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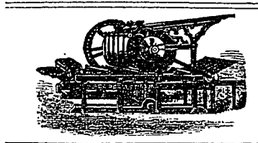

Columbia, Pa.

Saturday, March 6, 1869.

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

THE Vigilant Fair is now the topic of conversation amongst all classes.

WRIGHTSVILLE is more brisk since the opening of the bridge.

TICKETS for Rev. W. S. H. Keys' lecture may be had at Keever's book store.

THE DAILY SPY.—Single copies of the Daily Spy can always be had at Keever's book store, or at this office.

UNTRUE.—It is not true that all our physicians will adopt the velocipede in making professional calls. Several of them will use horses, as heretofore.

WE know a man who has worn out four pairs of boots in two months, all in trying to collect money to pay for them. Really, these are "times to try men's soles."

MAIL MESSENGER APPOINTED.—We learn that George Heislin has been appointed as Mail Messenger at Landisville, this county, in place of Mr. Ganagan.

COUNTY SURVEYOR APPOINTED.—A. R. Witmer, Esq., of Manor twp., has been appointed by the Court, Surveyor for Lancaster county, for the term of three years.

THE building on Second street, formerly occupied by C. Myers, as the Columbia steam coach works, is being torn down preparatory to the erection of an engine house for the Vigilant Fire Company.

BLACK double-breasted frock coats, light pants, Stanly scarfs showing the edge of a white vest, light gloves and a pink in the left button-hole, is now the correct, fashionable and stylish ball, reception, dinner and visiting costume for modern society men.

TO FARMERS.—Farmers and others living in the vicinity of Columbia, should contribute something to the ladies' fair of the Vigilant Steam Fire Engine Company, to take place in Odd Fellow's Hall, on Monday next. Anything will be acceptable. Greenbacks, flour, potatoes, corn, wheat, wood, produce, or a bullock. The hall will be open on market mornings.

NEW CHURCH.—The Union Congregation, Colerain, Lancaster County, have in contemplation the erection of a new church the coming summer. The building is to be of brick, 85 by 55 feet. Plans and specifications are now in the hands of the architect, and may be seen after the first of March at Union village, after which time the trustees will be prepared to receive proposals from builders.

CALICO DRESS BALL.—There will be a calico dress ball, in Odd Fellows' Hall, on Wednesday evening, March 17 (St. Patrick's day). It is gotten up under the auspices of the Vigilant Steam Fire Company. Great preparations are making for the event. The ladies are already greatly interested in the affair. All the ladies will be expected to wear a calico dress; but the dresses need not be left at the hall, as has been the custom in some places where calico balls have been held.

FIRST TRAIN OF CARS OVER THE NEW BRIDGE.—On Monday morning last, the locomotive, built expressly for running over the bridge, with freight train attached, passed over the new bridge at this place, in charge of Wm. F. Lockard, Superintendent Philadelphia Division, Pennsylvania Railroad. Quite a crowd of spectators were assembled at each end of the bridge for the purpose of witnessing the passing of the "first train of cars over the new structure."

TOBACCO CHEWERS, CHEW THIS.—Some arithmatician calculates that if a tobacco chewer consumes two inches of plug a day, for fifty years, he will chew in that period sixty-four hundred and seventy-five feet, or nearly half a mile an inch thick, and two inches broad, costing two thousand and ninety-five dollars! And ejecting one pint of saliva per day for fifty years, the total would swell into nearly twenty-three hundred gallons—a respectable lake and almost enough to float the Great Eastern in!

LADIES' FAIR for the benefit of the Vigilant Steam Fire-Engine Company, No. 2, will be held in Odd Fellows' Hall, commencing Monday, March 8th, 1869. The following articles will be voted for: A handsome silver lamp will be voted to the railroad employee receiving the highest number of votes. One highly polished set of Butchers' instruments will be voted to the Butcher receiving the highest number of votes. A silver pitcher, waiter and goblets, will be voted to the Landlord receiving the highest number of votes. The following articles will be chanced off: Two carpets, of twenty-five yards each; two quilts; one carriage afghan; one marseilles spread; one or more barrels of flour; one or more tons of coal; material for a suit of clothes; four coal oil lamps; one gentlemen's wrapper; a lot of firemen's hats, suitable for either company; a beautiful cocoon clock; a bouquet of wax flowers; one white wax cross; a lot of sofa cushions and tidies of all descriptions, and a great many other articles too numerous to mention. Come and see for yourselves. An exorbitant price will not be asked for any article. Refreshments of all kinds will be served during the fair. We call upon an open hearted, progressive and generous people—for which our citizens are universally known—to give us their encouragement and support.

