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ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.—Will be sold on Friday, March 12th, 1869, at 1 o'clock, P. M., at the HALFWAY HOUSE, in the township of Maidencreek, the following personal property, to wit: Beds and Bedding, chairs, tables, stoves, carpet, shades and blinds, mirrors, washstands, tinware, bureaus, chests, halters, bridles, saddles, forks and various other articles. Conditions made known at the time and place by JOHN S. FOX Assignee of Eli Becker. JOHN D. STITZEL, Auctioneer. [feb 20-6tw

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On Sunday, the down trains pass Reading at 9.40 A. M. and 4.25 P. M., and up trains at 10.50 A. M., and 5.57 P. M.

The 4.25 P. M. down, and 10.50 A. M. up trains run only between Philadelphia and Reading.

Up trains leave Philadelphia for Reading, Harrisburg and Pottsville at 7.30 and 8.15 A. M., 12.30 noon, and 3.30 P. M., and at 4.45 P. M. for Reading only. The 8.15 A. M. train connects with trains for Tamaqua, Williamsport, Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara and Canada.

The 8.15 A. M., and 3.30 P. M. up trains from Philadelphia, and 10.35 A. M., and 4.20 P. M. down trains, stop only at principal stations below Reading.

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The Pottstown Accommodtion train leaves Pottstown at 6.45 A. M. Returning leaves Philadelphia at 4.00 P. M.

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G. A. NICOLLS, May 23] General Superintendent.

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" "	6.15 P. M.
Arrive at Lancaster at	9.15 A. M.
" " Columbia at	9.25 A. M.
" " Lancaster at	8.25 P. M.
" " Columbia at	8.30 P. M.
RETURNING:	
Leave Lancaster & Columbia at	8.00 A. M.
" Columbia at	8.20 P. M.
" Lancaster at	8.28 P. M.
Arrive at Reading at	10.20 A. M.
" at Reading at	5.40 P. M.

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STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—Proposals for holding the annual exhibition of the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society in September next, will be received by the undersigned until Tuesday, March 17th, 1869. A guarantee for the performance of the proposition tendered will be required. The Executive Committee on the 17th of March, and decide upon location. Letters should be addressed to Amos H. Kapp, Northumberland, A. Blongaker, Allentown, or A. Boyd Hamilton, Harrisburg. feb 20-4tw

AT ADAM POTTEIGER'S Vendue, in Cumru township, Berks county, on TUESDAY, March 23, there will be sold 3 mares, one of which is large with foal, and the other a heavy 5 year old mare. [feb 27-3tw*

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Misses' "	"	1 10	" 2 25
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Women's "	"		80
Miss "	"		70
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No. 5, Mail Train, leaves Reading 10.30, A. M., arrives Allentown 12.05; at New York 3.50, P. M.

No. 7 Fast Mail, leaves Reading at 4.20 P. M., arrives at Allentown 5.55; at New York 10.05, P. M.

Nos. 5 and 7, run daily, except Sunday, stopping at all Way Stations between Reading and New York.

EXPRESS TRAINS:

Leave Reading at	5.44 A. M.
" "	7.31 A. M.
" "	2.28 A. M.
" "	1.00 A. M.
Arrive at New York at	11.00 A. M.
" " "	12.15 A. M.
" " "	7.00 P. M.
" " "	6.15 A. M.

These trains run through from Pittsburgh to New-York, without change of cars, stopping only at Lyons, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton Junction, Clinton, White House, Somerville, Bound Brook, Plainfield and Elizabeth.

The 5.44 A. M. train runs daily except Sundays and Mondays.

The 2.28 P. M. trains run daily except Sundays.

The 7.31 A. M. and 1.00 A. M. trains run daily.

West bound trains, leave New York, at the foot of Liberty street, as follows:

Leave New York.	Arrive at Reading.
12.00 M. Mail No. 6,	6.00 P. M.
9.00 A. M. Express Train,	11.50 P. M.
5.10 P. M. Express Train,	10.19 P. M.
8.00 P. M. Express Train,	1.00 A. M.

Mail Train leaving Allentown at 7.20, A. M., stops at all Way Stations, arriving at Reading at 9.10, A. M., running daily except Sundays.

