THE ACTIVE FIRE COMPANY.

Records of the Olden Time.

Mr. H. E. Slaymaker, president of the Union fire company, has laid upon our table a couple of old-time documents, which he says were found when the old Krug mansion was demolished to make room for the Stevens house. The first of these documents is as follows:

At a meeting of the Active Fire Company, on the 3d Saturday of January, A. Dom. 1792, Samuel Boyd, Samuel Turbett, Matthias Barton, Lewis Lauman and Casper Shaffner, were appointed a Committee to wait on the several Fire Companies in the Borough of Lancaster, to lay before each of them a Copy of the Articles or Rules of this Company, and to inform them that it is the Wish of the Active Fire Company to consult with them on any Business tending to the Good of the Companies and the General Safety of the Inhabitants of the Borough.

A true Copy from the Minutes.

HENRY DERING, Clk.

The accompanying document is a copy of the "Articles or Rules" above referred to. It is fairly printed on one side of a sheet of heavy white paper somewhat smaller in size than a page of the DAILY INTELLIGENCER. The rules provide that the company shall consist of no more than sixty members, and shall meet on the 3d Saturday of every month "at such convenient place as may be agreed upon." "The first member on the list shall serve as clerk for the first month, and at the expiration thereof the next succeeding member shall serve in that station, and so on until the whole shall have served." After laying down rules for the admission of new members, defining the duties of members and certain fines and penalties for a neglect of them, the following orders are made:

Upon the Alarm of Fire being given we will repair to it with all possible Expedition with our Buckets, &c., and there exert ourselves to the best of our Abilities to extinguish the same, observing always to Confine ourselves to such particular Situations and to the doing of such particular Things as may previously have been Assigned to us and directed by the company when met.

The clerk of the Company for the time being shall be President thereof; his Business as President shall be to propose anything to the Company that any Member may have to offer for Consideration, and to see that proper Order and Decorum is observed by the Company; he shall at least once in Month in which he presides go in Person to the House of each Member, to see whether his Buckets, and a printed Copy of these Rules are hanging up in good Order, near the Door, or in some convenient Place in the House where such Member dwells, and examine into the State of the Engine, Ladders &c belonging to the company and make a just and true report thereof to the next Meeting under a Penalty of *Five Shillings*.

Attached to the rules is a list of fifty-two members of which the company was at that time composed. The names look very familiar, for although not one of the members now survive, their names have been handed down to the second, third and even fourth generation of their descendants.

Off to Harrisburg.

West-bound trains to-day have carried an unusually large number of passengers en route for Harrisburg, some of them delegates to the Democratic state convention which assembles there to-morrow, and others destined to the same point as spectators only, all accounts agreeing that the attendance of "outsiders" will be larger than at any previous Democratic convention in the history of the state. The Lancaster party, upwards of forty strong, including the eight delegates and some of the most active Democratic politicians in the city, left on the fast line at 2:10 this afternoon, their departure being witnessed by a throng that crowded the depot. The train was "full up" on reaching this city, many of the Philadelphia delegates and their friends being on board, but there was no demonstration of any kind. The only persons of particular note on the train of whom we caught a glimpse were Col. McClure and Mr. M. P. Handy, of the *Times*.

On a Fence.

This morning Officer Titus of the 9th ward had occasion to visit the farm of Mr. A. Homan near Reigart's Landing for the purpose of subpœnaing witnesses. As he approached the house he was surrounded by four dogs, and being unarmed he was obliged to seek safety by mounting the top rail of a fence; but before getting there one of the dogs seized hold of the toe of his boot, and another reached for the calf of his leg, but did no other damage than to tear the leg of his pantaloons. The officer was kept "treed" until the women folks came out and called off the dogs.

At His Old Home.

Edgar P. Long, late of this city, but for some time past engaged in clerking in Leadville, Colorado, is now at his old home in Springville, having been summoned thither on account of the dangerous illness of his mother, who was suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia—but who, happily, is now better. Mr. Long is looking well, and speaks in flattering terms of the business prosperity and enterprise of Leadville. He has leave of absence until the 1st of June.

Boy Injured by a Cow.

On Saturday afternoon a four-year-old son of Abraham Speidle, of Caroline street, was standing in a stable where there were some cows. One of the animals ran at him and catching the end of one of her horns in his nostril, lacerated the flesh of the nose in a terrible manner and broke the nose bone. Drs. Boyd and M. L. Herr attended the boy.

Convalescent.

