nue which was owned by Miss Fanny Sholtz and occupied by William Campbell as a cigar factory, was destroyed by fire. The fire was discovered shortly after 9 o'clock; an alarm was immediately given, and the Humane fire company was soon on the ground. The first two plugs which they attempted to open were found to be frozen but the third was all right. A stream was soon playing on the fire, but it was too late, and the building with its contents was almost entirely destroyed. 200 empty cigar boxes, 400 pounds of tobacco, 3 cigar presses and 4,000 cigar moulds were burned. This stock was owned by Mr. Campbell and the insurance on it was $450. That will probably cover the loss. The building was insured for $150.

How the fire originated is not known. When it was discovered Mr. Campbell and family were at church. There was a stove in the building, which had a fire, in it and the fire may have started from that.

RESIST MONOPOLY.

THE CITY LAMPS NOT LIGHTED.

Complaints from all Quarters—Gas Bills Heavy "All the Same."

One of the duties of the city police officers is to report to the chief of police, once a week, the condition of the lamps in the several wards and the number of them that are unlit. The report made this morning shows that not half of the gas lamps were burning last night. Officer Weitzel, of the First ward, says eight or ten were unlit in his ward. Officer Elias, of the Seventh ward says that only three gas lamps were burning in that ward last night, and Officer Shay reports only eight burning in the Eighth ward. Reports from the other wards are almost as bad. The officers say that very frequently the lamps are not lighted at all, and that many of them cannot be lighted because they are frozen, or from other cause. No such complaints are made relative to the gasoline lamps, and several of the officers affirm that the latter give a better light than the gas lamps. These unfavorable reports, coupled with the recent trouble at the gas works, and the customary heavy gas bill, about $1,500, recently presented to the city, have created quite a hubbab in official quarters, and the mayor and the lamp committee are seriously considering the question of dispensing altogether with gas and substituting gasoline instead. The chairman of the lamp committee is positive that the city would save money and get better light by making the change.

It will be remembered that last fall the city councils gave permission to the gas company to have the street lamps put out at midnight for the space of ten days, and that an extension of time was granted them to enable the company to make some necessary improvements. For more than fifty nights the gas was turned off at midnight, instead of being allowed to burn until daybreak, as the contract calls for; and yet when the company presented its bill to the lamp committee it was for the sum of about $1,500—the full amount, at $18 per lamp. The committee estimated that the amount of gas saved to the company by shutting off at midnight (even if all the lamps had been lighted, which was not the case) would be of the value of between $300 and $400, and they refused to pay the bill. After a conference the gas company agreed to deduct first $50 and then $100 from the bill, but this deduction, it is said, is not at all satisfactory to the finance committee and the authorities generally, and hence the talk of substituting gasoline.

THE COASTING.

Large Crowds Out Last Night Enjoying the Sport—Accidents on the Ice.

The rain of Thursday night and yesterday morning, covered the streets with slush and ice. When the "blizzard" came on yesterday afternoon, the streets were frozen up again and they were left with a thick coating of ice. The coasting is first class on the hills and the crowds who enjoyed the sport last night were large. The largest number of persons was to be found on the Chestnut street hill. There were 50 sleds of different kinds there, and there were probably 200 or 300 people. There were many very large sleds, some of which held from six to ten people. The hill was in excellent condition. The start was made at Charlotte street and the sleds ran down past Water street, making a slide of over two squares.

At this hill several slight accidents occurred during the evening. John Weitzel, son of Casper Weitzel, was thrown from a large sled and had his arm sprained. Collisions were frequent. In one of these one large sled ran into another, on which were riding two sisters, named respectively Katie and Annie Buskin, daughters of Mrs. Thomas Buskin, residing at No. 320 West Walnut street. So severe was the shock of the collision that both girls had their ankles badly sprained, if not broken. Kate was taken to the residence of John Sowers, West Walnut street, where she boards, and Annie was taken to the residence of her mother. This family has been trebly unfortunate, as Mrs Buskin on Monday last, fell on the ice and sustained a concussion of the brain, from which she still suffers.

Dinah's hill was also in fine condition last night, but as it is very steep it is the most dangerous hill in the city, and persons wishing to slide would rather go to safer hills. The crowd was small there last night; other hills in the city had large crowds.