A NEW INVENTION.—We were shown a few days ago a new patent for bending tire iron, punching apperatus, &c. To a blacksmith who has any great amount of tire bending to do, this new improvement is invaluable. It was invented by Mr. James M. Bryan, of Penningtonville, Chester county, Pa., and was used by him at his shops for some nine years. There are now many of them in use in this county and in Chester county. Mr. Bryan is a blacksmith and a thorough practical mechanic—hence this great invention.

The objects of the machine are to bend either light or heavy iron when cold, to bend it to any given diameter or radius, and to punch cold iron, the machine being operated wholly by hand. It is a common adaptation of the lever so arranged in its parts as to yield great power. One man of ordinary weight can bend, with this machine, tires four inches by one inch, or three by one and a half inches, when cold. In punching, dies and punches of any form may be used, the die fitting in a hole under the plunger, and the punch in a hole in the plunger, and held by a set screw.

Every blacksmith should have one of these machines—they will bend cold iron, light or heavy, and can be set quickly, with exactness to any desired diameter or radius.

Punches and dies of any shape or size. Cultivator teeth, &c., &c., may also be set with, using dies of the desired form. Shears for cutting cold iron can also be applied after the same manner.

It is a common adaptation of the lever, so arranged in its parts as to yield immense power. It is quickly changed from bending to punching, *and vice versa*. It is strong and durable, and not liable to get out of order.

"SPIDER."—The Hivers have appointed a committee to negotiate for a "spider."

IMPROVEMENTS are daily being made in the upper part of our borough.

SUGAR goes up in price as the article goes down in consumption. The dealers just now appear to take particular delight in being sweet on their customers.

ST. PATRICK'S day, the 17th of March, comes on Wednesday this year. Preparations for celebrating the day are already being made in the cities.

PASTOR ELECTED.—At a congregational meeting held in the Presbyterian church of this place, on Wednesday evening, February 24th, the Rev. Mr. B. H. Witherow, of New Jersey, was unanimously elected pastor of the congregation.

WISLER'S BEER.—Mr. Jacob F. Wisler, of this place, has taken license for the manufacture of "Wister's celebrated cream beer." He is prepared to supply his friends with this beer from his residence, No. 217 Union street.

BUILDING.—It is said that there will be considerable activity in the building line the coming season. Most of the improvements, however, will be small dwellings for mechanics and laborers, and of these there are a large number already under contract.

IRON WORKS.—It is rumored that a New York gentleman, named Bell, who owns a tract of land on the Susquehanna river, near Conowingo bridge, intends to erect large iron works on the same. The Columbia and Port Deposit Railroad will pass the works.

WIFE BEATER PROPERLY TREATED.—Alderman Carpenter, of Philadelphia, committed William H. Dyer for beating his wife one day last week. We expect to have the pleasure in a short time, to hear that our Squire Evans has committed a certain citizen of Columbia for similar misconduct. If he does, we shall give full publicity to the fact, in large, staring capitals, so that all may see and know who is mean and brute enough to strike or illtreat a woman.

NUISANCES.—How long do our *progressive* City Fathers intend to allow our sidewalks to be obstructed by those relics of ancient times and a by-gone generation, the old pump-stocks, that indicate the places where our forefathers used to obtain their water for household purposes? Probably until the plank covers rot through, and spill some one in to be drowned—or maybe they are preserving them as mementoes of the past.

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:

Ladies' List.—Mrs. D. G. Yerger, Christian Sears, Kate F. Stokes, Barbra Heneman, Mary Hartindale, Annie E. Gavin.