Addison Miller, of Mount Joy, who was so severely injured about a month ago by being struck by a locomotive while he was riding an unmanageable colt across the track of the Pennsylvania railroad, has so far recovered as to be able to be about again.

Nice and Clean.

Centre square never looked so well as it looks this afternoon. Street Commissioner Trewitz has given it a thorough washing, removing all the filth and making the Belgian blocks look as bright and clean as they looked when first quarried.

Amusements.

The Opera To-night.—Choice seats for the opera were at an early hour this morning as scarce as "hen's teeth," and there is every assurance of a large and brilliant audience to-night. The romantic opera of "Paul and Virginia," the title roles of which will be rendered by Miss Abbott and the distinguished tenor, Tom Karl, has never been produced in Lancaster, and indeed Miss Abbott is the only American prima donna who has ever undertaken the opera. The ensemble numbers upwards of fifty trained voices.

The Troubadours.—On Thursday next the famous Troubadours will appear here. This company consists of five persons, viz: Nat Salsbury, John Webster, John Gourley, and Misses Nellie McHenry and Helen Dingeon. They have played in every city of any importance in this country, and their names are familiar to all amusement-loving people. They are great favorites in the large cities where they play long engagements. They were here four years ago and greatly pleased all.

"Rip Van Winkle."—On Saturday next, Joseph Jefferson, the renowned actor, will appear in "Rip Van Winkle" in this city. He is too well-known to need an extensive notice, and he will doubtless have a large audience.

CHEERFULNESS and Rheumatism do not go together; for Rheumatism, use ST. JACOB'S OIL and be happy.

Before Breakfast

always use SOZODONT and rub it in well. It gives such pleasant relief from parched tongue resulting from sleep, promotes the healthful secretions of the mouth. It will cost more for meat and such things, but don't begrudge it. a26-1wdeod&w

HAVING secured over half a million of Pine and Cypress Shingles before the advance in lumber, I am prepared to sell cheap for cash. Cypress Shingles are considered superior to shaved Pine Shingles.

JOHN BEIDLER,
Lumber Dealer, Wrightsville, Pa.
apr15-3wd*

POLITICAL.

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.

Thirteenth Senatorial District.

SENATORIAL.
CHAS. J. RHOADS.

REPRESENTATIVE.
R. H. BRUBAKER,
DR. H. E. RAUB,
H. S. KERNS.

Fourteenth Senatorial District.

SENATORIAL.
JOHN S. HOOVER.

REPRESENTATIVE.
M. V. B. WEIDLER,
GEORGE YOUTZ,
WM. B. GIVEN.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS.
J. L. STEINMETZ.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
*B. F. MONTGOMERY.

SENATOR (13th DISTRICT.)
J. B. DOUGLASS.

(ASSEMBLY (2d DISTRICT.)
S. C. STEVENSON,
S. P. SHIRK.

(ASSEMBLY (3d DISTRICT.)
*AMOS DILLER,
[illegible] SAUNDT,
JACOB M. HAENLEN.

FOR PRISON INSPECTORS.
BARTON M. WINTERS,
BENJ. MILLER.

FOR POOR DIRECTORS.
A. J. SNYDER,
JOHN FRANCISCUS.

*Withdrawn.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Better Times.

The business revival and new era of prosperity which is now fairly inaugurated, is in keeping with the increased health and happiness seen all over the land, and is one of the results obtained from the introduction of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure. "The changes wrought by this remedy," says Rev. Dr. Harvey, "seem but little less than miraculous." a15-2wd&w

Try Locher's Renowned Cough Syrup.

FOR THROAT DISEASES AND COUGHS.—"*Brown's Bronchial Troches*," like all other *really good* things, are frequently imitated, and purchasers should be careful to obtain the genuine article prepared by John I. Brown & Sons. a27-1wdTTh&S&w

"Female complaints" are the result of impure blood. Use "Lindsey's Blood Searcher."

Why Wear Plasters?

They may relieve, but they can't cure that lame back, for the kidneys are the trouble and you want a remedy to act directly on their secretions, to purify and restore their healthy condition. Kidney-Wort has that specific action—and at the same time it regulates the bowels perfectly. Don't wait to get sick, but get a package to-day, and cure yourself. a26-1wd&w

Try Locher's Renowned Cough Syrup.

The Greatest Blessing.

