

PARAGRAPHS.

For "acting in a suspicious manner" a Reading dog was shot the other day.

Says a West Virginia exchange: "The Fairmont steambath is worked by hand."

With each glass of soda water sold a Boston dealer gives his customer a fresh pond lily.

A manuscript autograph volume of John Locke brought \$13 at a recent London auction.

Fifty thousand acres of land in Arkansas have been purchased by a colony of Poles. They are well fixed to raise beans.

Said a freshman to a senior the other day, "Well, what do you think of the College President's bacchanalian sermon?"

If you are stung by a wasp while pic-nicking, apply the end of the cigar which has been chewed for a few moments to the wound.

Tom Thumb's house at Bridgeport, Conn., was recently entered and robbed of nearly all the lead pipe and gas fixtures it contained.

Owing to a conflict with the local gas company, Easton is about to return to the primitive plan of lighting her streets with oil lamps.

Reports from Indianapolis speak of a revival of business in that section of the country, and of a general hopefulness for the future.

Judge Moore, of Chicago, called the general docket of the Superior Court one day last week, and dismissed 2400 cases for want of prosecution.

In water drawn from a Reading (Pa.) hydrant the other day a snake 2 1/2 inches long was found. There is a demand for water filters there now.

A French notary, Eugene Guillot, of Abigouleme, made away with \$200,000 of his clients' funds. He was prosecuted on an indictment with 100 counts.

Prince Bismark said that one of the great obstacles to the consolidation of the Empire is the excessive individuality which marks his countrymen.

Miss Kate Kelley, of Decatur, Ill., was stung in the mouth by a bee recently, and so rapidly did the poison take effect that she was dead in eight minutes.

The moral lesson.—Mother: "If Mrs. Johnson comes, Jenny, say I'm not at home." Jenny: "Oh, I dare say! And then you'll give me a whacking for telling a story."

The other day, when Admiral Rous was taken fatally ill, the doctor coming to attend him said, "Well, Admiral, what's the matter?" "Eighty-two," said Rous. "That's what the matter."

The fact that the largest class—118 students—at the University of Virginia this season was in Latin, demonstrates pretty clearly that the love of classical lore and a classical education has not quite died out yet in this country.

There has been secured for the coming exposition in Pittsburg the first train ever run in the State of Pennsylvania. It comprises an engine and two passenger coaches and was built by John Stevenson in 1813 for the Hudson River Railroad.

A correspondent furnishes the following: Rudolph Hoch, being the first Hoch who emigrated to America, father of Johannes Hoch, who died July 11th, 1777, one hundred years ago, was buried on the old burying ground on the farm of Gideon W. Hoch, in Oley township, Berks county.

Only three persons have life passes on the Hudson River Railroad. One is John B. Jervis, the first engineer of the road, another is his wife; and the third is Governor Kimball, of West Point; the passes are made of solid silver, on which is engraved the name of the holder, date when given, and occupation.

During the recent hot spell in California, growing corn made rapid progress. In Fresno county, the growth of the cereal was almost visible to the naked eye, one small patch showing a gain in height of an inch and three-eighths between six o'clock on Sunday evening and the corresponding hour on Monday following.

It is a strange provision of nature that deaf mutes always hear the sound of a drum. Drum taps are used in all their schools to call them to order, and they understand the sound as readily as other children understand that of a bell. When asked if they hear a sound they say no; they feel it in the pit of the stomach.

The oldest person in the vicinity of Fritztown, Berks county, is John Snyder, a rail splitter and fence maker, 89 years of age, who is still engaged for many days of the year in making posts and rails for the farmers of Lower Heidelberg township. The next oldest man in the same neighborhood is Geo. Hain, aged 89 years, a blacksmith by trade, who is in the enjoyment of vigorous health, and is capable of walking twenty miles in one day.

A Virginia newspaper thus rejoices: "Danville has built fifty large factories and warehouses since the war. Her population has doubled, and except perhaps Norfolk, hers is the most active and prosperous population in America. In Petersburg scores of tobacco factories and nine cotton factories have been renovated or started since the war. Lynchburg, Staunton, Salem, Abington and Harrisburg, all have vastly grown and prospered, while all along the railroad villages have sprung up and are rapidly growing."

A curious case occurred in the General Sessions Court of New York on Wednesday. District Attorney Russell accused Colonel S., a well-known New York practitioner, of pettifogging.

"I don't want my learned friend to apply that word to me," said Mr. S.

"I said pettifogging," said Mr. Russell.

"I won't allow any one to use that term when I am discharging a simple duty to my client."

"When I said pettifogging I meant—pettifogging," Mr. Russell explained, and the Colonel accepted the explanation.