The weather was very cold and the lookers-on who did not care to risk their necks by "going down" on the sleds only kept warm with the greatest difficulty. It has been cold all day to-day and the coasting will be fine to-night.

Yesterday Mrs. Eckert, residing with her daughter Mrs. Weaver, No. 706 South Queen street, while walking in the yard adjoining her residence, slipped on the ice and fell breaking one of her arms.

This morning Mrs. Adam Myers, of South Beaver street, while on her way home from market, fell on the icy pavement and injured her hip so severely that she was unable to walk. She had to be taken home where Dr. M. L. Herr attended her.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Frank Hains, residing at 421 Beaver street, slipped on the ice and fell in rear of her residence, very severely injuring her knees, and rendered her incapable of walking. Dr. Welchans attended her.

The Soup House.

Mayor MacGonigle acknowledged the following contributions to the soup house: "T. L." by Geo. W., cash, $5; Wm. G. Baker, cash $5; J. M. Keiper, bread; G. S. Brady 13 loaves of bread; S. R. Miller, two bushels of peas; John Buckwalter, Manor township, twelve loaves of bread, eleven quarts of beans, corn and six pounds of rice; L. Goos & Son, twelve loaves of bread; G. S. Brady, baking 116 loaves of bread; Christian Sheaffer, one bushel of peas; C. A. Heinitsh, two pounds of pepper; Benjamin Evans, 33 pounds of pudding.

The mayor is awaiting additional contributions as the supply of both money and provisions is limited.

What Might Have Been.

During the alarm of fire last evening as the Friendship hose carriage was going down Orange street, William Haldy, who inherits in a large degree the paternal feeling in regard to fire matters, having hold of the tongue of the carriage, slipped on the icy street and falling was dragged for some distance, he retaining his hold. As it was, the wheel passed over his boot, injuring his foot but slightly; he was otherwise bruised and scratched.

COLUMBIA NEWS.

OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE

A stated meeting of council was held last evening with President Witmer in the chair and the members all present except Messrs. Bachman and Llewellyn. The finance committee presented the following report:

RECEIPTS.

Balance at date of last report	$2,138 98
Barr—rent for store room	60 00
Transient rents, per Strawbridge	30 50
Rents for auditorium	125 00
Annual market rents	8 00
Rents of store rooms	405 00
Hershey—collector, 1877	20 00
" " 1878	100 00
" " 1879	113 75
Rocklus, " 1880	556 97
Total receipts	$3,558 20
Orders charged since last report	1,051 89
Balance	$2,506 31

The finance committee presented the annual statement of the assets and liabilities of the borough, in accordance with the sixth section of the act of April 20, 1874:

ASSETS.

Opera house, including ground		$100,000 00
Market House		40,000 00
Taxes—Uncollected duplicate, 1878	$1,476 46	
Taxes—Uncollected duplicate, 1879	3,168 03	
Taxes—Uncollected duplicate, 1880	4,437 10	
		9,081 59
Personal property of the bor. viz.:		
Investments, furniture, etc	$ 665 00	
Fire plugs, lamp, and lamp posts	2,331 00	
Tools, &c	100 00	
		3,096 00
Cash in treasury		2,506 31
Total assets		$154,683 90

LIABILITIES.

6 per cent. loans, due April 1, 1882	$ 18,000 00
6 " " " 1884	103,000 00
6 " " June 1, 1889	5,000 00
5 " " Jan. 1, 1899	14,000 00
Bills payable—floating debt:	
Note in First National Bank, due January 15, 1881	1,500 00
Note in First National Bank, due February 5, 1881	8,000 00
Total liabilities	$149,500 00

Assessed valuation of property in the borough liable to taxation for 1881 ..... $2,259,751 00

The property committee reported that they had engaged Mr. R. J. M. Little to take care of the opera house clock until the next election of officers. The tenants of the opera house store rooms report as follows: Mr L. W. May will renew lease for 3 years; Mr. G. M. Foster, 1 year; Mr. A. Jessel, 1 year; Mr. Ed. H. Patton, 3 years, but desires additional cellar room. The committee recommended that the Columbia water company have a bill presented them for the use of a room in the opera house in their elections of officers for a few years past.

