COLUMBIA NEWS.

OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE.

School Board Meeting.

The school board held its regular monthly meeting in council chamber last night.

The finance committee made the following reports: Balance per last report, $1,844.35; from T. B. Danbar, collector 1881, $589 98; J. H. Oberlin, $2; total, $2,436.33; orders paid since last report, $1,198.49; balance to date, $1,237.84.

Bills amounting to $89.45 were presented and orders given to pay them.

H. B. Young's bill was referred to the text-book committee with power to act. The special committee on commencement exercises made their report. The 2nd of June has been fixed as the date of commencement exercises which will be held in the evening in the opera house.

1,079 pupils were reported by the superintendent of the school, as having attended during the month ending May 3d.

The following is the list of this year's graduates: Misses Janet Tobes, Amy Crowenshields, Callie Wills, Lillie Steinheiser, Natie Patterson and Mr. Max Hanauer.

School Examination.

The examinations at Miss Lydia Baker's school yesterday were creditable in the highest degree to the teacher. A recitation by John Frank, son of 'Squire Frank, was highly amusing and reflected much credit on the young speaker. It was a rendition of Barbara Frietchie in Pennsylvania Dutch. A few more of the school board should be present at these exercises.

Landslide.

An extensive landslide occurred yesterday afternoon on the Port Deposit railroad, fifteen miles south of this place. A large force of workmen was sent down immediately after the news was received at the company's headquarters, and the track was cleared during the night, and is now open again for travel.

Birthday Party.

A large birthday party was given last night at the residence of Mr. Martin Mellinger, one and a half miles from town. It was given on the occasion of his 82d birthday, and among those present were four sons, four daughters, fifty-five grandchildren and eleven great-grand-children. The affair was a very enjoyable one, long to be remembered by those present. The table spread for the entertainment of the guests presented a beautiful appearance, the centre being occupied with a mammoth cake, with the date of his birth on it. Many handsome presents were received. The company departed at a late hour.

Borough Brevities.

Ninety-two men and boys are now employed at Kauffman's quarries. Twelve cars of ballast for the Pennsylvania railroad and four cars of limestone for different furnaces are shipped.

The P. R. R. pay car will arrive in a day or two.

The report that the Donegal church has been closed is unfounded. The church was open for service last Sunday and the matter is to be amicably settled.

It has been suggested that the high school receive a coat of paint. It needs repainting badly.

An intoxicated boatman, who was making too much noise in the waiting room of the Reading & Columbia, was ejected by the ticket agent this morning.

Mr. W. F. Miller, a superintendent of the Standard oil company, was in town yesterday.

The new drug store at the Five Points is nearly completed.

The pavements on the north side of Fourth street, between Cherry and Union streets, are in a wretched condition. Large pools of water have formed in the middle of the walks.

The river is rising at the rate of an inch per hour. The fishermen are securing their property on the islands and batteries, to prevent it being washed away in case of a flood.

Mr. John E. Brown, as reported in yesterday's correspondence, is not dead, but little hope is entertained of his recovery.

A large number of canal boats are lying in the basin. The rainy weather has detained them.

The Citizens' band now has its headquarters on Locust street above Fourth. The boys have not been out lately.

Mr. Fendrich yesterday made a shipment of 10,000 cigars to San Marcia, Mexico.

Mr. Bletz has returned from Lititz, where he had been for some time past engaged in selling, at auction the stock of goods from his father's store, in this place.

A buggy containing a lady and gentleman from the country was overturned this morning at the corner of Fourth and Mill streets. The horse became unmanageable and started to run away. In attempting to turn at the above mentioned place the accident occurred. Beyond a few bruises to the occupants and a slightly broken vehicle no damage was done.

The "Senate" under the opera house, has of late been poorly attended. Where are its members?

Deaf Mute Killed.

Marion Marzberger, a deaf and dumb man, who for the past quarter of a century has been in the habit of traveling through Montgomery county begging, was killed on the railroad at a point between North Wales and Landsdale, Montgomery county. The surprising amount of $787.50 was found in an old necktie around his waist, and in his jacket two watches were also found, together with many articles of minor value.

Harry Hill's Nephew ?

The other morning a young man who gave his name as Harry Hill and pretended to be a nephew of the New York sport by that name and an intimate friend of John L. Sullivan, the boxer, skipped from West Chester, leaving his board bill unpaid and taking with him an overcoat and $5 belonging to a fellow boarder. This same young man spent some time in this city last summer and was looked upon as a beat.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

PHYSICIANS prescribe Colburg's Liebig's liquid Beef and Tonic Invigorator for the weak, worn and dyspeptic. *Take no other.*

In Hot Water.

