

about \$60 in cash. The fact that his hands were tied behind his back shows that he could not have committed suicide.

CHESTER COUNTY.—Gleanings from the Record. On Saturday night before last, a horse was taken from the stable of Wm. Thompson, near Westchester, and brought back before daylight the next morning, and with him a wagon, the property of somebody else. The horse had been used roughly, and in the wagon was a quantity of blood and feathers, showing very plainly for what purpose it had been used.

The Hill rowdies are at their work again, since their acquittal by the court week before last. They attacked Mr. John Hart, on Monday evening last, because he declined to subscribe money to help pay the costs. We suppose people will have to protect themselves.

The Methodist Conference recently in session at Philadelphia, has made the following appointments for this county: Lancaster, Duke St., C. F. Turner, St. Paul's, E. T. Kennedy; Bainbridge, W. L. McDowell; Marietta, J. R. F. Grey; Mount Joy, S. A. Hellner; Columbia, S. H. C. Smith; Mount Nebo, Joseph Gregg; Safe Harbor, J. E. Kessler; Enterprise, H. B. Manzer; Strasburg, W. S. Pugh.

The new organ is now being erected in the Moravian church, in this city. It was built at Reading, and cost \$1700. John DeHuff and J. G. Fritchey, of this city, graduated at the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy last week.

AMERICAN MECHANICS' ANNIVERSARY SUPPER: On last Saturday evening the 23rd Anniversary of Conestoga Council, No. 8, O. U. A. M., was celebrated at Eagle Hall, in this city. The Council and a number of invited guests from Philadelphia, Harrisburg and other localities, met at the new Hall, Inquirer's building, and after a brief session, at 9 o'clock, proceeded, with music, to the place bountifully provided with good things for the inner mechanic. All the arrangements were perfect, and reflect much credit upon the committee—Messrs. J. K. Snyder, William T. Wylie, M. M. Grider, John A. Trisler and E. P. Snyder.

ADAMS COUNTY.—The Gettysburg forge has been rebuilt by Messrs. Baker, Eisler and Tolbert. Ex-Governor Morton, of Indiana, will deliver the address on the occasion of the dedication of the monument at Gettysburg, on the first of July next. George Arnold's dwelling, one mile South of Abbotstown, was destroyed by fire on Saturday the 6th inst.

ADAMS COUNTY.—The Adams Express office at Gettysburg was broken open by burglars, on Monday night of last week, and nearly all the packages opened and examined, but fortunately they contained little of value to others than their owners. The burglary didn't pay. Jesse Kohler, aged 24 years, was found dead hanging by the neck, in the garret of his father's hotel at Hanover, being a case of suicide.

SCHUYLKILL COUNTY.—St. Patrick's day was celebrated with much spirit in various parts of the county. Rev. James G. Ashton, of St. Clair Methodist preacher, is about to leave for another locality. An attempt was recently made to burn the coal breaker belonging to the Thomas Coal Company, at Shenandoah. Several cellaries, in the vicinity of Ashland, resumed work last week. The revenue of the county, during 1868, amounted to \$510,978.91, and \$147,161.95 remained in the treasury on January 1, 1869.

One day last week a dispute occurred at a cock fight at Girardville, resulting in the shooting of three men, one of whom, Peter Luby, has since died.

companies, and where do they stand? Far behind the Wheeler & Wilson Co., who make the Family Sewing Machine a specialty. The Company's manufacturing premises at Bridgeport, Conn., occupy a space of 5 acres, enclosing an entire quadrangle, with a front on the N. Y. & N. H. Railroad side of a quarter of a mile less 15 feet, filled with costly machinery.

Capital Employed, over \$2,000,000. Men Employed, 1,000. Machinery, 300. Number in Use, 400,000. In excess of any other, 120,000 to 300,000. In other words, this Manufacturing has added to the industrial world the effective force of 1,700,000 seamstresses, and is swelling that immense number by adding 2,000 per day.

