The Columbia Spy.

Saturday, Nov. 12, 1870.

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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

WILSON'S lot of second hand stoves, is the largest in Columbia. Buy where you have the largest assortment to select from. Go to Wilson's.

MRS. E. SPERING has enlarged her Store Room, making it about fifteen feet deeper. It looks well and as she is supplied with a fine lot of Bonnets, Hats, Ribbons, Trimmings, &c., we advise our lady readers to give her a call.

DECOY DUCKS STOLEN.—On Friday and Saturday a party of Columbia gentlemen went "ducking" and while in the neighborhood of Bainbridge, a thief stole 25 of their decoys. It is said that he is known, and will be prosecuted; and that he stole a dozen other decoys about a year ago.

A CARD.—I would respectfully return my thanks to the Columbia Fire Insurance Company, through their Agent, Philip Zieser, for their promptness in adjusting the loss sustained by fire at the recent fire, at my residence in Franklin street. The matter requires special notice as the Company waive the right of paying the damage four months after the fire, as stipulated by the policy, and have paid the same four days after. C. H. DAVIS

No 637 Franklin st, Reading.

HARNESS STOLEN.—Some time ago, a lot of old harness was stolen from Strine's livery stables. A part of the missing property was found on the Marietta pike. Another man lost old harness in the same way, but his was returned by a farmer, who got them of a colored man. The harness were evidently stolen to be sold again, and our farmers in West Hempfield should keep a lookout.

ALMOST FATAL.—A few days ago John Baum, an employee in the Rohrerstown Rolling Mill Childs & Krauser's, went out gunning. While in the act of loading his powder flask exploded, blistering the right side of his body, lacerating his face, and badly injuring his eye. He was taken home, and Dr. Gray called in to dress the wounds. He is doing as well as could be expected, and will recover slowly.

COAL WAR AT EPHRATA.—A correspondent writing from Ephrata to the Manheim *Sentinel*, says: "Ephrata at present is undergoing a war in coal. Coal which was selling at $4, $5, and $6 a ton, is now $1.60, $3.60, and 4.60, a ton at $1.40 per ton. How long hostilities between the dealers will continue I am unable to inform your readers. All that I know about the coal campaign is, that the consumers around this point are enjoying it as much as were the victories of the Prussians over the French. The better plan for the consumers would be I suppose, to buy all the coal they want, as an armistice might be declared, or the war be speedily closed, and figures again run up to their old prices."

Why don't our Columbia coal dealers get up a war here. It would be so delightful?

THE GREAT SILVER SHOW.—Sam Sharpley's Silver Show will appear at Odd Fellows' Hall, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Nov. 15, 16 and 17th. They will also give a matinee on Thursday afternoon, to which children will be admitted for 15 cents. We clip the following flattering notice from the Harrisburg *Patriot*:

A serious of entertainments by Logrenia, the conjurer, begins to-night at Brant's Hall. They are commended to all who like to enjoy an evening with one of the most expert necromances of the day, and at the same time stand a chance of going home richer than when they came. Logrenia has, among others, a wonderful umbrella trick, which is worth fully the price of admission. His *repertoire* is very large, so that he is able to perform for a short season with an entire change of programme every night. Besides one hundred and one tricks that baffle the cutest in such matters to explain, he shows a happy family of accomplished cats, birds and mice, which like brothers dwell together in unity, and are trained to do a number of amusing tricks. Valuable presents are given away every night. Of themselves these are enough to call out a large audience. Every person that attends receives a present. These presents consist of clocks, silver-plated cake baskets, cups, castors, butter knives, lamps, albums, barrels of flour chamber sets, etc., and will be on exhibition to-day in front of the hall.

WE can't see how it is that Mr. Bachenheimer, at the big 5, can sell clothing so much cheaper than they can be bought at the other stores.

EXPERIENCE has proven that infants requiring other than nature's food thrive best on Borden's Condensed Milk, cheaper and better than the ordinary article. Buy it from Myers, the druggist.

PERSONAL.—Major George H. Ziegler one of the oldest and most popular conductors on the Pennsylvania railroad, has been honorably retired by the company, after eighteen years service, to take charge of the ticket office located in the Continental hotel, Philadelphia.

You can buy the best white sugar at Hayes' for 13 and 14 cts., per pound. Nearly white for 12½.

Best roast coffee 28.

Babbit's soap 10 and 12 cts.

Ex. sugar-cured hams covered 25.

Hummel's essence coffee 3 cts. box.

Farmers attention—Liverpool ground alum salt $1.50 per bag. Remember the place S. E. Cor. Fourth & Cherry.