Orpha M. Hodge, Battle Creek, Mich., writes: "I upset a tea-kettle of boiling hot water on my hand. I at once applied Thomas' Eclectric Oil, and the effect was to immediately allay the pain. I was cured in three days" For sale at H. B. Cochran's Drug Store, 137 North Queen street, Lancaster.

Decline of Man.

Nervous Weakness, Dyspepsia, Impotence, Sexual Debility, cured by Wells' Health Renewer. $1. For sale by John Black.

CROUP, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. For sale at Cochran's drug store, 137 North Queen St. my1-lwdeow&w

My son, aged nine years, was afflicted with Catarrh; the use of Ely's Cream Balm effected a complete cure. W. E. HAMMAN, Druggist, Easton, Pa.

PHILADELPHIA, March 1, 1881. Messrs. Ely Bros., Druggist, Oswego, N.-Y.—Gents: About Oct 1, 1880, I gave your Cream Balm a trial with the most satisfactory results. I was troubled with Chronic Catarrh and gathering in my head, was very deaf at times and had discharges from my ears, besides being unable to breathe through my nose; before the second bottle of your remedy was exhausted I was cured and to-day enjoy sound health for which please accept my sincere thanks. C. J. CORBIN, 923 Chestnut street. Field Manager, Philadelphia Pub. House. Price 50 cents.

For sale at H. B. Cochran's drug store, 137 North Queen street, Lancaster. my12d&w 2

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MYERS & RATHFON.

DON'T FAIL TO EXAMINE OUR TEN DOLLAR SUIT, IT IS EQUAL TO ANY SUIT SOLD ELSEWHERE FOR FOURTEEN DOLLARS. STRICTLY ALL WOOL.

If you are a buyer of Spring Clothing it will pay you to spend some time in our Salesrooms; they are the most spacious in the state outside of Philadelphia. Remember you have over sixty styles to select from and all our own make.

MYERS & RATHFON,

THE POPULAR CLOTHIERS.

DON'T FAIL TO EXAMINE OUR EIGHT DOLLAR SUIT, IT IS EQUAL TO ANY SUIT SOLD ELSEWHERE FOR TWELVE DOLLARS. STRICTLY ALL WOOL.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere. 25 cents a bottle. my2-1y-M,W&S&w

Dr. Frazier's Root Bitters.

Frazier's Root Bitters are not a dram-shop whisky beverage, but are strictly medicinal in every sense. They act strongly upon the liver and kidneys, keep the bowels open and regular, make the weak strong, heal the lungs, build up the nervous and cleanse the blood and system of every impurity.

For Dizziness, Rush of Blood to the Head, tending to Apoplexy, Dyspepsia, Fever and Ague, Dropsy, Pimples and Blotches, Scrofulous Humors and Sores, Tetter, Ring Worm, White Swelling, Erysipelas, Sore Eyes and for young men suffering from Weakness or Debility caused from imprudence, and to females in delicate health, Frazier's Root Bitters are especially recommended.

Dr. Frazier: I have used two bottles of your Root Bitters for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Weakness and Kidney Diseases, and they did me more good than all the doctors and the medicine I ever used. From the first dose I took I began to mend, and I am now in perfect health and feel as well as I ever did. I consider your medicine one of the greatest of blessings.

MRS. M. MARTIN, Cleveland, O.

Sold by H. B. Cochran, 137 and 139 North Queen street, at $1 per bottle. HENRY & Co. Sole Proprietors, 62 Vesey street, New York. 1y25-wk-sd&w

INVIGORATING Food for the Brain and Nerves is what we need in these days of rush and worry. Parker's Ginger Tonic restores the vital energies and brings good health quicker than anything you can use. *Tribune.* See adv. my1-lmdeod&eow

A Cough, Cold or Sore Throat should be stopped. Neglect frequently results in an incurable Lung Disease or Consumption. Brown's Bronchial Troches do not disorder the stomach like cough syrups and balsams, but act directly on the inflamed parts, allaying irritation, give relief in Asthma, Bronchial Coughs, Catarrh, and the Throat Troubles which Singers and Public Speakers are subject to. For thirty years Brown's Bronchial Troches have been recommended by physicians, and always give perfect satisfaction. 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. Sold at 25 cents a box everywhere. my-1-eod F Th F&Tuw

An old lady writes us: "I am 65 years old and was feeble and nervous all the time, when I bought a bottle of Parker's Ginger Tonic. I have used little more than one bottle and feel as well as at 20." See other column. m1-lmdeod&eow

HENRY'S CARBOLIC SALVE.