It has even conquered British prejudice. Charles Dickens himself has made it the subject of a finely turned article in "Once a Week," and the London Times, in an exhaustive two column and a half editorial, covering the whole subject of Sewing Machines, awards the highest merits of praise to the WHEELER & WILSON, as the one best calculated for household work.

It is on this mission of labor-saving in all parts of the world, London, St. Petersburg, Madrid, Constantinople, Calcutta, Cape Town, &c. Its agents are every where throughout the habitable globe, wherever fabrics are sewn into human apparel.

We respectfully claim attention, and cordially invite the citizens of Lancaster county to visit our office, inspect the Machine, examine the samples of the work performed, and compare them with others. We willingly abide the result.

OUR NEW OFFICE IS, NO. 64 NORTH QUEEN ST., HOWELL'S BUILDING, LANCASTER, PA.

CANDIDATES. We are authorized to announce JOHN M. JACOBY, of Clay township, as a candidate for SHERIFF, subject to the rules of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce ISAAC MISHLEH, of Lancaster city, (late of East Cocalico township), as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF, subject to the rules of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce GEO. W. COMPTON, of Cernarvon township, as a candidate for REGISTER, subject to the rules of the Republican party.

MARRIED. ENGLE—MESSNER. On the 20th inst., by the Rev. W. T. Gerhard, Michael Engle, of Ephrata, to Annie Messner, of Clay township.

Philadelphia Cattle Market. MONDAY, March 22.—The offerings of Beef Cattle to-day were not large, only reaching 1600 head, but they were in excess of the demand.

There was considerable firmness on the part of holders, and the lots which were in good supply, but operations were somewhat restricted. We quote choice at 100/105; prime at 95/100; and common at 80/85.

The following are the particulars of the sales: 50 head, A. Christy & Bro., Lancaster, Pa. 9 @ 100; 25 " Dangler & Bro., Lancaster, Pa. 8 @ 95; 132 " P. H. Hays, Lancaster, Pa. 8 @ 95; 85 " P. Hathaway, Lancaster, Pa. 8 @ 95; 78 " James S. Kirk, Chester, Pa. 8 @ 95; 110 " B. McMillen, Lancaster, Pa. 8 @ 95; 56 " E. S. McMillen, Lancaster, Pa. 9 @ 95; 110 " Martin Fuller & Co., Penna. 7 @ 95; 65 " Mooney & Smith, Lancaster, Pa. 7 @ 95; 65 " T. O'Connell, Lancaster, Pa. 8 @ 95; 102 " F. Schramm, Western, Pa. 8 @ 95; 102 " Hope & Co., Lancaster, Pa. 8 @ 95; 27 " M. Dryfoos & Co., Penna. 8 @ 95; 27 " J. Clemons, Lancaster, Pa. 9 @ 105; 15 " D. Branson, Chester, Pa. 7 @ 95; 48 " Simble & W. L. Chesler, Pa. 7 @ 95; 40 " J. Seldin, Lancaster, Pa. 8 @ 95; 40 " J. Seldin, Lancaster, Pa. 8 @ 105.

Cows and Calves met a steady inquiry, and 10 head changed hands at 40/45, and springers at 35/40.

In sheep there was considerable movement at very full figures; sales of 10,000 head at 75/80; and 20,000 head at 70/75.

Hogs were in fair request, with sales of 3,000 head at 15.50/16.50 @ 100 lbs. net. The market closed with a downward tendency.

New Advertisements. TO TAILORS! We are introducing a system of Drafting Garments, possessing superior merits over those now in vogue, and which are derived from those practiced by the most scientific Cutters of Paris, London, and other Cities of Europe.

MECHANICS' BANK, NO. 36 NORTH QUEEN STREET, (INQUIRER BUILDING.) Deals in UNITED STATES BONDS, STOCKS, GOLD, SILVER, AND COUPONS.