THE SEWING MACHINES AT THE HOME.—The several Sewing Machine Agents who so kindly assisted with the sewing at the Home last winter say they are ready to go out again. Thursday of this week, November the 10th, appointed as a general sewing day and all friends of the Home who can use the needle or work a machine, are invited to be present, all or part of the day. The machines will be sent out in the morning. The managers will provide dinner for all guests who remain during the day. *Intelligencer.*

TERRIBLE DEATH.—Last Monday, a man named John Bissinger came to his death in a singular, though terrible manner. He went to the country to buy some live stock of a farmer. After the purchase had been made, the party went into the house to take a drink. The hostess put down two bottles supposed to be two different kinds of liquor. Mr. Bissinger drank of one, which proved to be the strongest kind of horse medicine. It so burned the coating of his stomach, that before relief could be administered, he was past recovery. He died the same day.

KANSAS CITY ITEMS.—*From the Bulletin.* The English Lutheran church has received a general overhauling, and complete renovating, which renders the interior a perfect model of taste and beauty. The seats have been changed, and nearly one third more in number added. The walls have been most beautifully painted and frescoed, the ceiling and cornice also papered and painted.

The church, which has been closed for a few sabbaths while these improvements were going on, will be re opened to day.

Official census gives Kansas City thirty-two thousand two hundred and ninety six 32,296) inhabitants.

This shows an increase of about twenty-seven thousand (27,000) since 1865, and makes Kansas City the second city in the state.

We shall maintain our position as the leading city west of the Mississippi valley, and shall certainly rank with St. Louis and Chicago before the next census is taken.

NEW RAILROAD.—A corps of engineers under the direction of Joseph Miller, Esq., of Columbia, have just concluded the survey of a railroad which will run from the South mountains, through the southern portion of the Cumberland Valley, and tap the Cumberland Valley railroad near Bridgeport, and the Northern Central a short distance above, the two connections forming the letter Y. The proposed route will touch the Cumberland Valley railroad at Sappenspurg, thence by Cleversburg, Papertown, Dillsburg, Milltown, and other points, to the opposite side of the river. By the opening of the new road Harrisburg will be made a central point for the distribution of the rich minerals and inexhaustible ore imbedded in the northern slope of the Susquehanna mountains. It is the ultimatum of the company to bridge the Susquehanna at this point. D. V. Ahl, Esq., President of the Miramar Iron Company, is strongly interested in the construction of the road, and the company possess a large share of the stock.—*State Journal.*

How to bring life insurance within the reach of the working classes is a problem which all companies are interested in solving. Their limited resources make it impossible to meet the requirements as to payment of premiums. Some changes are needed which will make it possible for every man to attain what is so universally desired.

The Homestead Insurance Company, of this city, has been organized to meet the necessities of this large and important part of our population. A system has been adopted by this company enabling premiums to be paid monthly. The amount of cash payments is thus so greatly reduced as to enable almost any man to make this provision for his family, without feeling the cost. This, with the company's low rates, and its various other distinctive features, should secure for it a large share of popular favor. Full information as to its plan, &c., embodied in its pamphlets, can be obtained at the office, 701 Chestnut St. Capable men wanted to act as agents for this company.—Philada. *Ledger*

A. R. Tomlinson is the agent for this popular company.

THE GAME LAW.—As there is a good deal of interest in Lancaster county just now in regard to the game law, we present the following synopsis of the legislation on the subject. A general Act applicable to the whole state, with a few counties excepted, was passed April 21, 1869. By that Act pheasants could not be killed, had in possession or sold between December 20th and August 1st, partridges between December 20th and October 1st., woodcock between Nov. 14th and July 4th, and squirrels and between January 1st and August 1st, under a penalty of five dollars for each bird or squirrel so killed or unlawfully had in possession or exposed for sale. It also provided a fine of from $5 to $25, or ten days' imprisonment for shooting or hunting on Sundays, and prohibited under a like penalty of $5 for each bird, the killing, etc., at any time of robins and insectiverous birds generally.

By a supplement to the above Act passed April 9, 1870, it is provided that no partrage shall be killed or had in possession for a period of three years under a penalty of ten dollars for each and every bird so killed or had in possession or exposed for sale. And by a special Act for Berks county passed March 12, 1870, for better protection than the general law provided, the shooting &c., of partridges and rabbits was prohibited from January 1st to October 20th—of pheasants, plovers, flickers and some few other birds from Jan. 1 to Sept. 1—woodcock and squirrels from Jan. 1 to July 4, and robins and insectiverous birds generally, at all seasons of the year—with the proviso that no partridge should be killed, &c., until Oct 20, 1873, under a penalty of ten dollars for each offence. The particular merit claimed for the Berks county Act is that the machinery for carrying it out is more easy and simple, and therefore more effective than that of the general Act.