The best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all kinds of skin eruptions, freckles and pimples. This salve is warranted to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Be sure you get Henry's Carbolic Salve, as all others are but imitations and counterfeits. Price 25 cents. Sold by Lancaster at Cochran's Drug Store,

Remarkable for overcoming disease caused by impure water, decaying vegetation, etc., is Brown's Iron Bitters.

A Good Angel's Visit—A Tale of "Rosadalis."

Blanche called on Kate, one pleasant day, and found her sad and sighing, dearest friend, once bright and gay, now scarce could keep from crying; for, "oh," she said, "'tis a disgrace to see with scrofula, my face so badly marred!" then said her friend, "Rosadalis will your troubles end." Blanche called on Kate another day and found her once more blithe and gay, her face as radiant, skin as fair, as any maiden's anywhere. For skin diseases and impure blood, there's nothing in the world so good as Rosadalis, it drives away all skin disorders, humor,—nay, it tones the system, cures your ills and banishes all doctor's bills! Sold in Lancaster at Cochran's Drug Store, 137 and 139 North Queen street. fy30 ly-eod&w3

Piles! Piles! Piles!

A sure cure found at last! No one need suffer! A sure cure for Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Ulcerated Piles has been discovered by Dr. William (an Indian remedy), called Dr. William's Indian Ointment. A single box has cured the worst chronic cases of 25 or 50 years standing. No one need suffer five minutes after applying this wonderful soothing medicine. Lotions, instruments and electuaries do more harm than good. Williams' Ointment absorbs the tumors, allays the intense itching (particularly at night after getting warm in bed), acts as a poultice, gives instant and painless relief, and is prepared only for Piles, Itching of the private parts, and for nothing else. Read what the Hon. J. M. Coffinberry, of Cleveland, says about Dr. William's Indian Pile Ointment: I have used scores of Pile Cures, and it affords me pleasure to say that I have never found anything which gave such immediate and permanent relief as Dr. William's Indian Ointment.

For sale by H. B. Cochran, 137 and 139 North Queen street. Price, $1.00. HENRY & Co., Proprietors, 62 Vesey Street, New York. feb21-Tu&Fd&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 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 bed time will BREAK UP A COLD. 25 cts a bottle. feb11-lydM,W&S&w

RESCUED FROM DEATH

The following statement of William J. Coughlin, of Somerville, Mass., is so remarkable that we beg to ask for it the attention of our readers. He says: "In the fall of 1876 I was taken with a violent bleeding of the lungs followed by a severe cough. I soon began to lose my appetite and flesh. I was so weak at one time that I could not leave my bed. In the summer of 1877 I was admitted to the City Hospital. While there the doctors said I had a hole in my left lung as big as a half dollar. I expended over a hundred dollars in doctors and medicine. I was so far gone at one time a report went around that I was dead. I gave up hope, but a friend told me of DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS. I laughed at my friends, thinking that my case was incurable, but I got a bottle to satisfy them, when to my surprise and gratification, I commenced to feel better My hope, once dead, began to revive, and to-day I feel in better spirits than I have the past three years.

"I write this hoping you will publish it, so that everyone afflicted with Diseased Lungs will be induced to take Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs, and be convinced that consumption can be cured. I have taken two bottles and can positively say that it has done more good than all other medicines I have taken since my sickness. My cough has almost entirely disappeared and I shall soon be able to go to work." Sold in Lancaster at Cochran's Drug Store, 137 and 139 North Queen sts. my28-lydeodTh&w2

There are fierce brain storms that shatter a man's organization, his nerves shriek for relief, and neuralgia banishes rest. At such a time, if the miserable sufferer would use Benson's Celery and Chamomile Pills, he would find perfect relief. mys-lwd&w

MOTHER'S DON'T KNOW—How many children are punished for being uncouth, wilful, and indifferent to instructions or rewards, simply because they are out of health! An intelligent lady said of a child of this kind: "Mothers should know that if they would give the little ones moderate doses of Hop Bitters for two or three weeks, the children would be all a parent could desire." my1-2wd&w

DEATHS.

REEVES.—At Phoenixville, May 9, 1882, Ellis Reeves, in the 76th year of his age.

Funeral from the Moravian church, on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment at Lancaster cemetery.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE.—ONE FINE ESTEY ORGAN. ONLY $80 00. This Organ was taken in exchange for a Wilcox & White Organ. MRS. CLARA A. KING, General Agent for Wilcox & White Organs, 156 East King street. 1t*

WANTED.—A SITUATION BY A SOLDIER, who lost a leg, and has a family, as watchman, or some light work at which he can make himself useful. Apply at m2-1t1 152 NORTH WATER ST.

