Local Intelligence.

Court Proceedings.

Monday Morning.—Pursuant to arrangement an adjourned Court of Quarter Sessions commenced to-day. The morning was taken up in preliminary business, and but a single case was disposed of.

William Horner, plead guilty to charges of assault and battery upon Mary Ehrman and Theresa Hinder, and was fined one dollar and costs in each case.

Witnesses and parties being absent Court adjourned to 2½ o'clock, P. M.

Afternoon Session.—Com'th vs. Isaac Bouders. The defendant was arraigned upon four indictments. The first charged him with having robbed Jacob Fielding of a pocket book containing some $140. The robbery was perpetrated in the day time, in the beer saloon of Mrs. Mary Reese, in this city. The testimony of Fielding was that Bouders came up to where he was setting, put his left arm around his neck, thus garotting him, while with his right hand he took the pocket book from his pocket.

The second indictment charged the defendant with stealing a sorrel mare of the value of $300, from the stable of Peter Stouffer, in Upper Leacock township.

The third indictment charged him with stealing a one horse wagon and harness, and 11 bags of wheat from the premises of Mr. Stouffer, at the same time the mare was stolen.

The fourth count charged him with having stolen two bundles of railroad iron from the blacksmith shop of Samuel Hoar, at Enterprise.

Com'th vs. Henry Donnelly. Indictment for felonious assault. The evidence proved that the defendant had made a severe assault upon some unknown German in the depot, in this city, on the 30th of last July. The jury brought in a verdict of guilty of assault and battery, and defendant was sentenced to pay a fine of forty dollars and costs of prosecution.

Tuesday Morning Session.—In the case of Com'th vs. Isaac Bouders, the jury returned a sealed verdict of guilty on all four indictments, in manner and form as he stood indicted.

The prisoner made a statement to the Court that after his arrest he was taken from jail by the military authorities and sent to his regiment in the army. That notification of the charges were sent to the officers of his regiment, and that after he reached Louisville, Ky., he was tried by Court-Martial for the offence now charged against him and sentenced to march through the streets of that city for four hours with a board tied to his neck, on which was inscribed "Horse Thief." He claimed that he had been robbed of $144 at the time it was alleged he robbed Froelich. He seemed to think that it was hard that he should be punished twice for the same offence.

The Court did not seem to coincide in his peculiar view of the matter, and he was sentenced, for stealing the iron to imprisonment in the Eastern Penitentiary for one year and three months; for theft of the wheat wagon and harness to one year; for the robbery to two years; and for stealing the mare to four years.

Com'th vs. George W. Shue and Joseph Dietrich.—The parties were indicted for stealing a gray horse from John Doner, of this county.

George W. Shue was released on bail at last Court to enable him to subpœna witnesses for the defence. His mother was his bail. He absconded and has failed to appear.

It appears from the testimony that a son of Mr. Doner had driven a valuable horse and buggy belonging to his father to the house of one Mr. Lemon, on a visit to some ladies. This was about the middle of last September. While the young man was at the house the horse and buggy disappeared, and was next heard of in Bellefonte, Centre county. Shue and Deitrich having driven it into that town offered to sell the horse and rigging. Their appearance being very suspicious and their statements contradictory they were arrested and thrown into jail. Afterwards communication was had with the owner in this county. The evidence was strong against the prisoner, as it was shown that he and Shue were about Safe Harbor the week previous to the theft. The case was submitted to the jury without argument, under the charge of the Court.

The jury returned a verdict of *guilty*, and the prisoner was sentenced to pay a fine of one dollar and costs of prosecution, and to undergo an imprisonment of five years in the county prison, for stealing the horse; and that he undergo an imprisonment of nine months additional for stealing the buggy and harness.

Com'th. vs. Augusta Walker. Larceny. John D. Beam, merchant of this city, testified that in January, 1864, Augusta Walker came into his store with a basket on her arm; that she passed back in the store; that her movements excited suspicion, and on looking into the basket he found concealed a circular cloth cloak, which he recognized to be his by his private store mark.

Court adjourned until 2½ o'clock, P. M.

LANCASTER HORSE MARKET, MONDAY, JAN. 8TH, 1866.—The trade continued about the same as last week, there being no briskness either in the way of arrivals or sales.