In a few words the law may be stated to be that no partridges are allowed to be killed, had in possession, or exposed to sale for three years, anywhere in Pennsylvania, except in the counties of Monroe, Pike, Columbia, Montour and a few others which are excepted in the Act. Any person, therefore, who shoots partridges in Berks, Lancaster, Lebanon, Lehigh, Chester, Montgomery and elsewhere in the state unless in the few excepted counties, is liable to penalty of $10 for each offence; and from what we hear, the law is liable to be rigorously enforced against all persons who may violate its provisions.

BUCKWHEAT cakes are now the fashion, to make them light and healthful, use Hubbell's Effervescent Yeast Powders. Sold by J. A. Meyers, apothecary.

A MEAN THIEF.—Some Copperhead stole the cabbage from the lot of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home in Mt. Joy last week. We think Mt. Joy can now claim the wickedest man living.

MAX. BUCHER'S No. 1 Mackerel are, without exception, the best and largest we have ever seen or eaten. They are fresh and pure and the cheapest in town. For sale, wholesale and retail at his grocery store, 249 Locust street, where can also be found a large stock of fresh family groceries of the choicest brands. Also, for sale, the celebrated White Wine Vinegar, for pickeling.

A number of young gentlemen are moving in the matter of re organizing the Lyceum. We hope they will receive the proper encouragement, and the organization meet with all possible success.

A meeting of all those interested will be held this evening at 8 o'clock.

ACCIDENT.—On Monday Wesley Cooper, a colored man, was badly injured. He was engaged in excavating in the pond of Bruner & Shartzer's mill, when the foundation of the old mill gave way, burying him under the ruins. A bone in his ankle was broken and he was otherwise badly injured.

PERSONAL.—Brother Grier once of the SPY, late of the *Herald*, has dissolved his connection with the latter sheet; and has done his valedictory in a very graceful, though not too modest way. If it were not for violating newspaper courtesy, we might take exceptions. Our personal relations have always been pleasant, and Mr. Grier bears with him our very best wishes into whatever field his lot may be cast.

APPLES.—One hundred barrels of the finest apples ever offered to the Columbia public, at very low rates. They consist of lots of Greenings, Baldwin's, and Spitzenberg. For sale by Samuel H. Lockard, at his Restaurant, No. 203 North Front street, where can also be found the finest Oysters, and all Eatables usually found in a well regulated Restaurant. Recollect the place, No. 203 North Front street, opposite the Columbia bridge.

THE READING ROOM.—We cheerfully remind our young men, and our old men too, that the Reading Room is open every night till 10 o'clock. The desks and tables covered with the best newspapers; and as the wealth of the association will afford, the management will provide new attractions. Let every young man, who feels an interest in himself and the community, aid it by his influence presence, and money, however small it may be. Let us all contribute our share.

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.—Emma Rachey, Sarah Wegnance, Sara Stronghen, Julia Ross, Anna E. Quint, Leah Nees, Mollie Meyers, Laura Lawber, Elizabeth Long, Barbara Knoop, Ellie E. Kryder, Mrs. Cadwell Jenkins, Ida James, Mrs. Haverstick, Mary A. Green, Maggie Grample, Elizabeth Day, Sarah Cosey.

Gents. List.—Wm. Kenna, Andrew Ambret, Charles Boshart, Rev. J. Baity, Patrick Bohanan, J. P. Bancroft, Abraham Brubley, R. H. Colt, Horace Bucher, Irwin Furlong, John Fletcher, Rev. Hawkins, Alfred Hillard, M. Hillard, Abraham Hinaman, John Krodel, John Mayers, Conrad Mukler, Stephen M. Peckham, John Neyhart, W. A. Quarterman, John W. Ruby Sam'l Ruby, Chas. Stern, H. Loggs, Levi Tempiar, A. L. Anderson, S. C. Wilson, A. B. Kaber.

ELECTIONS.—On Monday last the following named persons were elected as officers of the Columbia & Chestnut Hill Turnpike Company:

President—Reuben Garber.

Directors—J. H. Her hey, M. H. Moore, Manuel Musser, Jno. K. Smith and H. Copenheffer.

Treasurer—Jos. F. Cottrell.

The following were elected officers of the Columbia & Marietta Turnpike Company:

President—Samuel Snoch.

Directors—Jas. Meyers, Henry Hinkle, Samuel Mayerman, Jno. Cooper and Geo. W. McHaffey.

Treasurer—Jos. F. Cottrell.