The road committee has authorized the borough solicitor to have a jury appointed during this month to view Manor street. The following with reference to the repairs of the Columbia engine was received from the Manchester locomotive works: "We could attach to your engine a new steel boiler with compositon tubes, and overhaul and repair the machinery for something like $1000."

The following resolution was adopted: *Resolved*, That the collectors of tax duplicates of 1876-'77-'78 and '79, if said taxes are not paid on or before the first day of March next, be ordered to collect the same at once by process of law, so as to close up said tax duplicates; also that the president of council appoint a committee of two, with the solicitor of the borough, to meet the collectors of the above duplicates in the early part of February to audit and adjust all matters pertaining to them. Messrs. Pfahler and Witmer were appointed on the committee.

The property committee was instructed to release the opera house store rooms provided the tenants bind themselves to retain the rooms for the time specified and to the same committee was referred the petition of Mr. Staman on the question of enlarging his cellar. $2 per election was charged the water company. Bills to the amount of $1,048.03, including pay roll of $154.24, were read and orders granted. Adjourned.

Borough Budget.

Robert Reginald, the little son of Aaron Lutz, died on Thursday afternoon of diptheria.

The Pennsylvania railroad pay car was in town yesterday evening and the employees were paid for the month of December.

The teachers' institute is now in session in the high school room.

A man named Berger, a brakeman on the Pennsylvania railroad, had one of his fingers mashed yesterday while coupling cars in the west yard at this place. Berger is a resident of Marietta.

A sociable was given last evening in the Citizens band room at Desch's hall, on Walnut street above Third. Blackson's orchestra was on hand, but the band discoursed the music for the grand march. The festivities were kept up until a late hour.

A couple Columbia's best known gentlemen purpose leaving here for Texas in a couple of weeks. It is said they will go on an engineer corps to build a railroad from Galveston into Mexico.

The cold wave has struck us and the mercury, which had been hanging fire about the forties for a couple of days, yesterday afternoon took a downward turn and during the night passed the teens, going within 8° of zero. At 6 o'clock this morning it pointed to 10° above.

The sleighing on the river is excellent. Some boys were skating to-day, but the ice is rough.

Burning Accident.

John Deever, who is employed at the Penn iron works, and resides at 439 St. Joseph street, met with an accident last evening. He is a helper at one of the heaters and was engaged tapping cinders, which ran into a pool of water. When it touched the water the cake exploded, and some of the pieces struck Deever in the face. He was very badly burned about the face and hands, and one hand was lacerated. He was taked to the office by Dr. M. L. Herr, who attended him, and he was afterwards removed to his home.

New Schedule.

A new schedule goes into effect on the Pennsylvania railroad at 6 a. m. on Monday. There are several changes in the time for the leaving of trains. Cincinnati, east, which now leaves here at 2:10 a. m., will be changed to 2:55; fast line, east, instead of 5:20 a. m., will leave at 5:08; Philadelphia express, east, now arriving at 4:35 a. m., will be discontinued; fast line, west, will leave at 2:30 p. m., instead of 2:35; Pacific express at 2:45 instead of 2:40, and Frederick accommodation at 2:35 instead of 2:40.

Narrow Escape.

Yesterday afternoon a gentleman driving in a top wagon turned into Water street at Orange just as a freight train—not flagged—was backing down towards King street station. The narrow street and high snow banks which line each side make it almost impossible to pass a train and a serious accident seemed imminent, fortunately the entrance to Doerrs' slaughter house was open, into which the team was quickly turned just in time to escape the car.

Lands of the Bible To-night.

The exhibition of Pompeian views last night was highly satisfactory. The pictures came out on the canvas with a reality that compelled one almost to imagine himself among the scenes represented. To-night the programme will be Egypt and Palestine, and the entertainment, which is the last of the course, will be one of interest to everybody.

THE BUZZARD GANG

Have a Hearing at Ephrata To-day.