Gentlemen's List.—J. B. Strawbridge, A. Summey, Christian Shaeffer, Isaac D. Saggari, Berru Painter, Patrick McCanne, Albert Merely, Solumon Martin, Harvey Lowery, John Leibhart, Amos Heistand, Thomas French, All. Bricher, Gust. Brooks.

LEARN TRADES.—It is a pity that there is so little disposition to learn useful trades among the youth of the day. They want to be clerks, which business is overcrowded, or to enter one of the professions, where success now is rarely achieved. They can be much more useful to society, and more certain of making an honest and honorable livelihood, by mastering a trade, which is a sure reserve to fall back upon in after life in case of failure in some other calling, and in nine cases out of ten pays better than a profession.

DEATH OF A FEMALE PRINTER.—Mrs. Lydia R. Bailey died in Philadelphia on the 21st ult., in the 91st year of her age. She carried on the printing business in Philadelphia for over fifty years. Her husband, Robert Bailey, died in 1808, and she continued the printing until 1861. Previous to the introduction of steam-power presses, she had one of the largest offices in the city. Mrs. Bailey was elected "City Printer" for a number of years by the old City Councils. Among those who served their apprenticeship with Mrs. Bailey were the late Robert P. King, the surviving partner, Mr. Alex. Baird, and Mr. Fagan, the stereotyper.

THE WHEAT PROSPECT.—Everywhere the word is that the wheat, throughout our county, never looked better at this time of year. Traveling agents in all sections of the country concur in this pleasing report. It will be worth the consideration of every farmer who still holds his old crop, whether it is not advisable to dispose of it soon. Let such keep watch a few days longer, both of the prospect for the coming harvest and the tendency of the market. If he continues to hear good reports, and discovers a downward tendency of prices, he may safely conclude it wise to sell what he may have on hand.

THE VOTE ON THE TORCHES.—The following is the result of the voting on the firemen's torches, at the Lutheran Fair, held during last week:

Columbia Steam Fire Engine Company,	2,015½
Vigilant " " " "	1,744½
Laurel Hook and Ladder Company,	4

Resulting in a victory for the Columbia Fire Company, by a majority of two hundred and seventy-one votes. The torches cost the fair committee sixty dollars. There were thirty-seven hundred and sixty-three votes polled, which at ten cents a vote, amounts to $376.30, leaving $316.30 clear profit to the fair, all of which is a good thing for the fair.

FAST TIME.—A train on the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, on the 12th ult., made the unprecedented run of ninety-one miles in ninety minutes. The train was eastward bound from Fort Howard, Wisconsin, to Chicago. The quickest prior runs, says an exchange, of which we have any record, are as follows: In England, 18 miles by a special train in 15 minutes. In the United States, 14 miles in 11 minutes, by an engine and six cars on the N. Y. Central; 10 miles in 7½ minutes, on the Pennsylvania Railroad; 144 miles in two hours and 49 minutes on the Hudson river road; 84 miles in 99 minutes, from Indianapolis to Union City; 305 miles in 7 hours and 32 minutes from Albany to Niagra.

THE East Pennsylvania Annual Conference of the United Brethren in Christ, met in Mount Joy, Lancaster county, on Thursday last, and adjourned on Monday evening. Bishop Glossbrenner presided. The sessions were very harmonious and interesting. The following are the appointments:

LEBANON DISTRICT.—J. B. Daugherty, P. E. Lebanon, Salem Church, H. H. Gelbach. Annville Station, J. H. Mark. Myerstown Station, L. W. Craumer. Belleview, J. Binkly, W. Dissinger, by P. E. Union Deposit, Simon Noll. Pine Grove, Samuel Etter, by P. E. Lykens Valley, J. W. Kunkle. Harrisburg, J. P. Smith. Susq'ha'a, H. V. Mohn, A. S. Brown, by P. E. Shaeffer-town, J. D. A. Garman. Middleburg Mission, To be supplied. Germantville Mission, James Schoop. Tamaqua Mission, Geo. Stoll.