The following were elected officers of the Lancaster and Marietta Turnpike Company:

President—Henry Musselman.

Directors—H. Copenheffer, Reuben Garber, Jas. Meyers, Samuel Heistand, A. Brubaker and J. M. Greider.

Treasurer—A. N. Cassel.

AN ITEM WHICH EVERY MAN SHOULD READ.—We have probably all of us met with instances in which a word heedlessly spoken against the reputation of a female, has been magnified by malicious mind until the cloud has become dark enough to overshadow her whole existence. To those who are accustomed—not necessarily from bad motives, but from thoughtlessness—to speak lightly of females we recommend these hints as worthy of consideration: "Never use a lady's name in an improper place, at an improper time or in mixed company. Never make assertions about her that you think are untrue, or allusions that you feel she herself would blush to hear. When you meet with men who do not scruple to make use of a woman's name in a reckless and unprincipled manner, shun them, for they are the worst members of a community—men lost to every sense of honor, every feeling of humanity. Many a good and worthy woman's character has been forever ruined and her heart broken by a lie, manufactured by some villain, and repeated where it should not have been, and in the presence of those whose little judgement could not deter them from circulating the foul and bragging report. A slander is soon propagated, and the smallest thing derogatory to a woman's character will fly on the wings of the wind, and magnify as it circulates until its monstrous weight crushes the poor, unconscious victim. Respect the name of a woman, for your mother and sister are women; and as you would have their fair name untarnished, and their lives unembittered by the slanderer's bitter tongue, heed the ill that your words may bring up on the mother, the sister or the wife of some fellow creature."

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—The fast line west, on the Penna. railroad, ran into a cow about a-half a mile beyond Coatesville Monday afternoon, and sustained considerable damage, the baggage car being badly wrecked and two passenger coaches more or less broken. The engine knocked the cow off the track, but striking the fence or telegraph pole she rebounded and wedged herself between the baggage car and tender. The effect of this was to break the coupling jointing of the cars, and the engine sped on, leaving the train behind. The baggage car was thrown off the track and coming in contact with telegraph poles the front end was turned in the direction of Philadelphia. All this time the baggage master was in the car, but to the astonishment of all escaped unharmed. So great was the momentum of the train when the collision took place that the baggage car was carried along about two hundred yards before it stopped, the first passenger one hundred and the second fifty yards. Although they were in the greatest peril none of the passengers sustained the least injury, but some of them were almost frightened to distraction. They owe their safety to the presence of mind in the engineer, to the perfection of the steam brakes, to the tough steel rails and to the strength of the coaches. The shock was so completely broken by the brakes that the passengers in the last four cars scarcely perceived it, and no damage was done to that part of the train. The earth was ploughed in a deep furrow on the north side of the track, telegraph poles were snapped like pipe stems, fence rails were driven into the baggage car, piercing great trunks through and through, the steel rails on the track were ground into shavings, twisted and bent, all of which show under what tremendous pressure the train was brought to a sudden stop. A broken rail in the next 500 feet, after the cow was struck, would have cost many lives and reduced the whole train to wreck. The strength of the timbers in the side of the passenger car which received and pushed aside the heavy passenger car, saved the lives of many by a very narrow chance.

Read carefully the advertisement of the Homestead Life Insurance Company on the fourth page. Also R. Hayes' splendid inducements on the same page.

PERSONAL.—Our friend R. A. O. Kerr, Esq., General Insurance Agent, Altoona, Pa., was in town on Wednesday. He paid us a flying visit, as he always does things "on the fly."

Mr. BACHENHEIMER has just returned from the city with a large stock of winter clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots and shoes, which he is selling very cheap. If you want to save money, give him a call.

THE FATHERLAND SERIES:—"*Leonhard the Runaway.*" "*The Iron Age of Germany.*" "*Little Madelon; or Maternal Love.*" "*The School Master and his Son,*" &c., &c., from the German, Philadelphia, Lutheran Publication Society.

In the above named series the publishers have introduced, especially for the use of Sunday Schools, through faithful and spirited translations, a selection from the stories for the young, by some of the best writers of the modern German school. These stories possess peculiar attention for the young American reader; bringing him into familiar contact with a life so radically foreign to his own, as is that of the characters introduced to him, and describing the manners and customs of the Fatherland; of course the imprint of the society is warrant for the religious character of the books. Each volume is illustrated, more or less profusely by engravings from original drawings by Faber. Illustration is no mere ornamental accessory to books designed especially for children, but is almost an essential to thorough appreciation and enjoyment by the reader—good illustrations, be it understood; and the cuts which add to the attractiveness of these little volumes, are good in every respect. The "Fatherland Series" is a credit to the useful society, which has had the happy thought to introduce these pleasing German stories in such unexceptionable forms.

