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Oct 18, 1873.

## Railroad Guide.

**CENTRAL R. R. OF N. J.**  
LEHIGH & SUSQUEHANNA DIVISION.  
WINTER ARRANGEMENT,  
Commencing Dec. 15, 1873.

**DOWN TRAINS.**

Leave	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 7.
Green Ridge	7:30	10:25	1:25	4:25
Seranton	7:35	10:30	1:30	4:30
Pittston	8:02	10:57	1:57	4:57
White Barre	8:20	11:25	2:25	5:25
White Haven	8:55	12:00	3:00	6:00
Penn. Harb. Jct.	10:37	1:39	4:19	
Mauch Chunk	7:50	11:09	4:09	4:40
Catasauqua	8:35	11:58	4:37	5:09
Albion	8:43	12:06	4:45	5:17
Bethlehem	9:00	12:17	4:57	5:47
Arrive Easton	9:27	12:43	5:23	6:25

**UP TRAINS.**

Leave	No. 10.	No. 6.	No. 4.	No. 14.
Easton	8:30	11:30	3:55	7:15
Bethlehem	8:35	11:35	4:07	7:45
Albion	9:10	12:25	4:37	7:57
Catasauqua	9:34	12:32	4:45	8:05
Mauch Chunk	1:25	4:25	4:55	8:10
Penn. Harb. Jct.	2:02	5:02		
White Haven	2:40	5:40		
White Barre	12:40	4:00	5:08	
Pittston	1:45	4:58	5:55	
Seranton	1:30	4:35	5:25	
Arr. Green Ridge	1:35	4:30	5:20	

**CONNECTIONS.**  
Newark and Valley R. R.—Down trains Nos. 3 & 5, and Up trains Nos. 10 & 4 connect at Mauch Chunk.

North Penna. R. R.—Down trains Nos. 1, 2, 3 & 7 connect at Bethlehem for Philadelphia. Up trains Nos. 10 & 4 connect at Bethlehem for Philadelphia. Return leave Philadelphia at 7:10 a. m. for Easton, Mauch Chunk, Bath, White Barre, Tamuqua, Seranton, Shuman, &c. at 9:45 a. m. for Easton, Mauch Chunk, Tamuqua, Williamsport, White Barre and Seranton at 11:00 a. m. for Seranton, White Barre and intermediate stations; at 3:30 p. m. for Bath and Easton; at 5:15 p. m. for Mauch Chunk.

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Nov. 22, 1873.

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AND  
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Constantly on hand a splendid stock of

## NEW GOODS,

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Made to Order.

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Of the Latest Styles always on hand, at the Lowest Price.

Also, Agent for the

## American & Grover & Baker

## Sewing Machines.

Only One Price for Everybody.  
January 11, 1873-y1

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March 29, 1873.

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An Institution for Both Sexes.

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## Over a Million in Bank!

## SUCCESS ASSURED.

## A FULL DRAWING CERTAIN.

On Tuesday, 31st of March Next.

In order to meet the general wish and expectation of the public and the ticket holders for the full payment of the magnificent gifts announced for the Fourth Grand Gift Concert, of the Public Library of Kentucky, the management have determined to postpone the concert and drawing until

Tuesday, March 31st, 1874.

## OVER A MILLION DOLLARS

and have a great many agents yet to hear from. No doubt an extraordinary sale of every ticket before the drawing; but, whether all are sold or not, the Concert and drawing will positively and unconditionally take place on the day now fixed, and if any remain unsold they will be cancelled, and the prizes will be reduced in proportion to the unsold tickets.

## 12,000 CASH GIFTS.

## \$1,500,000.

will be distributed among the ticket holders. The tickets are printed in coupons of ten, and all fractional parts will be represented in the drawing just as whole tickets are.

## LIST OF GIFTS.

ONE GRAND CASH GIFT.....\$50,000  
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT.....100,000  
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT.....20,000  
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT.....25,000  
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT.....17,500  
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT.....100,000  
50 CASH GIFTS, 5,000 each.....250,000  
50 CASH GIFTS, 1,000 each.....50,000  
40 CASH GIFTS, 500 each.....20,000  
100 CASH GIFTS, 400 each.....40,000  
150 CASH GIFTS, 300 each.....45,000  
200 CASH GIFTS, 200 each.....40,000  
325 CASH GIFTS, 100 each.....32,500  
11,000 CASH GIFTS, 50 each.....550,000  
Total 12,000 gifts, all Cash, amounting to \$1,500,000

## PRICE OF TICKETS.

Whole Tickets, \$50; if drawn, \$25; Tenths, or each coupon, \$5; Eleven Value Tickets for \$50; 225 Tickets for \$1,000; 113 Whole Tickets for \$5,000; 22 Whole Tickets for \$10,000. No discount on less than \$500 worth of tickets. The tickets are printed in coupons of ten, and all fractional parts will be represented in the drawing just as whole tickets are. Orders for tickets and applications for agencies will be attended to until the 1st of March. It is hoped they will be sent in promptly, that there may be no unproductive momentary delay in filling all. Liberal terms given to those who buy to sell again; all agents are permitted to return all unsold tickets by the 30th day of March.

