

COLUMBIA NEWS.

REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE. A shorter route for Through Freight Trains Being Surveyed—Latest News About the River Town.

An engineer corps of the Pennsylvania railroad is engaged in surveying a "cut-off" route from Lancaster to a point just north of Marietta. The company desires to run freight trains from Harrisburg to Philadelphia without dividing the trains at Columbia, which is now rendered necessary by the appearance of the river.

On Monday evening next the eighth anniversary of the organization of Cookman's M. E. chapel will be commemorated by appropriate exercises at the chapel. Dozens of men at 6 o'clock and the exercises begin at 7:30.

The temperance meeting held last night by John Houghton in Cookman's M. E. chapel was largely attended. The recent organized temperance work in the city has been very successful.

Mr. William Knight is in Harrisburg attending the bedside of his dying mother. Mr. Alex McLean left to day for Philadelphia, where he will reside permanently. He leaves behind him many warm friends.

Tonight a meeting of Pennsylvania Castle, No. 76, A. O. U. M. C., will be held. Christian Nott, Silver Springs, has a goose egg measuring 9 1/2 inches. Its weight is 4 1/2 ounces.

Another well attended market this morning. Butter was scarce at 30 cents per pound. Eggs plentiful at 18 and 20 cents per dozen.

The first five columns of the official record of the election have been sent to Gen. Welsh Post of the U. S. R. by the Hon. A. Herr Smith.

The Penn Iron Co.'s rolling mill shut down to day, because of the low price of iron and the discontinuation of the mill has to accept a reduction of three weeks.

The Chickies Iron company's puddle mill which has been shut down because of a reduction in wages, starts up on Monday, with a full force, the old hands having concluded to accept the price offered for panning, \$3.00 per ton.

That was mean of Hambo, of the Columbia, to call Risk, of the Lancaster Democrat, a "chickie." Risk is not a chickie, Hambo is mistaken. Hambo is a "chickie" because he is a "chickie" in the eyes of the Lancaster Democrat.

"The long and short of the matter is, this is the best dressed and best drilled company ever brought to this city by a tragedian. Every member, even to the extras, is dressed in a new and tasteful costume carefully modeled after the fashion of the times and rank they represent. In point of physique the company is excellent, being composed of stoutly formed, good looking and well trained people. Mr. Warde has evidently chosen the wiser plan of giving an entertainment for the benefit of his patron rather than for the purpose of displaying his ability in an exaggerated light by contrasting himself with a lot of poor actors."

DEATHS. LANE—March 1, in this city, Thomas Lane, 67th year of his age. The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 141 East James street, on Tuesday, March 4, at 10 a. m. Interment at Lancaster cemetery. 21

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. PENN CIGARS FROM \$1.00 PER HUNDRED. HARTMAN'S YELLOW FRONT CIGAR STORE.

MICK TURTLE SOUP LUNCH this evening at Charley Hostler's Corner. National of Central Market to Spry's Beer on tap. 11

WANTED AN EXCEPTION TO THE BUREAU OF HARTMAN'S YELLOW FRONT CIGAR STORE.

FOR RENT. A Good Brick Stable on Millin street, No. 10, 11 and 12 East King street. Apply to ALLEN A. HERR & CO., Real Estate and Insurance Agents, No. 108 East King street. 14-15

A FEW OF THE OLD STOCK CONNELL'S CIGARS, 11 for 25, at HARTMAN'S YELLOW FRONT CIGAR STORE.

WANTED AN EXCEPTION TO THE BUREAU OF HARTMAN'S YELLOW FRONT CIGAR STORE.

FOR RENT. A Small Barn with three acres of first rate land located on Love Lane, to rent from April 1, 1884. Apply to W. W. HERR, No. 22 East King street. 14-15

ESTATE OF MARY KENNEDY, LATE of Eden township, Lancaster county, deceased. Letters of administration of the estate of the said Mary Kennedy, late of Eden township, Lancaster county, deceased, all persons indebted to her estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned.

ESTATE OF MARIA GERMAN, LATE of Conestoga township, Lancaster county, deceased. Letters of administration of the estate of the said Maria German, late of Conestoga township, Lancaster county, deceased, all persons indebted to her estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned.

WHEN ADVERTISING CLEAR HAVANA CIGARS. Filler Cigars for 5 cents, I guarantee them to be such. HARTMAN'S YELLOW FRONT CIGAR STORE.