COURT PROCLAMATION. Whereas, the Honorable HENRY G. LONG, President, and Honorable ALEXANDER L. BAKER, Chief Justice, of the County of Lancaster, and the Honorable JAMES H. BAKER, Justice of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Lancaster, and Assistant Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, and Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the County of Lancaster, have issued their Precept to me directed, requiring me, among other things, to make public Proclamation throughout said County, that a Court of Oyer and Terminer, and a general Jail Delivery, also a Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, shall commence in the County of Lancaster, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on the THIRD MONDAY IN APRIL next.

DIED. LEISY. On the 1st inst., of Consumption, Samuel Leisy, of Ephrata township, aged 32 years, 2 months and 2 days. Mr. Leisy was a member of Company A, 79th Regiment, P. V., and served during the entire service of the Regiment, and was with the command on its "march to the sea." He received a severe wound at the battle of Chattanooga, from which he suffered for a long time.

Books and Stationery. SELLING AT COST. The undersigned wishing to dispose of a LARGE STOCK OF BOOKS and STATIONERY, WILL SELL AT COST, ON ACCOUNT OF REMOVAL.

THE CHEAPEST BOOKS AND STATIONERY. THE ASSOCIATES OF WEST KING & PRINCE-ST. English and German Bibles, Testaments, School Books, Miscellaneous Books, Blank Books, Diaries, Books, and Teaching Helps of all kinds. Object Lessons on Large Charts.

Fruit Tree Invigorator. FARMERS, LOOK TO YOUR FRUIT TREES! THE GREATEST DISCOVERY OF THE AGE—BEST FRUIT TREE INVIGORATOR AND INSECT DESTROYER.

Small Fruits, Vines, &c. SMALL FRUITS, VINES, &c. I offer an unusual stock of small FRUITS, strong well-rooted plants, and I flatter myself that I can fill orders with entire satisfaction.

Coal, Lumber, &c. EHLE, BRENNEMAN & CO. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN COAL OF THE BEST QUALITY.

Periodicals. THE DAILY EVENING EXPRESS, FURNISHES ITS READERS REGULARLY WITH THE LATEST NEWS BY MAIL AND MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

SEED OATS. PRINCE EDWARD ISLE BLACK OATS. MINNESOTA BLACK OATS. ILLINOIS WHITE OATS. IOWA WHITE OATS of very fine quality.

Drugs and Chemicals. DR. WEAVER'S DRUG STORE! The subscriber having purchased and taken possession of the Drug Store of Dr. Samuel Kenegony, Northeast Corner of Centre Square, Harrisburg, Pa., respectfully solicits the patronage of the people of Strasburg and vicinity, to a large and carefully selected stock of DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS, VARNISHES, FANCY ARTICLES, WALL PAPER, &c.

Allen & Needles, 42 SOUTH DELAWARE AVENUE, PHILADELPHIA. ESTABLISHED IN 1848. GEO. M. STEINMAN & CO., Sole Agents at Lancaster.

Philadelphia Household Markets. Lancaster, March 24. Butter, 1/2 lb. 48 @ 50; 1 lb. 95 @ 100; Eggs, 1 doz. 25 @ 28; Dressed Chickens, 50 @ 70; Veal, by the quarter, 10 @ 12; Pork, do do 10 @ 12; Pork, do do 10 @ 12; Potatoes, 1/2 bush. 10 @ 11; Turnips, 1/2 bush. 12 @ 15; Onions, 1/2 bush. 25 @ 30; Apples, 1/2 bush. 25 @ 30; Dried Apples, 1/2 bush. 12 @ 20; Cornmeal, 1/2 bush. 15 @ 20; Beans, 1/2 bush. 10 @ 12; Oats, 1/2 bush. 10 @ 12.

Dry Goods. THOS. J. WENTZ. Having purchased of Charles E. Wentz and Henry C. Wentz, their interest in the firm WENTZ BROTHERS, now offers the immense stock of DRY GOODS, CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, NOTIONS, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE.

