

Waynesboro' Village Record.

Thursday, January 8, 1874.

A little four year old boy was buried to death in Baltimore one day last week by his bed accidentally catching fire.

A despatch from Columbus, Ohio, says that the Engineers' strike has ended. Such of the engineers as could get employment have gone to work.

The Opera House at Wilkesbarre, Penn., was burned down on Thursday night. Bradbury's piano factory in New York was also destroyed by fire.

Notwithstanding the prohibitory law in Massachusetts, the Boston Advertiser says there are three thousand places in Boston where liquor is illegally sold.

A writ of error was filed in the office of the prothonotary of the Supreme Court, on Wednesday, in the case of William E. Underzook, who stands charged with the murder of Winfield S. Goss. The writ is returnable on the third Monday in January.

The Washington Star states that a scandal affecting the character of the Rev. Alfred Jump, pastor of the M. E. Church at Gaithersburg, Montgomery county, Md., in connection with a lady of that place, has given rise to a communication to the bishop of the Baltimore conference asking an investigation.

The lately surrendered steamship *Virginius* has foundered at sea while on the voyage from the Dry Tortugas to New York. She went down to the bottom off Cape Fear, North Carolina coast, on Friday, sinking in eight fathoms water. The crew were saved by the boats of the United States sloop *Ossipee*.

On Christmas day, Mr. George R. Megee, of 31 North Third St., Philadelphia, was missed from that city, and his whereabouts are not yet known. It is said that he was to be married on the day named, and the young bride was dressed for the wedding, and with a large company awaited in vain the coming of the bridegroom.

Jacob Brunner, of Berks County, had his fortune told by an old hag in Reading recently. He was informed that his first prize would be a coffin, and in four weeks from that time he would die, and that in the meantime both he and his father would be robbed. He believed the woman's story, and the man is now a raving maniac.

The Washingtonian Home, of Boston, for the treatment of drunkenness as a disease, has moved into a fine new building, erected on Waltham street at a cost of \$200,000. The Home has been open for sixteen years, during which time, the last report says, 4,210 patients have been treated, one third of whom have been permanently cured, and the remainder have been greatly improved.

"Irregularities" in the conduct of bank officers are becoming alarmingly frequent. The latest case is that of W. W. Storrs, Treasurer of the Concord (N. H.) National Savings Bank, an institution whose deposits exceed a million of dollars. Mr. Storrs lost \$65,000 or more of the funds of the depositors in private speculations. It is said that his securities are ample, and that the solvency of the bank has not been in the least impaired.

The Southern Claims Commission, to which it is proposed to refer all war claims pending before the Quartermaster General and the War Department, has now before it claims to the amount of \$22,000,000. The average amount thus far awarded by the commission is about thirty per centum of the sums claimed. Last year only \$600,000 were allowed in cases in which \$5,000,000 were claimed. The term of the Commission was extended by the last Congress for four years.

The *Baltimore American* of January 1st gives a concise record of all the railroad and coal oil accidents that occurred during the year just closed within the limits of that city. The accidents occurring from coal oil number fifty nine, and all, with two exceptions, in dwelling houses. The disasters have chiefly been caused by the bursting of lamps or igniting of the fluid whilst being carelessly handled. The results of the accidents' foot up a total of sixty-five killed and wounded. Of this number 15 were killed immediately, or died in a few hours; thirty-four were crippled, maimed or disfigured for life, and sixteen were slightly burned.

A shocking accident from a coal oil lamp occurred last Monday night near Catonsville, Baltimore county, at the residence of Mr. Wm. E. Conle, treasurer of the Central Savings Bank of Baltimore, which resulted in the dreadful death of his wife. Mrs. Conle was about to retire and going into her chamber she placed a lighted coal oil lamp on the mantle piece, but not placing it securely it fell to the floor breaking to pieces, and scattering the burning fluid over her person. She was soon burned to crisp, but lingered until the next evening. Mrs. Conle was about 35 years of age and was the mother of five children.

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DEATH OF ISHMAEL DAY.—The death of Ishmael Day, took place on Saturday at 6 P. M., of pneumonia, in the 83d year of his age. He had dined with his daughter on Christmas day, after walking from his house, No. 105 High Street, to her residence on Light Street near West St. He rode home and retired to bed in good spirits. At two o'clock that night he was taken with congestive chills, and died of pneumonia as stated. Mr. Day, it will be recollected, shot a young Confederate soldier in Baltimore county, July 11, '64, during the raid of Harry Gilmore into Maryland. Mr. Day had the United States flag flying at his farm, and two young Confederates, one of them the son of Mr. Field of this city, a Union man, rode up and ordered Mr. Day to take down that flag, which he refused to do. The young Confederate declared that he would take it down himself, when Mr. Day declared if he did he would shoot down whoever attempted it. Mr. Day then shot the young man when he was in the act of taking it down. Mr. Day's house and contents were burned soon afterwards. Mr. Day was subsequently appointed an inspector in the Baltimore custom house, which position he held at the time of his death. He leaves a family of five daughters and two sons. The deceased was a member of the Association of Defenders, he having served in the defenses of Baltimore in 1812, when attacked by the British forces.—Sun.

