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Job Work.

Eighth sheet bills, \$1.50 for 25 or less; fourth sheet bills \$2 for 25 or less; half sheet bill, \$4 for 25 or less.

Notices of New Advertisements.

Paling at Wm. B. Hoffman's—Five Gov. Wagons for sale—Flour at McAtees—Sleigh for sale—Hardware, &c. at Selheimer's—Notice to Collectors—Excelsior Hair Restorer—List Letters.

We can assure all concerned that we have no particular anxiety to have subscribers on our list who will pay if they choose, or set their own time and manner a year or two hence for doing so.

Subscribers out of the county or State are reminded that all such papers are discontinued at the expiration of the time paid for.

Railroad Companies at issue.

Quite a spirited contest is now going on in the Supreme Court of this State between the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the companies parties to an agreement for extending the Atlantic and Great Western through this State, so as to make a new through line from the west to Philadelphia and New York.

Republican Convention.

The State Central Convention have fixed the time for holding the Republican State Convention for nominating a candidate for Governor, on March 7th, at Harrisburg.

The Susquehanna Fisheries.

Gen. Cameron, President of the Fish Convention, has appointed the following committee, to take charge of and perfect the bill to be presented to the Legislature for its adoption, and which provides for the removal of all obstructions to the passage of fish along the Susquehanna and its tributaries.

Negro Insurrections.

Since it has been demonstrated by the Government that negroes will fight, the people of the South seem considerably agitated on the subject of negro insurrections.

It is the opinion of many Northern men now in the South that there is a deep plot, tacitly formed perhaps, to bring on an insurrection of the blacks, in order to furnish a pretext for massacring them, and obnoxious Northern whites with them.

But, should the Southern people fail to either tempt or incite the negroes to insurrection, they may yet drive them to it.

Proceedings of Congress.

Congress is still engaged in devising ways and means to properly legislate for the chaotic States south, and though nothing has yet been perfected, the House occasionally gives unerring indications that if the late rebels will not quietly find their level, Congress will teach them where it is.

BOOK NOTICES.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for February has a fine steel engraving entitled The Little Strawberry Girl, a double-page colored Fashion Plate, with designs for Embroidery, Ladies' Coats, Hats, Bonnets, Caps, Collars, Cuffs, &c.

Pennsylvania Legislature.

Hon. M. S. Quay, of Beaver county, has introduced a bill in the House, which provides for an act of justice to the defenders of the Government that cannot fail to command the support of every just man in the Commonwealth.

In the Senate, on the 18th, the contested election case of McConaughy vs. Duncan was called up, and decided in favor of the former; he then took his seat. The bill making Washington and Beaver counties a separate judicial district was passed.

In the House a bill was presented allowing banks to charge seven per cent interest. A special session was ordered to be held Tuesday next, to consider resolutions in reference to the death of President Lincoln.

In the Senate, on the 19th, the chief object of interest was the two Indian chiefs, grandsons of Red Jacket and Cornplanter, of the Seneca Indians, who came to make a statement in reference to land they claim had been given by the State to their ancestor Cornplanter.

A bill has been reported to construct a railroad from any point in Northumberland county to connect with any road in Mifflin county.

Governor Curtin has returned to Harrisburg.

It will be remembered that some weeks ago Major Dixon, a patriot, was shot and killed near the mouth of the Susquehanna, by Dr. Maddox, of Fauquier county.

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News from other Counties.

Snyder County. We noticed last week the murder of Mrs. Eby, near Middleburg, and we now learn from the Tribune of the 17th, that Peter Eby, the husband of the woman who was murdered, was arrested on Monday evening a week, and is now confined in the jail at that place.

Blair County. Fire.—Reed Brothers' steam saw mill, situate near Tyrone, Pa., was burned to the ground on Sunday morning, 14th inst., at 4 a. m.

Huntingdon County. Accident.—On Tuesday, the 9th inst., whilst cutting wood, Mr. Thos. Sankey of Henderson township, met with a severe accident.

A Slight Fire.—The smoke house attached to the hotel kept by W. P. Harris, in Shirleysburg, was burnt down on the night of the 12th inst.

Hon. John Long, has dug down 34 feet into his bank of white clay without getting through the vein.

A. H. Bauman, Esq., has been appointed agent for the Pennsylvania Company, at Mapleton, vice John Donaldson, dec'd.

Junata County. Oliver Dillen, of Fermanagh township, shot two wild turkeys, one day last week, one of which weighed twenty pounds.

A man named J. P. Thumma, was arrested and brought before Mayor Rumfort, at Harrisburg, for stealing two \$100 U. S. bonds at Perrysville.

On the 6th inst., a house in Fayette township, occupied by Mrs. Geible, was burnt down. Mrs. G. was visiting a neighbor, and before the fire was discovered, the whole roof was in flames.

Centre County. We are pained to learn that Mrs. Clara Gregg, wife of Brig-Gen. J. Irvin Gregg, died at her residence at Lewisburg on the 13th inst.

We are informed that a planing mill is about to be established in our borough. We do not know whose enterprise it is we are to be indebted to for this improvement, but as the enterprise is a fixed fact we congratulate ourselves upon it.

Mr. Samuel Parker, a citizen well known in this vicinity, while returning from Milesburg on Saturday evening week, was met on the towpath a short distance above the toll gate by two men who grappled and threw him into the canal.

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A correspondent suggests that the people of this county get up petitions making it a penal offence for managers of bridge or other companies to discriminate between parties in charging tolls.