This morning Abram Buzzard, Joseph Buzzard, Isaac Buzzard, Wm. Weider, Diller Clark and Henry Hower were taken from the Lancaster jail where they were in confinement, and taken by Constable J. Spangler and his deputy, J. Spangler, jr., to Ephrata, for a hearing before Squire Seltzer. Alderman Spurrier and Constables McDevitt and Eichholtz accompanied the party to Ephrata.

On reaching Squire Seltzer's office Isaac Buzzard and Wm. Weider were given a hearing on complaints sworn to by Joseph Gensemer, who charged them with the larceny of some meat, sausage, two geese, and a quantity of apples from his premises. The testimony against the accused was not very strong, but they were held to answer at court in the sum of $600 each.

Abram Buzzard, Joseph Buzzard, Henry Hower and Diller, Clark were charged on oath of Ressa Sweigart, with feloniously entering his dwelling house and carrying off 12½ bushels of clover seed. They also were committed in default of $600 each to answer at court.

This party are believed to have been concerned in the robberies of a number of stores in the vicinity, among others Steinmetz's, of Clay, and Eisenberger's of Millway. Mr. H. R. Hull, a merchant of Sinking Spring, whose store was broken into several weeks ago, recognized his overcoat on the back of Weider and two pair of gloves in possession of Isaac Buzzard.

B. F. Eshleman and J. L. Steinmetz, esqs., represented the commonwealth and J. G. Garman, esq., of Union, the defense.

There are several other cases of burglary, larceny and receiving stolen goods, charged against the same defendants, which will be heard before Alderman Spurrier at an early day.

The accused were lodged in jail at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Sheriff Sales.

The sheriff sold at sheriff's sale to-day the following:

The property of Fanny Shell and John Shell, two lots of ground with improvements in Newville, West Donegal township, to Aaron Dissinger for $585; and three acres of land in Newville to the same for $100.

The property of F. Roller, one-half interest in a lot of ground on the north side of Marietta avenue, this city, with two story brick house and other improvements, to Henry Wolf for $105.

Mayor's Court.

His honor had eight cases of vagrancy and drunkenness before him this morning, five of whom were discharged and three committed. Among the latter was a veteran representative of the art preservative who boasts of having enjoyed the rare honor of instructing the now famous bard and reporter of the *New Era* in the art and mystery of inking rollers, and pulling at the bar of a hand-press.

The City Treasury.

Suspended City Treasurer Welchans was waited upon at 1 p. m. by Appointed City Treasurer Shirk and in answer to the Appointed's demand for the office, the Suspended handed him the key of the office and left. This key will not unlock the safe in which the books and treasure are, presumably.

Kicked by a Horse.

Samuel Bingaman, a hostler at the Black Horse hotel, while passing through the stable this morning, was kicked in the breast and on the head by a horse. He was injured so badly that he was removed to his home on East King street, where he was attended dy a physician.

Bad Boys.

Frank Bender and Robert Gochenauer were before Alderman Samson this morning charged with professional theiving in and about the Northern market. Bender was committed for 10 and Gochenauer for 20 days.

Lancaster County House.

Ed. Wiley, owner of the Lancaster County house, East King street, has leased said property to Jacob F. Smith, now of the Leopard hotel, who will take possession April 1.

Spilled Milk.

Yesterday afternoon the spring of a milk wagon, belonging to Al. Vollrath, broke on South Queen street, and a lot of milk was spilled around the street.

Scientific Lecture.

Dr. Stanley Smith will lecture before the Microscopical society of this city next Tuesday evening in the subject of polarized light. Dr. Smith is a well known oculist of Reading.

Shaving is a rascally business, shaving with Cuticura Shaving Soap alone excepted.

Amusements.

"*My Partner*" *To-night.*—The Aldrich and Parsloe combination, which will to-night present, under Mr. Mishler's management, Bartley Campbell's sterling comedy-drama of "My Partner" at Fulton opera house, comes bearing the very highest credentials of merit. Mr. Aldrich, who impersonates the role of the hardy and courageous man of nerve and iron, and Mr. Parsloe, who furnishes a photograph of the character of the "Heathen Chinee," are both actors of reputation, and in their company are such notable names as Frank Mordaunt, Walter Lenox, jr., and Miss Dora Goldthwaite. A fine entertainment is assured.