ANOTHER FATAL SHOOTING AFFAIR—*Sad Termination of Sunday Hunting.*—Yesterday morning two youths, aged about fourteen years, named Charles Swilkey, son of John O. Swilkey of Frederick St., and David Rees, of North Queen St., started out upon a pleasing expedition, with a horse and wagon. They returned home between three and four o'clock in the afternoon. The wagon, which was kept in a shed on the premises of Mr. Rees, was backed in, and, while young Rees, was in the act of unbitching the horse, young Swilkey went to the rear of the wagon and let down the tailboard. He then endeavored to draw out the gun, with the muzzle pointing to his breast, and in doing so the hammer by some means caught and was drawn back and the gun discharged, the contents of the barrel—bird shot—going in near the right arm pit and lodging in the shoulder. Dr. J. B. Downey was immediately called in and extracted the shot, but it was found that the axillary artery was cut, causing profuse hemorrhage, from which, and the shock consequent upon suddenness of the accident, death was produced in about one hour and a-half from the time the wound was inflicted. In the evening Coroner Dysart held an inquest, when an examination of the wound was made by Dr. Wm. Compton. The jury returned a verdict of death from accidental shooting.

This is the second accident of a similar character which has occurred in this vicinity within the past few weeks, and is another admonition to parents to exercise vigilance over their sons in the handling of fire arms. Sunday shooting excursions are unfortunately becoming too common, and some means should be adopted to put a stop to them.

—Since the above was in type, we have learned the following version, which differs slightly from that already given: It seems that there were some half dozen or more boys with the shooting party, but that Swilkey and Rees had returned together with the wagon. Rees is about nineteen years of age. After the horse was taken from the wagon, both proceeded up the lot to the rear of Mr. Rees' house. While in the house young Rees told Swilkey to go to the wagon and bring the gun, but at the same time cautioned him to be careful, as it was loaded. The lad had been gone but a moment when the discharge was heard, and Swilkey was just after seen running up the lot. He reached the back porch, where Rees was standing, and, pointing to his breast, said, "David, I am shot." The boy then reclined against the porch. He was carried into the house, and expired at about the time stated.—*Express*, Monday, Nov. 7.

Go to the Big 5 Clothing Store, and look at the nine dollar suits of clothes for winter.

The Harris Dental Association. A stated meeting of the Harris Dental Association was held at the office of Dr. J. A. Martin, Strasburg, on Thursday the 3rd. The following active members were present: Drs. Sam'l Welchans, W. N. Amer, Jno. McCalla, E. K. Young, M. H. Webb, A. F. Herr, of Lancaster; Dr. J. S. Smith, of Columbia; Geo. S. Whorrel, of Marietta and J. A. Martin, of Strasburg.

The morning session was occupied by the reading of the report of delegates to the State Dental Association. The death of Dr. W. K. Brenizer, of Reading, was announced, upon which resolutions of condolence, was passed, when the morning session adjourned in honor of the deceased. The deceased, though not a member of the Association, was in a measure instrumental in its formation, and was held in the highest esteem by its members; and it is stated, that mainly through his instrumentality, the Lebanon Valley Dental Association was put into successful operation, of which he was the first President. He also gave his hearty support to the Odontographic Society of Pennsylvania.

The Society was called to order at 1 o'clock P. M., by the President; when Dr. E. K. Young, the essayist of the day, read an instructive paper upon the subject of "Irregularities." The members present gave their *modus operandi* of treating such deformities during the discussion, and all agreed upon the fact, that if parents and those having charge of children during the period of dentition, would take more interest in the child during this period (from about the sixth to the fourteenth year,) in regard to the correct development of these organs in having them corrected where there is a tendency to deformity, from want of a proper development by nature, they would secure for the child a better dental development, and avoiding that unsightly appearance, which is so frequently the case when permitted to have its course. It does not only improve the appearance of the child, but often securing for it the clear articulation of words.

The wholesale extraction of teeth was denounced in the severest terms. Either when irregularly erupted, or when badly diseased, showing by proper treatment, they can be restored to beauty, comfort and health; thus making them serviceable for years, and maintaining that strength to the jaws that naturally belongs to them, and avoiding the weakened condition when extracted. To practice the healing art of dentistry, it requires a proper and thorough preparation to meet all the exegencies in this direction; and every one who enters the profession, should be grounded on its principals, at least, which are not the destruction of the natural teeth, to make way for artificial substitute, but their restoration and preservation, so far as skill can be employed. As it is a matter of so much importance to health and comfort to save the natural teeth, it was regarded the duty of a community to co-operate in a matter of so much importance to the general good.