The 12 M. Train from New York, stops at all Stations between New York and Reading, leaving Allentown at 4.30, P. M., arriving at Reading at 6.00, P. M., running daily except Sundays.

The 4.00 P. M. train from New York, runs daily stopping at Elizabeth, Plainfield, Sommerville, Junction, Easton, and Bethlehem, arriving at Allentown at 11.45, P. M., passing Lyons at 12.20, A. M., arriving at Reading at 1.00 A. M.

Passengers are requested to purchase tickets before entering the cars, a 25 cts extra will be charged and collected on the train from all who pay the fare to the Conductor.

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Beyond life's raging fever, Beyond life's troubled dream, Beyond death's surging river, Beyond that sullen stream—

Beyond the land of sighing, Where countless tears are shed, Beyond the sick and dying, Beyond the mouldering dead—

Beyond this scene of trial, Where heart and flesh do fail; Beyond the darkening shadows, Beyond the gloomy vale—

Beyond the thought of grieving A kind and gracious God; Beyond the fear of sinning, Beyond the chastening rod—

Beyond earth's weary burden, The cross, the scourge, the rod; The saint shall dwell in glory, The saint shall dwell with God.

GEMS OF THOUGHT.

DEATH.—At death we are not going to change masters; only to be employed in another and a better sphere.

EVERY tasteful traveler upon the highway enjoys the superb mansion he looks at more than the stupid owner can.

CONVERSATION.—While the gift of conversation proves a clever man, the want of it is no proof of a dull one.

BOASTING OF PROFLIGACY.—The genuine man of gallantry generally endeavors to conceal his success; but the counterfeit has the ineffable meanness to boast of favors that he has never received, and to represent that he is an object of admiration in quarters where he is regarded as a nuisance.

EVIL HABITS.—Those who have become addicted to evil habits must conquer them as they can—and they must be conquered, or they will conquer us, and destroy our peace and happiness. And those who have not yet yielded to bad habits, must be on their guard, lest they be unexpectedly assailed and subdued.

THE WARM HAND OF SYMPATHY.—Till we have reflected on it, we are scarcely aware how much the sum of human happiness in the world is indebted to this one feeling—sympathy. We get cheerfulness and vigor, we scarcely know how or when, from mere association with our fellow-men, and from the looks reflected on us of gladness and enjoyment. We catch inspiration and power to go on from human presence and from cheerful looks.

LIFE.—The shortness of life is very often owing to the irregularity of the liver.

PATIENCE.—Nothing teaches patience like the garden. You may go round and watch the open bud from day to day; but it takes its own time, and you cannot urge it on faster than it will. All the best results of a garden, like those of life, are slowly, regularly, progressive.—*N. Y. Day Book.*

Riches.

The man with good, firm health is rich.

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So is the editor of a *good* paper, with a big subscription list.

So is the clergyman whose coat the little children of his parish pluck, as he passes them at their play.

So is that wife who has the whole heart of a good husband.

So is the maiden whose horizon is not bounded by the "coming man," but who has a purpose in life, whether she will ever meet him or not.

So is the young man who, laying his hand on his heart, can say, "I have treated every woman I ever saw as I should wish my sister treated by other men."

So is the little child who goes to sleep with a kiss on its lips, and for whose waking a blessing waits.

A TERRIBLE tale of woe is that attending the recent death of O. Laframe, a sawyer of Quebec. He was earning only eleven shillings a week, and had to support a wife and four children. He had become weak from want of food and too hard labor. When leaving for the shipyard in which he was employed, his wife told him that he was unable to work that day. He answered, "we have no wood, no bread, and if I do not work, you and the children will die from starvation. I must go and earn something, if I perish in the attempt." And so he went; he attempted to resume his labor, but fell dead.

In September last a Jersey City grocer, named Stillwell, mysteriously disappeared, and nothing was heard from him until last week, when he arrived at home. He was knocked insensible and robbed in West street, New York, and when he came to his senses found himself on shipboard going out the harbor. The ship experiencing heavy weather was abandoned, and, after six months, Stillwell reached his home and family as above stated.

The steamer Agnes was snagged and sunk, at Warrenton, Miss., on Wednesday. No lives were lost.

—Green Forney, of Grant's Lick pike, near Alexandria, Campbell county, has a mad stone which has been in the family for sixty years, and during that long period has not failed to effect a cure of the many cases of hydrophobia to which it has been applied.