Morgart's Stable Trout's.—There were 46 on hand last week, belonging as follows, viz: 3 to Mr. P. G. Morgart, 12 to Mr. C. C. Miller, 17 to Steckman & Logan, and 15 to D. M. Sharp & Co. The arrivals were 1 to D. M. Sharp & Co., bought in the county; 11 head from Ohio to Steckman & Logan; and 1 to John Wynkoop, from Shippensburg, Cumberland county, an excellent and superior mare. The sales amount to 8 head, viz: 1 by D. M. Sharp & Co., in the county; 1 by Mr. Morgart; 2 by Mr. C. C. Miller, and 4 by Steckman & Logan, leaving 52 on hand, as follows: 15 owned by Messrs. Sharp & Co.; 23 by Steckman & Logan; 2 by Mr. Morgart; 11 by Mr. C. C. Miller, and 1 by John Wynkoop.

Funk's.—24 head in the stable last week. No arrivals. The sales were 12 head to farmers, leaving 12 on hand.

Copeland & Vine's.—16 head on hand last week. The arrivals were 7 head, bought in the county. No sales, leaving 23 on hand.

RELIGIOUS.—The Southeastern Convocation of the Diocese of Pennsylvania, comprising the Episcopal Clergy from Lancaster county to the Allegheny Mountains westward and to the Maryland line southward, will meet in St. James' Church, this city, on Tuesday evening, the 9th inst., and remain in session until Thursday evening, the 11th inst. Divine service will be held in said church on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings at the usual hour. The Holy Communion will be administered on Thursday evening.

This and all the Convocations in the Diocese take cognizance of Church work within their several limits, foster Missionary enterprises and act with the Diocesan Board of Missions, under the direction of the Bishop. They do much good in keeping alive a mutual interest and promoting intercourse between the several parishes and the clergy. The feebler parishes and missionary stations are more particularly benefitted by their work, but it is believed that they exert also a wholesome influence on older and well-established church organizations.

CROSS EYES MADE STRAIGHT by Dr. Jones, of New York city, now practicing at Michael's Hotel, in this city, where he will remain until January 20th, 1866. Dr. Jones cures all curable diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. See his column of advertisement and if you are afflicted, go at once to him and get cured.

AT A meeting of the Stockholders of the Lancaster and Clarion River Oil Company, held at their office on the 8th inst., the following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year:

John F. Herr, Michael H. Shirk, John D. Skiles, A. B. Kauffman, John H. Zeller, Levi W. Groff, Jacob M. Frantz, Dr P. W. Hiestand, Benj. W. Harnish.

BANK DIRECTORS.—The following gentlemen were to-day elected Directors of the Lancaster County National Bank for the ensuing year:

John Landis, George G. Brush, James Smith, John Hostetter, David Landes, (miller,) John Doner, Adam Lefever, Jacob Bachman, Abraham Buckwalter, Benjamin L. Landis, Henry Esbenshade, Dr. Isaac C. Weidler, Abraham Bowman.

SALE OF BANK STOCK.—30 shares of Lancaster County National Bank Stock, belonging to the estate of Jacob Kauffman, deceased, were sold this afternoon for $69 per share. The purchaser was Mr. John Forney, of West Earl.

THE CONCERT FOR THE "CHILDREN'S HOME."—The concert given at the Court House, on Thursday, for the benefit of the "Children's Home," by some forty amateurs, under the auspices of Prof. William B. Hall as Director, and Mr. William E. Heinitsh as Leader, was, without any exception, the finest musical entertainment ever given in this city; and a larger, (the Court Room being densely crowded in every part,) more brilliant, appreciative or fashionable audience was never assembled within the walls of any of our public buildings. The grand performance of the evening was the rendition of the celebrated Cantata of "Esther, the Beautiful Queen," the principal characters of which were as follows:

Esther, the Queen—Mrs. Ambrose Ball.
King Ahasuerus—Mr. E. H. Gast.
Haman—Maj. James F. Ricksecker.
Zeresh—Miss Florence A. Bare.
Mordecai—Prof. Wm. B. Hall.
Queen's Maid of Honor—Miss C. L. Bare.
Harbonah—Mr. John Zimmerman.
Reader—Rev. Thomas B. Barker.

