THE SCHOOL BOARD MEETS.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE AND SUPERINTENDENT HOFFMAN.

The Attendance of Male and Female Pupils For the Month—The Steam Ferry to Resume Operations on Saturday—Dr. Hance to Lecture This Evening.

Regular Correspondence of INTELLIGENCER.

COLUMBIA, March 16.—The regular monthly meeting of school board was held last evening with the following members present: Messrs. Allison, Fasig, May, Slade, Taylor, Urban, Wolfe. Absent, Messrs. Strine and Temple. The finance committee reported as follows:

Balance on hand at last report	$2,266 03
Mederwelt tax of 1883	15 60
Tuition	6 00
Boyd, collector 1887	1,125 10
	$3,852 15
Orders paid during the month	1,333 65
Balance on hand	$1,518 50
Balance in the sinking fund	$1,918 90

Superintendent Hoffman made the following report of the standing of the schools. Whole number in attendance, males, 791; females, 786; average attendance, males, 691; females, 682; percentage of attendance during the month, males, 93; females, 91; percentage of attendance to date, males, 93; females, 93; pupils present every session, 553; visits to schools by directors, 46; others, 125; total, 171. One session of the institution and four grade meetings were held during the month, when questions of importance were discussed.

The president and secretary were authorized to sign the petition of John Andrew Groff, 13 years, and Mathew Jas. Groff, 11 years for admittance to the Mount Joy Orphan schools.

Bills were paid amounting to $295 80. Orders on the sinking fund, $300 for bonds, $46 cancelled coupons.

Dr. T. F. Hance will give an entertaining lecture this evening in the rooms of the Young Men's Christian association, on the subject of "Water."

Miss Lillie Stout, of Downingtown, is visiting in town, as the guest of Miss Gertie Frederick.

The ferry between Columbia and Wrightsville will open on Saturday morning. Mr. Charles Grant, of the firm of Grant & Son, has arrived in town. The ports are in good condition.

The services this evening in St. Paul's P. E. church will be conducted by Rev. John Graham, rector of St. John's church, Marietta.

The pay car of the Pennsylvania railroad made its regular monthly trip to Columbia this morning, when the employes received their wages for the month of February.

The young Republicans will organize a Young Men's Republican league on Tuesday evening, March 20th, and will meet at the office of C. C. Kauffman, esq., for that purpose.

Liberty circle, No. 13, B. U. (H. F.), of Pa., will hold a package party in the armory on Saturday evening. An interesting programme has been arranged for the occasion.

VIEWS OF THE REBELLION.

Part of the Collection of Photographer Brady Exhibited Last Evening.

Nearly every seat in Fulton opera house was filled last evening when the Brady war views were exhibited. At 8 o'clock A. C. Leonard introduced Col. Grover, who explained the character of the pictures to be shown. The photographic scenes of forts, battle-fields, battles, prisons, slave pens and other buildings, Union officers, armed vessels and monster cannon were thrown in rapid succession upon the canvas placed upon the stage. Some of the pictures were considerably faded, but they were very interesting and served to show numerous features of the civil war that were not collected by painters or artists with the pencil. Col. Grover, with a pointer, designated the principal objects of every scene. His descriptions were amply instructive; and his humorous treatment of many of the views created roars of laughter.

While the scene of Gen. Phil. Sheridan, who was seated upon a sleek-looking steed, was displayed, the colonel recited with the closest regard for elocutionary effect Buchanan Read's poem on "Sheridan's Ride." The loud applause following the recital was fully merited. The second part of the exhibition was devoted to colored scenes from paintings, and by them the most thrilling situations of soldiers in battle were depicted. There were several comic pictures shown, and the last one was a bunch of blackberries. The fruit slowly ripened, and each berry was turned into the head of a darkey.

This evening the second series of the pictures will be shown; on Saturday afternoon there will be a matinee, and the last exhibition will be on Saturday evening. The exhibitions are given for the benefit of Admirable Reynolds Post 405, G. A. R.

This evening Washington Potts will render all the army calls on the bugle.

Before the Mayor.