A simple, pure, harmless remedy, that cures every time, and prevents disease by keeping the blood pure, stomach regular, kidneys and liver active, is the greatest blessing ever conferred upon man. Hop Bitters is that remedy, and its proprietors are being blessed by thousands who have been saved and cured by it. Will you try it? See another column. a15-2wd&w

Brown's Household Panacea

Is the most effective Pain Destroyer in the world. Will most surely quicken the blood whether taken internally or applied externally and thereby more certainly RELIEVE PAIN, whether chronic or acute, than any other pain alleviator, and it is warranted double the strength of any similar preparation.

It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache and ALL ACHES, and is the GREAT RELIEVER OF PAIN. "BROWN'S HOUSEHOLD PANACEA" should be in every family. A teaspoonful of the Panacea in a tumbler of hot water (sweetened, if preferred), taken at bedtime, will BREAK UP A COLD. 25 cents a bottle. For sale at H. B. Cochran & Co's Drug Store North Queen street, Lancaster.

Much Sickness,

Undoubtedly with children, attributed to other causes, is occasioned by Worms. BROWN'S VERMIFUGE COMFITS, or Worm Lozenges, although effectual in destroying worms, can do no posible injury to the most delicate child This valuable combination has been successfully used by physicians, and found to be absolutely sure in eradicating worms. Twenty-five cents a box. [jan15-1yd&wTuTh&S

"Dr. Sellers' Cough Syrup" will ensure you a good night's rest. It is the best cough medicine in the market. Price 25 cents.

Kidney-Wort has proved a most effective cure for Piles and Constipation—be sure and try it. a26-1wd&w

Try Locher's Renowned Cough Syrup.

Good words do more than hard speeches. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is the good word of every family. Thousands will testify to its wonderful cures of coughs, colds, sore throat, asthma, croup and other afflictions of the breathing organs; an invaluable outward specific for lame back, soreness and contraction of the muscles, and every variety of sores or hurts. For sale by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street, Lancaster, Pa. 30

Dr. Mott's Endorsement of Speer's Port Grape Wine.

The following, from the celebrated Dr. Mott, of New York, speaks wonders for Mr Speer's efforts to raise the Oporto Grape in New Jersey. The Doctor has spent years in Portugal and the wine districts of France, and knows what he is talking about:

62 MADISON AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 11, 1878.

MR. ALFRED SPEER.—Dear Sir: The visit which I made last year to your Vineyards, wine-presses and vaults at Passaic, N. J., satisfies me thoroughly that the wines manufactured by you are pure and unadulterated, and the very best that can be offered to the public for medicinal uses.

Acting upon my favorable impression at the time, I have since recommended the Port Wine; more particularly in my practice, and am satisfied with marked benefit to my patients.

There can be no better proof to the doubting mind, as to the Wine being made of the finest Oporto Grape, than a visit to the acres of land covered with the vine bearing the luxuriant fruit. Wishing you success in your praiseworthy enterprise,

I remain respectfully yours,
ALEX B. MOTT, M. D.,
Prof. of Surgery, Bellevue Hospital Medical College, &c., &c.

This wine is endorsed by Drs. Atlee and Davis, and sold by H. E. Slaymaker. a16-2tawd&w

Try Locher's Renowned Cough Syrup.

Joseph Rusan, Percy, Ontario, writes: "I was induced to try Thomas' Electric Oil for a lameness which troubled me for three or four years, and I found it the best article I ever tried. It has been a great blessing to me." For W. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street, Lancaster, Pa. 29

Timely Caution.

Genuine Hop Bitters are put up in square paneled, amber-colored bottles, with white label on one side printed in black letters, and green hop cluster, and on the other side yellow paper with red letters; revenue stamp over the cork. This is the only form in which genuine Hop Bitters are put up, and the sole right to make, sell and use them is granted to the Hop Bitters Manufacturing Company of Rochester, N. Y., and Toronto, Ont., by patents, copyright and trade mark. All others put up in any other way or by any one else, claiming to be like it or pretending to contain hops, by whatever names they may be called, are bogus and unfit for use, and only put up to sell and cheat the people on the credit and popularity of Hop Bitters. a26 2wd&w

Try Locher's Renowned Cough Syrup.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Mayor's Office up to THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 29, 1880, at 8 o'clock p. m., for furnishing the city of Lancaster with six 6-inch and three 4-inch plain street stop valves.

Bids will be received at the same time and place for as many stop boxes as the water department may require to the first Monday in April, 1881. The boxes to be made of the sizes as ordered by the Superintendent of Water Works; of one and one-half inch good white pine. The bids must state how much per foot board measure complete, and to be furnished as the Superintendent may direct.

ltd JNO. T. MacGONIGLE, Mayor.

WANTED.