Mrs. Ball left a sick room to take the arduous part of "Queen Esther," and, though laboring under severe indisposition, deserves the highest praise for the manner in which she performed her part. She is an admirable Soprano singer.

Mr. E. H. Gast, as "Ahasuerus," made a most "noble King," and his fine deep Bass voice added much to the entertainment.

Miss F. A. Bare, as "Zeresh," charmed all by her superb Alto voice. Her pleasing person, modest yet bewitching manner, took captive the hearts of all present.

Prof. William B. Hall, as "Mordecai," it would be superfluous to say, was perfectly at home. He is the finest Tenor singer we have ever heard. He had a thorough conception of his own as well as every other part of the Cantata, and his plaintive voice, music itself, never fails to win the plaudits and warmly enlist the sympathies of all.

Miss C. L. Bare, as the "Queen's Maid of Honor," has a splendid Soprano voice, under complete control, and her conception of the character could not have been better. The Misses Bare are sisters, and both have first-class musical talent, which has been thoroughly cultivated. We feel proud of them as Lancasterians.

Mr. John Zimmerman, as "Harbonah," performed his part well. He is a pleasing Tenor singer.

The Scriptural explanations of the Cantata were read in an excellent manner by Rev. Thomas B. Barker, Rector of St. John's Free Church.

The choruses, quartettes, &c., given by the other ladies and gentlemen, were all that could have been desired. There was not a mistake or blunder made during the entire evening's performance.

Prof. Schmied, owing to his pressing musical engagements, was unable to be present as accompanist, but his place was ably supplied by Miss Annie Kramph and Mr. Harry Decker, who presided at the Cabinet Organs and Piano with great ability, and brought forth the sweetest notes of harmony from their inmost recesses.

Mr. B. F. Shreiner played the "Star Spangled Banner" with variations, on the Piano, better than most professional players that we have heard.

The secular musical selections in the second part of the programme were in exceeding good taste, and were rendered in the most finished and artistic manner. The "Ship on Fire" and "Aura Lee," by Miss C. L. Bare, were never better sung before a Lancaster audience, and the young lady was so long and heartily encored that she was forced to repeat them; the humorous duetts of Messrs. Hall and Gast, and Messrs. Hall and Heinitsh, elicited roars of laughter and applause, and the duett of Messrs. Hall and Ricksecker, "Larboard Watch," was superbly sung. Take it all in all, it was, as we have said before, the best musical entertainment ever given here, and the greatest praise is due Messrs. Hall and Heinitsh and their assistant amateurs for this glorious musical feast, which has indeed proved a benefit for the noble charity for which it was given.

We would suggest the propriety of the Concert being repeated; or that a complimentary benefit be tendered to Prof. Wm. B. Hall. He is a thorough musician, an accomplished gentleman, and has been indefatigable in his endeavors to foster and encourage the musical talent of our city, which we are proud to say is equal to any city in the country. By all means let us give the Professor a rousing complimentary benefit.

THE CANTATA OF "ESTHER, THE BEAUTIFUL QUEEN," TO BE REPEATED.—It will be seen, by the following correspondence, that the Cantata of "Esther, the Beautiful Queen, will be repeated, with other musical selections, on Thursday evening next, at Fulton Hall, for the benefit of Prof. Wm. B. Hall. Our readers will be happy to learn this, and there is not a doubt but that the hall will be crowded in every part to hear this master-piece of musical composition:

LANCASTER, January 5, 1866.

To William E. Heinitsh and Others:

We the undersigned, citizens of Lancaster, appreciating fully the unrivaled excellence of your Concert given last evening in the Court Room for the benefit of the Children's Home, and anxious to give some expression of our opinion in reference to the Musical Director, Professor William B. Hall, respectfully request you and your excellent Company to repeat the Cantata of Esther and such other musical selections as you may deem proper, at your earliest convenience, for the special benefit of Mr. Hall, so that all our people may have an opportunity of giving him a substantial token of their appreciation of his efforts to please the public, and of his superior qualifications as a professor and teacher of music.

