a child about six weeks old, was found upon the ground near Geise's Spring, a short distance below Wrightsville. Samuel Auble, observed it just in time to prevent some hogs from destroying it. He took it to a Mrs. Johnson, who got the Directors of the Poor of York county, to place it in her charge. She brought it to St. Peter's Catholic Church, in this place, some days ago, and had it baptized. She has manifested great interest in and affection for it.

From information obtained by Justice Evans of this place, yesterday, he caused the arrest of Martha Gohn, of this place, who proved to be the mother. In default of bail, she was committed to the Lancaster prison to await a requisition from the authorities of York county. The case of the defendant is a hard one, abandoned by her husband and friends, she has for some time been in very destitute circumstances, and unable to obtain employment because she had a small child. Her father, too, has been sick, and dependant upon her for support. In her desperation she alleges, that she abandoned it. When the child was brought to the Justice's office, where she confronted it—a mother's affection returned—and she begged most piteously for her child. As Mrs. Johnson had proved a kind and affectionate god-mother to the foundling, it was thought best for the present, that she should keep it.

POST OFFICE CHANGES.—The post office at New Danville, this county, has been re-established, and Henry Conrad appointed postmaster. At Greenland, this county, Benj. Eshleman has been appointed postmaster, in place of Mr. Moore, who has removed from the neighborhood.

BASE BALL.—We would like to see a good game of base ball played in Columbia ere the season closes. Why don't the Mutual tackle the Excelsior, of Coatesville?

The Friendly club, of this place, beat the Keystone, of Lancaster, six runs, on Saturday last.

FIRE.—*Destruction of F. S. Bletz's Planing Mill and Carpenter Shop.*—On Sunday afternoon last, our citizens were aroused by the ringing of bells and the cry of fire! fire!! fire!!! The firemen with their engines and hose carriages, soon came whirling down the streets at a fearful rate; then not knowing exactly the locality of the fire. But it soon proved to be Bletz's planing mill and carpenter shop, situated at the lower end of town, and adjoining the Columbia Gas Works. The fire burned with great rapidity, and before the engines got to work, the buildings were nearly destroyed. For a time the fire looked threatening and fearful. The brick stable adjoining the gas works, and the warehouse and lumber on the opposite side of the pike, and the house occupied by Mr. McLaughlin, were all on fire. The Columbia Steam Fire Engine took a position on the wharf and drew her supply of water from the Susquehanna and commenced playing on the fire just in time to save a great destruction of property. Ten minutes more, the warehouse and lumber yards would have been destroyed. We never saw an engine work better or more steady. It threw a tremendous heavy and destructive stream, which proved very effective wherever it went—showing conclusively that the steam fire engine *is the thing* at a great fire. The Vigilant, at first, took position on the Susquehanna and threw the first water, but afterwards took a more rightful position in the yard of the gas works, and recieved water from the cistern of the holder. They done effective execution; and to them belongs the credit of saving the Columbia Gas Works. Probably thousands of dollars were here saved the company, by the herculean efforts of the Vigilant boys. The fine brick stable adjoining, was already in a blaze in several places, which was receiving a steady stream from the Vigilant, while the boys might here been seen all over the burning building, some with axes, cutting away the roof, and others with buckets of water. Afterward the Columbia succeeded in getting an additional stream into the stable, which assisted in quenching the devouring element; at the same time bursting a portion of their gum hose. Great credit is due to our firemen. They all worked manfully. The planing mill and shop were a total loss. The loss of the gas company is but trifling, $125, will cover it. Mr. Bletz's loss is about $12,000, and we believe, amply insured in the Lycoming and Columbia Insurance Companies. The fire took place in the carpenter shop, and its origin is unknown. Some say it was set on fire by some boys. All the tools belonging to the carpenters were destroyed, and some of them very valuable sets. A lot of tobacco, agricultural implements, dressed lumber, doors, sashes, &c., were also destroyed. Our citizens now see the necessity of good fire apparatus. It will be a saving of money, ultimately, to secure another good steam fire engine, immediately. Let all good citizens, property owners and business men generally, assist the Vigilant Fire Company in their effort to procure a steam fire engine. With new and substantial hose and another steam engine, incalculable benefits would be derived in time of fires. We urge upon our enterprising and prosperous citizens the importance of having a well regulated and well equiped fire department. At the same time we are decidedly opposed to disposing with the Susquehanna engine. It is one of the best of the kind in the State and we'll keep her for the good she has done—she will yet render effective service at any great fire, as was the case at this one. But let us have a steamer for the Vigilant, and that immediately. With two steam engines and plenty of good hose, we will be, in a measure, proof against any conflagration. Another reason for securing an additional steam fire engine, is the unwillingness of a large majority of our citizens to assist the fire department at fires. The steamer is a labor-saving machine, and the lazy have the privilege of gazing in "beautiful stupidity" upon the devouring element, without offering to assist or accepting an invitation when tendered. A fire is terribly grand, we confess—it is thrilling—transfixing one almost to the earth in wonderful amazement; but justice to a suffering fellow-man, and the commonest dictates of humanity, compel us each to do all in our power to afford relief to one another. Therefore, citizens, one and all, do unto others as you would be done by. We would say to the Vigilant boys, get your steamer at once. We, the people, will stand by you. We want it, must have it. It is an imperative necessity to the prosperity and well-being of our rapidly growing city.