DR. THOMAS PIXTON'S DENTAL OFFICE will be closed FROM MAY 8th UNTIL AUGUST. m6 1wd&1tw

PATIENTS WITH CHRONIC DISEASE of the middle ear often complain of headache, dyspepsia, neuralgia, feelings of fulness, confusion of intellect, vertigo, tinnitus, noises in the ears, sore throat, etc. Diseases of the eye, ear and throat permanently cured by DRS. H. D. and M. A. LONGAKER'S treatment. Office—No. 12 East Walnut street, Lancaster Consultation free. my11-3md&w

PUBLIC SALE OF HORSES, MULES AND COWS.—On SATURDAY, MAY 13, 1882, will be sold at the public house of E. Hambright on the Columbia turnpike (formerly Getz's hotel), Lancaster county, Pa., the following live stock, to wit: Ten head of Western Pennsylvania Horses, some good drivers; a pair of young mules; 20 head fresh milch cows, and some young cattle; 75 fine shoats. Sixty days credit. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m., when terms will be made known by JACOB B. HAUSMAN, S. HESS & SON, Auct'rs. m10W,F

PROPOSALS FOR STREET SUPPLIES.—Sealed proposals for Bricks, Crossing Stones and Sand, delivered, and for laying gutters (contractor to furnish material) and for laying gutters (the city to furnish material) for one year from June next, will be received by the Street Committee up to Monday May 15, 1882, at 7 o'clock p. m. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids received. All proposals to be addressed to R. A. EVANS, ESQ., Chairman, and to be left at Alderman Barr's Office, 16 South Duke street. BY ORDER OF STREET COMMITTEE. Attest: J. K. BARR, Clerk. m2,6,12t

THE Clothing Business of the Day requires the utmost watchfulness to keep up with the styles and wants of the people, but we are determined not to be found behind the times, as our stock will testify to those who will favor us with a visit of inspection.

WE HAVE IN MEN'S CLOTHING the Very Latest Fashions in cut of garments and pattern of goods We can confidently assert ourselves thoroughly prepared to suit all who desire a perfect fit and first-class goods for a moderate amount of money. We make to day an especially full and handsome display of SUPERIOR

CLOTHING —FOR— Spring and Summer Wear

with ONE PRICE TO ALL and Satisfaction guaranteed. The advantage is entirely the customer's.

NECKWEAR and GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS IN THE LATEST STYLES.

HATS AND CAPS Of the Latest Fashions and Lowest Prices.

WILLIAMSON —AND— FOSTER. 34-38 EAST KING STREET, LANCASTER, PA.

POLITICAL.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democratic voters of Lancaster County will meet at their usual places of meeting in the respective districts on Saturday p. m., June 3, between hours to be announced by the County Committee-men by handbill, ten days before the time, to elect a county committee man, three or five delegates from each district to the district and county conventions to be held in Lancaster on

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7,

AT EXCELSIOR HALL, EAST KING ST.

The Lancaster city convention will meet at 10 a. m. to elect one representative delegate to the State Convention.

The representative convention of the 2d district (lower end) will meet at 10 a. m., to elect two Representative Delegates to the State Convention, and to nominate two candidates for Assembly.

The Senatorial convention of the XII (Lower) district will meet at 10.30 a. m., to elect one Senatorial Delegate to the state convention.

The Senatorial Convention of the XIV (Upper) district will meet at 10 a. m., to elect one Senatorial and three Representative Delegates to the State Convention; to nominate a candidate for State Senator and three Members of Assembly.

At 11 a. m., the county convention will assemble to nominate one person for Congress, one person for Recorder of Deeds one person for County Solicitor, two persons for Prison Inspectors, two persons for Directors of the Poor, one person for Jury Commissioner.

And to transact such other business as the convention may determine.

The polls in the various places will open at the time announced in the handbills to be posted by the committeemen, and will remain open until the time fixed thereby for closing.

By order of the Committee.

B. S. PATTERSON, W. H. GRIER, W. H. ROLAND, } Secretaries. W. U. HENSEL, Chairman.

Lancaster, Pa., May 5, 1882.

FOR JURY COMMISSIONER.

SUBJECT TO THE DECISION OF THE DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

WILLIAM ELLMAKER, Earl Township.
BENJAMIN HUBER, 8th Ward, City.
JEROME B. SHULTZ, Elizabethtown.

BOOTS & SHOES.

