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CITY AND COUNTY.

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ADVERTISERS ARE REQUESTED to hand in their advertisements as early in the day as possible, as our rapidly increasing circulation compels us to go to 2 p.m.

COMMUNICATIONS intended for publication in the DAILY EAGLE must be accompanied by a response, giving the name, as a guarantee that it is on the part of the writer, that the name will not be published unless requested by the correspondent.

SUBSCRIPTIONS will be received to receive the EAGLE, and will offer a gratuity by leaving notices at this office, where all complaints of irregularity and lateness of delivery will be promptly attended to.

CORESPONDENTS should make their communications short and to the point. Our space is too limited for very long articles.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.—A lad named Meyer was kicked on the breast by a mule on Thursday afternoon, at the corner of Sixth and Washington streets, and seriously injured.

Tight pants—Asthmatical breathings.

A deed without a name—an unsigned will.

Mr. Josiah Manniller, of Oley township, one day this week lost forty chickens by chicken cholera.

Red checks are only oxygen in another shape—desirous to wear them will find them where the red do—out of doors.

The iron railing in front of the Catholic Church, on North Ninth street, has been completed and makes a great improvement in the appearance of the front of the church.

Benton pays fifty thousand dollars annually for church music.

A wagon loaded with stones broke down in North Fifth street yesterday morning.

The enlargement of the reservoirs at the head of Penn street, proposed by the Water Commissioners, is receiving the attention of Council, both bodies having recently visited the basin for the purpose of inspection and consultation on the subject.

The following named gentlemen have been chosen Directors of the Reading Savings Bank: Michael Gruber, Michael T. Sother, Conrad Reiter, Conrad Y. Heidler, William Umbdenauer, Daniel B. Lorah and A. F. Boas.

This afternoon a trotting race for a wager of \$200 will take place on the Fair Ground, between Elam Ludwig's "Black Swallow" and Harry Vohn's bay horse, "John Adams."

An exchange suggests that druggists are indefatigable for selling billets, under the law against inflammatory placards.

Fish in large quantities and of good size, are being caught in the Schuylkill canal, near this city.

The gutter at Fourth and Penn street wants some attention. A little lime thrown into it, would perhaps render it passable.

Nine hundred and twenty-four dollars is said to be the price of a "first-class funeral" in N. Y.—Etcetera.

No man is a poor man to be buried?

Venus is now the Morning Star, and can be seen to the East, just in advance of the Sun.

Purchasers would do well to search the columns of the paper when they desire to purchase articles, as it is a sure evidence of a man's qualifications when he is not ashamed to publish to the world what he has for sale.

Travelers—a change in the arrival and departure of stages and mails. See matter under that head.

The man who stole a bottle of Plantation Bitters will have a large crop of cotton wool—in his mouth.

Bright yellow hair is the favorite hue. It is seen, however, "The Rightful Hair."

Young women now say their prayers before going to bed. It saves time, and besides they have much to repent of.

A Canadian woman, jealous of her seventy-year-old husband, burned his house and barn, and cut her throat.

Young men dressed in the latest fashion—short coat and tight pants—look as if they had been bundled up to be sent off by express, and had been lost in the wagon.

Josh Billings says milk is obtained from cows, hogs, woodchucks, rats, sheep, squirrels, and all other animals that have hair. Snails and geese don't give milk.

The old Spang Forge, situated in Oley township, is one of the oldest Iron works in the county.

Over—the great political contest is over, and people can employ their time to no better advantage than to go to Charles Loyal & Co.'s, 411 Penn street, to buy their goods. They will there find a large and splendid assortment of goods, which is sold at low, if not much lower, than at any other house in the city.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—Catharine Maurer and Susan Hare, are neighbors in Cherry Alley above Tenth street. They got on the "outs" yesterday, gave each other a severe tongue lashing, and resorted to poker and broths to settle the matter. Susan coming out of the fight victorious, Catharine felt much grieved, and in order to have her grievances amended, she proceeded to Alderman Mengel and had said Susan bound over to answer at Court. When Mrs. Hare's husband came home and found how matters stood he went and committed assault and battery on Isaac Maurer, a son of Mrs. Maurer. Young Maurer was a good deal battered up, and his mother came to Alderman Mengel and had Charles Hare bound over to answer at Court.

RIBLIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.—The nightly services at Fifth street M. E. Church still continue with interest and profit. Rev. Dr. Patterson, the Pastor, has been nined this week by Rev. Mr. Groves of Hamburg and Rev. T. A. Feniley of Fourth street Church. The meetings will continue next week.

St. Peter's M. E. Church—Fifth St.—Rev. R. H. Patterson will preach in this church to-morrow morning and evening.

Fourth Street M. E. Church.—Rev. Mr. Major, the popular Pastor of the M. E. Church at Lehman, will preach in this city at the above Church on to-morrow morning and evening.