Oil Company Meeting. The citizens of Decatur and neighboring townships met, Jan. 12th, 1866 at Stroup's school house, for the purpose of raising a company to bore for oil in said townships.

On motion, the shares were put at \$20, and the old subscriptions which had been taken were set aside, and a new subscription commenced.

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J. M. MOHLER, Sec'y.

THE MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various commodities like Wheat, Barley, Rye, Oats, Corn, etc., with prices per bushel or per cwt.

Philadelphia Markets.

Flour \$7a10.50; Wheat 200a225 for red, and 24a270 for white; Rye 90a 100; Corn 75; Oats 50a51; Beeswax 1a15; Sheep 6a7; Hogs 13a14; Cows 14a95.

PALING. 15,000 GARDEN PALING, just received and for sale by WM. B. HOFFMAN.

FOR SALE. FIVE GOV. WAGONS. INQUIRE of Robert A. Mathews, Black Bear Hotel, Lewistown, Pa. Jan24-3t

FOR SALE. A TWO HORSE SLEIGH, new style, in good condition, will be disposed of at a low price for cash. Apply to E. E. LOCKE, Lewistown, Pa. Jan24-3t

LETTERS REMAINING UNCLAIMED in the Post Office at Lewistown, State of Pennsylvania, on the 24th of Jan., 1866.

John S. Mosby, the guerrilla, has been arrested in Leesburg, Va., and is held subject to the orders of Gen. Ayre, military commandant at Winchester.

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HARDWARE, STOVE AND TIN STORE, LEWISTOWN, PA.

JOHN B. SELHEIMER offers his sincere thanks to the friends and well-wishers of his establishment, for the steady and rapid growth of his business hitherto, and solicits a continuation of the patronage of the community.

His stock of Hardware, Wood work, Leather, Saddlery, Coach Trimmings, Linings, Shoe Findings, Paints, Oils, Glass, Stoves, Nails, Horse and Mule Shoes, Nails and Nail Rods, &c., &c., &c.

is heavy and well-selected, and is offered at prices as low as can possibly be sold.

TINWARE

is of his own manufacture, made in a good and workmanlike manner, by full hands, under his own supervision, and is offered wholesale or retail, as superior to any in the market.

Roofing, Spouting, Repairing, Gas Fitting and all kinds of Job Work done at shortest notice.

Liberal discount given to the Trade and Wholesale Dealers.

J. B. SELHEIMER, Lewistown, Jan., 1866-ly

NOTICE TO COLLECTORS.

The following is a list of the Collectors of State and County Taxes for 1866: Wayne—Wm. B. Lukens. Oliver—Albert H. Bear. Newton Hamilton—Wm. S. Utley. McVeytown—David Stine. Granville—Joseph Burns. Derry—William Cunningham. Lewistown—James Wallis. Decatur—Samuel Brower. Armagh—John M. Bell. Brown—John Hays. Union—Albert G. Gibboney. Menno—Wm. J. Fleming. Bratton—Thomas Roup.

All of whom are hereby notified to appear at the Commissioners' Office on Wednesday, February 14th, with their bonds signed by the Collector and two good sureties. Bonds can be had at the office. Jan24-3t JOS. S. WAREAM, Clerk.

USE THE BEST.

DR. CLOCK'S EXCELSIOR HAIR RESTORER.

The Best Preparation for the Hair Ever Introduced to the Public.

IT IS warranted to restore Gray Hair to its natural color. Make Hair grow on bald heads, where the disease is not hereditary; stop Hair from falling off or turning gray; cure all eruptions of the scalp; remove scurf, dandruff, &c., and allay all itching. It will cause harsh, wiry hair to become soft, pliable and luxuriantly glossy. It is Elegantly Perfumed.

and is all that can be desired for a dressing. It does not soil the finest linen nor stain the nicest bonnet. It is not a dye, but by supplying the Capillary glands, acts as a restorer. This preparation contains no Sugar of Lead or other minerals so deleterious to the head and hair, and of which most of the compounds in the market are made but is a Purely Vegetable Production.

We challenge the world to produce an instance where the Restorer has failed when used according to directions. It is used and recommended by the Clergy and the Faculty. The proprietor is aware of the many who have been disappointed by the high sounding pretense of the numerous hair preparations with which the market has been filled for a few years past, but such Entire Confidence

does he place in the merits of his Restorer, that he offers in cases to refund the money after a thorough trial of two bottles, if it fails to give perfect satisfaction. Mothers whose children's hair is harsh and wiry, or thin and scant, will find by using the Restorer it will immediately improve, thereby laying the foundation for a good head of hair, so desirable in after life.

A Single Trial will convince the most sceptical of its merits. Once use it and you will always use it. Caution

Dr. Clock's Excelsior Hair Restorer, and take no other. Sold by druggists every where at \$1.00 per bottle, or six bottles for \$5.00. Dr. F. B. CLOCK, Proprietor, Manchester, N. H. F. J. Hoffman, Agt. for Mifflin co. Jan24-2m

PROPOSALS are invited for erecting a substantial two story frame building for an office on the site of the old Gazette office, to range with the dwelling of the undersigned—to be completed by the first of April. The proposals need not include lathing and plastering, but in all other respects to be finished. Further information can be obtained on application to the undersigned.

GEORGE PRYNSINGER, The lot of ground on the corner of Third and Juniata streets, comprising nearly one acre, is offered for sale cheap for cash.

Lewistown Premium Family FLOUR, AT \$5 PER CWT. at LEWISTOWN MILLS. WM. B. McATEE & SON.

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