Political.

LEGISLATURE.—We are authorized to announce the name of CAPT. W. DAREITZEL, of East Hempfield, in opposition to all cliques, factions or rings, as a candidate for the Legislature, at the ensuing primary meetings of the Union Republican party.

LEGISLATURE.—We are authorized to announce Capt. A. SLAYMAKER, of Manheim twp., as a candidate for the Legislature, subject to the decision of the Union Republican party, August 15th, 1868.

FOR COMMISSIONER.—We are authorized to announce the name of JACOB GREENAWALT, of Manor township, as a candidate for nomination for Commissioner, subject to the primary election, on Saturday, the 15th day of August next.

LEGISLATURE.—We are authorized to announce Capt. GEO. H. ETTLA, of Marietta, as a candidate for nomination for the Legislature, at the primary elections of the Union Republican party, August 15th, 1868.

FOR COMMISSIONER.—We are authorized to announce the name of JACOB C. KREADY, of Manor twp., as a candidate for nomination for COMMISSIONER, subject to the primary elections, on Saturday, the 15th day of August next.

LEGISLATURE.—We are authorized to announce the name of JAMES BARBER, of Columbia, Pa., as a candidate for nomination for the Legislature, at the ensuing primary elections of the Union Republican party of Lancaster county, August 15th, 1868.

LEGISLATURE.—We are authorized to announce Major A. C. REINOHL, of Manheim twp., as a candidate for renomination for the Legislature at the primary elections of the Republican party, August 15th.

LEGISLATURE.—We are authorized to announce Capt. A. GODSHALK, of East Cocalico twp., as a candidate for renomination for the Legislature at the primary elections of the Republican party, August 15th.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.—We are authorized to announce the name of GEO. BRDBAKER as a Candidate for District Attorney, subject to the decision of the people at the Republican Primary Elections on SATURDAY, the 15th day of AUGUST, 1868.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.—We are authorized to announce that BENJAMIN F. BAER, of the City of Lancaster, will be a candidate for nomination for District Attorney, at the ensuing primary meetings of the National Union Republican party of Lancaster county.

Marriages.

On the 26th of August, 1867, in Marietta, by the Rev. G. M. Clawges, CHARLES R. LOUCH and Miss FANNY LEHMAN, of Columbia.

At the same time and place, by the same, WILLIAM H. SHUTTS, of Springville, and Miss EMMA HARIO, of Mount Joy.

Births 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 twenty cents per line (payable in advance) ✠

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CAMP MEETING.

A UNION CAMP MEETING will be held at HEISE'S WOODS, near Columbia, by the A. M. E. ZION METHODIST AN CONNECTION, commencing SATURDAY, AUGUST 15th, and continuing, Providence permitting, until the 24th. No intoxicating liquors to be sold near the premises.