—At Glasgow, February 14th, during a severe gale, a chimney, eighty feet high, fell to the ground, completely burying a house, and killing five women, a man and two children who were in bed at the time.

—The other day one member of the Ohio Legislature called another a "thing, a puppy of the lowest kind and most ordinary breed, whom it was wrong to treat with ordinary decency—a poor booby." Perhaps he is.—That's about the style of many modern legislators.

—A young wife, from Illinois, seeking in New Orleans information of her sometime missing husband, discovered that he was a professional thief and in jail. He used to keep her handsomely upon the proceeds of what he represented as an annual "Southern tour."

—Last summer three negroes were convicted in Weldon, N. C., of the murder of one Wade Ditcher, and subsequently managed to escape from jail. One of them, Jim Thomas, was arrested in Norfolk, the other day.

—Jacob Dillman, a man of sixty, despairing of recovery from consumption, hanged himself with his bed quilt to an iron window bar in the Bellevue Hospital, in which he was a patient.

—A young man in Texas, who outraged and shot a respectable married lady, was identified by the piece of paper with which he had wadded his pistol. It fitted exactly a round hole in a copy of the Galveston Bulletin, which was found in his pocket. When pasted in the printed matter it could be read without the loss of a letter. The man was hanged by a mob.

—Professor Hamilton is a horse tamer who for some days past has been astonishing New York by driving a high spirited horse down Broadway without reins or bit, guiding it only by means of the voice. Bonner, of Dexter celebrity, pronounces him superior to Rarey.

—The Mormons had an execution last week. The prisoner was brought ironed into the court yard—where there was a crowd of some four hundred—and seated in a chair. He then read aloud a chapter from the New Testament, the irons were taken off his hands, and at a signal from the sheriff he was shot dead.

—The Indians in Wisconsin have begun their annual movement north. Large numbers pass through Wausa daily, on their way to the head waters of the Wisconsin River, where they make sugar in the spring, fish and hunt during the summer, gather cranberries in the fall, and after payment, retrace their steps to the Black River.

—Seven leaders of the Carlist movement have been arrested in Aragon, Spain. A quantity of arms and ammunition, which had been concealed by them, was discovered and seized, and important papers and correspondence also fell into the hands of the Government.

—The Spaniards in Cuba have, for some reason, associated flowing female tresses with rebel proclivities. Ladies, therefore, who ride out in Havana with their hair unconfined and drooping over their shoulders, are liable to insult.

—Midnight pedestrians in Philadelphia now remark the frequency with which they see policemen on the streets. This is a change for the better. So much for having a Democratic Mayor.

—A young lady in Tennessee has had a curious love experience. By her friends' wish she jilted the man she loved, and married another. Soon she obtained a divorce and married her own true lover. Then her second husband died, and now she has married her first husband.

—The people of Rockland county, N. Y., where a fatal case of hydrophobia occurred recently, have formed a vigilance committee for the destruction of dogs.

—Chicago shipped 78 bushels of wheat in 1858. The amount shipped in 1868 was 40,000,000 bushels.

—Two brothers residing in Louisville went out hunting the other day, and in default of other game, shot each other.

—The Montreal streets are buried under nine feet of snow.

—The sale of horseflesh as food slowly increases in France.

—Wagon Box, Mike, Fatty, and Stomach, were the four leading belles at a squaw ball, at Fort Benton, New Year's night.

—Kansas is the first State to ratify the Constitutional Amendment. It was passed by both houses.

—Susan Medbury is the name of a girl in Connecticut, who is four years old, and can already play hundreds of pieces on the piano with perfect accuracy.

—Even stables were used as human sleeping apartments in Washington, Wednesday night.

—Ashland, Ky., formerly the home of Henry Clay, is now the seat of a flourishing university.

—A three wheeled velocipede has appeared on Broad street, in Newark, propelled by a gentleman, and guided by a young lady, who occupies a seat in front.

—The ship Chieftain arrived at New York on Tuesday from Calcutta, in charge of Mrs. Maguire, the wife of the captain, who was prostrated during the entire voyage by fever.

—In the case of Chas. Reade vs. Sweetzer, on trial at New York, the jury, yesterday, awarded 6 cents damages to the plaintiff.