HARRISBURG DISTRICT.—Ez. Light, P. E. Harrisburg Miss. Sta., J. Erb, by P. E. Highspire Station, J. Lewis Smith. Columbia Station, W. S. H. Keys. Phil'a Mt. Aury Miss. Sta., To be sup'd. Phil'a Parish St. Miss. Sta., To be sup'd, Reading Otterbein Church, L. Peters. Lebanon Trinity Ch., G. W. M. Rigor. Annville Eng. Miss. Sta., D. Strickler. Mount Joy Circuit, Joseph C. Mumma. Mountville, A. H. Kauffman. New Holland, D. O. Ferrel. Hummelstown, J. Carpenter. Halifax, J. F. Yeager. Shamokin Mission, W. B. Evers. Amity Mission, C. S. Poulton.

ALLENTOWN DISTRICT.—D. Hoffman, P. E. Allentown Mission Station, D. Hoffman. Reading Zion Church, Job. Light. Schuylkill Haven Sta., J. R. Meredith. Bethlehem Mission, J. Runk. Pres't. Leb. Val. College, T. R. Vickroy. Agent " " " " G. A. Mark.

CALICO.

SHAD flies are here.

APPOINTMENT.—Wall H. Fry has been appointed to a clerkship in the office of the Reading & Columbia Railroad, at this place.

E. F. KEEVER, Esq., has resigned his position as General Freight and Ticket Agent of the Reading & Columbia Railroad.

A COMMITTEE of enterprising ladies are soliciting subscriptions from our citizens for the purpose of purchasing four torches to be presented to the Vigilant Steam Fire Engine Company, of this place. The act is very commendable, and the ladies should be encouraged in the enterprise.

MISSIONARY ANNIVERSARY.—The annual missionary meeting of the M. E. Church, of this place, will be held next Sabbath. Preaching at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M., by Rev. J. E. Smith, of Philadelphia. The Sabbath School Anniversary will be held in the afternoon at two o'clock. All are invited.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—The annual election for Directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad came off yesterday. The following were elected: Edgar Thomson, Josiah Bacon, Wistar Morris, George Black, of Pittsburg, Samuel T. Bodine, Joseph B. Myers, Edward C. Knight, Washington Butcher, John M. Kennemy, John Rice.

IMPROVEMENT.—Mr. F. S. Bletz is tearing the front out of the building formerly occupied by the post office, preparatory to putting in a handsome glass front, similar to his dry goods store. The improvements are to be completed by first of April. A. R. Breneman will occupy the building as a hat, cap, and gentlemen's furnishing store. Thus we are progressing.

PEACH CROP.—In the upper part of Kent county is not injured yet. Last year the trees bearing no fruit made a vigorous growth of wood and are consequently better able to resist frost and cold. Our people have not become discouraged by the failure of crops in the past, but are continually setting out young orchards of many thousand trees. A good crop of peaches the present year and good prices would be a great relief to the financial affairs of our country.—Clayton, Del., *Herald*.

VIGILANT FAIR.—The fair for the benefit of the Vigilant Steam Fire Engine Company, will commence on Monday next in Odd Fellows' Hall, continuing one week, and a brilliant and successful occasion is already presaged. Every preparation is being made by the committee to add to the display and attractions, and the members are receiving hearty co-operation from the community. Articles intended to be disposed of at this festival are now on exhibition at the jewelry stores of C. P. Shreiner and E. Spering, Front street, which are well worthy of examination.

THE WEATHER.—It is difficult to make any calculations with regard to the weather, now-a-days. A stormy morning is likely as not to be the precursor of a brilliant and beautiful afternoon, and one may retire to bed with the moon and stars shining brightly upon him, to awaken to the clatter of hail, the splash of rain, or the angry roll of thunder. It is not safe to go out without an "umbrella," and yet that useful article may not be needed one hour in the course of the day. As for providing against sudden changes of atmosphere, that seems to be out of the question. Never, within the range of our memory, have throat and lung diseases prevailed so generally as at present.