PUBLIC SALE. THE LAST WAG OF THE HAMMER. T-NIGHT will close the balance of offerings on the MONDAY EVENING will offer the following property to be sold at public sale in this line will find rare bargains in finest and best of all persons to whom it may be desired to purchase any of the above mentioned property, and choose selections of FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC NOVELTIES.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. GIVLER & CO.'S SPRING OFFERING. SPRING OPENING OF IMPORTED DRESS GOODS.

We are now receiving large lines of new styles of Dress Goods for Spring fashions. Some of the most popular are Tricotines, Cassimeres, French Cashmires and Poulas, in all the new light shades. Elegant All-Wool and Silk and Wool Combinations, Cashmires and Albatrosses unbrodered Robes, Fine All-Wool French Plaids in Beautiful Colors, Shepherd Plaids in different sized checks at various prices. Black, Colored and Summer Silks of all grades. Take a look at our West Window as you pass.

JOHN S. GIVLER & CO., NO. 25 EAST KING STREET, JOHN S. GIVLER, LANCASTER, PA. GEO. F. RATHVON.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. NEW LACE COLLARS AND OUIL. N dress Ribb, New White Skirts, New Light Cambrics and Prints, New Corsets, Also Light Weight Seamless Hair-Boots at 12 1/2 cents per pair at SWARR'S, No. 50 North Queen Street.

PUBLIC SALE OF A LARGE LOT OF household and kitchen furniture at No. 27 North Queen street, on Tuesday, March 4, consisting of bedsteads, bureaus, tables, chairs, cupboards, stoves, tinware, glass and queensware and many other articles. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock. JACOB GUNDAKER, Auct. 11

NOTICE. Patients wishing to consult Dr. La Grange, of 1025 Filbert street, Philadelphia, Pa., are requested to give notice prior to their intended visit to prevent disappointment and loss of time. See his new work on Nervous Diseases and Allied Disorders. Sent free by post, 50 cents. Address as above.

ESTATE OF HERMAN MILLER and wife of Lancaster, Lancaster county, Pa., having by deed of voluntary assignment dated February 29, 1884, assigned and transferred all their estate and effects to the undersigned, for the benefit of the creditors of the said Herman Miller, he therefore gives notice to all persons indebted to said assignor, to make payment to the undersigned, without delay, and those having claims to present them to the undersigned.

PUBLIC SALE OF REALTY. EASTERN MARKET HOUSE, SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 1884, AT 2:30 P. M. ml-2d1-5417

FOR THE SALE OF THE CONESTOGA STEAM MILLS. KEPPERS-The Conestoga Steam Mills are again making Light Molas expressly for covering Tobacco Plants. Those made last year gave entire satisfaction. Each piece will be labeled in RED LETTERS.

ESTATE OF ALLEN MARGAROLI, LATE of Lancaster city, deceased. Letters testamentary on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned.

HEALTH CORSET. Now takes the lead of everything in the Corset line, as it fits and fits the most COMFORTABLE.

PERFECT FITTING. garment worn. Merchants say it gives the best satisfaction of any corset they ever sold. For sale by all leading druggists. Price by mail \$1.00. MARY E. MCGILLEY, ml-WAS23

Shultz's Only Hat Store. BROADWAY. Linoleums, Floor Oil Cloths, China and Cocoa Matting.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Lancaster county, on Saturday, March 2, A. D. 1884, for a charter for the "Ironstone Baseball Club" of Lancaster, Pa., the object of which is to encourage and promote the interest of the game of baseball.

GRAND FAIR OF GEO. H. THOMAS CAMP, No. 10, Sons of Veterans, To be held third week, New Footstone, beginning SATURDAY, MARCH 1st, and ending MARCH 11, 1884.

SPECIAL SALE FOR 30 DAYS—GREAT reduction in price—in order to reduce our stock and to double our sales of March; we shall offer great bargains. Real hair brushes, all long hair, that were sold for \$10 are now sold for \$5; \$8 are now sold for \$4; real nice ones at \$1.50 and some as low as 50c. All kinds of ventilated work reasonable. Natural curly bangs from 25c up; old ladies' bangs from 10c up. Hair oils, pomades, in great variety at half price. Don't miss this chance of getting something nice, as the sale only lasts 30 days, beginning Saturday, March 1st. My stock is large and varied enough to supply everybody, at 108 S. E. LILLERS, No. 27 North Queen Street.

FULTON OPERA HOUSE. THE FINEST THEATRE OF THE SEASON. MARCH 5th and 6th, 1884. THIRD ANNUAL TOUR. MR. FREDERICK WARDE, and a company of stars under the management of MR. JOHN J. COLLINS.