REV. D. A. MILLER, *Minister.*

☞ Persons wishing to rent ground for stands, &c., will apply to MOSES PINCKNEY, *Agent*, Marietta, Pa. jy31:taugl3

FOR SALE CHEAP.

The subscriber offers for sale, at his store, a lot of DISHES, CASTORS, KNIVES and FORKS, SPOONS, &c., &c. They will be sold at a bargain. [jy30tf] DANIEL MCCAULEY.

ESTRAY BULL.

Came to the premises of the subscriber, in West Hempfield, twp., a large, spotted BULL. The owner is requested to call, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be sold according to law. [jy30:2tdw.] EMUEL GARBER.

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ESTATE OF AUGUSTUS PELEN, late of the borough of Columbia, deceased. Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them for settlement to the undersigned, residing in the borough. [aug1-6t] FANNY PELEN.

PROPOSALS

The undersigned will receive PROPOSALS up to FRIDAY, AUGUST 21st, 1868, for all or any part, of the Loan authorized by the Town Council of the Borough of Columbia, Lancaster county, Pa.

The amount authorized is twenty thousand dollars ($20,000,) for which bonds of five hundred ($500) each, with coupons attached, will be issued, payable in twenty years, free of all taxes, and bearing interest at six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of April and the first day of October.

T. R. SUPPLEE,
PHILIP SHREINER,
S. S. DETWILER,
Finance Com.

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FOR SALE.

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.

The subscriber offers the following valuable real estate, in the borough of Columbia, Pa., at private sale:

HOUSE & LOT, No. 111 LOCUST STREET, AND

SPLENDID BUSINESS STAND, No. 112, connected therewith, now occupied as a grocery store, by Mrs. M. Turner.

This is one of the best business localities in the town. The lot is very large with front of 30 feet 10 inches. Also the row of

FOUR BRICK HOUSES, WITH LOTS,

Nos. 8, 10, 12 and 14 Union street, will be sold singly or together, on easy terms.

For further information, apply to JONAS MEYERS, No. 141 Locust street, Columbia.

July 25, 1868:tf.

TOBACCO FOR SALE!

EIGHTY-ONE BOXES of Splendid Pennsylvania Leaf TOBACCO is offered for sale at reasonable rates, by DAVID HANAUER, Jan. 18, '68-tf.] Front Street, Columbia.

A SPLENDID GROCERY STORE OFFERED FOR SALE!

The Subscriber wishing to relinquish the Grocery business, offers the Stock, Fixtures, &c., at Private Sale. The Store has now a good run of Town and Country Custom, and doing about as large a trade as any similar store in Columbia.

☞ A rare opportunity is here offered to any one wishing to engage in a good and profitable business. The business pays well, and the only object in selling out is, that the work is too slavish for a woman.

MRS. M. TURNER,
jy2-1mo] No. 142 Locust St., Columbia, Pa

LOTS! LOTS OF LOTS! BUILDING LOTS!

Large or Small, on Sixth street, or Seventh street, and on Locust street, and Walnut street. Those fronting on Locust and Walnut streets 196 feet deep to a 11 feet wide alley.

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CONFECTIONERY, &c.

RE-OPENED! RE-OPENED!!

RICHARDS' CONFECTIONERY!

NO. 152 LOCUST ST., COLUMBIA, PA.

The undersigned takes pleasure in announcing that he has fitted up his new Confectionery and Ice Cream Saloon, in a very superior manner at No. 152 Locust street, and supplied them with the choicest

CAKES, CANDIES, FRUITS AND CREAMS.

Everything is of the best quality.

☞ Families supplied with Ice Cream in Churns or Moulds, at Short Notice and Reasonable Rates.

All are invited to Call!

ALLEN RICHARDS. Je13-6tf.]

CONFECTIONERY AND FRUIT OF ALL KINDS IN SEASON.

Parties and Families supplied with

ICE CREAM,

of the Freezer, or in Moulds, with promptness at GEO. J. SMITH'S,

Adjoining the Franklin House, Locust street.

