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**The Russian Mennonites.**  
A dispatch from Topeka, Kansas, says that the advance guard of Russian Mennonites, 1,900 strong, who have just arrived from Europe, have purchased from the Land Department of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad a large tract of land along the line of their road. The lands are situated in the Arkansas valley and aggregate 150,000 acres? A great Mennonite settlement is to be established in that quarter.

**Railroad Accident.**  
On Tuesday afternoon of last week a very serious accident occurred on the Belvidere Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, at what is known as the Warren Switch, about three miles below Phillipsburg. It appears that the up freight train had run on the switch to allow the down passenger train, which leaves Phillipsburg at half past one o'clock, to pass. A brakeman was sent to the upper end of the switch to flag the approaching train, and owing to a strange absence of mind that seems to be unaccountable, he opened the switch and then signalled that all was right. The passenger train came dashing along at the rate of thirty miles an hour and ran with great force against the locomotive of the freight train. Both engines were demolished the baggage car was telescoped into the smoking car, tearing the seats and floors out. There were twelve men in the smoking car at the time of the collision, but strange to say only three or four of them were injured. A young man named Samuel Myers, a resident of Harrisburg, was the only person killed. He was found under the ruins, and is believed to have been smothered by the weight pressing on him. Jonathan Thornton, the engineer of the passenger train, and William Gordon, the engineer on the coal train, both of Lumberville, were severely though not dangerously hurt. Mr. Hope, the express agent, was badly injured, and some other train hands and several passengers were more or less cut and bruised.

**The Turbulent South.**  
Affairs in Louisiana have been tolerably quiet during the last week. The McEnery and Penn revolutionists have peacefully yielded up their usurped authority, and Kellogg nominally reigns in their stead. The Kellogg officers have been installed again, and as they are supported by the presence of United States forces they are not likely to be molested at present. But every one feels that this is only a temporary arrangement. If the Federal Government were to withdraw the troops Kellogg would be extinguished like a flash. Although he may be, and probably is, the choice of a majority of the people, that majority has no organized physical power to defeat the grasping purposes of the minority. If the latter cannot govern by votes it will by force, and it was because it thought itself strong enough to do this that the blow was struck two weeks ago. The situation in Louisiana is therefore that of an armed truce, which will break again into open warfare whenever the outside pressure is withdrawn. The only escape now evident is that both parties shall agree in the appointment of a returning board to ascertain the result of the approaching election. But political honesty is so rare in that region that there is not much reason to hope that this can be arranged.

From South Carolina now comes an appeal from Governor Moses to the President, asking that troops may be sent to preserve the peace in Edgefield district. The President replies that there are troops enough for the purpose already in the district, and that no more will be furnished. There is so much distrust of Moses and his surroundings that we do not wonder at the President's action. He cannot afford, and the country cannot afford, to send troops here and there to settle local disturbances in the various States. If the Governors themselves are so incompetent and incapable, they ought to get out of the way and make room for better men. No State can prosper whose local authorities are constantly obliged to ask for outside help. If the Southern States will muster self-respect enough to select honest, capable and fearless men to execute their laws, the outrages that constantly proceed from Kellogg, McEnery and Moses will soon cease to be heard. To command the popular respect the Southern governments must first make themselves respectable.—Bucks Co. Int.

**MARRIED.**  
On Saturday evening, September 20th, at the house of the bride's parents, by Rev. D. E. Shoedler, Mr. John Transue and Miss Alice Turner, both of Pocono.

On Sunday, Sept. 27th, at the house of the bridegroom's parents, by the same, Mr. Philip Mader and Miss Caroline Kilt, both of Pocono.

**Special Notice.**  
NOTICE.—N. Ruster has returned from the city with a big stock of clothing, hats, caps, furs, furnishing goods, dry goods, &c. If you want anything in his line, give him a call. He will sell you goods cheaper than ever before.

Great bargains at Ruster's in white dress shirts, under shirts, drawers, hosiery, gloves, neckties, bows, collars and cuffs, handkerchiefs, suspenders, umbrellas, &c. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

**TO THE PUBLIC.**—If you want a nice and stylish suit of clothes and one that will wear good, go to Ruster's and you can have your pick out of the largest and best selected stock in town, at prices that will astonish you all.