THOS. E. BIANCHI,  
Agent Public Library Ky., and Manager Gift Concert, Public Library Building, Louisville, Ky.

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Dec. 20-73

## P. J. Kistler,

Desires to inform his Customers and the Public in general, that he proposes to Sell all kinds of

## DRY GOODS,

## NOTIONS,

## GROCERIES,

## PROVISIONS,

## QUEENSWARE

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P. J. KISTLER,  
Opposite the Public Square,  
Dec. 13-73\* Weissport, Penn'a.

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Respectfully announces to his friends and the public in general, that he has constantly on hand for sale, at the LOWEST PRICES, the very Best and Latest Styles of Well-Made

## Household Furniture,

Comprising Bedsteads, Bureaus, Sofas, Lounges, Wood and Cane-Seated Chairs, Looking Glasses all kinds, &c., &c.

## Furnishing Undertaker.

BURIALS promptly attended to at very reasonable charges. June 21, 1873.

## E. H. SNYDER,

## LEHIGHTON PENN'A.

DEALER IN

## Dry Goods, Notions,

## TRIMMINGS,

## Dress Goods,

GROCERIES, QUEENSWARE,  
Glassware, Hardware, &c.  
May 31, 1873.

## A FEW TENDERLOINS.

## A Lay of the Larder.

BY MARCUS.

At Lehighton, of a wintry morning, Just as the rosy day was dawning, Two men, snugly clad in butchers' rags, Started out to slay some pigs.

Slowly and softly, and over so sly, Did they creep unto the humble sty, Where in peaceful blissful slumber Slept the pigs, just two in number.

One pig was dreaming of having a fill Of the very sweetest kind of swill; The other dreamt of wallowing in the choicest mud, But neither of them dreamt of blood!

Keen was the blade of each knife, Bright and ready for the strike; And soon upon the morning air, Shrieked the pigs, in deep despair.

First came entreaty, then the death-grapple, And the pigs were ready for sausage and scrapple.

Bold butchers, ye acted well your parts— Bear witness, two lacerated hearts.

Those butchers vowed that sweeter far Than oranges or figs Were the rib-rosasts and scrapple from those pigs;

For they said they'd eaten many kinds of meat, But such sausage was indeed a treat.

END OF THE PIGS.

## WHAT CAN WOMEN DO?

BY MRS. M. A. FREEMAN.

Solomon Brown had five daughters. The oldest of these was twenty-six, the youngest seventeen. In some of the heathen countries it is considered a misfortune when a girl is born. Solomon Brown's mind may have been colored with this heathenism—though he owned a pew in the church and contributed conscientiously to its donations—for he shook his head in a failure.

Dear little Mrs. Brown emphatically declared her skepticism as to this broad assertion, saying, with some spirit, "that the girls could not be dispensed with, and as the Great Father had seen fit to create them, it must have been with the consciousness that they might be pronounced good. Of course they were good!" She would just ask Mr. Brown what there was that might be said, truthfully in disparagement of their own children?

"If they were boys, Lucy," said Brown, frowning up a dry goods bill, "they would be self-supporting. If, for instance, Matilda had been named Solomon—and you know that name has fallen to the eldest in our family for generations—she, or he rather, might have learned a trade, and would now be able not only to care for himself, but to render useful assistance to his family. I am sure I never blamed Betsy Trotwood, though I don't understand her, that she couldn't forgive David for not being a girl. I have never forgiven one of my girls that they disappointed me."

"Dear me, Solomon, I am sure the girls are doing the best they can. Matilda is a very good dressmaker—"

"Boah!" cried Solomon, impatiently, "the country is overrun with dress-makers. I tell you all this feathers, fuss and humbug is ruining us—that is the people. Don't you understand every additional girl is an additional burden to some one? How much do you suppose, Lucy, I paid out for ribbons last year? Only one hundred dollars."

"But, my husband, there were five of the girls, you know, not counting myself, and that makes twenty dollars only, for each. I am sure that isn't extravagant at all. There's Deacon Smart's Sallie paid that much for one Roman cash. Our girls are very handy about turning their things, and fixing them up as good as new. There were only twenty-four yards in the deary dresses this spring—that is in the dress of each—while Mr. Milford used thirty-five, and I must say that our girls were much the prettier."

"And would have been prettier still if they had been made out of eight," growled Solomon, desperately footing up the accounts again.

Figures are obstinate facts; Solomon, in facing the sum total of united columns, became an obstinate man.

"I tell you, Lucy, we can't go on in this way, that's certain. Something must be done. Why don't they get married?"

But that was a useless question; for this was a New England State, and there were several thousand more women than men, and as one man was allowed only one wife, it was quite impossible that all could be provided with a husband.