NEW STORE: NEW GOODS!:

We are now offering Bargains in

BOOTS AND SHOES,

AT THE EAGLE SHOE STORE

No. 51 NORTH QUEEN STREET,

(INQUIRER BUILDING)

BURT'S FINE SHOES.

Which have a world wide reputation, in which we offer Better Styles and Better Wearing Value than can be produced by any custom shoemaker.

We keep a full stock of these goods in every number, style and width, and can fit the most slender as well as the widest foot.

We offer also the following goods, all of which are warranted of superior quality and workmanship, made especially to our order by first-class city manufacturers:

Infants' Shoes.....35 cts. to $1.00
Children's School Shoes.....$1 to $1.25
Misses' School Shoes.....$1 to $1.25
Ladies' pebble goat button Shoes, $1.50 to $2
Ladies Cloth-top Button.....$2 to $2.50
Ladies' fine kid Opera Slippers, $1 to $1,25
Ladies' fine kid Gaiters, $1.75, $2, $2.50, $3

All kinds Ladies' Shoes (common sense style), at equally low prices. We also offer Special Bargains in MEN'S and BOYS' SHOES We have added to our immense assortment of Shoes the BICYCLE, BASEBALL and all styles CANVAS SHOES for Gentlemen and Boys.

Call and examine, you are not obliged to buy.

JOHN HIEMENZ. apr1-oaw-1ydS

COAL.

B. R. MARTIN, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in all kinds of LUMBER AND COAL. Yard: No. 420 North Water and Prince streets above Lemon Lancaster. m3-1yd

COAL. M. V. B. COHO, 350 NORTH WATER ST., Lancaster, Pa., Wholesale and Retail Dealers in LUMBER AND COAL. Connection With the Telephonic Exchange. Branch Office: No. 20 CENTRE SQUARE. feb28-1yd

ORIOLE FERTILIZER. We are now able to furnish our farmers with High Grade Fertilizers, Some especially adapted for raising tobacco. Sold at Coal Yard, Harrisburg pike, or at General Office, No. 20½ East Chestnut Street. KAUFFMAN, KELLER & CO. apr1-1wd

CARRIAGES, &C.

THE STANDARD CARRIAGE WORK OF LANCASTER COUNTY. EDGERLEY & Co., FINE CARRIAGE BUILDERS. MARKET STREET, Rear of Central Market Houses, LANCASTER, PENN'A. We make every style Buggy and Carriage desired. All work finished in the most comfortable and elegant style. We use only the best selected material, and employ only the best mechanics. For quality of work our prices are the cheapest in the state. We buy for cash and sell on the most reasonable terms. Give us a call. All work warranted. *Repairing promptly attended to.* One set of workmen especially employed for that purpose. 1m28-tfdkw

LIQUORS, &C.

KINGWALT'S WINE, LIQUOR, ALCOHOL AND GROCERY STORE, No. 25 West King Street. feb16 1y

HOUSEAL & CO'S NEW LIQUOR STORE, No. 43 North Queen street, Lancaster, Pa. The very best and finest qualities of Foreign and Domestic WINES and LIQUORS, constantly for sale at wholesale and retail. Straight Old Rye Whisky of the distillation of 1875. Pure unadulterated Custom House Brandy, warranted of the vintage of 1869. Kept especially for medicinal purposes. Pure Old Holland Gin, and other Whiskies, Brandies and Wines to suit the trade. feb13-1yd HOUSEAL & CO.

MALT WINE. HERCULES MALT WINE. The Best and Cheapest MALT EXTRACT EVER PREPARED. An invigorating HEALTH AND TABLE BEVERAGE. A reliable remedy for INDIGESTION, DEBILITY and MALNUTRITION highly recommended for ENFEEBLED PERSONS, CONVALESCENTS and NURSING MOTHERS. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS AT 25 Cents per Pint Bottle. CHAS. WOLTERS, PROSPECT BREWERY, PHILADELPHIA. LANCASTER DEPOT.—GEO. A. KIEHL. m1 3md

READ THIS LANCASTER, PA., April 28, 1881. THE KIDNEYCURA MF'G COMPANY. *Gents*—It gives me much pleasure to say that after using one pack of KIDNEYCURA I have been entirely cured of a severe pain in my back and side, of long standing, and that, too, after trying various known remedies. I have every confidence in your medicine, cheerfully recommend it, and know that many of my friends who have used it have been benefited. PETER BAKER, Foreman Examiner and Express. m28yd

LOCHER'S Renowned Cough Syrup. A pleasant, safe, speedy and sure remedy for Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness, Asthma, Influenza, Soreness of the Throat and Chest, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Spitting of Blood, Inflammation of the Lungs and all Diseases of the Chest and Air Passages. This valuable preparation combines all the medicinal virtues of those articles which long experience has proved to possess the most safe and efficient qualities for the cure of all kinds of lung diseases. PRICE, 25 Cents. Prepared only and sold by CHAS. A. LOCHER, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGIST, No. 9 East King Street, Lancaster

JOHN WANAMAKER'S.