Last evening Officers Roerich, Merringer, Creamer and Stormfeltz, in response to a telephone message, went to Peacock's furnace, in the lower part of town, and arrested four men who were loafing there. This morning they were before the mayor, when they gave their names as Mark Torney, Thomas Arnold, John Hopkins and John Rone. They were each given 30 days in jail. Rone was the only man who did not look like a tramp. He said he lived in Coatesville and begged to be let go, but the mayor would not listen to him. Lewis Steiner, who was drunk, got 30 days also.

A Minstrel's Marriage.

Milt Barlow, the negro minstrel, was married in Jersey City yesterday to Lillie Hall, the burlesquer. It will be remembered that Barlow was but recently released from prison, where he had been for a long time for failure to provide for his wife and family. When he was put there it was said that the Hall woman was the cause of his trouble. A divorce separated his former wife from him.

Want More Wages.

The hod-carriers of this city held a meeting last evening at the house of James Waters, colored, in the Seventh ward, and they resolved to ask $2 per day for their services after April 1st. At present they are receiving $1 75.

Could Not Get Coal.

The Penn iron works were obliged to suspend operations on Thursday night because they did not get a supply of coal on account of the snow blockade.

Three Suits Settled.

The suits of surety of the peace, assault and battery and disorderly conduct brought against Jacob Garlach by Abraham Sellers, were settled before Alderman Pinkerton last evening by Garlach paying the costs.

Will Move to Strasburg.

From the Little Record.

Mr. F. P. Hart will remove to Strasburg in the spring, where he will engage in business.

A Lecture To-night.

Dr. Weaver will deliver his second lecture before the Chautauqua Circle this evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. hall. His theme will be the "Nervous System."

Through Freight.

The Pennsylvania railroad company is now shipping live stock and perishable freight only to New York.

SUPPOSED TO BE STOLEN.

A Tramp Has a Lot of Valuable Papers in His Possession.

Officer Merringer arrested a tramp on Middle street on Thursday night for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He was found in the yard of a house on that street and refused to leave when ordered out. He was taken to the station house, but declined giving his name. This morning he first said his name was James Bard, and afterwards James Moss. In a pocket-book taken from him was $1 06 in money and some valuable papers. Among his papers, all in the name of Sam'l Martin, was a certificate of deposit for $800, in the name of Samuel Martin, on Reed & Henderson's bank, dated March, 24, 1884; a notice of assessment for a farm of 101 acres in Salisbury township; an insurance notice of The Mennonite Mutual Aid society of Lancaster county, and a number of other receipts. For the drunkenness and disorderly conduct Alderman A. F. Donnelly committed him for five days. The supposition is that he stole the valuable papers above noted. Inquiry will be made while he is in jail to ascertain how he became possessed of them.

Butter Again Down.

The report of butter and other produce being so scarce in this city on Tuesday soon spread over the county and in a greatly exaggerated form. It was said in some sections that butter could readily be sold here for 75 cents. The stories had a good effect and when the Eastern market opened yesterday it was found that there was a large quantity of butter on hand. Farmers had gone to the greatest trouble to get to town and some of them had even to walk. A number of town dealers, who had provided themselves with butter in the hopes of making a big profit were on the market. The result of all this was that good butter could be purchased at 25 cents per pound. One farmer, who disposed of all of his stock, bought that of a neighbor, which was left on his hands.

Jimmy Quinn Again in Trouble.

Jimmy Quinn stumbled into Alderman Barr's office on Thursday evening, very much under the influence of liquor. He proceeded to seat himself on the hot stove in the office, and finding it uncomfortably warm, he soon got away from the stove; but in his efforts he knocked the stove over, and the hot coals fell to the floor. Fortunately the alderman came to the office from supper about the time the stove fell over and with a few buckets of water a serious fire was prevented. Jimmy was locked up for a hearing on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

Sudden Death in Fulton.

Patterson McCardle, residing in Fulton township, died suddenly on Thursday. Deputy Coroner Wakeman Wesley held an inquest and the verdict of the jury was that death resulted from congestion of the brain.

Admitted His Guilt.

Oliver White, who claims Lebanon county as his home, stole a revolver from Aaron Diehm, of Unionville, Penn township, and when taken before Justice Weber he admitted his guilt, and was committed to the county jail for trial at the April court.