"*Col. Mulberry Sellers.*"—The chart is now open at the opera house office for the sale of reserved seats for Tuesday evening next, when the distinguished comedian, Mr. John T. Raymond will appear in Mark Twain's great creation of *Col. Mulberry Sellers*. This will be one of the comedy events of the season, and as there is no advance on the usual prices people who desire to witness it will show wisdom in reserving their seats and providing against a rush on Tuesday night.

Equally adapted to the feeble or robust, male or female, are Malt Bitters.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

The Power of the Press.

In no way is the power of the press more surely shown than in the universal knowledge that has in less than a year, been diffused throughout fifty millions of people of the curative properties of that splendid remedy Kidney-Wort. And the people from the Atlantic to the Pacific have shown their intelligence and their knowledge of what is in the papers, by already making Kidney-Wort their household remedy for all disease of the kidneys, liver and bowels.—*Herald.* jl0-1wd&w

SAMPLE NOTICE.

It is impossible for a woman after a faithful course of treatment with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to continue to suffer with a weakness of the uterus. Enclose a stamp to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western avenue, Lynn, Mass., for pamphlets. ly29-lydeod&w

Coughs.

"*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" are used with advantage to alleviate Coughs, Sore Throat, Hoarseness and Bronchial Affections. For thirty years these Troches have been in use, with annually increasing favor. They are not new and untried, but, having been tested by wide and constant use for nearly an entire generation, they have attained well-merited rank among the few staple remedies of the age.

The Throat.

"*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" act directly on the organs of the voice. They have an extraordinary effect in all disorders of the Throat and Larynx, restoring a healthy tone when relaxed, either from cold or over-exertion of the voice, and produce a clear and distinct enunciation. *Speakers and Singers* find the Troches useful.

A Cough, Cold, Catarrh or Sore Throat requires immediate attention, as neglect oftentimes results in some incurable Lung Disease. "*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" will almost invariably give relief. Imitations are offered for sale, many of which are injurious. The genuine "*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" are sold *only in boxes.* jan15-1yd&wTu,Th&S

It is impossible to find a cough and cold medicine to compare favorably with Dr. Browning's C. & C. Cordial. It is pleasant to the taste, searches out the affected parts, and silently but effectually accomplishes its mission. We advise any one troubled with a cough or cold to give it a trial. It will speedily help consumptives. Asthmatic troubles soon disappear, and the patient afflicted with that terrible complaint should at once procure a bottle. Price, 50 cents. If your druggist does not sell it, send direct to Dr. Browning, 1117 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa. jl3-1wd

Difficulty of Obtaining Port Wine.

The difficulty of obtaining a pure Port Wine for sickness is one great cause why physicians refuse to prescribe it where they know it would benefit their patient, because they fear that some poisonous mixture will be given them instead of Port Wine, and the injury be irreparable. California wines are being terribly mixed and adulterated with alcohol and water and other ingredients to make it cheap, so as to bring a greater profit from the sales. The most excellent and finest Port Wine is made in New Jersey, from the Oporto Grape, by Alfred Speer, and has become the most reliable wine for Hospital and Communion purposes. This Wine has been thoroughly analyzed, and is pronounced by chemists to be the pure juice of the grape, and to contain the most valuable medicinal properties. It is sold by druggists, who purchase direct from Mr. Speer's Vineyards in New Jersey.—*Evening Post.*

The above wine has become in great demand in New York and Brooklyn for communion and hospital use.

This wine is recommended by Drs. Atlee and Davis, and for sale by H. E. Slaymaker, Lancaster, Pa. jl-2wd&w

DEATHS.

WEH.—January 13, 1881, in this city, Jacob Weh, in the 76th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, on Bachman's lane, near College avenue, on Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Services at St. Stephen's church. Interment at Zion's cemetery.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LUNCH—GRAND LUNCH WILL BE served this evening. Barboy's Celebrated Beep on tap, at Hotel Franke. ltd JOHN HESS, Proprietor.