AT JOHN WANAMAKER'S, PHILADELPHIA.

FRIDAY:

You can see, by our habit of mentioning new things every day, how great variety we have in all the sorts of goods we deal in. It is indeed beyond telling. Besides our telling has almost always a better purpose than to set forth the largeness of our work. But let us drop one thought now on this very subject, variety.

A lady having her want in mind in a general way will often find that want made much more definite by a look through our range of goods kindred to that want. She has need of great collections of goods to look at, as a means of information, of sharpening her wit, and of maturing her choice; to say nothing of protection against overcharging.

She finds here, besides, a general and reasonably uniform liberality in dealing. We mean by that a general lowness of price; not so low as to cast doubt on the goods; not so low and, at the same time, so general, as to show that the goods must be inferior to those of the highest priced merchants; but low enough to show our disposition to hand over to our customers most of the advantages we get out of our activity, our vigilance, our many helpers, and our large dealing. This is what we mean by liberality in the matter of prices.

Chudda shawls, $5 to $50; French chudda shawls, $3.50 to $6; French cashmere shawls, $3.50 to $5.

India chuddas have a peculiar softness and quaintness; a gentleness as far as possible removed from ostentation; a richness quite hidden from the untaught eye. French cashmeres are brighter, newer, smoother, very fine and soft. French chuddas are about the same as the cashmeres, but heavier, more like the real chuddas.

The colors of them all are delicate, as befit such fabrics.

1303 Chestnut.

Cream albatross with quarter-inch dots of pink, plum, two garnets and three blues; from Paris direct; $1.35; 42-inch. We have had such cashmeres at $1.25 for some time.

French lace nun's veiling is also new with us. The lace, which forms the ground work for the figure, is just like grenadine. The figure is of a plain nun's veiling woof; delicate, not strong; but obvious enough. We like it exceedingly. Only army-blue and tan as yet; other colors coming. $1; 40-inch.

A plain cream dress-stuff, neither nun's veiling nor albatross, but between the two; which, however, we call nun's veiling, and which we might call albatross, with almost as good reason, has won quick favor. 30-inch; 31 cents.

Next-outer circle, Thirteenth street entrance.

A ladies' cloth of about the very best American make at $1.25; 54-inch. Not a bargain; full price. But we have bought 3,000 yards of it, for this excellent reason, We shall want it all; and shortly we shouldn't be able to get it. Some of the colors will be better next fall; but blues, greens and browns are good always, especially by the sea, or in the country.

Outer-circle, Thirteenth-street entrance.

The pannier skirt that gets right of itself, when shifted by sitting or otherwise, is of a great deal of account. We oughtn't to say too much about such things; but ladies do say it is easy; and we know it is graceful.

Handkerchief aprons are a queer conceit. Two printed handkerchiefs are cut up to make one. 18 cents. A lady picks up one: puts it on; "18 cents? I'll take that;" another; "I'll take that;" and so on, till she gets to her limit. They are pretty; and 18 cents for them is very odd.

West of Chestnut street entrance to the main building.

JOHN WANAMAKER.

Chestnut, Thirteenth and Market streets and City-hall square.

PHILADELPHIA.

THIRD EDITION.

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY, 12, 1882.

Shipherd Fails to Appear.

NEW YORK, May 12—The sub-committee of the House committee on foreign affairs held an executive session at Fifth Avenue hotel this morning. Jacob R. Shipherd, who was expected to testify, did not appear, and the committee adjourned until to-morrow morning

NEW YORK, May 12.—When the sub-committee met, Sergeant-at-Arms Hooker reported that he had notified Mr. Shipherd to appear. Shipherd declined and gave his reason in the following:

NEW YORK, May 11.

DEAR SIR:—I cannot waive peremptory engagements made for to-morrow upon such short notice, Moreover, I cannot complete my arrangements for a formal examination until I have read the official records of Senator Blaine's testimony, for which I wrote Mr. Williams some days since. Beyond this I think the sub-committee will not choose to pass upon. I will see the committee on Saturday morning if so desired, or will meet the committee at Washington next week as soon as I can complete my preparations.