WEDNESDAY (Known) Celebrated Five-EVENING, 10 Act Tragedy, VIRGINIA, OR THE ROMAN FATHER. THURSDAY (Shakespeare's) Greatest Tragedy—The Merry Wives of Windsor.

RICHARD III. OR THE BATTLE OF BOSWORTH FIELD. Beautiful Costumes, Dazzling Roman Armor, &c., &c. EVERYTHING HISTORICALLY CORRECT. HAGER & BROTHER.

Wiltons, Mouquettes, Extra Quality Velvets, Body Brussels, Tapestry Brussels, Three-Ply & Superfine Ingrains, Hall and Stair Carpets, Rag Carpets.

Linoleums, Floor Oil Cloths, China and Cocoa Matting. Prices as Low as Same Quality are Sold in Philadelphia or Elsewhere.

HAGER & BROTHER, 25 WEST KING STREET, LANCASTER, PA.

WALL PAPERS. J.B. MARTIN & CO., Cor. West King and Prince Sts., LANCASTER, PA.

JANAUSCHEK, THE POWERFUL JEWISH ROMANCE. ZILLAH; THE HEBREW MOTHER.

PAPER HANGINGS. Representing all qualities, from the FINEST HAND PAINTS to the lower grades of Plats and Hanks. The Latest designs in

CEILING DECORATIONS, Friezes and Borders. R. E. Fannestock, Hager & Brother, 25 WEST KING STREET, LANCASTER, PA.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. WANTED—A HALF-GROWN GIRL to assist in taking care of a child. Inquire at this office. 129-21

PUBLIC SALE—WILL BE SOLD AT Public Sale, on Monday afternoon, at one o'clock, at the Keystone House, 40 head of Norman and Cladstone Horses. Among the lot are some fine drivers. FLATER & SAMPSON, 129-21

HEADQUARTERS FOR MANILLA PAPER. OF ALL SIZES, BY THE POUND OR REAM. 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 50, 60 Pound.

At FON DERSMITH'S, Bookeller and Stationer, No. 46 EAST KING ST., LANCASTER, PA. (Samples forward on application.)

SELLING OFF AT AND BELOW COST. THE ENTIRE STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES, OF THE— City Shoe Store, NO. 26 1/2 EAST KING ST. Will be disposed of between now and APRIL 1, at and below cost. This will be a fine chance to secure bargains.

J. B. MARTIN & CO. SPECIAL SALE! March 1st, UNTIL— March 15th, 1884.

In order to make room for our large stock of WALL PAPERS coming in for the Spring Trade, we have organized a special sale of every pattern carried over from last season. Please remember that we offer none but perfect goods. Have no damaged goods in the store at any price. We have made the following reductions:

81 25 Gilt Paper Reduced to 50c. 1.00 " " " 40c. .75 " " " 30c. .60 " " " 25c. .25 Flat " " 10c. .20 " " " 8c. .15 Blank " " 5c. .12 " " " 4c. .10 " " " 3c.

These are Not Remnants or Damaged Goods. —PRICES OF— DURING THIS SEASON, Reduced to 8c. and 10c.

J.B. MARTIN & CO., Cor. West King and Prince Sts., LANCASTER, PA.

FULTON OPERA HOUSE. SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 1, 1884. THE ILLUSTRIOUS ARTISTE, JANAUSCHEK, Supported by her Brilliant Company in THE POWERFUL JEWISH ROMANCE, ZILLAH; THE HEBREW MOTHER.

RECEIVED SEATS, 50 and 75 CENTS. ADMISSION, 25 and 50 CENTS. NATHANIEL CHILDS, Manager. EDWARD TAYLOR, Bus. Manager.

IDEAL RIP VAN WINKLE COMPANY, Introducing the Peerless Comedian, MR. ORLANDO W. BLAKE, In his bright and joyous impersonation of the title role in the new dramatization of Washington Irving's famous story.

SECOND EDITION. SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 1, 1884. IN FOREIGN LANDS. EL MAHDI'S THROAT DEFEATED. A Battle Fought at Trinitat Yesterday, With Unwelcome Results to the False Prophet—Lancaster Dynamite Seizes.

LONDON, March 1.—Despatches from Trinitat, Egypt, state that a battle raged all day yesterday, that the rebels fought desperately and that an immense number of them were shot down. The British fought in an oblong square, and the rebels were beaten at every point.