STORE ROOM FOR RENT FROM APRIL 1 or sooner. The first floor, now used by myself, 185 feet long and 21 feet wide; back, with good east, north and south light. A splendid room for a good carpet, paper, shade, crockery, matting, oil cloth and stair rod store, and accompanying trimmings, fixtures, &c.; a store much needed in this city, with fine and large furniture rooms on second and third floors, each being in harmony and advantageous to each other. For particulars call on A. K. HOFFMEIER, ltd* No. 26 East King Street.

MORE BARGAINS AT

METZER, BARD & HAUGHMAN'S

NEW CHEAP STORE.

Just received another and the last lot to be had of that Extraordinary Bargain in

Black Silk at $1.25,

Equal to any ever sold at $1.50.

We open to-day a large lot of

All Wool Felt Skirts

Direct from the Manufacturer, at very Low Prices.

One lot of the best quality Felt at $1.50; regular price $2.25 to $2.50. This is the best bargain we have ever seen.

Ladies' Cloth Gloves at 25 and 50 cents; just half price.

Children's Cloth Gloves at 15 cents; regular price 37½ cents.

SEVERAL LOTS OF

Ladies' and Children's Hose

AT ABOUT HALF PRICE.

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NEW CHEAP STORE,

38 West King Street,

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Great Reduction in Price.

We keep constantly on hand a choice assortment of Piece Goods to select from in all the Latest Styles.

LAUNDRIED and UNLAUNDRIED SHIRTS, the very best in the market, made of Wamsutta Muslins and Fine Linen. Every one guaranteed to fit.

MERINO UNDERSHIRTS AND DRAWERS, the very best in the market for the money.

Full lines of HOSIERY, SUSPENDERS, NECKWEAR, &c., all at lowest prices. Please give us a call.

Givler, Bowers & Hurst,

25 East King Street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT.—STORE AND DWELLING No. 10 South Queen street. Apply at the INTELLIGENCER Office.

WANTED—GOOD TOBACCO STRIPPERS. Wages from $3.50 to $4 per week. Inquire at JOHN P. WOLF'S, ltd* 214 North Mulberry Street.

A SOCIAL EVENING PARTY WILL BE held at C. B. Herr's Hotel, Millersville, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 18, 1881. The public are respectfully invited. 2td*

PUBLIC SALE OF HORSES ON MONDAY, JANUARY, 17, 1881, at J. D. Denlinger's Merrimac House, 115 North Prince street, Lancaster, Pa., 16 HEAD OF FRANKLIN COUNTY HORSES, among them are some heavy-boned feeders.

Sale to commence at one o'clock p. m. Credit of 6 days will be given.

ltd* DANIEL LOGAN.

NOTICE TO LANDLORDS.—IF YOU have Dwellings or Business Properties to rent, we can furnish good tenants. Renters are applying daily at our office and we want more properties to supply them. Terms reasonable.

ALLAN A. HERR & CO., Real Estate and Insurance Agents, jan14-3tdR 3 North Duke Street.

CONTROLLING INTEREST IN A GAS Company for sale.—639 shares of the Mt. Joy Gas Company will be offered for sale by M. Thomas & Sons, at the Philadelphia Exchange, Philadelphia, on TUESDAY next, JANUARY 18, at 12 o'clock noon. The works are substantially built, and are free from encumbrance have been in operation one year, giving good satisfaction and are earning a good profit above expenses, with an increasing demand for gas, whereby the number of meters can easily be doubled this year. This is an excellent opportunity for any party wanting a permanent paying investment and business. jan13&17d

PUBLIC SALE.—ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1881, will be sold at public vendue, at the Cooper House, on West King street, Lancaster, Pa., the following property to wit:

The three-story Tin Roofed Dwelling House, with two-story brick slate-roofed and one-story frame kitchen attachments, having 11 rooms, gas, hot and cold water, bath and range, and situate No. 141 East Lemon street, Lancaster, Pa., being the property of Miss Frances Kready. The lot fronts 22 feet 7 inches on Lemon street, extending northward 245 feet, and has a variety of fruit thereon. Possession and good title will be given April 1, 1881.

Sale to commence at 7¼ o'clock p. m. of said day, when easy terms and conditions will be made known by BAUSMAN & BURNS, Real Estate Agents.

B. F. ROWE, Auct. jan10-2wdeodR

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All orders or goods left with us will receive prompt attention.

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FOR SALE.