A DESERVED COMPLIMENT.—With pleasure we chronicle the fact that our young friend, Mr. H. C. Lentz, who has been in the employ of the Reading & Columbia Railroad Company, at this place, in the capacity of clerk, for over four years, has been elevated to the position of General Freight and Ticket Agent of said road, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of E. F. Keever, Esq. From Mr. Lentz's past record, we know that he will make a most faithful and efficient officer. Having acquired, during his long connection with the company, considerable knowledge of the duties pertaining to the position to which he has been so wisely and deservedly appointed, he will need no drilling to become proficient in its various branches in a short time.

MIDDLETOWN ENTERPRISE.—A movement is being made in Middletown, Dauphin county, for the erection of shops for the manufacture of cars, which promises to result in success. The corporation will be known as the Middletown Car Manufacturing Company. A meeting was held on Monday evening which was largely attended and full of enthusiasm. Committees were appointed on charter, location and stock, and subscriptions made to the capital stock, of the company amounting to over $20,000. The association will meet again on Friday evening in Smith's Hall, when it is fully expected the subscription will be increased to $25,000. They intend to apply for a charter and begin operations without delay. The citizens of that borough are throwing off the incubus of lethargy, and making rapid strides in progress and the development of mechanical enterprise.

JURORS.—The Grand and Petit Jurors for the Court of Quarter Sessions for Lancaster county, commencing on the third Monday in April, and the Petit Jurors for the Court of Common Pleas, commencing on the fourth Monday of same month, have been drawn as follows:

Grand Jurors.—Robert Buchmiller, city; J. C. Bucher, Columbia; Joseph Byrod, Elizabethtown; Clarkson Cook, Fulton. Dan'l Erisman, city; Henry M. Engle, East Donegal; Isaac Flickinger, East Cocalico; C. C. Fraelich, West Hemphield; John Girvin, Strasburg twp; H. S. Gara, city; Isaac Hull, New Holland; John D. Harrar, Sadsbury; J. C. Jeffries, city; J. P. Kilburn, Strasburg; Daniel Lutz, West Cocalico; Thos. A. McNeal, Salisbury; S. S. Nagle, Marietta; Jonathan Rutter, Leacock; John Sheaffer, Upper Leacock; Samuel Slocum, Sadsbury; M. H. Shirk, West Cocalico; Jno. A. Shultz, city; Henry Shaffner, Mount Joy Borough; John Y. Weidman, Clay.

Petit Jurors for Quarter Sessions.—W. F. Bicknell, Fulton; C. Buckius, city; J. W. Bucher, Penn; Elias Bomberger, Manheim borough; Elias Becker, Warwick; Joseph Black, Columbia; Moore Connell, Ephrata; John Dorwart, Sr., city; W. G. Evans, city; Jacob Frantz, Paradise; Anthony Good, Brecknock; F. B. Groff, Martic; J. E. Greybill, West Earl; J. Hoffman, Hershey, West Hemphield; Joseph Hoover, city; Emanuel Hoffman, Elizabethtown; John Hustings, Drumore; James R. Gordon, Carnarvon; John S. Jordon, Drumore; H. Keneagy, Paradise; Michael Keller, Ephrata; George Lutz, city; H. C. Locher, city; C. E. Long, city; John Lintner, Millersville; S. M. Myers, city; S. M. Mylin, Pequea; David Miller, Earlville; Emanuel Mohler, Ephrata; Samuel Musser, Mount Joy twp.; Christian Musser, Manheim twp.; Midhael Moore, Penn; Martin Nissley, Manheim twp.; S. C. Pinkerton, Mt. Joy twp.; R. B. Patterson, Colerain; B. S. Patterson, Little Britain; Mahlon Ruth, Leacock; R. S. Reynolds, Fulton; Samuel Royer, Ephrata; David Roath, Marietta; Henry Shreiner, Manheim twp.; Fredrick Sheetz, East Hemphield; P. J. Stormfeltz, city; M. E. Stauffer, East Earl; Washington Walker, Little Britain; N. Worley, Manheim bor.; Geo. Wolf, city; Jacob Zecher, city.

