

## COLUMBIA NEWS.

## OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE

VENTS ALONG THE SUSQUEHANNA—ITEMS OF  
INTEREST IN AND ABOUT THE BOROUGH  
PICKED UP BY THE INTELLIGENT  
GENERAL REPORTER.

Lutheran memorial services were held at all of the Lutheran and the Methodist churches yesterday. The churches of the former denomination were beautiful decorated for the occasion, the adornment of the Second street Lutheran church never having been equalled on any previous occasion. The main feature there was a blackboard containing a representation of the finding of the Bible in the monastery library at Erfurt. The floral display was exceedingly fine. The evening services were devoted to the children especially and were of universal interest. The address by the pastor was highly entertaining, and the choral services were beautiful, the choir surpassing their usual efforts in this direction. St. John's Lutheran church was also finely decorated, a handsome painting of Luther nailing the ninety five theses to the door of his church forming the central feature of the interior. Another beautiful decoration was a large cross, to which was chained an old Bible. The singing at this church was also very fine. The pastor's morning sermon was on the subject of "The Childhood of Luther," and his evening subject was "The Youth of Luther."

## PERSONAL.

Miss Annie Humphries is visiting in Philadelphia.

Mr. John Wilson, of Harrisburg, spent Sunday in Columbia.

Supervisor John S. Nichols has returned from the tour of inspection of the Pennsylvania railroad.

Mr. Horace Boyd is home from a ten days' trip to Hockenquah and Catawissa.

**NOTES ABOUT TOWN.**

A few stray snowflakes fell this morning.

Locust street is being improved by having some of the mud scraped from it and hauled away.

The ladies' aid society of the Methodist church will hold an important business meeting at the parsonage to-morrow at 2 p.m.

A couple of drunken young men created a disturbance at the Shawnee engine house on Saturday. One of them was thrown out of the building and allowed to vent his anger on the streets.

The new switches of the Pennsylvania railroad have had the effect of preventing the usual number of slight accidents in the yards here. The old switches were not only sources of trouble, but were absolutely dangerous.

Congestive Lodge, No. 463, Knights of Pythias, will hold a meeting to-night, as will also Riverside Lodge, No. 27, Ladies Home Communion, and Susquehanna Lodge, No. 80. The usual drill of Company C, will also be held this evening.

"Brought to Light" proved anything but satisfactory to its patrons on Saturday evening. A fair sized audience attended the performance which was more of a rehearsal than anything else. The farce was full of jokes of an improper character.

**List of Enclosed Letters.**

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice for the week ending Monday, November 12, 1883:

*Ladies' List*—Mrs. Lydia Beauchemin, Mrs. Anna Karskin, Christiana Conroy, Mrs. Elizabeth Daveler, Theresa Fisher, Emma Foss, Helen M. Herr, Miss Moss, Kehoe, Kate Linden, Sarah Marion, Florence McCartie, Mrs. Mrs. Schulte, Eliza Smith, Anna Zarchein.

*Gents' List*—R. B. Bitter, David Buchwalter, Geo. J. Clark, B. W. Dushimer, John Eshleman, J. Eberly, L. D. Benjamin R. Fleckinger, Chas Fradich, John Howe, C. W. Kann, Wm. Kline, Wm. Painter, A. Pringle, A. L. Schmidt, Philip Schneider, Wilson Stough, Thomas Wetzler, Jacob Wise, J. T. Woods, Weber & Herr.

*Third and Fourth Class Matter.*

*Third Class*—Mrs. Kiebler, Kate LeFever, Henry Tracy.

*Fourth Class*—B. R. Potter, John F. Stern.

**OBITUARY.**

**Death of an Ex-Policeman.**

Jacob P. Killinger died at his home on West Orange street on Saturday evening of consumption. Deceased was well known in this city. He was constable of the Fifth ward and a member of the city police force for about twelve years. Last year he was defeated for the office of constable and since that time has been a watchman at the watch factory and also worked at his trade of carpentering. He was 50 years of age, and the funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock.