THE Young People's association of St. Paul's Reformed church will give a free entertainment this evening. Cecil Harper, a professor in the School of Oratory, Philadelphia, will read several selections. Mrs. Hunter will sing. There will be music by the orchestra, choir and quartette.]

Amusements.

Emmett in "Fritz"—On Monday evening next Joe Emmett makes his first appearance in Lancaster in several years, and he will play "Fritz, Our Cousin German," in which he was first seen in Lancaster. People who expect to see the eminent comedian will be left if they do not have seats reserved, as they are selling very rapidly now. The Cincinnati *Enquirer* says: "It is quite evident that J. K. Emmett has lost none of his drawing powers. The 'standing room only' sign at the Grand was hanging in the lobby at 8:30 last evening and several hundred people were turned away, unable to gain admission."

A Western Drama.—"Ranch 101" which is a good type of Western drama, will be played in this city on Tuesday evening next. The Pittsburg *Leader* says: "There was standing room only at the Grand opera house last evening, and very little of that, when the curtain rose on the first act of 'Ranch 101,' one of the prettiest of spectacular productions. Mr. J. Clinton Hall, J. Horace Miller, Mr. Sidney Smith and other well-known artists are in the cast."

DEATHS.

BRUNNER.—In this city, March 14, 1888, at 7 p. m., Jacob Brunner, in the 88th year of his age.

The relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 529 North Queen street, on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment at Lancaster cemetery. 2t*

SOUDERS.—In this city, on the 15th inst., Barbara Souders, wife of Michael Souders, in the 68th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her husband, No 22 East Frederick street, on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Services in the Old Mennonite church, East Chestnut street. Interment at Mellinger's cemetery. 2t

ANDERSON.—March 14, 1888, in this city, Mrs. Christian Anderson, widow of the late Solomon Anderson, in the 68th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of George W. Metzger, No 501 South Queen street, on Saturday afternoon at 8½ o'clock. Interment at Woodward Hill cemetery. 1td*

MARKETS.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Flour market quiet; Fine, $2 05@2 60; Superfine, $2 40@3 00; Minn Extra, $2 90@4 00; City mill Extra, $4 40@4 75; Minn. Wheat extra, $4 90@5 40.

Wheat—No. 1, Red, State, 92½c; No 2, do 91½c; No. 2, Red, Winter, April, 88½c; Mar, 90½c; receipts, 550; shipments, 34,700.

Corn—No. 2, Mixed, Cash, 61½c; April, 60½c; Ma., 59½c; receipts, none; shipments, 3,000.

Oats No. 1, White, State, 42½@43c; No. 2, do, 30½@31c; do March, 31½c; May, 37½c; receipts, 7,000; shipments, none.

Rye nominal; State 75c.

Barley nominal.

Pork dull; New Mess, $14 75@15 00.

Lard dull; March, $7 75; April, $7 92; May, $7 97.

Molasses nominal; for 50 boiling stock 20@20½c

Turpentine easier at 33½c.

Rosin strong at $1 15@1 25.

Petroleum steady; Refined in Cases, 9½c.

Freights quiet; grain to Leith, 1¾d.

Butter dull; Western Creamery, 16@31c.

Cheese steady; Western Flat, 11½@12c; Ohio Factory, 11½@12c; Fancy White, 12½@12¾c.

Eggs easier; State, 19½@20c; Western, 16c.

Sugar firm; Refined Cutloaf, 7¾c; Granulated, 7¼c.

Tallow steady; Prime City, 4⅝c.

Rice quiet; Carolina, fair to good, 5¼@6½c.

Coffee easy; Fair Cargoes, for Rio, 14½c.

Grain and Provisions.

Furnished by S. K. Yundt, Broker.

CHICAGO, March 16, 1:00 o'clock p. m.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Pork.	Lard.
May	78⅝	51½	....	14.10	7.65
June	79⅝	51	....	14.20	7.67
Oil City					
Crude Oil					97½

Closing Prices—2 o'clock p. m.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Pork.	Lard.
May	78⅝	51	....	14.07	7.64
June	79⅝	50⅝	....	14.22	7.67
Oil City					
Crude Oil					97½

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Mar. 16, 9:30 a. m.—Market closed. Wheat—March, 71c; April, 74½c; May, 78½c; June, 79½c.