GLASSWARE. FRENCH, CHINA AND ENGLISH. Now opening at HAGER & BROTHERS, BOSTON & PITTSBURGH GLASSWARE, purchased direct from the Manufacturers.

LINENS & COTTONS. HAGER & BROTHERS have now in store a full assortment of RAMSLEY LINEN SHEETINGS AND FILLING CASINGS, DAMASK, SNOW DROP, AND DICE PATTERNS TABLE LINENS.

WALL PAPERS! HAGER & BROTHERS. Are now receiving their SPRING STOCK, which will be found complete in all departments of Plain and Decorative WALL PAPERS.

CARPETS! ENGLISH BRUSSELS, CROSLY'S TAPETRY BRUSSELS, LOWELL AND HARTFORD THREE-PLY, INGHAM AND VENETIAN, WOOL DUTCH, HEMP AND RAG CARPETS.

HARNISH & CO'S. CHEAP STORE. No. 27 WEST KING-ST., LANCASTER, PA. Dealers in Foreign and Domestic DRY GOODS.

Hats, Caps, Furs, &c. 1868. SHULTZ & BROTHER, HATTERS. No. 20 NORTH QUEEN STREET, LANCASTER, PENNA.

LADIES' FANCY FURS. We are now opening the largest and most complete assortment of Ladies' and Children's FURS ever offered in this market at very low prices.

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Local News.

JOB PRINTING. Handbills, Cards, Bill Heads, Programmes, Posters, &c., &c., printed in the best style and at reasonable rates, at the FATHER ABRAHAM Job Printing Office. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

ITEMS: Dr. Christian Hershey, formerly residing near Marietta, in this county, was shot and killed by a man named Mori, a Swiss, near the residence of the former, in the vicinity of Muscatine, Iowa, on the 9th inst. The murderer was arrested.

EPHRATA RECONSTRUCTED.—The Republicans, for the first time in eight years, last Friday, made a clean sweep in Ephrata, for township officers. Only three members of W. H. Spera, laid out that noted old Cop, John W. Gross, cold. Good for Ephrata.

OUR NEW OFFICE. To substantiate the merit so universally accorded to Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machines, and at the same time to justify our claims to the favor of the citizens of Lancaster County, we will present to their attention a few strong facts: First—We assert (undeniably) that THE ONLY GOLD MEDAL awarded at the Paris Exposition for Sewing Machines for family purposes, was awarded to the WHEELER & WILSON after a fair trial before competent judges, (appointed by the Emperor Napoleon,) whose duty it was to deal impartially in the performance of their commission.

CHAMP-DE-MARS, 6th July 1867. DEAR SIR:—Replying to your inquiry, I beg leave to state, that the ONLY GOLD MEDAL awarded for manufacture and perfection of Sewing Machines, was awarded to Messrs. WHEELER & WILSON, of New York.

W. U. Hess, Assistant U. S. Assessor, seized seventeen barrels of contraband whisky on Tuesday last week, which he found concealed in a house in Rapho township, belonging to Martin Grube.

U. R. Kryder, of Litz, had four fingers of his right hand cut off by a circular saw on Thursday last.

The School Directors of Lancaster have decided to remove the boys High School from the building heretofore occupied by it and the girls High School, principally on the ground that it is immo and that the school is in the same building! What an immense disfavor, and what a high idea of propriety and morality have the members of the school board who voted for this libel on the fair fame of the girls and boys who attend our High School! "Some civet, good sporter."

A shed containing hay, belonging to Mr. B. H. Hale, in Columbia, was entirely destroyed by fire, early on Saturday evening last. Adjoining property was in great danger. Loss about \$300.

Jacob Y. Klig, a stranger, was arrested in this city on Wednesday, on suspicion that he did not come honestly by a horse and buggy, which he had in his possession. He said he borrowed the horse and buggy from a man in Reading. He was committed to prison by Alderman Wiley, for a further hearing on Saturday.