Chas. M. Howell,	Geo. Sanderson,
J. M. Westhaeffer,	John L. Atlee,
C. R. Baer,	D. Bair, jr.,
William Miller,	G. Clarkson,
Chas. F. Longer,	A. McConomy,
John C. Longer,	Geo. K. Reed,
Abraham Hirsh,	Henry W. Hager,
H. R. Fahnestock,	A. N. Thomas,
H. L. & E. J. Zahm,	Thomas Greives,
John Metzger, jr.,	Jno. A. Charles,
Wentz Bros.,	Charles A. Heinitsh,
Jacob Bair,	Charles F. Rengier,
	Thos. Coleman.

And many others.

SATURDAY, January 6.

Gentlemen: Your kind note has just been received. For myself, and on behalf of the ladies and gentlemen who sang at the Court House on Thursday evening last, our thanks are tendered for this manifestation of your kindness. We shall be happy to repeat the Concert for the benefit of Prof. Hall, and would respectfully suggest Thursday evening next, at Fulton Hall.

Yours truly,
WM. E. HEINITSH,
Leader.

DEATH OF THE "OLDEST INHABITANT."—The oldest inhabitant of this part of the country, and probably the oldest person in Pennsylvania, died on Sunday morning, the 24th of December, at Morgantown, Berks county. Her name was Martha Barefoot, or rather Patty Barefoot, as she has been familiarly known for the past three quarters of a century. She was born in Amity township, Berks county, on the 15 February, 1749, and at the time of her decease was *one hundred and six years, ten months and nine days old.* The names of her parents were Samuel and Jean Barefoot, two of the early settlers of Amity township. In the church register of the Morlatton Episcopal Church at Douglassville, we find a record of Patty's baptism, by Rev. Alexander Murray, an English Missionary, and at the time pastor of the congregation there. This baptism took place on the 13th of September, 1778, when she was in her 20th year.

When quite a young girl, Patty Barefoot removed from Amity township, to Morgantown, and became an inmate of the family of Jacob Morgan, Esq., after whom the village of Morgantown was named, and who held large grants of land in the neighborhood by letters patent from Wm. Penn.—Morgan was a soldier of the revolutionary war, and Patty, whose recollections of events of her early life was very clear and vivid, was in the habit of relating many anecdotes, in several of which he figured as the hero.

THE ABSURDITIES OF PREJUDICE.—Inconsistency is a weakness of human nature, as unreasonable as it is absurd and indefensible. Many people, for instance, have a horror of purchasing anything that is extensively advertised. Advertising is, in their opinion, a game of speculation. The Samburg port wine is largely advertised, because the proprietor, Mr. A. Speer, is desirous that the public become acquainted with it. He wishes them to judge for themselves, and he has instructed all who retail his wine that if it should not prove equal to what he claims for it, to return the money. All he wants is to give it a trial. Nothing can be fairer than this.

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"THE OLD CAPITOL PRISON AND THE DRY TORTUGAS" is the title of an interesting pamphlet, written by H. H. McClune, detailing the scenes of his imprisonment in those places for nearly three years. He raised a company in this county in 1862. Soon after entering the service, he was arrested, whilst on duty in Washington city, on the charge of "uttering disloyal sentiments,"—confined in the Old Capitol Prison for four weeks without a trial, and then sentenced to be imprisoned "during the rebellion." After his trial he was imprisoned in the Old Capitol for five months and then transported to the Dry Tortugas, where he was exiled for over two years. That he was falsely imprisoned cannot be doubted by any one. He gives ample proof from his correspondence with Republicans, that they considered his sentence illegal and unjust. We especially recommend the perusal of this pamphlet to the editors of the *Express*, as they published a very severe article against him at the time of his arrest. They cannot gainsay the opinions of such Republicans as Gov. Curtin, Gen. Martindale and Major R. W. Shenk, the latter of whom speaks in the following plain manner about the case. Says the Major in a letter to Mr. McClune:

"I know that Porter appointed a cousin of his to the vacancy created by your sentence before it was published by the proper authority. Phillips sold himself to Porter to bring the charges against you, and to swear the case through. The Court was packed; Porter was President and Capt. Espy, deep in the villainy of Porter, was a prominent member. Espy was in town a few weeks ago and told me that your sentence was fixed before you were found guilty. Governor Curtin, on the return of the regiment, told me, that he was disposed to do something for you, but had been told not to, by whom, I cannot say."