Corn—March, 47c; April, 47½c; May, 51c; June, 50½c.

Oats—Mar., 33½c; May, 31c; June, 30½c.

Pork—Mar., $13 99; May, $14 07½; June, $14 12½.

Lard—Mar., $7 65; April, $7 67½; May, $7 0; June, $7 67½.

Short Ribs—Mar., $7 15; April, $7 20; May, $7 27½; June, $7 27½.

New York Stocks.

NEW YORK, March 16 1:30 p. m.—Money closed at 2½ per cent; Exchange steady; posted rates, $4 86@4 88; actual rates, $4 85½@4 85¾ for sixty days; $4 87½@4 87¾ for demand; Governments steady; currency 6's, $1 20 bid; 4's coup., $1 26½; 4½'s do, $1 06½ bid.

The stock market opened exceedingly dull and during the morning transactions were mainly in small lots. The interruption to telegraphic communication still retards business. The tone of speculation was weak and prices gradually sagged. At noon they were down ½ to ¾ per cent. The market has since been dull and featureless.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED AT THIS OFFICE—ONE DAILY INTELLIGENCER dated December 23, 1887, and one dated February 9, 1888.

WANTED—A WHITE WOMAN TO Cook for a Restaurant. Inquire at the INTELLIGENCER OFFICE. 1t

NOTICE.

Ladies' Fair to be held by Red Rose Commandery A. O. K. of M. C., Centre Hall, Centre Square, will open SATURDAY, MARCH 17 to 23. All societies cordially invited to attend. mar16-1wd*

JACOB F. SHEAFFER'S

PURE RYE WHISKY,

(MY OWN DISTILLATION.)

NO. 15 CENTRE SQUARE.

AUCTION! AUCTION!

Of Musical Instruments, Sheet Music and Stationery, at MRS. H. STRACHAN'S Music Store, No. 137 North Queen street, beginning SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 17, at 7:30, and to continue every evening until stock is disposed of.

BAENEMAN & REINCEHL, Auctioneers.

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W. L. FISHER, DENTIST.

Particular attention given to filling and preserving the natural teeth. I have all the latest improvements for doing nice work at a very reasonable cost. Having years of experience in the large cities I am sure to give the best of satisfaction and save you money. Best artificial teeth only $8 00 per set.

mar16-1yd No 64 NORTH QUEEN ST.

INFORMATION.

To those about Ordering Spring Clothes. If you want to save Money and be Pleased,

—GO TO—

ASKEW'S.

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EASTER EGG DYES.

Fraley's Liquid Egg Dyes are the brightest colored, produces the best effects and are the cheapest in the market.

Beautiful cards given away with egg dyes. Price 5 cents each, or the set of six different cards for 25c.

Fraley's Package Dyes cost in three colors for 5 cents, or six colors for 10 cents. Bright colors easily applied and beautiful cards given with the dyes. Look at our window display.

FRALEY'S EAST END PHARMACY, (Opposite Eastern Market.)

M.W.F&w

HOKE'S ELECTRIC BELT.

HOME TESTIMONY.

Mr. G. B. SWOPE, of No. 411 West Walnut street, Lancaster, Pa., says he was troubled with Dyspepsia and Sciatic Rheumatism for several years. He applied one of Hoke's Electric Belts, and is cured.

Hoke's Electric Belts

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WAIT UNTIL APRIL 10

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ADMISSION, 10 CENTS. F&S

EXECUTOR'S PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, on SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 17, 1888, at the Leopard hotel:

No. 1. The Two-Story BRICK DWELLING, No 437 South Prince street, with lot 21¼ feet wide, and extending back 107¼ feet that width, and from thence 17 feet wide to Beaver street, having a total depth of 217 feet.

No. 2. A Lot 94¾x107¼ feet, fronting on South Prince street, adjoining No. 1 on the south, and

No. 3. A Lot 41¼x107¼ feet, fronting on Beaver street, and adjoining No. 2 on the east.

Will be sold as a whole or in parts.