WANTED.—EVERYBODY TO ADVERtise, free of charge, in the INTELLIGENCER, who wants something to do.

RAGS! RAGS! RAGS!—RAGS WANTED. Housekeepers take notice that we are paying 3 cents a pound for MIXED RAGS. Cash paid as soon as delivered to

WM. HENNECKE,
apr9-3md* No. 235 West King Street.

WANTED.—A NEAT PROTESTANT Young Girl; must be a good cook, washer and ironer. Wages $2.50. Small family; no cows to milk; pleasant home, Berwyn, Chester county, on Pennsylvania Railroad, sixteen miles from Philadelphia. Inquire on Wednesday forenoon for FRANK H. STAUFFER, at 235 East Orange street, Lancaster. [1td

LEGAL NOTICES.

ESTATE OF JAMES W. RHEY, LATE of Lancaster City, deceased.—Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, or her attorney, J. L. Steinmetz.

JULIA RHEY,
Administratrix.
J. L. STEINMETZ, Att'y. m27-4tdeaw

ESTATE OF ISAAC WARREN, LATE OF Lancaster city, Lancaster county, deceased.—The undersigned Auditor, appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of James Warren, Administrator of said deceased, to and among those legally entitled to the same, and to pass upon exceptions filed to said administrator's account, will attend for that purpose on FRIDAY, the 30th day of APRIL, A. D. 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m., in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution and exceptions may attend.

D. P. ROSENMILLER, JR.,
apr5-4teaw Auditor.

ESTATE OF BARBARA ROSENFELT, late of Lancaster city, Pa., deceased. The undersigned auditor, appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of John B. Lebkicher, executor of the last will and testament of the said Barbara Rosenfelt, deceased, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will sit for that purpose on FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 1880, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend.

GEO. REIMENSNYDER, Att'y at Law,
a7-3wnoaw Auditor.

ESTATE OF A. H. WEIGLE, LATE OF Lancaster city, deceased.—The undersigned Auditor, appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of C. H. Weigle, Administrator, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will sit for that purpose on TUESDAY, APRIL 27, 1880, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend.

T. B. HOLOHAN,
apr5-3tdeaw Auditor.

ESTATE OF ANNA M. WEIDLER, late of the City of Lancaster, deceased.—Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said decedent are requested to make immediate settlement, and those having claims or demands against the same, will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, residing in Lancaster City.

MRS. E. E. PATTERSON,
J. W. F. SWIFT, Administratrix.
Attorney. m30-6tdeod

ESTATE OF KILLIAN BECK, LATE OF the City of Lancaster, deceased. Letters testamentary on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said decedent are requested to make immediate settlement, and those having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent to make known the same to the undersigned without delay, residing in the City of Lancaster.

ANDREW SHREINER,
mar18-6tdeod Executor

ASSIGNED ESTATE OF MARTIN O. Stirk and wife, of Earl township, Lancaster county.—The undersigned auditor appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of Isaac Stirk and George Levan, assignees by deed of voluntary assignment for the benefit of creditors, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will sit for that purpose on WEDNESDAY, the 12th day of MAY, 1880, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend.

WM. R. WILSON,
ap7-1td&ltw Auditor.

ESTATE OF MARTIN SNAVELY, LATE of Drumore township, deceased.—The undersigned Auditor, appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of Abraham Snavely, Administrator of said deceased, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will sit for that purpose on MONDAY, MAY 3, 1880, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend.

ALEXANDER HARRIS,
apr5-1td&3tw Auditor.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

PUBLIC SALE.
ON THURSDAY, APRIL 29, will be sold at 630 North Queen street, all the Household Goods and Kitchen Furniture, the contents of 9 rooms. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m.
apr26-2td*

PUBLIC SALE.
ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28, at No. 522 West King street, ONE FINE CABINET ORGAN. All kinds of Household Goods, Parlor, Kitchen and Sitting Room Furniture. Sale to commence at 2 o'clock.
ltd B. F. ROWE, Auct.

FOR RENT.
The second story of Eshleman & Rathvon's Banking House, at Centre Square, and also a room on second story, opposite the Penn'a R. R. Depot, on Chestnut street.
B. F. ESHLEMAN,
f23-2td&8tt Attorney-at-Law

FOR RENT.
One room, No. 43½ North Queen street, suitable for photograph gallery, formerly occupied by J. S. Saurman. Apply to
a5-tfd THOS. BAUMGARDNER.