"Dear me, Solomon," said the little wife, smiling humorously, "you forget that this isn't Utah—that there is actually no one to whom we may sell the daughters; that you, yourself, would quite disapprove of their going to band hunting."

Now, while Solomon had been talking this complainingly and confidently to his wife, his five unappreciated daughters had been listening from the next room.

"The old bear," cried Matilda, the eldest, under her breath.

"Poor papa," said Lucy, the youngest, her blue eyes full of tears.

"Poor papa, indeed," snapped out the second sister. "I do believe he begrudges us the bird's allowance which we eat."

"Bird's allowance! Josephine, I'm sure there isn't a heartier family of girls in this country than ours. No canary's portion would do for me—of that I'm sure. I do think it a shame that five great girls, as able to work as we are, should depend upon one little, old, broken down man for their support. Come, now, Tibb, isn't it ridiculous? Don't you think that we ought to do something?"

"I'm sure," Matilda said, "that I have been trying just the best that I know how. You know I bought the machine, and the n—then—"

"Well," Lucy said, laughing, "poor papa had to make the payments on it." "I'm sure I couldn't help that, because I had expected to get plenty of sewing to do, and sewing, you see—"

"Is a draz in the market. No, Tibb, and Josephine, and Sarah, and Flora, all of those pretty, traditional ways of a woman turning an honest penny are out of date. I've been thinking this over, and I've made up my mind. Come, girls, will you stand by me? Have you the courage to lay aside your dainty slippers, to encase your feet in heavy shoes, to let the sun kiss brown freckles on your face, in fact—to wear a bloomer?"

"A bloomer!" the four cried together.

"Yes, my dears, for of course the work that I have laid out for us to do couldn't be done in trains. I have been thinking that we had better take Jacob Sloan's farm for a year," and Miss Lucy, as she spoke, opened a pocket knife and commenced whittling a bit of stick in true Yankee style.

"Jacob Sloan's farm!" they cried, aghast.

"Yes, dears; I was over talking to Jacob yesterday, and he's quite delighted that we should have thought of making the experiment. He is sure, he says, that it will be a success. Only think, girls, how nice it would be if we could help the old father now, after all of the trouble he has had with us. And what a triumph, too, if we could prove to him that girls are a blessing; at least, if not exactly that, still worth being born. What say you? Will you put your names to the contract? Come, now, don't be cowardly, nor try to find excuses for shirking a duty. Jacob never had five more able bodied people than we are."

"But what will the world say? And then, dear Lucy, you have had an offer, you know. Will Frank Lawler be satisfied that his future wife should engage in an un ladylike occupation?"

"If he is dissatisfied that a woman should do what she may do well, I'm very glad to have an opportunity of learning it before I'm Mrs. Frank Lawler, instead of Lucy Brown. If I have girls, you may rest assured that they shall be self-supporting, quite independent of outside help towards gaining a livelihood. If they have a talent for music above the ordinary possession, they may become teachers. If not, they will not spend four hours a day in useless beating of their white, helpless fingers against some ill-used piano keys. If they are greatly gifted with superior intelligence, they may go into the professions; if not, they will learn trades—I don't mean milliners and dress-makers, and so on—but nice little light trades, like watchmaking and engraving and drafting, and, indeed, heavier ones, if they have the muscle. We all have muscle." There is no excuse that we should remain idle. The world is full of work, and I can't understand why any honest calling should be unwomanly. Come, girls, let us go and sign the contract which binds us to work on old Jacob's farm."

"Dear me, Solomon," said the wife Lucy in the evening, "you could not guess what those girls have done."

"Perhaps purchased each a new silk," growled Solomon, without lifting his eyes from his paper.

"No, indeed not," cried the wife indignantly. "They've rented Jacob Sloan's farm—eighty acres, and twenty of it in fruit."

"What!" cried Solomon, the paper falling helplessly at his feet. "You don't surely mean our girls—not Matilda, and Josephine, and Sarah, and Flora, and Lucy?"

"I mean no one else's girls, surely," the wife replied, a little crossly. "They take possession in the morning. Jacob Sloan is to find everything, and they are to have one-half."

"I'll just tell you, Lucy, what it is. This is the most consummate piece of humbug I ever heard of. It will be a dead failure, and they'll make themselves the laughing stock of this whole neighborhood. Farming, indeed! Why, Tibb, is that afraid of her hands that she never sweeps, even, without gloves; and Flora wraps her head in a towel to dust? I've seen Josephine do the breakfastings with the dish rag clinging to a fork, and Sarah wraps her fingers with a bit of cloth, each one separately. If she has vegetables to prepare, Brave farmers they will make!" And Solomon Brown went back to his paper with a scornful chuckle.

Solomon, too, was some of a foggy. Women were women and women they must remain to the end of the chapter. A great pity, he had often said, that it was so, but nature could not be tortured out of her old, well worn channels by education. Eve, he considered as having been a victory over of Adam's temptation, and nothing poor Adam's nose down east, her blue eyes full of tears.

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