Although the attendance on the part of the members was not a full one, the meeting was one of much interest to those present. The spirit that pervades this society, "laughs at impossibilities, and says it shall be done." These meetings are not of a secret character, but all who feel sufficiently interested, are cordially invited to be present at their deliberations.

The next stated meeting will be held at the office of Dr. E. K. Young, of Lancaster. The essayist on that occasion will be Dr. J. S. Smith, of Columbia, subject, "Treatment and Filling of the Pulp Cavity."

THE largest and finest assortment of Puff Boxes, Puffs and Toilet Powders may be found at Meyers' Family Medicine store.

WM. G. PATTON will open on Monday next (14th inst.,) a large assortment of Dress Goods, Domestics, Cloths and Cassimeres, Shawls, Blankets, &c., which he has just purchased at the present great decline in prices; which enables him to offer decidedly the best bargains of the season. Examine them.

PATENT MEDICINES.—Patent medicines have, within the past few years, sprung up like mushrooms and threaten to deluge the land, like the lice and locusts of Egypt. The shelves of our apothecaries, grocers and dealers generally, are groaning under the weight of nostrums of every conceivable name from the "Sugar-coated Pill" to the "Great King of Pain Slayers;" while every lamp post, fence rail and barn door in the land is covered with placards, announcing some "new and wonderful discovery" in the science of medicine. Newspapers and periodicals come to us daily burdened with advertisements and special notices of "specifics," "cordials," "tonics," "panaceas," "bitters," &c., all warranted *the best yet discovered*, and capable of relieving "all the ills that flesh is heir to." Nor do these notices "to the afflicted" fall far short of their aim in duping the sedulous into purchasing their medicines, some with the most deplorable results. The injury and death wrought by the use of the Quack nostrums of the day, is frightful to contemplate. Thousands of our temporary invalids have, by these means, been injured for life, or hurried to premature graves, who might this day have been living and useful citizens, had they but consulted their family physician, or used some genuine standard remedy.

It is indeed difficult to distinguish, from amid the heterogeneous mass now offered for sale, the spurious from the *genuine* medicines. Among the latter may be classed Dr. Long's Tonic and Alterative Bitters. We speak from observation, experience and testimony, when we say that Dr. Long's Tonic and Alterative Bitters will successfully compete with any of the popular remedies yet offered to the American public. It is compounded upon strictly scientific principles and from the purest materials. For strengthening, purifying and renovating the system, it cannot be excelled. It is an infallible remedy for all diseases arising from an impure blood or disordered stomach. These Bitters are for sale by Frederick Bucher, wholesale and retail agent for Columbia, at his grocery store, corner Fourth and Locust sts. We cheerfully recommend them to the afflicted.

THE following has been sent us by Dr. Case, and is worth the attention of our readers:

Tallahassee, the capital of the state of Florida, is a flourishing town of about 2,200 inhabitants. It is approached by rail from Savannah, Jacksonville, St. Marks, and the Chattahoochee river. The surrounding country is undulating, so much so as to be called hilly, and much resembling the northern part of Virginia east of the granite region.

Within a short distance of Tallahassee are found some of the most wondrous and enjoyable sights in "The Land of Flowers." Toward the south, about sixteen miles distant, is the famous Wakulla spring, the birth-place of the Wakulla river, a natural phenomenon that has excited the wonder and admiration of thousands of yearly visitors, and far surpassing in beauty, attractiveness, and singularity, the most popular places of resort and admired natural phenomena in northern latitudes. Toward the north, and about four miles distant, lies lake Jackson. This is undoubtedly the finest view in Florida. Standing upon Mr. A. Hopkins' plantation, on the border of the lake, or looking from Mr. Waites' place, one of the choicest natural panoramas that can be witnessed unfolds itself to view, and all that the enraptured eye can drink in, the heart enjoy, or the most cultivated taste desire, is spread out in matchless harmony before you. About four miles southwest from the city lies Lake Bradford, and six miles east is Lake Lafayette which abounds in fish in great variety. Oysters, crabs, shrimp, and fish are constantly brought from the Gulf coast, a distance of only twenty miles by rail. The forests surrounding the city are mostly of hard wood and afford in great numbers of game—such as bear, deer, turkeys, geese, and ducks—that furnish the sportsman with plenty of enjoyment, and the soil, based upon a strong, red clay, furnishes excellent roads for pleasure-driving.

The winters of this portion of Florida are milder rather than on the seaboard. The winter climate, and tolerably in the aggregate, for all the purposes of health or comfort, is equal, if not superior, to any portion of the United States

The best lands can be purchased at from five to fifteen dollars per acre, situated anywhere within three to ten miles of the city.