A COLLAR FACTORY AND LEATHER STORE FOR RENT. A well Established Collar Factory and Leather Store for rent. Also suitable for any other business. Apply to
f25-Tu,Th&Stfd] JOHN A. SHOBER.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF HOUSEHOLD and Kitchen Furniture. On FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 1880, at No. 122 North Mary street Lancaster city, Pa., will be sold the following, to wit: Several Bedroom Sets of Furniture, Second-hand Piano, Looking Glasses, Tables, Chairs, Beds and Bedding, Carpets, Glass, Queensware and Tinware, and other articles too numerous to mention. Sale to commence at 9 o'clock sharp. EDWARD FRANKE,
Executor.
SAM'L HESS & SON, Aucts. apr23-4td

INVENTORS.

WM. R. GERHART,
(Solicitor of Patents)
Having opened communication with the Patent Office at Washington, D. C., is prepared to push claims with promptness and dispatch.
OFFICE—Second Floor No. 31 NORTH DUKE STREET, next to Court House.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A New Feature of our business will be the Manufacture of JEWELRY in our own Factory. We have just completed a substantial brick factory building, 16x35 feet, which is fitted up with the machinery, tools and appliances necessary for the production of first-class goods, and put in charge of competent workmen.

This department will be a great convenience to ourselves and our customers, enabling us to fill special orders in very short time. Old jewelry or coin left us for making into new goods will be kept strictly separate, and we will guarantee furnishing the same gold in the new goods when so desired. The manufacture of Hair Jewelry will be given special attention.

Estimates and designs for Society Pins, Badges or Rings will be furnished on short notice.

H. Z. RHOADS & BRO., Jewelers,
No. 4 West King Street.

AMUSEMENTS

FULTON OPERA HOUSE.
TUESDAY, APRIL 27th, 1880.

GREAT MUSICAL EVENT!
One night only of the Renowned
EMMA ABBOTT
Grand English Opera Co.
THE LARGEST, STRONGEST AND MOST COMPLETE IN AMERICA.
45 - ARTISTS. - 45
GRAND CHORUS AND ORCHESTRA.
Production on the most elaborate scale of Masse's Grand Romantic Opera,
"Paul and Virginia."
New Scenes, Superb Costumes and Novel Stage effects.
Emma Abbott, Zelda Seguin, Tom Karl, Pauline Maurel, Emily Gilbert, William MacDonald, Ellis Ryse, Wallace Temple and H. Warden in the cast.
POPULAR PRICES:
Parquet and Parquet Circle.....$1.00
(No extra for Reserved Seats.)
Admission to Gallery.....50
Reserved Seats in Gallery.....75
The sale of seats will commence Thursday morning, April 23, at Opera House Office.
apr20-7td

FULTON OPERA HOUSE.
ONE NIGHT ONLY!
SATURDAY, MAY 1, 1880,
Mr. Joseph Jefferson
—IN—
"RIP VAN WINKLE,"
Supported By His Own Company.
ADMISSION, - - 35, 50, 75 Cts. & $1.00
According to Location.
C B. JEFFERSON.....MANAGER.
H. S. TAYLOR.....AGENT
Sale of reserved seats commences at Opera house office, on Wednesday morning, April 28.
apr26-6td

FULTON OPERA HOUSE.
THE FASHIONABLE EVENT. POSITIVELY ONE NIGHT ONLY.
THURSDAY APRIL 29, 1880.
CARNIVAL NIGHT OF FUN, under the management of Mr. C. D. Hess, the Popular Opera Manager. The world renowned SALSBURY'S
TROUBADOURS,
In their Grand Production of their own Laughable Musical Extravaganza entitled
THE BROOK;
OR, THE JOLLY DAY AT THE PIC-NIC,
as played by the ladies and gentlemen of this organization for the past five years in all parts of America, Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania and the Sandwich Islands. Having just closed a four weeks' engagement at Haverly's Theatre, New York city, and return to Daly's New Theatre for the month of May.
Popular Prices, - - 35, 50 & 75 Cts.
Seats secured at Opera House Office.
apr27-3td

MEDICAL.

Brandy as a Medicine.

The following article was voluntarily sent to Mr. H. E. Slaymaker, Agent for Reigart's Old Wine Store, by a prominent practising physician of this county, who has extensively used the Brandy referred to in his regular practice. It is commended to the attention of those afflicted with

Indigestion and Dyspepsia.

BRANDY AS A MEDICINE.

This now much abused Alcoholic Stimulant was never intended as a beverage, but to be used as a medicine of great potency in the cure of some of the destructive diseases which sweep away their annual thousands of victims.