"Very respectfully,

"JACOB R. SHIPHERD,

"*To Col. Hooker, Sergeant at-Arms.*"

The following was then passed by a unanimous vote: WHEREAS, the witness, Jabob R. Shipherd, having declined to appear this day, as notified by the sergeant-at arms, alleging as his excuse that he has applied for and not yet received a full copy of the testimony contradictory to his own, given before the full committee in Washington, and it further appearing that he demands the right to introduce a large amount of matter upon the admissibility of which questions will arise which ought to be submitted to the full committee, and that the witness desires to be heard by the full committee; therefore be it

Resolved, That the examination of Shipherd be adjourned before the full committee, to meet at Washington on Wednesday, the 17th inst.

The sub-committee then adjourned until to-morning at 10 o'clock, for the revision by witnesses of the testimony already taken.

WORRIED TO DEATH.

Suicide of a Jersey City Banker.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., May 12.—Edward W. Kingsland, secretary and treasurer of the Provident institution for savings, Jersey City, shot himself while in his private office in the rear of the bank, about 10 o'clock this morning. Though still alive he is unconscious and sinking rapidly, and will probably die in a few hours. At 11:30 he was removed from the bank to his residence. The bank is thronged with anxious depositors who are waiting for an investigation of the books.

The president of the bank has issued a statement saying that an examination of the bank's securities has been made, everything found to be correct and that he does not doubt that every asset of the bank will be found intact. He said that Mr. Kingsland had charge of other large trusts beside those of the bank and that too great anxiety for one of his age was the probable cause for suicide.

Later developments show that Kingsland was trustee of a large number of estates in Jersey City and vicinity, among which is the estate of the late Annie Post, the heirs of which have had no settlement for nineteen years. P. C. Hilliard, alderman from the Sixth district of Jersey City, one of the above heirs and acting for the others, recently obtained an order of arrest for Mr. Kingsland, whom the sheriff was ordered to produce in the orphan's court of Hudson county at 10 o'clock this morning.

The news of the shooting spread rapidly through the city and a run on the bank soon began, the street, notwithstanding the pouring rain, being crowded with anxious depositors.

The Star Routes in Colorado.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—John F. Toole, of Rawlins, Wyoming territory; P. S. Henman, of Nixon, Wyoming territory; W. J. Elgarton, Lake City, Col; B. F. Allen, of Barnum county, and D. D. Ayres of Solida county, were before the grand jury to-day giving testimony in relation to the Star Route service carried on in Colorado since July 1, 1878, and the connection with it of ex Senator S. W. Dorsey, J. W. Dorsey, M. C. Rerdell, J. M. Peck and John R. Miner.

Business Failures of the Week.

NEW YORK, May 12.—The business failures reported to New York from various parts of the country during the week number 117, which were distributed as follows: Eastern states 17, Western 40, southern 36, Middle 10, Pacific coast and the territories 9, and New York city and Brooklyn 5. The New York assignments are not of much importance, the principal being Redlich & Schwitzer, tobacco, and C. Seitz, brewer.

Diamonds and Valuables Stolen.

WILMINGTON, Del., May 12.—The house of Jacob Cazier, a wealthy landholder of Kirkwood, was burglarized last night of the family diamonds and other valuable property stolen. From the meagre particulars received it is surmised that the inmates were chloroformed by the burglars.

More Petitions for Mason.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—A petition for the pardon of Sergeant Mason, signed by 3,000 employees of the Baltimore & Ohio and Northern Central railroad companies and large manufacturing houses in Baltimore, was presented to the president today.

Mr. Davidge's Argument.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Mr. Davidge resumed his argument this morning before the court in banc in the Guiteau case, and after briefly reviewing the points made in his argument yesterday, addressed himself to questions of jurisdiction.

Col. Reed Closes.

Upon the close of Davidge's arugment Col. Reed proceeded to address the court and at ten minutes past two closed his argument with an appeal not to send Guiteau to the gallows if a grave doubt should be found to exist of the jurisdiction of the court which tried him. The court adjourned till three o'clock on Monday, taking the matter under advisement.

Killed by a Barrel of Ale.

ELIZABETH, N. J., May 12.—James McManus, aged 33 years, unmarried, was instantly killed last night in Despie's saloon by a barrel of ale, which he was putting into the cellar, falling on him and breaking his neck.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—For the Middle Atlantic states, cloudy, rainy weather, with variable winds mostly from northeast to northwest, stationary or higher temperature and lower pressure.

Sentence of a Forger.

NEWPORT, R. I., May 12.—William H. Durfee, who was convicted of forgery on Wednesday, was this morning sentenced to six years in the state prison.

Gen. Kilpatrick's Remains.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The House has authorized the secretary of state to take the necessary steps for the transportation of Gen. Kilpatrick's remains from Chili.