LOCAL BREVITIES.—You can get your circulars, bills, letter and note heads, envelopes, &c., printed cheaper at the SPY office, than at any other place in the county.

Cheap job and book work done at this office with neatness and dispatch. Give us a call.

The Vigies will dance on Thanksgiving eve.

Look out for counterfeit fives on the Farmers' Bank of Reading. They are afloat.

Awnings are to be taken in—the rude blasts of Boreas being the cause.

Turkeys are being fattened—many will soon be sacrificed as thanks offerings.

The young Misses will hold their fair on thanksgiving day in Odd Fellows' Hall. Everybody should go.

The gas lamps and the moon seem to have had a complete understanding with each other for two or three nights past. Sometimes the moon, however, fails to perform its contract faithfully. How long does the agreement last?

Christmas comes on Sunday.

The manufacturers of sweet meats are busy.

Almanacs for 1871 have made their appearance.

The wild geese are flying southward—look out for a cold snap.

Soda water and ice cream will soon be a shivering subject of contemplation.

Get a lot of scrap iron and crowd it into rat holes, and the rats will evacuate the premises at once.

Aliens who desire to vote at the ensuing Presidential election, if they then will have resided five years in the United States, must take out their first papers immediately. The Presidential election will be on the first Tuesday of November, two years hence, and the first papers must be taken out at least two years before the second papers are issued.

It is now about time for reports of suffocation from coal gas. Persons desirous of having their names in the paper in such a connection have only to shut ventilation and take the girdle off from their stoves or open their stove doors.

Have you paid your subscription? Examine the slips on your paper.

Bruner & Shartzer's saw mill, Bruner's house on Cherry St., Righter's on front, Barr's on Locust and the Reformed parsonage are being rapidly pushed to completion.

A house for sale on Walnut street. See advertisement and inquire at this office.

The continual prating about our public schools being better than ever before, is about played out. It is notorious that they are not. We have no desire to go into details, but we do hope that the little penny a liner, and all others, will remember that Columbia has some intelligent and observing people, who see and think for themselves. If this continual "bosh" about "the best schools" &c. is not stopped, we'll give some unpleasant facts, both about the inside and outside management.

THE CHRISTMAS PRESENT.—This is the title of a new work, which will be published, on the 1st of December by F. Kilburn. It will contain matter which will be prized and retained by every family—rich or poor—and will be distributed to the number of 5,000 copies gratuitously through the county. Merchants, Mechanics and Professional men, desirous of having their cards inserted in this work, may leave them at the *Morning Telegraph* office, or they will be called upon by an agent, in a few days. The price of cards will be from $1 to $25. Each advertiser will be entitled to a certain number of books, according to the value of his advertisement, which will be well worth $1 to every individual.—Lancaster *Morning Telegraph.*

FREE OF CHARGE.—If you will call at Hunter & Cos. Drug Store, or F. Bucher's Liquor store, you can get, free of charge, a sample bottle of either D. A. Bushee's German Syrup, for the cure of severe coughs, heavy coughs settled on the breast, consumption, croup, &c., or of the Angus Flower, Green's great cure for dyspepsia and its effects, or a regular 75 cent size of either, which is warranted to cure or money returned. Sold by C. H. Britton, Marietta, Lerer & Bigler, Wrightsville. Proprietor, L. M. Green, Woodbury, N. J. nov12-5m

ST. PAUL'S P. EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Second street, between Locust and Cherry. Services every sunday morning at 10½ o'clock, and every Sunday and Thursday evenings at 7½ o'clock. Seat free at evening service. Rector—Rev. Geo. H. Kirkland.

E. E. LUTHERAN CHURCH. Second street, between Locust and Walnut. REV. GEORGE M. RHODES, Pastor. Service, on Sunday, at 10½ o'clock, A. M. and 7 o'clock, P. M. Sabbath School at 2½ o'clock P. M.

Services every evening during the week at 7½ o'clock.

Seats Free—Strangers cordially invited.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

RAFFLE.

A large HOG weighing nearly 400 lbs., will be RAFFLED for at my Restaurant this (Saturday) evening, Nov. 12. S. H. LOCKARD.

Front street, Columbia, Pa.

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DRUGGISTS and APOTHECARIES,

No. 11 NORTH FRONT STREET,

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TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY,

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FAMILY MATINEE, THURSDAY AFTERNOON,

NOV. 17, AT 2½ O'CLOCK.

When children will be admitted for 15 cents each, and every child will receive a present.

SAM SHARPLEY'S SILVER SHOW!