With a purely philanthropic motive we present to the favorable notice of invalids—especially those afflicted with that miserable disease Dyspepsia, a specific remedy, which is nothing more or less than

Brandy.

The aged, with feeble appetite and more or less debility, will find this simple medicine, when used properly,

A Sovereign Remedy

or all their ills and aches. Be it, however strictly understood that we prescribe and use but one article, and that is

REIGART'S OLD BRANDY,

Sold by our enterprising young friend, H. E. SLAYMAKER. This Brandy has stood the test for years, and has never failed, as far as our experience extends, and we therefore give it the preference over all other Brandies, no matter with how many jaw-breaking French titles they are branded. One-fourth of the money that is yearly thrown away on various impotent dyspepsia specifics would suffice to buy all the Brandy to cure any such case or cases. In proof of the curative powers of

Reigart's Old Brandy,

in cases of Dyspepsia, we can summon numbers of witnesses—one case in particular we cite:—

A hard-working farmer had been afflicted with an exhaustive Dyspepsia for a number of years; his stomach would reject almost every kind of food; he had sour eructations constantly—no appetite—in fact, he was obliged to restrict his diet to crackers and stale bread, and as a beverage he used McGrann's Root Beer. He is a Methodist, and then, as now, preached at times, and in his discourses often declaimed earnestly against all kinds of strong drink. When advised to try

Reigart's Old Brandy,

in his case, he looked up with astonishment, but after hearing of its wonderful effects in the cases of some of his near acquaintances, he at last consented to follow our advice. He used the Brandy faithfully and steadily; the first bottle giving him an appetite, and before the second was taken he was a sound man, with a stomach capable of digesting anything which he chose to eat. He still keeps it and uses a little occasionally; and since he has this medicine he has been of very little pecuniary benefit to the doctor.—A PRACTISING PHYSICIAN.

H. E. SLAYMAKER,
AGENT FOR
Reigart's Old Wine Store,
Established in 1785,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
FINE OLD BRANDIES, SHERRIES, SUPERIOR OLD MADEIRA, (Imported in 1818, 1827 and 1828,) CHAMPAGNES
EVERY BRAND, SCOTCH ALE
PORTER, BROWN STOUT.
No. 29 EAST KING ST., LANCASTER, P

GEORGE FLICK,
TAXIDERMIST,
No. 15 West German Street.
Birds and animals stuffed on reasonable terms. a24-1wd*

MARKETS.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Flour—State and Western quiet, steady; superfine state $4 00@4 65; extra do $4 70@4 90; choice do $4 95@5 00; fancy $5 05@6 00; round hoop Ohio $4 90@5 75; choice do $5 80@6 75; superfine western $4 00@4 65; common to good extra do $4 70@4 90; choice do do $4 95@7 00; choice white wheat do $4 80@5 25; Southern quiet and heavy; common to fair extra $5 25@5 60; good to choice do $5 65@7 00.

Wheat—Spring quiet and nominal; Winter heavy ½@1c lower; No. 2 Red, cash $1 31½@1 31¾; do May $1 28¾@1 29; do June $1 29⅞@1 29½; No. 1 White, April, $1 28; do May $1 29½.

Corn dull and shade easier; Mixed western spot, 51@52¾c; do future 46⅝@52c.

Oats steady, including No. 2 for May 38¾@38⅞c; State 42@52c; Western 40@50c.

Beef dull and prices unchanged.

Pork firmer; new mess $17 50.

Lard quiet and firm; steam rendered $7 60.

Whisky dull; Western $1 08@1 09.

Spirits of turpentine dull at 44@45c.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, April 27.—Flour dull and weak; superfine $3 00@3 50; extra $4 00@4 50; Ohio and Indiana family $5 50@6 25; Penn'a family $5 50@6 00; St. Louis family $5 75@6 50; Minnesota family $5 50@6 12½; patent and high grades $6 50@8 00.

Rye flour at $4 37.

Cornmeal—Brandywine unchanged.

Wheat firm; No. 2 Western Red $1 30@1 31; Penn'a Red $1 30@1 31; Amber $1 31@1 32.

Oats weak; No. 1, 46c; No. 2, 45c; No. 3, 43@43½c; No. 2 mixed 41½@42c.

Rye dull; Western and Pa. 85c.

Provisions firmer; mess pork at $11 50; beef hams $17 50; India mess beef $19 50; bacon—smoked shoulders 5¼@5½c; salt 4½@4½c; smoked hams 10@11c; pickled hams 8¾@9½c.