The Pastor, Rev. T. A. Feniley, is absent, officiating in the dedication of the new and beautiful M. E. Church at Springfield, Chester county. Mr. Major is an eloquent and attractive minister.

Universal Church.—The 4th lecture of the course on the History and Doctrines of the various religious denominations will be delivered to-morrow (Sunday) evening. Subject—"The Lutheran, German Reformed, Presbyterian and kindred Churches."

To BE RE-BUILT.—The engine "Port Clinton," which has been used on the Little Schuylkill road as a passenger engine for many years, was placed on the blocks in the shops of this city, to be re-built.

Lecture.—Rev. Edward P. Roe, of New York, will deliver a lecture on "The Romance of Cavalry Life" on Tuesday evening, at Library Hall. The lecture is highly recommended by a number of the leading press of New York State, where it has been delivered.

SUBSCRIBE for the EAGLE.

One hundred shares of the Reading Skating Park have been disposed of.

UNIFORM FOR LETTER CARRIERS.—The mail carriers throughout the United States will soon be required to don the uniform prescribed by law at the last session of Congress.

WILL ENTER UPON HIS DUTIES.—On Monday next, E. H. Shearer, Esq., will enter upon his duties as Prosecuting Attorney of this county. Mr. Shearer will make a faithful officer.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.—D. G. Heisler, Superintendent of the Orphans' Home at Womelad, acknowledges the receipt of \$588.25. Wm. D. Gross, Treasurer, acknowledges the receipt of \$62.00 for the same institution.

OLD COINS.—Mr. Paul Marquart, of Geiger's Mills, Robeson township, exhibited to us the other day an English half-penny of 1718, and an Irish penny of 1722, both coined under the reign and bearing the impress of King George the 1st. They are in a tolerably fair state of preservation.—Journal.

NORTHERN LIGHTS.—The early riser could have witnessed for a few mornings past, beautiful and brilliant displays of these lights, as they adorned the Northern heavens. To the studiously inclined in Astronomical science, a fine field has been offered for observation.

BEING IMPROVED.—The hall of the Reading Hose Company, No. 1, is being fitted up in splendid style. Mr. George Seiling is now frescoing the walls. When things are set in "order" it will be one of the finest firemen's halls in the city. The engine of this Company has lately been re-varnished, making her look as bright as a gold dollar.

"A BEET AS IS A BEET."—Mr. Abraham Kissinger, of Spring township, brought to our office this morning, a curiosity in the shape of a beet. It resembles a bear's head, weighs 10 pounds, and measures 24 inches in circumference. This is the beet that beat the beet which was shown us sometime ago. Let's see who can beat this beet! It can be seen in the show window of the EAGLE book store.

NEW ROLLING MILL.—The foundations of the new rolling mill of Messrs. Bushong, Kaufman & Co., at the Lebanon Valley bridge, have been commenced. The mill, when finished, will be the largest in the city, occupying a space of five acres of ground. Two cupolas will be built, one of which will be 16 feet in diameter. If the weather permits it, it will be continued all winter, so that it may go into operation next spring.

TROTTING RACE.—On next Friday afternoon, Nov. 13th, a trotting race will take place on Einstein's course, between "Gen. Geary," owned by a gentleman in Harrisburg, and Hawman's bay horse "Honesty." From the well known reputation of these horses a very exciting trot is anticipated. It is expected that a large number of gentlemen from Harrisburg will attend to witness the performance of their fast horse "Geary."

BOYERTOWN boasts of Water Works; for the supply of the town and a Fire Apparatus; also of very expensive and valuable iron mines, which have been worked with profit for a number of years. A good portion of the town is undermined by the searchers for hidden wealth. The new railroad passes through the borough, and when completed will add greatly to its prosperity and business.

ONWARD.—For several years past our city has been growing in a manner that it was thought would be but temporary, from the very large increase in the number of buildings of various kinds each year as compared with the previous one. The growth, however, continues as before, and the permits issued out of the Mayor's office since the first of January last show a large excess over the corresponding months of 1867.

THE YELLOW HOUSE.—That famous old "hosterie," the "Yellow House," under the charge of Lewis L. Custer, Esq., its present worthy host, who knows "how to keep a hotel," has become more popular than ever.

The hotel building has been recently very much enlarged, and the shedding and outbuildings renewed. The Yellow House continues to be the great Cattle Mart of Berks county, as well as a great summer resort.

LAWCASTER.—John M. Kelley, of Lancaster, has in his possession a barrel and lock of a horse-pistol, found in excavating earth for a new road, on the farm of John Bennett, near Claud Ford. The pistol was, no doubt, used by a soldier at the battle of Brandywine, which was fought on the 11th of September, 1777. Mr. Kelley intends presenting these articles to the Linman Society of Lancaster.

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