Major Shenk belonged to the same regiment that Lt. McClune did, and had ample opportunity to become acquainted with the facts in this anomalous case. We recommend the perusal of this pamphlet to our readers, as it exhibits the *sublime* operations of one of these military tribunals.

The pamphlet is for sale at Westhaeffer's Book Store. Price 40 cents.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.—A Teachers' Institute was held in the village of New Holland, commencing on Wednesday evening, Dec. 27th, and continuing until Friday evening, which was attended by about fifty teachers from various parts of the county. A number of the leading teachers of the county were present and passed a very interesting time in the discussion of the various topics belonging to the school-room. The meeting gave a general satisfaction to all present; and many felt the institute more fully awakened to their responsibilities as teachers and better qualified to perform their respective duties. There was, however, a certain class of teachers throughout the Eastern part of the county who did not attend it, and who are certainly not justifiable under the circumstances, as the institute was particularly held for their convenience and benefit. The exercises of the Institute consisted of Class Drills, Essays, Discussions and Lectures, which proved both interesting and instructive.—The following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, A portion of the Common School teachers of Lancaster county have met in New Holland, in order to mutually improve and encourage each other in the cause of popular education.

Resolved, That we as Teachers are if possibly more earnestly impressed with the importance of thoroughly educating the youth of our land, and we are determined to make use of every proper means placed in our power to secure this object, the attainments lies the only safeguard of our liberties and the future prosperity of our country.

Resolved, That it is the duty of the Teachers of the county to attend the general Institute held in the city of Lancaster, and such other branch Institutes that may be held in their immediate neighborhoods.

Resolved, That our thanks are due to Rev. J. W. Hassler, Messrs. Behmer, Geist, Riddle, Newpher and others, for assisting in the exercises of the Institute.

Resolved, That our thanks are hereby tendered to our worthy Superintendent for his untiring efforts and earnest endeavors to make this Institute both pleasant and profitable.

Resolved, That our thanks are tendered to the trustees of the U. B. meeting house, for their kindness in granting the free use of the building, for the purpose of holding the Institute; and also to the sexton for making the room comfortable and agreeable.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Institute are due to the citizens of New Holland and vicinity for their patronage and hospitality.

AMOS HORST,
E. H. HOFFMAN,
A. W. SNADER,
MISS MARY E. WATSON,
" ANNIE C. BRUBAKER,
Committee.

NAMES OF MEMBERS.

David Evans,	Joel S. Eaby,
John C. Martin,	G. S. Ranck,
B. F. Hill,	P. M. Snyder,
J. J. Cake, Pottsville,	Cyrus McQuaid,
Adam Geist,	A. O. Newpher,
G. H. Trabert,	S. G. Groff,
James Diller,	D. S. Schlaush,
Wm. Riddle,	D. M. Sensenig,
B. F. Bard,	W. D. Weaver,
J. C. Eshleman,	I. H. Good,
L. Bushwaller,	E. H. Hoffman,
Lemon Wenger,	John Roland,
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A. W. Snaders,	E. G. Groff,
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Isaac Brubaker,	Miss A. C. Brubaker,
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S. G. Behmer,	" E. M. Darrow,
Albertus Fry,	" C. Shenk,
S. Hindman,	" M. A. Eshleman
Amos Horst,	" M. A. Darrow,
S. Y. Givler,	" Annie Ranck,
Levi Hoover,	" A. S. Trabert,
G. W. Davidson,	" M. E. Watson,
C. H. Rutter,	" Lizzie Mefferd,
J. B. Eshleman,	" Lizzie Lagle,
David Styer,	" Lou Ball,
Milton Smoker,	" F. C. Alexander,
S. S. High,	Mrs. Maggie E. Geist,

JOHN C. MARTIN,
Secretary.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—The committee appointed at a late meeting of the Sun Engine and Hose Company to procure suitable ground for the erection of a new Engine House in the central portion of the city, have succeeded in buying a lot from Capt. John Herr, situated on the South-west corner of the alley running between East King and Orange streets, opposite the First German Reformed Church, for $2,750. The lot fronts on Orange street 47 feet, 3 inches, and extends in depth 68 feet, 6 inches. The Company intend erecting a handsome and commodious three-story building. The 1st story will consist of a large apparatus room, meeting room and two dressing rooms; the second story of one large room, suitable for concerts, lectures or balls; the third of three rooms, to be rented to societies, clubs, etc. The committee have made an excellent selection.