Combining the talent of

LOGRENIA, the Royal Conjuror,

And the European Troupe of Trained Birds and Performing White Mice and Russian Cat. Concluding with the Carnival of Circus, or the Distribution of Presents, every person receiving an elegant present, ranging in value from 25 cents to $20, all useful goods, as we give nothing but what will be an advertisement of the merit of the exhibition, and the liberality of the Manager. Presents on exhibition during the day. Remember, we give everybody a Present. No partality—no favoritism—all distributed upon our original, lawful and satisfactory plan. See the programme for full particulars. No present worth less than 25 cents, while many are worth from $1 to $20. You are as likely to get a costly present as a common one; and the performance has everywhere been pronounced superior, and alone worth the price of admission.

Admission 35 and 50 cents. Children 25 cents. Matinee, children 15 cents.

Presents for everybody.

SAM SHARPLEY, Manager.

P. A. CLARK, Agent.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The Teachers, Directors and friends of education in Lancaster county are hereby informed that a Teachers' Institute will be held in the County Buildings, Lancaster city, commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M., on MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14th, and will continue during the week.

The following persons will be present and give instructions:

Prof. Edward Brooks, Millersville.
Prof. B. G. Northrop, Connecticut.
Mrs. Anna T. Randall, New York.
Prof. A. R. Byerly, Millersville.
Prof. J. V. Montgomery, Millersville.

Papers will be read by Prof. A. R. Byerly, Prof. Edward Brooks, Prof. B. G. Northrop, Samuel M. Kennedy, Mr. D., Rev. E. H. Nevin.

Essays will be read on the following subjects: Technical Training History, Early impressions, Teaching Children to think, Their wishes and Progress, Moral Instruction, "Then" and "Now," Requirements of the Teacher, Natural Science in common schools.

The following subjects will be submitted for discussion: Should studies be arranged to suit the mature pursuits of pupils? How should we teach Grammar? How should History be taught? Means of securing study on the part of Pupils. How can interest in school be secured? The best way of evoking thought. How can Directors aid in improving the schools?

A part of every morning session will be devoted to discussions on subjects pertaining to teaching; and to drills in the different branches, led by experienced teachers, with the design of giving teachers an idea of how to discipline a class to which we invite criticism.

A list of words to be spelled will be submitted to the Institute at some suitable time in the session, and a prize awarded to the member that shall prove himself or herself the best speller. It is the intention of the Superintendent to offer several other prizes for proficiency in knowledge to be competed for by the Institute.

It is hoped that the teachers of the county will be present at the opening, e gage zealously in the exercises, and remain out all week. Those will be benefited most who attend from the beginning, and will have by far the best chance of taking a prize.

The most suitable and convenient time to be enrolled is immediately after the organization. How many will we have at the opening this time.

The School Directors of the different districts will aid their teachers and the Institute much, and consequently benefit their schools by granting their teachers the time, and instructing them to attend.

They are also most cordially invited to be with us all week and take part in the exercises, especially on Thursday, Nov. 17th, when the question "How can Directors aid in improving the schools?" will be considered.

Vocal and Instrumental music will form a prominent feature of the proceedings.

Let us all unite to make this the most interesting and instructive meeting ever held in the county.

The public are respectfully invited to attend.

DAVID EVANS,
County Superintendent.

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ADDRESS

To the Nervous and Debilitated.

Whose sufferings have been protracted from hidden causes, and whose cases require prompt treatment to render existence desirable: If you are suffering, or have suffered, from involuntary discharges, what effect does it produce upon your general health? Do you feel weak, debilitated, easily tired? Does a little extra exertion produce palpitation of the heart? Does your liver, or urinary organs, or your kidneys, frequently get out of order? Is your urine sometimes thick, milky or ropy, or is it ropy on settling? Or does a thick scum rise to the top? Or is a sediment at the bottom after it has stood awhile? Do you have spells of short breathing or dyspepsia? Are your bowels constipated? Do you have spells of fainting, or rushes of blood to the head? Is your memory impaired? Is your mind constantly dwelling on this subject? Do you feel dull, listless, moping, tired of company, of life? Do you wish to be left alone, to get away from everybody? Does any little thing make you start or jump? Is your sleep broken or restless? Is the lustre of your eye as brilliant? The bloom on your cheek as bright? Do you enjoy yourself in society as well? Do you participate as much as you used? Do you have as much confidence in yourself? Are your spirits dull and dagging, given to fits of melancholy? If so, do not lay it to your liver or dyspepsia. Have you restless nights? Your back weak, your knees weak, and have but little appetite, and you attribute this to dyspepsia or liver-complaint?

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