Lard dull; city kettle 7¾c; loose butchers' 6¾c; prime steam 7⅛@7⅜c.

Butter firm on light supply; creamery extra 28c; Bradford county and New York extra 25@27c; Western reserve extra at 23@24c; do good to choice 18@24c; Rolls quiet; Penn'a extra 19@21c; Western reserve extra 20@22c.

Eggs dull; Penn'a 10½@11c; Western 10@10½c.

Cheese scarce and firm; New York factory 14@14½c; Western full cream, good, 14; do half-skims 11@12c.

Petroleum dull; Refined 7½c.

Whisky at $1 10.

Seeds dull; good to prime cloverseed $6 25@7 00; do timothy $2 90@3 00; do flaxseed $1 60@1 70.

Stock Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, April 27.
12:30 P. M.

Stocks dull and steady.

Penna 6's (third issue)	107½
Philadelphia & Erie	16⅝
Reading	32⅝
Pennsylvania	54⅝
Lehigh Valley	52⅛
United Cos. of N. J	160
Northern Pacific	29
" Preferred	53¼
Northern Central	34
Lehigh Navigation	36
Norristown	102
Central Transportation Co.	49¼
Pitts., Titusville & Buffalo	18⅛
Little Schuylkill	55

NEW YORK, April 27.

Stocks weak.

Money	5@6
N. Y. Central	130⅞
Erie	42⅝
Adams Express	111½
Michigan Central	90¼
Michigan Southern	107¾
Illinois Central	106
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	112¾
Chicago & Rock Island	108
Pittsburgh & Fort Wayne	119
Western Union Tel. Co.	105⅝
Toledo & Wabash	39⅝
New Jersey Central	77⅞

United States Bonds and Sterling Exchange

(Quotations by B. K. Jamison & Co., S. W. Cor. 3d and Chestnut Streets).

PHILADELPHIA, April 27.

United States 6's, 1881, (registered)	106¼@106¾
United States 5's, 1881, (registered)	102⅝
United States 4½'s, 1891, (registered)	108⅞@109
United States 4½'s, 1891, (coupons)	108⅞@109
United States 4's, 1907, (registered)	107¼@107⅜
United States Currency 6's	125 @126
Sterling Exchange	485½@488½

Cattle Market.

MONDAY, April 26.—The arrivals of cattle at the various Philadelphia yards for the past week were: Beeves, 2,950 head; sheep and lambs, 6,000 do.; hogs, 5,500 do.; fresh cows, 180 do.

Beeves—The market during the past week has been inactive, and prices were ¼c per ℔. lower. We quote Extra at 5½@5¾c; good at 5@5⅜c; medium, 4¾@4⅞c; common, 4@4¼c; mixed, 3@4c.

SALES AT THE WEST PHILADELPHIA YARD.

Head.
180 Roger Maynes, Western and Lancaster co., gross, 5@6c.
169 Owen Smith, Pa. gross, 4¾@5¼c.
137 A. & J. Christy, Western and Lan. co., gross, 4¾@5¾c.
105 E. S. & B. F. McFillen, Western, and Lan. co., gross, 5@5½c.
252 Ullman & Lehman Bros., Western and Penn'a, gross, 5@5¾c.
58 James Clemson, Lan. co., gross, 4¾@5¼c.
55 Denis Smyth, Penn'a, gross, 5@5¼c.
260 John McArdle, Lancaster and York co., gross, 5@5¾c.
60 Daniel Murphy, Lancaster county, gross, 5@5¾c.
120 Lowenstein & Adler, Western, gross, 5@5½c.
212 G. Schamberg & Co., Western, gross, 5@5¾c.
40 F. Sheetz, Penn'a., gross, 3¾@5¾c.
50 L. Horn, Penn'a, gross, 4@5c.
101 Daniel Smyth & Bro., Western and Lanc. co., gross, 4¾@5¼c.
94 Bachman & Levi, Western and Lancaster county, gross, 5@5½c.
36 Abe Ostheim, Western, gross, 4¾@5¼c.
16 S. Dreifus, Penn'a, gross, 5@5½c.
25 P. Hathaway, Lanc. co., gross, 5@5⅝c.
31 E. & L. Chandler, Lan. co., gross, 5@5¾c.
90 L. Schamberg, Lan. co., and Pa., gross, 4¾@5¼c.
35 Jas. Eustace, York co., gross, 4¾@5¼c.
221 J. F. Sadler & Co., Western, gross 5@5¼c.
60 M. Levi, Lan. co., gross, 4½@5½c.