THE POLICE SEARCHING FOR CLUES.

More Theories Concerning the Murder of Cavendish and Burke—The Crime Now Laid Against the Ribbonmen.

LONDON, May 12.—A dispatch to the *Times* from Dublin states that the police and people are beginning to discredit the theory that Irish-Americans were imported to commit the murder of Lord Frederick Cavendish and Mr. Burke. This leads further to the deduction that some Irishand lodge was implicated in the crime. The great hope is that the reward offered will induce some member to become informer.

One of the knives sold by iron mongers of Dublin to some suspicious looking persons on Saturday was fully capable of inflicting the wounds sustained by the victims. The knife was purchased shortly before one o'clock p. m.

A discharged soldier named Allen who arrived in Millstreet from Dublin last evening has been arrested on suspicion.

$100,000,000 for Pensions.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The House committee on appropriations to-day completed the annual pension appropriation bill and directed Mr. O'Neill (Pennsylvania) to report it to the House. The aggregate amount appropriated by the bill is $100,000,000, being the exact amount recommended in the estimates submitted to Congress. The appropriations for the same purpose for the current fiscal year amounted to $50,000,000, and it is estimated that a further appropriation of $20,000,000 will be necessary to complete the service for that period.

Liberal Bequests by a Philadelphian.

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—The will of the late Wm. S. Vaux, president of the Zoological society, which was admitted to probate to day, contains public bequests amounting to $27,700 in donations of $200 and upwards to a score of charitable institutions. He also bequeathed $10,000 to the Academy of Natural Sciences, and his collection of Etruscan pottery to the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Arts. He directs that his mineralogical and archeological collection shall be disposed of as his family may deem proper.

The Malley Trial.

NEW HAVEN, May 12.—At the Malley trial to-day, after the examination of a witness who testified to having seen Jennie Cramer on the evening of August 5 in company with a man whom he was afterwards informed was Jas. Malley, the court adjourned until Tuesday in order to permit Juror Furman, of Milford, to go to his home. The privilege was granted by the court on account of the fatal illness of Furman's daughter, her death being hourly expected.

Proposed Anglo-French Alliance.

LONDON, May 11.—A dispatch to the *Standard* from Paris states that the government has sent numerous telgrams to Toulon and Algiers. It says there is no reason to believe that Mr. Twist, the French ambassador to England, has been instructed to propose to the English government that an Anglo-French squadron be immediately formed.

Navy Clerks to Go.

WASHINGTON, May, 12—Secretary Chandler has notified all the clerks of the navy department on the temporary rolls, about eighty in number, that their services will have to be dispensed with on or before the 1st of June because of the want of funds to pay them unless a deficiency appropriation for their benefit is made by Congress.

True Bill Against Lauber.

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—The grand jury this morning returned true bills of indictment against Philip J. Lauber, the brewer and saloon keeper, charging him with selling liquor on Sunday.

Coming to Canada.

LONDON, May 12—The people of an entire township on the Isle of Skye, numbering one hundred souls, have decided to emigrate to Canada.

The Geneva Award Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The House this afternoon passed the bill providing for the distribution of the unexpended balance of the Geneva award bill.

MARKETS.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—Flour dull and barely steady.

Rye flour at $5.

Wheat quiet and firm: No. 2 Western Red, $1 44@1 46; Del. and Pa. Red, $1 44@1 45; do Amber, $1 46@1 49.

Corn firm, with fair local demand: Steamer, 86c: Sail Yellow, 86¾@87c; Sail Mixed, 86c; No. 3 Mixed, 85c.

Oats fairly active and higher; No. 1 White, 63@63½c; No 2 do 61¾@62c; No. 3 do 6 c; No. 2 Mixed 59¾@60c.

Rye scarce at 92c.

Provisions firm, with good jobbing trade.

Butter dull and easier; Pa. Creamery 30c.

Rolls dull; Pa. extra, 16@20c.

Eggs unchanged.

Cheese quiet and unchanged.

Petroleum quiet and unchanged.

Whisky dull at $1 21.

Seeds—clover nominal $6@6 50 for old; $7 00 50 for new; Timothy nominal at $2 65; Flaxseed weak at $1 43@1 45.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Flour—State and Western firm and moderate export and local trade demand. Southern dull.

Wheat opened ½@¾c higher and subsequently weaker and lost most of advance; active speculative trading; No. 2 Red, June, $1 45¾@1 46¼; do July, $1 33¾@1 33¾; do August, $1 26¾@1 26¾; do Sept., $1 23¾.

Cor