The rebels were found in force with two guns mounted at an old fort, three miles from Fort Baker. Firing opened on both sides and lasted a long time, when the rebels were repulsed. One thousand of their men were killed; the British lost ten killed, and forty wounded.

Details of the battle. Later telegrams give interesting details of the battle, of which the following is a synopsis: Early Friday morning fires were hastily kindled at Fort Baker and the troops all in trim for battle, were served with hot coffee. They then formed in an oblong square, the Gordon Highlanders in the advance, with the Galting and other guns on each corner of the square and salivars dragging the guns in the rear, the whole strength being less than four thousand men.

As the square moved it was preceded by the Hussars, acting as scouts, and advancing in a semi-circle. The rebels were well on the road to Teb. The air was polluted with the smell of bodies left from former massacres, lying on the roadside and covered with carrion flies.

After an advance of about a mile the rebels, who swarmed on the hillsides, opened fire with their Remingtons, but the range seemed too long and the shots were ineffective. Though not in a position to fight, they retired slowly, keeping about twelve hundred yards in advance of the English. At 9:30 the gun boat Sphinx, lying in the harbor, fired four rounds, but stopped, as the range was long and the result more dangerous to the English than to the rebels. These miles further on the troops came in sight of rebel earthworks and saw their standards flying in the sultry air. No reply was made to their continued firing, the soldiers stopping as if on holiday parade.

After a while, "Attention" was called along the English line and the rebels, noting the new move, at once began the battle with a shell from a Krupp gun. The shot was wide, but the next two were accurate and wounded several soldiers. A Gordon Highlander was first to fall.

Pieces of the shell wounded Baker Pasha in the face and hit twenty other men. The rebels then commenced a rattling fire, but the English positions were kept hard at work in the British lines no fire was returned, though the steady advance was renewed.

At noon another halt was called and the men ordered to lie down on the hillside, beneath the rebel works. The day was clear, and the wind now dispersed the smoke of the rebel fire.

A Desperate and Close Encounter. At this juncture the English opened a terrific fire with guns and rifles. The rebel fire soon slackened and an advance was ordered. The troops arose and rushed for the rebel works, firing as they advanced. When two hundred yards away the rebels threw themselves desperately on the British line with their spears, but were laid dead right and left, but none of them bolted and they fell back sullenly. The British then attacked and carried Fort Burnaby, the Arabs contesting every inch of ground still. The increasing fire of the Galting guns and Martin rifles created terrible havoc among them, and at 1 o'clock they bolted at the wells near Teb. Farther on they made a gallant stand, fighting four hours, retiring evenly blow for blow. Their camp was finally captured, and the English decided to bivouac there.

An Advance will be made on Tokar tomorrow. "A Black Flag Made of American Cloth." A black flag, made of American cloth, has been found in the blank rooms of the Lindgate Hill station, in London, containing 45 packages of dynamite and a portion of an American alarm clock. The latter was enclosed in a tin box.

sponsored by Gen. G.—New Bedford, Mass., March 1.—Robert Smith and his wife Ellen, weavers, were found dead in bed in this city this morning, suffocated by gas. Louis Luekenberg was found unconscious from the same cause, but is recovering.

They told the boys Fitch.—PHILADELPHIA, March 1.—Six persons accused of selling pistols to the boys of the Thaddeus Stevens' public school, have been held for trial. The parents of the boys to whom the deadly weapons were sold intend to press the prosecution.

Chinese firm, moderate demand. N. Y. Bull. 15c; do good, 16c; do extra, 17c; do fine, 18c; do full, 19c; do extra, 20c; do fine, 21c; do full, 22c; do extra, 23c; do fine, 24c; do full, 25c; do extra, 26c; do fine, 27c; do full, 28c; do extra, 29c; do fine, 30c; do full, 31c; do extra, 32c; do fine, 33c; do full, 34c; do extra, 35c; do fine, 36c; do full, 37c; do extra, 38c; do fine, 39c; do full, 40c; do extra, 41c; do fine, 42c; do full, 43c; do extra, 44c; do fine, 45c; do full, 46c; do extra, 47c; do fine, 48c; do full, 49c; do extra, 50c; do fine, 51c; do full, 52c; do extra, 53c; do fine, 54c; do full, 55c; do extra, 56c; do fine, 57c; do full, 58c; do extra, 59c; do fine, 60c; do full, 61c; do extra, 62c; do fine, 63c; do full, 64c; do extra, 65c; do fine, 66c; do full, 67c; do extra, 68c; do fine, 69c; do full, 70c; do extra, 71c; do fine, 72c; do full, 73c; do extra, 74c; do fine, 75c; do full, 76c; do extra, 77c; do fine, 78c; do full, 79c; do extra, 80c; do fine, 81c; do full, 82c; do extra, 83c; do fine, 84c; do full, 85c; do extra, 86c; do fine, 87c; do full, 88c; do extra, 89c; do fine, 90c; do full, 91c; do extra, 92c; do fine, 93c; do full, 94c; do extra, 95c; do fine, 96c; do full, 97c; do extra, 98c; do fine, 99c; do full, 100c.