N. Ruster has all the very latest styles of hats. Call and see them. He is selling goods very low.

If you want nice paper collars, cuffs, neckties, bows, &c., go to Ruster's he has the largest stock and sells cheap.

N. Ruster just received from the city a nice assortment of dry goods, alpaccas, shawls, trappings, &c., which he sells real cheap.

No HUBBUB.—Simon Fried has the largest and best selected Stock of Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Trunks, Valises, and Gents' Furnishing Goods in Stroudsburg, and he will sell them cheaper than any other merchant in Monroe county. Call and examine for yourselves.

Simon Fried received last week the largest stock of Ready made Clothing, Boots, and Shoes, and Gents' Furnishing Goods, ever before seen in our county.

Ladies, Misses, and Childrens Shoes of almost every variety, at very low prices at Simon Fried's Empire Clothing Store.

Produce and Furs, taken in exchange for goods at Simon Fried's Empire Clothing Store.

Cassimere Suits at astonishing low prices. Boys Suits from \$3.00 to 12, at Simon Fried's.

Bargains, Bargains, at Simon Fried's, in Clothing. Come and look at them.

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Buy only the best. For price list address Oct 1-4.] J. Y. SIGAFUS,

**NOTICE.**  
Every member of Active Lodge, No. 339, K. of P. is requested to be present at the meeting on Wednesday evening October 7th, as business of importance relative to the Supreme Lodge will be taken up and acted upon at that time. The D. D. G. C. Bro. JOHN I. ALLENDER will be received with proper honors, who will give some important instructions in the work of the order.  
C. S. DETRICK, Sec'y.

**NOTICE.**  
The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Stroudsburg Bank, will be held at their Banking House, on Tuesday, November 3, 1874, at 1 o'clock p. m.  
J. MACKAY, Cashier.  
Stroudsburg, Oct. 3, 1874.—3t.

**Sale of Real Estate.**  
The subscribers will sell at Public Auction, on the  
28th day of October, 1874,  
at the Hotel of L. T. SMITH, at Forks Station, in Monroe county, Pennsylvania, a tract of land and premises containing about  
**SIX HUNDRED ACRES,**  
more or less. The said land lies on the North and South Turnpike, in Coolbaugh township, adjoining lands of Daniel McCarty, Dodge & Co., Richard Welch and others, and are better known as the  
**ECK PROPERTY.**  
Said lands were conveyed to John McCarter by John Wolf and wife and Owen W. King and wife by Deed bearing date Sept. 14, 1867.  
Also at the same time and place the  
**STEAM ENGINE AND FIXTURES,**  
on said premises and a large lot of  
**Birch, Beach, Maple & Memlock Lumber.**  
The above property will be sold to the highest bidder without reserve.  
Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m., sharp. Conditions made known on day of sale.  
CHARLES S. BAYLIS,  
PETER S. DECKER, Assignees,  
of JOHN McCARTER, Bankrupt.  
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that he bought at panic prices and is selling them at prices that astonish all. Call and look and be convinced before you purchase elsewhere. One door above Hollinshead's Drug Store. [Sept. 17-3m.]

**Teachers Examinations.**  
The Annual Examination of Teachers will be held as follows:  
Barrett, at Oakland School house, Oct. 2, 1874.  
Stroudsburg Borough, " 3, "  
M. Smithfield, at Frutchey's " 5, "  
Smithfield, at Craigs Meadows, " 6, "  
Jackson, at Jackson Corners, " 7, "  
Poco, at Manasseh Miller's, " 8, "  
Hamilton, at Snyder'sville, " 9, "  
Stroud, at Stroudsburg, " 10, "  
Chestnut Hill, at Brodheadsville, " 12, "  
Polk, at Gilbert's, " 13, "  
Eldred, at Kunkletown, " 14, "  
Ross, at Roseland, " 15, "  
A general examination will be held at Stroudsburg, October 24th, for Teachers failing to attend at any of the above named places. Examination each day to begin at 10 o'clock A. M.  
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JERE FRUTCHLEY, Co. Supt.  
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I am now prepared to make to order, all kinds of Boots and Shoes, such as French Calf, American Calf, Kip, Turkey Morocco, Glove Kid, and Pebble Goat, at reasonable prices. Special attention paid to half-soleing, healing and all kinds of mending. One trial and be convinced.  
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