SALES AT THE NORTH PHILADELPHIA YARD.

149 B. Hope, Lan. co., gross, 5@5¼c.
105 Kifer & Katz, Chicagos, gross, 5¼@5⅞c.
68 Ridey & Scattergood, Chicagoes, gross, 5@5¾c.
67 W. W. Tiffany, Chicagoes, gross, 5@5¼c.
26 E. & L. Chandler, Lan. co., gross, 5⅛@5¾c.
16 W. S. Geissinger, mixed, gross, 5½c.
15 B. Baldwin, Chester co., gross, 5¼@5⅝c.
26 Wm. Robbins, mixed, gross, 3¼@4½c.

Fresh Cows were moderately active and prices ranged from $20 to $50 per head.

Lambs were in demand, but few arrived. We quote from 6@7½c per pound; Spring do at 10@11c.

Hogs were in fair demand, but prices were ¼c per pound lower than last week. We quote extras at 7c; good at 6¾c; medium 6½c; common 6¼c.

Sheep—The light arrivals had the effect of making prices firmer. But few extra sheep were in the market. We quote Extra, 100 to 130 lbs., 7¼@7½c; good, 90 to 100 lbs, 7@7¼c; good, 80 to 90 lbs 6¾@7c; fair, 70 to 80 lbs, 6¾@6¾c; inferior, 6@6¼c; common, 5¾@5⅞c.

Samuel C. Stewart sold 511 head dressed sheep at 7½@8c.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—For the Middle and South Atlantic states, rising barometer, slightly cooler possibly followed by warmer, clear weather, northwest to southwest winds.

HORRIBLE REVELATION.

A Boy Confessing Murder and Implicating His Mother in the Crime.

WATERBURY, Vt., April 27—Almun Meeker, twenty years old, confessed to the murder of his niece, Miss Meeker, who has been missing since last Friday. Meeker says they wished to rid themselves of the girl and he had his mother give her strychnine, after which they buried her in a swamp, after tying a handkerchief over her mouth. Meeker accompanied the officers and found the body, and to-day physicians are making an examination.

HARRISBURG.

Speculating on the Probable Action of To-morrow's Convention.

HARRISBURG, April 27.—The leaders of both factions of the Philadelphia Democracy are very reticent this morning, but it is known that some of McGowan's party favor admitting twenty-three delegates of each delegation, thus dividing the vote. The Vaux people give no hint of their plans. It appears as though the delegation to Cincinnati will go uninstructed.

PARNELL AND SHAW.

The Rupture Between the Irish Home Rulers.

LONDON, April 27.—A dispatch from Dublin announces that a meeting of Home Rulers is now in session and that the question of admitting reporters is under discussion. This is probably a meeting of Mr. Shaw's adherents, in which case the rupture with Mr. Parnell seems to be complete.

MIGHT HAVE BEEN A PANIC.

The Belleville, Ont., Opera House Burns Down—Loss, $15,000.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., April 27.—The Belleville opera house was burned down this morning. The loss is 15,000; insurance $6,000. Haverly minstrels gave a performance in the building two hours before the fire broke out.

A NEGRO'S CRIME.

Sentenced to Thirty Years' Imprisonment for Rape.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The negro Thomas Smothers, convicted on the 20th inst. of rape upon Miss Lena Leins on the 27th of last February, was sentenced this morning to thirty years' imprisonment at hard labor in the Albany penitentiary.

RUSSIA'S GRAIN EXPORTS.

Material Decrease in Quantity.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 27.—The exports of grain from Russsia during the months of January and February, were 1,099,000 quarters below those of the corresponding period last year, being a decrease of 37 per cent.

A MODERN BLUEBEARD.

The Escape by Night of an Afghan Wife from Her Cruel Husband.

A correspondent of the London *Times* says: In the village of Gandamak there lives a Mohammdan mollah, or clergyman, named Said Mir, to whose house there came from the neighboring village of Petta, one Kadir, a potter. The reverend gentleman supplied his guest with dried mulberries, the only food at that hour available in the house, after which the pair sat down on the terrace below the pomegranategrove which overhangs the stream, to smoke and talk. Said the potter to the mollah, "I have in my house a daughter, who is beautiful and of a marriageable age; if I could suitably dispose of her I should have room in my establishment for another wife." "Brother potter," replied the mollah, "I can well feel for you. I have myself a daughter, whose face is like the moon, whose lips are like the seed of the pomegranate, whose hair is like tangled snakes; but what availeth all this beauty? Wives are certainly more useful than da