Chicago.—The "Drovers' Journal" reports: Hog—Receipts, 1,000 head; shipments, 1,200 head; market weak and prices low. Cattle—Receipts, 1,000 head; shipments, 1,200 head; market weak and prices low. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000 head; shipments, 1,200 head; market weak and prices low.

Quotations by Messrs. Moore & Co., Bankers, Lancaster, Pa. C. & I. C. 11 A. M. 12 M. 3 P. M. 4 P. M. 5 P. M. 6 P. M. 7 P. M. 8 P. M. 9 P. M. 10 P. M. 11 P. M. 12 M. 1 A. M. 2 A. M. 3 A. M. 4 A. M. 5 A. M. 6 A. M. 7 A. M. 8 A. M. 9 A. M. 10 A. M. 11 A. M. 12 M.

Quotations by Associated Press. Stocks active and strong. Money easy at 3 1/2. New York Central, 118 1/2. Erie, 27 1/2. Pennsylvania, 27 1/2. Reading, 27 1/2. Delaware & Hudson, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Potomac, 27 1/2. Baltimore & Annapolis, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Canal, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Bay, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware River, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Sound, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Strait, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Trench, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Narrows, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Shoals, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Banks, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Keys, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Islands, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Atolls, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Cays, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Banks, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Keys, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Islands, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Atolls, 27 1/2. Chesapeake & Delaware Cays, 27 1/2.

PHILADELPHIA. Why do you suffer with Back Ache, Pain in the Chest, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Gout, wherever when a Hostetter's will surely give you relief? Druggists sell them, 25 cents.

Causes Asthenism. Completely prostrated for days with indigestion and bilious fever. The effects of two bottles of Hostetter's Stomachic and Bile Beans; visible improvement right off. Mr. Cochran, druggist at No. 127 West 12th Street.

PHILADELPHIA. "Golden Liquid Balm" is particularly useful in Diphtheria, Erysipelas, every depressing disease. It is a wonderful cure.

Mysteria and Nervous Prostration. We give our readers an extract from a letter written by Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, of Richmond, Va., who says: "I have been suffering from hysteria and nervous prostration." Comment is useless.

PEOPLE are killed by coughs that Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar would cure. Fire's Toothache Drops cure in one minute.

Mothers! Mothers! Mothers! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of HALL'S INFANT'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 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 in the United States. Sold everywhere. Beware of a bottle.

Use 150 Years. Impurity of blood, however generated, is always present in the body when pain is felt. It spreads and terminates wherever a weak spot or low vitality exists. HALL'S PINK PILLS are the one great and unfailing remedy, because they take hold and expel only what is hurtful; so when sick, have pain, dizziness, rheumatism, colds, or constipation, take from three to five pills, and if they do not operate in four hours or so, take three or four more. They cleanse the bowels and circulation from all impurities of the blood, and often save life. HALL'S PINK PILLS preserve the vigor of youth, and for a long period keep off the debility of age. Sold in every drug store and medicine store, with plain printed directions for use.

Honesty the Best Policy. In advertising a medicine it is best to be honest; deceiving a man will never do; the people won't stand it. Let the truth be known that Burdock Blood Purifier is the best of all purifiers of the skin. This medicine is sold everywhere by druggists. For sale by H. C. Cochran, druggist, 17 and 19 North Queen street.

As When She Was Young. I have used Parker's Hair Balsam and like it better than any similar preparation I know of. It writes Mrs. Ellen Perry, wife of Rev. F. Perry, of Co. Brook Springs, Mass. "My hair was almost entirely gray, but a dollar bottle of the Balsam has restored the softness, and the brown color it had when I was young—no single gray hair left. I have used it for a year, and I find that it is a perfectly harmless and agreeable dressing." 19-12nd Street

POLITICAL. JOHN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. JOHN D. HARRIS, of Christiana, Saturday township. Subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention. 18-14d