P. S.—Also, a fine assortment of TOYS and Fancy Articles, constantly on hand.

MARBLE WORKS.

LANCASTER MARBLE WORKS,

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All persons in want of anything in the Marble line, will be furnished at the very lowest prices. Only the best workmen are employed, consequently we are enable to turn out in a superior manner

MONUMENTS, STATUARY, TOMBSTONES, ORNAMENTAL MARBLE, MANTLES, BUILDING FRONTS, SILLS,

And Marble Work of every description.

☞ Orders promptly attended to.

LEWIS HALDY,
May 4,'67] Lancaster City, Pa.

CHARLES M. HOWELL, MARBLE MASON, NO. 66 NORTH QUEEN STREET, EAST SIDE.

The Oldest Marble Works in Lancaster County.

Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him, he respectfully solicits a continuance of the same. He has on hand, the largest, most varied and complete stock of finished

MONUMENTS, MANTLES, GRAVE STONES, &c., &c.

to be found in the city, and which will be sold at the lowest prices. Building work and dressing of every description punctually attended to.

Persons in want of Monuments, Mantles, or Grave Stones, are invited to call and examine the stock on hand, also the portfolios of designs.

June 29-tf]

MISCELLANEOUS.

DR. B. F. HERMAN,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,

Having permanently located in Columbia, Pa., respectfully tenders his professional services to the citizens of said place and vicinity, and hopes by strict attention to business, and moderate charges, to merit and receive a liberal share of patronage. As a guarantee to public confidence he would state that he is a graduate of the MEDICAL UNIVERSITY of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, and a private student, for several years of Dr. A. J. Herman, of Carlisle, Penna., and also, was associated with Dr. A. H. Dill, of Petersburg, in the practice of MEDICINE and SURGERY, and all diseases called CHRONIC and Nervous DISEASES, will do well to give him a call at his office, No. 41 NORTH FRONT STREET, rear of the GOLDEN MORTAR DRUG STORE, where he may be consulted at any time, and all times, except when on professional duty. Consultations in Office, Apartments, Chargeable only for the Medicine, which can be had at the GOLDEN MORTAR DRUG STORE, No. 41 North Front Street, Columbia, Pennsylvania.

DR. B. F. HERMAN,
jy25-1tdeltw] Proprietor.

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In its worst forms cured by the SHUMACH TREE PLASTER. Weak and affected Lungs restored to strength and health. Sent by mail to any address, on receipt of price, $2.00.

Address, C. A. DRAKE,
July 23, 68-1m.] 1,606 Chestnut St., Philad'a.

FOR RENT.—A Large and Commodious FRONT ROOM, in complete order, suitable for an Office of any kind, in the house now occupied by Sam'l H. Lockard, Walnut street, above Front, Columbia, Pa.

Apply to H. E. WOLFE.

JOB PRINTING OF EVERY Description neatly executed, at this Office.

FOR SALE.

A PLEASANT and CONVENIENT HOUSE and LOT, on Second street, Columbia. Inquire at this office. [dec. 14, '67-tf.

FOR SALE!

A TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE and LOT OF GROUND, situated in Walnut street, above 3d, street, Columbia. For terms, &c., apply to JOHN Q. DENNY. feb 29, '68-tf.

KINDLING WOOD.

A fine lot of Kindling Wood sawed the right length, and split the right thickness, for sale by the Barrel, at the Coal Yard of BRUNER & MOORE. nov 23-tf]

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—To the Owners or Harborers of DOGS.—In compliance with the requirement of Sec. 3, of an ordinance entitled "A supplement to the ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance Relating to Dogs.'" Notice is hereby given to all owners or harborers of dogs that they are required to have the same registered during the Month of July, of each and every year, and to pay a tax of One Dollar for the *first* Male Dog, and Two Dollars for the *first* Female Dog; Two Dollars for the *second* Male Dog, and Four Dollars for the *second* Female Dog; and Four Dollars for each and every additional Male Dog, and Eight Dollars for each and every additional Female Dog.