Conditions of sale will be made known by A. H. Christ, executor of the estate of Rudolph Christ. JOHN H. METZGER, Agent.

JOHN L. HAINES, Auct. 1t

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We can't describe value. We can name price but value and price seeing is more satisfying. Let us show you what we sell and the price. It's our biggest recommendation to your confidence. We solicit your trade and promise biggest values for backs and dollars.

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CLOTHING—Spring Styles ready. Men's, Youth's, Boys' and Children's Suits. Large selection, tempting prices.

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It will be a free, open gift, to all who will buy a dime of it. We do not expect you to PURCHASE anything in order to GET the soap. We want you to have it, because it is novel—because it is good. We don't ask you to buy a "pound of tea," or a "pound of coffee," or a pound of anything else, with washboards and sugar, &c., "thrown in." We share part of our profits with you in our distribution.

LAST WEEK

We promised you panel cards. They did not reach us. The soap got here before the cards. You will now get the cards later. Watch our advertisement.

BEAR IN MIND

That we are selling Teas and Coffees lower than any other house in the city. Our sales are increasing wonderfully. Our business is growing and our force is doubled. Many go away when they see our room filled. Please bear in mind that we have 25 to 24 salesmen employed and will not keep you waiting.

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—OF—

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Being in direct connection with the largest importers of Teas and Coffees, I beg leave to inform the trade that I can meet the lowest competition.

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FOR SALE.

The Stock, Good-Will, Fixtures and seven years lease of the oldest established LIVERY STABLE in Chester, Pa. Situated on Main street, 100 feet from Penn's R. R. station and adjoining and connecting with the principal hotel. Fully equipped and in complete running order; 200 feet Shedding, Fairbanks Hay Scales and Good Brick Office; business last year nearly ten thousand dollars; is offered for sale at a bargain, as the owner is in other business. Possession at once.

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Grand Spectacular Production of the Best American Play ever written. A beautiful home drama in four acts and five tableaux, entitled

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New and Elaborate Scenery. Startling Mechanical and stage effects, and a Strong Cast of Characters. The Popular actors,

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Fine, Pure Sugar Table Syrup.

This article Will suit the most particular customer. Also lower grade Sugar Syrup, Corn Syrup and Choice Vanilla Flavored Syrup, New Orleans Baking Molasses, XXXX Confectioners' Pulverized Sugar.

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MAKE HASTE AND GET READY

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Men's Spring Union Checked....Suits at $ 4 50
Men's Spring Striped.....Suits at $ 5 00
Men's Spring Cassimere.....Suits at $ 6.00
Men's Spring Scotch Striped.....Suits at $10.00
Men's Spring Cheviot Striped....Suits at $12 00
Boys' New Style School.....Suits at $ 2 50
Boys' Fine Checked.....Suits at $ 3 00
$3 50, $4 00, $4.50, $5 00, $5 50, $6 00, $6 50, $7 00.
Children's Prettiest Little Suits ever seen at $1.

Besides Clothing

THEY HAVE

Boys' Shirt Waists.....25, 50, 35, 40, 100.
Boys' Shirts, all colors, with collar for.....25c.
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And everything else in the way of

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Children of the same grade, Heel and Spring Heel, size 8 to 10½, 75 cents.

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A lot of Children's Solar Tip Shoes, 75c; Some of them worth $1 50.

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Some very high priced Shoes, among them Children's Shoes, 1 to 5, 15 cents.

57 NORTH QUEEN STREET.

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JOHN S. GIVLER

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Saturday, March 24, 1888.

On account of severe snow storm goods cannot be delivered by the railroad companies in time to open sooner. Will open on SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 1888,

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—OF—

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A Very Handsome and Convenient BAG, made of the Finest Quality Brown Grain Leather, and furnished with Cloths, Hair and Tooth Brush, Soap Dish, Tooth Powder Bottle. Made from 12 to 16 inches.

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CORRECT IN STYLE, FIRST IN QUALITY.

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"Dunlap Hats"

Are Now Moving Rapidly.

We have them in all the Prettiest SPRING STYLES in Silk, stiff and Soft Hats.

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All Styles, All Grades and Prices GUARANTEED the Lowest.

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