Petit Jurors for Common Pleas: Edward Ambler, Drumore; J. M. Amweg, esq., city; Joshua Brinton, Salisbury; John G. Brenner, Millersville; S. Altee Buckius, Columbia; Edward S. Bryan, Conoy; Daniel Bowman, Brecknock; Henry Brubaker, Upper Leacock; F. K. Curran, Marietta; Peter Diffenbaugh, East Lampeter; Wm. Diller, city; Moses Eaby, Leacock; Martin Erwin: Columbia; Uriah Findley, Columbia; Wm. Greybill, Sr., East Cocalico; Henry Galen, Martic; E. Huldeman, West Hemphield; Edward Hess, Manor; Augustus Hipple, Conoy; George Heise, West Hemphield; David Kemper, Ephrata; A. M. Kurtz, West Earl; Joel L. Lightner, East Lampeter; Henry McFalls, Providence; M. W Miller, West Lampeter; C. M. Musser, Earl, Herman Miller, city; Fredrick Maulick, Marietta; Martin Rohrer, Fulton; Chas F. Rees, Millersville; K. K. Snader, Brecknock; David E. Shimp, East Cocalico; John Stauffer, East Hemphield; Frederick Smith, Conoy; Geo. W. Wormler, W. Donegal; M. S. Weaver, E. Earl; Jonas White, Manheim borough; A. R. Witmer, Esq., Manor; Geo. Yeisley, city; R. A. Frey, Manor.

FRANK.—Thank you for the "dirty" manuscript. We know the cuss. We can observe the "hand writing on the wall."

Go to Keever's, No, 105, Locust street, and get all the daily, weekly and monthly papers published. He makes a specialty of this branch of business.

TO DELINQUENTS.—Well, ain't you a pretty set? How in the name of common sense do you expect us to live, "working for nothing and finding ourselves?" We have sent out during the past week or two, bills to the amount of about two thousand dollars; and what do we get in return? *only about eighteen dollars.* This is all wrong friends, patrons, enemies, or whatever you are—decidedly wrong. Material must be paid for, compositors must be paid, *as well as the devil.* Our paper maker is pressing us; notes protested; landlords about to chew us up; and all this on your account, delinquent. Some of you will hear a doleful sound ere long—we will "push things." Sorry to put you on the *Black List*, but pay up. There are many of you owing us small amounts, which appear to you, perhaps, too trifling for serious thought, and with the gratifying reflection that you are "able to owe us," you dismiss the subject, if it ever comes up in your mind. Know, then, that our business is made up of "little" amounts, which in the aggregate are exceedingly important to us, and without which we find it difficult to "paddle our canoe." Just lend us a helping hand, then, in time of need, you that are indebted to us for two or three years, and we shall look upon you as deserving of praise. To those who have been punctual and prompt, we return our sincere thanks, and shall of course, 'use our endeavors' to give them the worth of their investment.

Velocipedes.

MESSRS. EDITORS.—The general impression appears to be that the velocipede is something entirely new, while so far from that being the case, I remember seeing a gentleman riding one in the streets of Philadelphia fifty years ago, which was, in all essential features, exactly the velocipede of the present day—two wheels, the front one managed by a cross-bar, upon which rested the hands of the rider, to guide its course, a great relief to the financial affairs of our country.—Clayton, Del., *Herald*.

THE attention of our readers is directed to the advertisement of Coe's Cough Balsam and Coe's Dyspepsia Cure, in another part of this paper. These truly valuable medicines are recommended by all who use them. Read the certificates. dec.63-ly

THE GLOBE.—Our friends going to Reading should, by all means, visit the Globe dry goods store. They will find it one of the best places to buy at, and Messrs. Mishler & Moers very clever gentlemen. They are the originators of a new system of advertising, and give fresh and readible matter in "Globe condenser."

TO THE LADIES.—You who have been suffering with severe colds during this changeable weather, no doubt but that it is caused by wearing thin soled shoes. Now let us tell you, if you wish to be saved from consumption and an early grave, go to the store of I. O. Bruner, Front street, Columbia, and purchase a pair of those well made, thick soled boots, shoes, or gaiters, and all will be well with thee.