DR. JONES, of New York City, the great Eye and Ear Doctor, is now practicing at Michael's Hotel, this city, with his usual good success. All who are afflicted should go at once to Dr. Jones. He has had a thorough medical education in the best medical colleges of Europe and America. His Diplomas hang in his Office, Room No. 20, Michael's Hotel. Dr. J. has effected so many astonishing cures in all parts of this county and State, that to announce his name and presence is to call in the afflicted from all quarters.

Dr. J. has just inserted an Eye for H. E. Martin at the office of the *Examiner & Herald*, which gives no pain and cannot be distinguished from the natural organ. For cures of every nature see Dr. Jones' column in this paper, *headed Ear and Eye.*

THE PRIZE ENTERPRISE.—We mentioned last week the Prize Scheme of the American Statesman, in offering a Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine valued at $55.00 for every Club of Forty Subscribers sent to the office. We also learn that a $65 machine will be given for every Club of Fifty Subscribers and generally $1 for every subscriber sent, allowed on the purchase of a machine of any value or grade.

This virtually furnishing the paper at twenty cents a copy per annum, how greater inducements could be offered we cannot conceive. As the Statesman is a very cheap and popular sheet we apprehend that many of our town folks will avail themselves of the opportunity getting a Splendid Prize and a Cheap Family Newspaper. It is published weekly at $1.50 per annum at 67 Nassau St., N. Y.

LANCASTER GRAIN MARKET, MONDAY, January 8th, 1866:

Family flour, ⅜ bar	$10 50
Extra do do	9 50
Superfine do do	8 50
Wheat (white) ⅜ bus	2 30
Wheat (red) do	1 75 @2 00
Rye do	1 00
Corn (new) do	70
Oats do	50
Whiskey, per gallon	2 25

A HANDSOME SUM.—Over $1400 was realized at the late Red Men's Fair in Mount Joy. It was the most successful Fair ever held in that borough.

COLUMBIA AND PORT DEPOSIT R. R. CO.—At the annual meeting held in this city, on the 8th inst., the following were elected:

President—C. S. Kauffman.

Directors.—Josiah Bacon, W. J. Howard, G. C. Franciscus, Edmund Smith, H. J. Lombaert, Geo. B. Roberts, J. D. Cameron, Maris Hoopes, Wyatt W. Miller, Jacob Tome, Philip Gossler, George Small.

THE NIGHT POLICE.—Fifteen of the twenty Night Police withdrew their resignations as published, and expressed a desire to be continued on duty. In the North West and North East Wards there were but three in each left, consequently they were continued. In the South West Ward there were four left, and in the South East Ward the whole five were willing to continue.—The Mayor, not willing to make a distinction where all did their duty so faithfully, gave them the opportunity of making their own selection by drawing lots, a perfectly satisfactory arrangement to all concerned. This was done under the supervision of High Constable Huber, and the following persons, therefore, constitute the present police force of the city, viz:

N. E. Ward—Messrs. George Bonce, John Mullen, John Doyle.

N. W. Ward—Peter Lutz, Hiram Snyder, John McManus.

S. E. Ward—Jacob Foose, H. McCormick, Frederick Fleischman.

S. W. Ward—Henry Dencamp, Jackson Snyder, William Shay.

The retiring officers are Henry Ransing, Hiram Hambright, Samuel Gruel, Casper Weitzel, Isaac Kauffman, John Hensler, Philip Kuhlman and William Wilson.—The first five quit voluntarily—the other three were unlucky enough to draw blanks in the lottery.

The Chief of Police is continued under the new arrangement, and we have no doubt he will continue to do all that he can, with the small force now at his command, to preserve the peace and good order of the city, and protect the property of our citizens from burglars and incendiaries.