TO TOBACCO BUYERS.

HEAVY PAPER SUITABLE FOR BAILING TOBACCO CHEAP AT

jan13-tfd&w THIS OFFICE.

AUCTION.

On To-morrow (SATURDAY) evening, will be sold at Burkholder's store, corner of Chestnut and Plum streets, No. 339, Dry Goods, Notions, etc. Sale at 7 o'clock.

jan7-6wdF&S H. K. BURKHOLDER, Agt.

HOTEL AND STABLING FOR RENT. The two-story hotel with large yard and stabling, Nos. 110 and 112 South Queen street, within one square of Centre Square. The hotel is now occupied by Henry Erisman, and the stabling, &c., by T. Haughton as a livery stable. Apply to MRS. FITZPATRICK, jan13-tfd No. 40 North Duke Street.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY. The undersigned executor of Abraham Bitner, deceased, will sell at public sale, at the Cadwell House, Lancaster, Pa., on THURSDAY, JANUARY 20, 1881, the following described property:

All that valuable property situated on the west side North Queen street, above Chestnut, containing in front on North Queen street, 48 feet 4 inches, more or less, and extending westward 128 feet, more or less, thence along property of Jno. R. Bitner northward 32 feet 9¾ inches, thence westward along property of B. Huber, 98 feet, more or less, thence along the line of the Pennsylvania railroad 145 feet, more or less, thence eastward 100 feet, more or less, to place of beginning, on which is erected two two-story FRAME HOUSES on North Queen street, Nos. 212 and 216, and on the rear a Brick Warehouse. The above property will be sold as a whole or in parts.

A draft of the property may be seen by calling on the undersigned.

Sale to commence at 7 o'clock p. m. on said day, when conditions will be made known by JOHN R. BITNER, Executor of Abm. Bitner, Deceased.

H. SHUBERT, Auct. jan5-6tdW&S

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SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 15, 1881.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—For the New England and Middle states during the rest of Saturday, cold and clear or fair weather, northerly winds, shifting to east and south, followed by falling barometer and slowly rising temperature, and light snow by Sunday morning.

"THE LURID LEVELER."

Destructive Flames in Birdsboro.

BIRDSBORO, Pa., Jan. 15.—The house of Mrs. Henry Kupp was totally destroyed by fire at noon to-day. Loss, $5,000. A large lot of silverware was destroyed. The fire originated from a stovepipe in the kitchen.

A Destructive Fire.

DRESDEN Ont., Jan. 15—A. McVoan's hub and spoke factory took fire at 1:30 o'clock this morning and is now burning. The surrounding buildings containing finished and unfinished material will be saved. Loss $25,000; insurance $5,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Large Warehouse Burned.

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 15.—The western or receiving warehouse of the Old Dominion steamship company, was burned this morning. The building was entirely destroyed, together with four hundred bales of cotton and over $10,000 worth of general merchandise.

Oleomargarine Factory Burned.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 15.—The oleomargarine factory of the American manufacturing company on Cross street, South Baltimore, was burned this morning. Loss, between $5,000 and $8,000.

THE READING RAILROAD.

No Action Taken Yet With Regard to an Election.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 16.—The board of managers of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad, have not yet been called together to decide upon the time for holding the annual meeting and election. The statement is made at the office of the company that a session of the managers will probably be held on Monday morning fer that purpose. The statement that Mr. Gowen has sailed for home is denied.

The managers held their regular meeting this afternoon, but postponed action in regard to the annual meeting until Monday morning.

AN EXPLOSION,

Caused by a Fenian Attempt to Blow Up a British Armory.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The explosion at Salford, which is supposed was caused by a Fenian attempt to blow up the armory of the infantry barracks was heard for the distance of a mile. The barracks are situated in a very populous district. One woman was desperately and a boy, it is feared, fatally injured. There were several thousand stand of arms in the armory at the time.

THE COAL COMPANIES.

Considering the Question of Resumption on Full Time.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 15.—The coal companies now have under consideration the question of resuming work at the mines on full time next week, but no understanding has been reached. It is stated that all the companies with one exception have agreed to this proposal, but that it has been determined to take no action upon the programme for February until the latter part of this month.