OPENING OF NAVIGATION.—We learn from D. F. Shure, Esq., Superintendent of the Susquehanna & Tide Water Canals, that repairs and improvements along the line of these canals are being pushed forward with rapidity, and that everything will be in readiness for the opening of navigation on the 20th of March. We have not learned when the Pennsylvania Canal will be ready, but understand it will be somewhat later than the opening of the Susquehanna and Tide Water Canals.—*Wrightsville Star.*

APPOINTED.—H. H. Heise, of this place, has been appointed foreman and salesman for the Cleaveland & Ohio Lightning Rod Company, one of the largest and most reliable firms of the kind in the United States; for the coming season, with a heavy force, commencing April 15th, for a term of six months, to operate in this county, and is now engaged in taking orders. He also has in possession a large amount of individual promissory notes due the above firm, on or before April 1st, 1869. He therefore gives notice to all persons indebted to said firm, to make payments to said Heise at 230 Locust street, Columbia, Pa., without delay.

DELICIOUS MEDICINAE.—This is the universal verdict pronounced upon Plantation Bitters by all who have tried them. The well-known health-promoting ingredients from which they are made, and their invaluable merits as a remedy for indigestion and all its consequent ailments, and the preventive qualities against diseases arising from climatic changes, miasmatic influences and imperfect secretions, are so widely known and so honorably endorsed, that we trust no one will forego the advantages of their use.

Magnolia Water.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price.

THERE are many good old, fashioned people among us who are very naturally attached to old styles and old-fashioned.

Even where the new fashions and styles are preferable, they are not so to them: to whom any change in their dress, for instance would be like a change in their nature. It is too much the habit of business men to ignore such people and neglect any provision for their wants, so that it is pleasant to see in the trade circular of a house such as Wanamaker & Brown's an item like this—under the head of

"Pantaloons,"

"Breadtalls"—for old-style gentlemen, Plain comfortable cut—for such as have more regard for comfort rather than style.

CONSUMPTION CURED.—An Eastern medical periodical gives an interesting account of the complete cure of Mrs. Amos Stauffer, of Manor, Lancaster county, Pa., of hereditary Consumption. Her parents and several brothers and sisters died of this terrible disease. Mrs. Stauffer was herself reduced to a mere skeleton; the pulse at 140; her breathing painfully difficult; expectoration very excessive; diarrhœa worse than chronic, and her condition so hopeless that at a conference of the old and skillful physicians she was pronounced incurable. At this stage of the disease, Dr. S. B. Hartman, of Millersville, Lancaster county, Pa., a physician of fourteen years standing, prescribed Mishler's Herb Bitters. The patient soon experienced a pleasing invigorating sensation throughout her system, and encouraged by her friends to continue under Dr. Hartman's treatment, she did so gradually improving under increased doses according to her strength until she entirely recovered. Mrs. Stauffer is still living, in her full enjoyment of perfect health. C. L. Herr, Esq., President of the Lancaster County (Pa.) National Bank, substantiates the particulars of this most wonderful case. feb.27-2t

U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE NOTICE.—All persons residing in Columbia borough and West Hempfield township, are notified that I am now prepared to assess the annual Income Tax for 1868, and receive applications for Licences for 1869. Also returns for the following articles owned or kept for use, viz: Carriages and Harness for $300 in value; Gold Watches, Billiards Tables, Gold and Silver Plate, and Canal Boats. Farmers in making their Income Returns are required to give a detailed statement of all Live Stock and Agricultural Products sold during the year. Persons having paid Special Taxes—called Licences—for 1868, ending May 1st, 1869, are required to apply for a renewal of the same if they wish to continue in the same occupation.

To accommodate all I make the following appointments, at either of which places returns will be received:

At John Yohn's Hotel, Mountville, Monday and Tuesday, March 8th and 9th.

At E. Hopton's Hotel, Silver Springs, on Wednesday and Thursday, March 10th and 11th.

At J. G. Duttenhoffer's Hotel, Marietta, and Lancaster Pike, Friday March 12th.

On the 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 22nd, 23rd, 24th and 25th days of March, in my office, 122 Locust street, next door to Cottrell's Hardware Store, Columbia.