New Advertisements.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

Borough of Lehighton,

For the fiscal year ending the First MONDAY of June, 1874, as required by the 6th Section of an Act of Assembly, approved April 24th, 1874.

FUNDED DEBT.

The following is the Funded Debt consisting of school Bonds:

Table with columns for bond number, name, and amount. Includes entries for Thomas Kemmer, David D. Carter, and others.

The following is the Funded Debt in Certificates of Indebtedness:

Table with columns for name and amount. Includes entries for A. W. Eagles, Samuel Graver, and others.

Total amount of Indebtedness, \$13143 25

The assets of School Board consist of:

Table with columns for asset name and amount. Includes entries for two lots on Pine street, three-story school building, and money in treasury.

Under the name of A. G. DOLLENMAYER, Secretary.

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF FRANKLIN TWP. SCHOOL DISTRICT

ROBERT ANTHONY, Treasurer, in account with Franklin Township School District, Carbon County, Pa., for the Year ending (Bounty Account) June 4th, 1874.

Table with columns for item, amount, and balance. Includes entries for John Schwab, collector, and various disbursements.

Treasurer's balance, \$4 97

Table with columns for item, amount, and balance. Includes entries for June 24th judgment of G. Zimmerman, and various disbursements.

Treasurer's balance, \$204 16

Table with columns for item, amount, and balance. Includes entries for Treasury balance, outstanding bonds, and various disbursements.

To balance, \$6 99 73

We, the undersigned Auditors of Franklin Township, have examined the above account and found the same to be correct.

STEPHEN BOLT, Auditor.

W. W. WEISS, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Carbon County to make distribution of the funds arising from the 8th section of the Act of Assembly of 1874, will accept of the duties of an auditor on THURSDAY, August 28th, 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M., at his office in Washington, Pa., and where all parties interested may attend.

F. J. McKEE, Auditor.

PATENTS!

Fee Reduced. Entire Cost \$55.

Patent Office Fee \$25 in advance, balance \$30 within 30 days after Patent allowed. Ad. Vices and examination free. Patents sold.

J. YANCE LEWIS & CO., Washington, D. C.

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SULPHUR SOAP.



Patented July 11th, 1871.

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Effective External Remedy

EVER DISCOVERED!

A Skin like Monumental Alabaster may be attained by using Glenn's Sulphur Soap. Try it, ladies. It is a genuine beautifier, and very economical.

This Soap safely and certainly removes cutaneous eruptions by opening the pores whose obstruction was the cause of the difficulty. Test and you will endorse it.

Being a powerful DEODORIZER, DEINFECTANT and COUNTER IRRITANT, yet entirely harmless, it positively cures all local DISEASES OF THE SKIN as if by magic.

It thoroughly bleaches the cuticle and PREMANENTLY BEAUTIFIES THE COMPLEXION with a certainty unknown to any article ever invented for that purpose.

It is emphatically the remedy for SCALDS and BURNS, instantly removing all soreness without pain, and effecting a cure in every instance.

As a preventive and remedy for GOUT and RHEUMATISM, its effects are really wonderful.

It is a sure preventive of all diseases that are caused by coming in contact with the person who has it, etc.

SPRAINS, BUISES and CUTS are cured with unobtainable certainty.

It removes DANDRUFF, and prevents the hair from falling out or turning prematurely gray.

It completely DISINFECTS CLOTHING, through the medium of the person, that has become impregnated with disease.

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is a SPECIFIC in those OBNOXIOUS DISEASES, which have been treated heretofore with sulphur Ointments, having the advantage of being CLEAN, NON-POISONABLE and UNINJURIOUS to CLOTHING.

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The beneficial results of Sulphur Baths are too well known to require comment. The effects of GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP in the bath are truly wonderful, completely dissolving offensive accumulations and thoroughly purifying the entire surface of the body. In fact it is the King of Soaps for bathing and toilet purposes.

DIRECTIONS.—For Diseases of the Skin bathe freely and apply a flannel to the affected part, allowing it to remain over night. For Scalds and Burns apply the flannel freely to the affected parts, and the sore and pain will be removed immediately. For Gout, Rheumatism, Sprains and Burns and cuts apply copiously and rub it in with a strong solution. For Old Sores and Ulcers it is invaluable. Use freely as a lotion. For a preventive in Quarantine Diseases use a strong soda as a wash, externally and by injection. IT NEVER FAILS.

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This distressing and dangerous complaint and its preliminary symptoms, neglected cough, night sweats, hoarseness, wasting flesh, fever, etc., are cured by Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry.

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WHOLESALE and RETAIL, at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

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