Any person failing to have his dog or dogs registered during the time fixed by the Borough Ordinance, "Shall forfeit and pay a fine of Five Dollars for every Male Dog, and Ten Dollars for every Female Dog.

GEO. H. RICHARDS, Register.
No. 216 Second Street.

Office hours from 9 to 12 A. M., and from 1.30 to 3.30 P. M. [je20-tf

SUSQUEHANNA PLANING MILL.

Having sold my interest in Stock of Lumber, late the firm of Shelman & Martin, to Martin, Thomas & Co., I have taken the exclusive business of the Planing Mill, and Sash and Door Manufactory. Where I will be pleased to receive orders for the material in connection with the establishment.

I have recently fitted up and put into the Sash and Door Manufactory, the most improved machinery now in use, making the facilities of our establishment, for turning out work, equal to any in our State.

The Sash and Door Manufactory will be conducted under the Superintendence of Mr. Geo. Dehuff, who has the reputation, and is well known as a mechanic of skillful and practical experience. The establishment Manufactures, and I have constantly on hand, Sash, Door Blinds, Shutters, Brackets, Window Frames and Door Frames, Shelving, Tobacco Cases, &c. Stair Railing made to order. Orders solicited.

JOHN B. HACHMAN.
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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of SAMUEL COCKLIN, late of West Hempfield twp., Lancaster county, decd. The undersigned auditor, appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of Eliza Johns and John M. Grider, executors of the last will of said deceased, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will sit for that purpose on FRIDAY, the SEVENTH day of AUGUST, 1868, at 2 o'clock P. M., in one of the Jury Rooms of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend.

SIMON P. EBY, Auditor.
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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

COLUMBIA, February 22d, 1868.

The firm of Cooper & Pearl, heretofore transacting business as lumber and coal dealers, at the corner of Front and Union streets, Columbia, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent, by Lemuel Cooper retiring. All claims will be settled by the undersigned, by John Cooper and Jos. Pearl, and all bills will be expected to be paid to the same parties on or before the 25th day of April next.

JOS. PEARL,
JOHN COOPER.

Thankful for the liberal patronage extended to the above firm, we, the undersigned, intending to continue the business at the old stand, will be pleased with a continuance of past patronage.

JOHN BEAKT,
feb. 29, '68-tf.] JOHN COOPER.

DRY GOODS, &c.

W. G. PATTON,

CORNER OF SECOND AND LOCUST STS., COLUMBIA, PENNA.

Is constantly receiving, and has ALWAYS ON HAND, A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF

SEASONABLE GOODS,

DRESS GOODS, of the most desirable styles and fabrics.

WHITE GOODS,

HOSIERY, GLOVES and NOTIONS,

JOUVINS BEST KID GLOVES,

Cloths and Cassimeres,

SATINETTS, JEANS, COTTONADES, DRILLS, LINENS, &c.,

GROCERIES, QUEENSWARE,

OIL CLOTHS, &c.

Special attention given to MERCHANT TAILORING. Satisfaction guaranteed.

ALL GOODS AT LOWEST CASH PRICES.

Sewing Machines.

AGENT FOR

WHEELER & WILSON, WILCOX & GIBBS, ELLIPTIC, SINGER, HOWE and AMERICAN COMBINATION BUTTON HOLE MACHINES.

☞ Every Machine sold, warranted to give satisfaction.

MACHINES TO RENT.

Columbia, Pa., July 25th, 1868:tf.

PAIN PAINT.

IF A HUMBUG,
What a wonder
That the doors
Are open wide;
Every one that
First of August
Thousands have
Pain Paint applied.
Those who lie,
Or call it humbug,
Are the doctors,
Not acquaint:
For they always
Have been jealous
When they patiently
Use Pain Paint.
The up-hills
As high as mountains,
Flash the truth
Before their eyes,
But the cry
Is always humbug,
Men of science
Full of lies.

People know that liniments composed of Cayenne pepper, turpentine, hartshorn, ether, &c., will produce inflammation and pain. To purchase such truth to stop pain and inflammation is ridiculous. Fire will not stop heat; a dumb brute sh