Bursting of a Locomotive Boiler.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 15.—The cylinder of a locomotive in the tunnel of the Junction railroad in West Philadelphia, burst shortly before noon, and it is stated that one man was badly scalded.

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MARKETS.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Flour—State and Western dull, without decided change; superfine State $3 30@3 40; extra do $4 20@4 50; choice do $4 60@4 80; fancy do $5 00@6 50; round hoop Ohio $4 25@5 00; choice do at $5 10@6 75; superfine western $3 20@3 40; common to good extra do $4 20@4 65; choice do $4 70@6 75; choice white wheat do $5 00@6 00; Southern quiet and unchanged; common to fair extra $4 75@5 25; good to choice do $5 30@6 50.

Wheat without important change; No. 2 Red Feb. $1 19¾@1 19¾.

Corn a shade stronger and without decided change; Mixed western spot, 54@57c; do future 54½@55c.

Oats quiet and unchanged; State, 44@50c; Western 43@48c.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, January 15.—Flour sluggish; superfine $3 00@3 50; extra $3 75@4 50; Ohio and Indiana family $5 50@6 00; Penn'a family $5 00@5 25; St. Louis family $5 75@6 25; Minnesota clear $5 00@5 75; straight, $5 87@6 25; patent and high grades $6 50@8.

Rye flour firmer at $4 87@5 00.

Wheat—No. 2 Western Red $1 16¼; Del. and Penn'a. Red $1 15@1 16; do Amber $1 15@1 16¼.

Corn steady on local markets; steamer 52½@53c; yellow 53c; mixed 53c.

Oats quiet, but firm; No. 1 White 48c; No. 2 do 47c; No. 3 do 45½@46c; No. 2 Mixed 46c.

Rye firm at 92@93c.

Provisions firm; mess pork, new, $14 25@15 00; beef hams $18 50@19 00; Indian mess beef $19 00, f. o. b. Bacon—smoked hams 9¾@10¾c; pickled hams 8¼@9c; smoked shoulders 5¼@5¾c; salt do 7@5¼c.

Lard firm; city kettle 9¾@9¾c; loose butchers' 8½@8¾c; prime steam $9 25.

Butter—more inquiry for find grade; Creamery extra 32@33c; do good to choice 28@31c; Bradford county and New York extra, tubs, 27@28c; do firkins, 24@25c; Western reserve extra 22@23c; do good to choice 17@21c. Rolls dull mostly poor quality; Penn'a Extra 17@20c; Western Reserve extra 18@21.

Eggs firmer and more demand; Penn'a 34c; Western 32@33c; held lots 25@30.

Cheese in fair demand and firm; New York full cream 13¼@13½c; Western full cream 12½@13c; do fair to good 11½@12½c; do half skims 10@11c; Pa do 10@11c.

Petroleum lower; refined 8½c.

Whisky at $1 12.

Seeds—Good to prime clover quiet 7@8; Flaxseed dull at $1 25@1 30.

Stock Market.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Stocks strong.

	A. M. 11:30	A. M. 12:35	P. M. 2:30	P. M. 1:50	P. M. 3:00
	January 15.				
Money	....	....	5@6	....	....
Erie R. R.	52½	....	....	....	52¾
Michigan S. & L. S.	133½	....	....	....	132¾
Michigan Cent. R. R.	125½	....	....	....	125
Chicago & N. W.	131¾	131¾	....	....	132¾
Chicago, M & St. P.	121¼	120¾	....	....	121
Han. & St. J. Com.	52½	53½	....	....	53½
" " P'ld	106½	107½	....	....	106¾
Toledo & Wabash	48¾	48½	....	....	48½
Ohio & Mississippi	43	42¾	....	....	43
St. Louis, I. M. & S. R.	60½	59¾	....	....	60½
Ontario and Western	33¾	33½	....	....	33¾
C. C. & I. R. R.	22½	22¾	....	....	23
New Jersey Central	88½	88¾	....	....	89
Del. & Hdson Canal	97¾	97¾	....	....	98¼
Del., Lack. & Western	114¾	114¼	....	....	114½
Western Union Tel.	108¾	108¾	....	....	108½
Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	53¾