**Sudden Death.**

Caroline Hursh, of Strasburg, 73 years of age, widow of the late Samuel Hursh, was found dead in her bed yesterday morning at 7 o'clock by her daughter, Deputy Coronel H. G. Booth held inquest, Dr. Weaver making the post mortem. The verdict was death from apoplexy. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 1 o'clock.

**Assault and Battery.**

Patrick Burns, Benjamin Leaman and Frederick Giel have been arrested on a charge of assault and battery. It appears that Henry Wolf, Gustavus Groetzingen, and Oscar Hoehn were standing talking on the corner of Vine and Duke streets on Saturday evening when these young men came along and attacked them. One struck Mr. Groetzingen an ugly blow in the face, Alderman Barr held them for a hearing.

**It Comes High, but We Must Have It.**

It cost this county almost \$2,000 to inform the voters that an election would be held on November 6. This was for newspaper advertising alone.

The auditors are determined to stick; they are still busy, but nobody knows what they are investigating. It is proposed to hire them by the year.

**Harm Fall.**

A few days ago Emmanuel Weaver, carpenter, was at work on the house of John M. Ranninger, in Terre Hill, when he fell from the top down between the joists to the first floor, a distance of 39 feet. He had a hatchet and saw in one hand, and, strange to say, escaped with but slight bruises.

**Sale of Building Lots.**

Shubert, Sun, auctioneers, sold at public sale on Saturday evening at the Leopard hotel, for Dr. W. Compton, executor of the estate of W. G. Evans, deceased, 5 building lots situated on Park avenue, to Joseph F. Zuck for \$705.

**"Love and Hell."**

Rev. Wm. Owens of Lancaster will deliver a full lecture in Temperance hall, Strasburg to-morrow evening. Subject:—"Love and Hell logical, related; or, the Goodness of God demonstrated in the death of the wicked."

**Filling the Wheel.**

This morning Judge Livingston and Jury Commissioners Elliker and Eub began the work of filling the jury wheel. They will place in it the names of 1,400 men to serve on juries during the year 1884.

**Mayor's Court.**

The mayor this morning had but one drunk and he received a 10 day's sentence.

## Arrested in Altoona.

A dispatch from Altoona states that John Cosgrove and a young man named Bell have been arrested in that place on the charge of horse stealing. No particulars of the alleged crime are given. One of the names has been sent wrong as it is likely Bair and not Bell. Two weeks ago young Cosgrove and Bair, both of whom had been in the employ of Joseph Bair, bookkeeper left this city to go into the truck business in Altoona. Nothing has been heard of them and the news of their arrival at a personal change is a subject.

The Altoona Tribune of Saturday has an account of the stealing of a horse and buggy, but gives no names, as the parties were then unknown. A boy who spoke broken English, and is believed to come from China, was sold by H. B. Cochran, druggist, Nos. 147 and 151 North Queen street. Feb. 14, 1882.

No jar of Small Fox 10 Darby Prophylactic Fluid is used truly. It destroys the very ge.

For lame back, side or chest use SHILOH'S POROUS PLASTER. Price, 25 cent Sold by H. B. Cochran, 157 and 159 North Queen street.

For small Fox express Darby Prophylactic Fluid in the room and sponge off the patient with it.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in the music room of the Drake street M. E. church to-morrow evening at 6:15.

**A WONDERFUL GROWTH**

In the Clothing, Shoe, Hat, and Furnishing Goods Business.

Reference has been made in these columns of the rapid strides being made in this line of business by the enterprising firm of William & Foster, on East King street.

"I wouldn't be without Dr. Benson's Celery and Chamomile Pills if they cost \$1 a pill." They cured me of neuralgia, for 2 years standing," says Joseph Snyder, Paxton, Pa., 50 cents per box.

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POOR often have their seat in the deepest parts of the country, where they are usually accompanied by the same growth in the deeper parts.

Diabetes, Eyes and Thirst—also,

Chronic Disease—successfully treated by DR. H. D. and M. A. LONGAKER, Officers of the Hospital, Lancaster, Pa. Consultant.

**DOCTORS' CONVENTION**

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