By an act of Congress March 2nd, 1867, persons refusing or neglecting to make such returns are liable to be assessed according to the best information the Assessor can obtain, with fifty per centum penalty added to the tax, from which there can be no appeal. By the same act, one hundred per cent. penalty is added in case of fraudulent or false returns being made. All those not attending will positively be assessed according to law. Wm. U. Hess, Assistant Assessor, Division 11, 9th District.

BOY WANTED.—We want an active, intelligent boy to learn the art of printing, at this office.

SELLING OFF AT COST.—W. G. Case & Son's large stock of dry goods, notions, queensware, &c., &c., is fast disappearing. Visit that establishment, at once, if you want bargains.

LOOK OUT, DON'T TOUCH IT, unless in pure white wrappers, both Wolcott's Pain Pain, for pain, and his Annihilator, for Catarrh. Take none other, or you are cheated. Sold by all druggists. feb.27-2t

LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT—MARRIAGE EXTRAORDINARY.—A rather extraordinary marriage took place at Little York, Pa., on the 25th ult. The bridegroom is in the sixties and the bride over one hundred years old. The parties never saw each other but once before the day of marriage, and it might be called a case of pure love at first sight. The bride is well known by many in this community, and is a popular personage where she resides. Many of the most prominent persons of York have called to pay their respects, making the aged pair presents, &c. She says no more hardships now for her. She will live the new life which she has so auspiciously begun, with comfort and ease—leaning on the strong arm of a doting and loving husband for support and consolation in all her troubles and trials. The following is the marriage notice:

On the 25th ult., by Rev. N. S. Buckingham, Mr. THOMAS CROMWELL, of Chambersburg, to Mrs. ESTHER OLIVER, alias ESTHER COALYARD, of York, Pa.

Philadelphia Cattle Market.

MONDAY, March 1, 1869.

Beef Cattle were in demand at about former rates. 1500 head arrived and sold at 10@10½c. for Extra Pennsylvania and Western Steers; 9½@9½c. for fair to good do., and 9@9c. ℔ lb for common, as to quality.

Cows were lower; 150 head sold at $35@70 for Cow and Calf, and $30@40 per head for springers.

Sheep were in demand at former rates; 5,000 head sold at 6@8½c ℔ lb, gross, as to condition.

Hogs were dull and lower; 2200 head sold at the different yards at $15@16 per 100 lbs., net.

Philadelphia Market Report.

FRIDAY, Mar. 5, 1869.

GROCERIES.—There is very little doing in either sugar or molasses, and prices are unsettled.

FLOUR.—The market is quiet, and only 1000 barrels were disposed of in lots for the supply of the home consumers at $5@5 50 for superfine; $5 75@6 50 for extras.

GRAIN.—The demand for Wheat is chiefly for prime lots, which are in small supply and command full prices. Sales of 1200 bushels red at $1 80@1 90; amber at $1 85@2. Corn is in good demand at a further advance. Sales of 7000 bushels yellow at 93@96c. in the cars. Oats are unchanged; sales of Pennsylvania at 60@70c.

PROVISIONS.—The market continues dull, and prices are unsettled. Bacon Hams are quiet; sales of plain and fancy bagged at 19@21c. ℔ lb.

SEEDS.—Cloverseed is active 900 bushels sold at $9 25@9 75, and some from second hands at $10 ℔ bushel. Timothy seed sells at $3 25.

Deaths.

February 23d, WILLIE DRITT, infant son of John P. and Catharine Frank, of this place, aged 8 months.

On the 2d inst., Mrs. REBECCA EBERLEIN, aged 73 years and 23 days.

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He thanks his friends for the liberal patronage heretofore extended, and asks a continuance of the same.

Being a practical Miller, and having followed the trade for many years, he flatters himself that his knowledge of the business will enable him to give satisfaction to all who may favor him with their custom.

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DANIEL McCAULEY.

NOTICE.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Columbia Building Association will be held at the Town Hall, on Saturday evening, March 6th, at 7½ o'clock, to take into consideration the property of amending the by-laws, so as in all cases to give preference to persons building or contemplating building homes.

I. O. BRUNER,
Columbia, Feb. 27, 2tw] Secretary.

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