THE MONTH OF JANUARY.—The month of January is named from Janus, the Roman god, who presided over this period of time. Verstegan, in a book published in 1626, called "Restitution of Decayed Intelligence," says that this month was called, among Saxons, "Wolf-Monat," or "Wolf Month," because the wolves, then so troublesome in the Island of Great Britain, were impelled by hunger to come down into the settlements, and the Government, to encourage their destruction, paid a high reward for every wolf's head.

In the old English writings, coupled with a mention of the festivities of Christmas, are also the sports which ushered in the new year. Nor does the biting atmosphere of the season escape notice—an atmosphere often in our climate, whose frigidity would chill any other merriment than that which brightens the holiday times. In Spencer's Fairy Queen the following passage occurs:

"Then came old January wrapped well,
In many weeds to keep the cold away,
Yet did he quake and quiver like to quell,
And blow his nayles to warm him if he may."

THE LECTURE, YESTERDAY.—Dr. A. W. Selden, the world renowned horse doctor and trainer, from Louisville, Kentucky, (whose arrival we noticed a day or two ago,) delivered a very instructing and amusing lecture to an appreciative audience yesterday afternoon, at the Merrimac House, upon "Diseases, Physiology, Anatomy, and the Handling and Training of Horses." The Doctor gave satisfaction to all present, and as a proof of his capability, as a superior hand in the training of horses, a class was immediately formed for the purpose of receiving instructions from him.

Special Notices.

☞ GREAT OAKS FROM LITTLE ACORNS GROW.—The worst diseases known to the human race spring from causes so small as to almost defy detection. The volumes of scientific lore that fills the tables and shelves of the medical fraternity only go to prove and elaborate these facts.

Then guard yourselves while you can may. The smallest pimple on the skin is a tell-tale and indicator of disease. It may fade and die away from the surface of the body, but it will reach the vitals, perhaps, at last, and death be the result and final close.

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Marriages.

FEIRSTEIN—KAUFFMAN.—On the 9th inst., by the Rev. J. J. Strine, at his residence, Andrew Feierstein to Miss Catharine Kauffman, both of Rohrerstown.

Deaths.

MILLER.—In this city, on the 8th inst., Margaret, wife of Christian Miller, in the 73d year of her age.

REES.—At Baltimore, on the 8th inst., Mrs. Mary Rees, relict of the late John Rees, of this city, in the 68th year of her age.

TAGGART.—At Kinzer's Station, on the 7th inst., of disease of the heart, Miss Martha Taggart, daughter of Robert Taggart, Esq., in the 32d year of her age.

HUGHES.—In this city, on the 2d inst., Delila Hughes, in the 50th year of her age.

Markets.

The Markets at Noon To-day.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 9.—Flour market dull; small sales for home trade at $7.25@7.75 for Superfine; $8@9 for Extras; $8@9.50 for Northwestern Extra Family; $10@11 for Penn'a and Ohio do., and at higher rates for fancy brands, according to quality.

In Rye Flour and Cornmeal nothing doing.

Wheat market quiet; Red sold at $2.25@2.35. White ranges from $2.50 to $2.75

Rye steady at 95c@$1.05.

Corn is in fair request; sales of Yellow at 83c in store and in cars.

Oats unchanged; small sales at 50@52c.

Cloverseed steady at $7.25@8.

Timothy nominal.

Flaxseed sells at $3.15@3.20.

Petroleum dull at 38c for Crude; 50@60c for Refined in bond, and 80@83 for Free.

Whiskey dull; small sales at $2.28@2.30.

NEW YORK, January 9.—Cotton dull at 52@53c.

State Flour is heavy and 5@10c; sales 4,000 bbls State $7.7 @8.30, Ohio $8.40@10.25, Western $7@8.30, Southern $8.05@15, Canada $8@11.25.

Wheat dull.

Corn dull.

Beef quiet.

Pork firm; Mess $28½.

Lard quiet at 15c.

Whiskey dull.

Stock Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 9.

Penna. 5's	86¾
Morris Canal	49
Reading Railroad	51
Long Island	
Penna. Railroad	56½
Gold	137¼