The Treasury statement for December shows—says the *American*—that the public debt was increased nearly eight and a half millions of dollars during the month. This is more favorable than was generally anticipated, but the currency in the Treasury has dwindled to a little over four and a half millions. The necessity for some immediate action by Congress to meet the financial necessities of the Government is pressing as with all the retrenchment that can be made by the Committee on Appropriations there will remain a deficit of twenty millions for the current year. A slight increase of taxation will, however, be sufficient, and the small amount to be raised ought to satisfy the nervous souls in Congress that it had better be got by taxation than inflation. The coin in the Treasury figures up immensely—over ninety-one millions—and it seems that it might be put to more beneficent uses than being hoarded up in the vaults, as Mr. Richardson is doing with it. That the country is recovering from the panic the increase in the internal revenue receipts for December of \$500,000 over November is evidence enough.

The best Government which Spain is likely to have for many years has vanished in a single day. Castelar, who had the courage to defy a hostile public sentiment and submit to the law of nations in the matter of the *Virginius*, went down before an adverse majority in the Cortes. His message, full of hope and patriotic fervor, had just been read in the Cortes, when a vote upon some minor proposition showed that there was a majority of twenty against him. Instantly his Ministry was dissolved and his resignation as President accepted. Just then General Pavia appeared with a company of regular soldiers and declared the Cortes dissolved. The members retired, and the military occupied the place in which the Cortes sits.—What was intended to be accomplished by this *coup d'etat*, or at whose instance it was made, cannot be learned from the despatches. The occupation seems to have been of short duration, for the despatches received state that General Pavia is to be tried for rebellion. The Opposition element in the Cortes (which seems to be made up of Conservative Republicans and Monarchists) have organized a new Ministry, with Marshal Serrano as President. Thus far, there has been no bloodshed.

Sunday night a detachment of the police in New York made a descent upon a place known as the Union Assembly Rooms while a ball was in progress, and arrested upward of three hundred persons, men, women, and girls: A scene of confusion and a general rush for the door ensued upon the entrance of the police, but proper precautions had been taken, and all found in the room were secured. As the prison pens were not intended for so many, the magistrate sent them to the Tombs pending the investigation of their several cases. A large crowd gathered in Centre street to witness their march to prison. All were released next day.

We received a very pleasant letter of thanks from our old friend Kendall, since his return home, for a bottle of *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* which we gave him, and which he says has entirely cured him of the troublesome and dangerous cough he had when here.

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Local Items.

The flies are again on the wing.

Butter is selling at 22 cents and eggs at 18 cents.

Discouraging—the prospects for an ice crop this season.

A quarter of beef will be taken in trade at this office.

The Mædoe parade on Thursday last was a fizzle. So our devil never.

Mr. Daniel King, an old citizen of Hagerstown, Md., died on Christmas day, aged 77 years.

Women are now eligible to any office of control or management under the school laws of this state.

PREACHING.—Rev. J. S. Keefer of Hagerstown will preach in St. Paul's Chapel on Sunday next, morning and evening.

That "Black Corner" patron has failed to present his "mug" at our office. Another week of grace is granted him.

According to the Hundred Year Almanac—good authority with most weather prognosticators—Sunday last was the ruling day for the month of February.

PUBLIC SALE.—Attention is directed to the sale of real and personal property advertised for sale in another column by Messrs. Russell and Hess, assignees of John Kohler.

The Fantastics, or "Modocs," as they styled themselves, paraded on New Year's Day. The turn out was rather slim, but the exhibition had the effect to turn wild the juvenile population.

RELIGIOUS.—The Lord's Supper will be administered in Trinity Reformed Church next Lord's Day. Services commencing at 10 o'clock. Preparatory services on Saturday afternoon previous.

BAD PAVEMENTS.—Our citizens are just now experiencing the disadvantages of bad pavements. A friend suggests the propriety of the town Council taking a night tour of inspection before freezing weather sets in.

GRANGERS' BOOK.—Mr. H. F. Lecron of this vicinity has the agency for the sale of a work entitled "The History of the Grange Movement." The volume contains 534 pages and 60 engravings. The work will no doubt prove interesting, to farmers especially.

STOCK FOR SALE.—We call special attention to the sale of a desirable small property by Mr. Emmert noticed in our advertising columns. Mr. E. at the same time will offer for sale *Sixteen Shares of stock in the Geiser Manufacturing Company*. Here is a chance for somebody to make a safe and profitable investment.

FARMER'S CLUB.—The meeting of farmers referred to in our last issue, organized a Farmer's Club by the election of Simon Lecron as President and Chas. West as Secretary. The next meeting of the Club will be held in Miller's Hall, on Saturday afternoon, the 17th inst. Farmers generally are invited to be present.

THE WEATHER.—The character of the weather during the past week has been remarkable for its mildness. At this writing, Wednesday morning, it is particularly spring-like, doors and windows along the streets being open. Drenching rain showers for the last forty-eight hours have failed to produce the slightest change in the atmosphere.

The "spook" is said to have changed its base of operations and is now anchored at the Brew House, where it has of late been kicking up all manner of strange noises. This is a pity, as that particular locality was a pleasant and favorite resort for youngsters of evenings. Perhaps the Police could be induced to interpose in their behalf and banish the strange visitant.

FARMERS' GRANGE.—On Monday last a Grange was organized at Plain Hill School House, near this place, by the election of the following officers: M. Simon Lecron; O. H. F. Lecron; L. J. O. Besore; S. W. H. Potter; A. S. M. Funk; C. Chas. West; F. H. C. Funk; G. K. Geo. Sheffer; S. John J. Lecron; C. Mrs. L. A. Lecron; Pom. Mrs. L. C. Funk; Flora, Mrs. F. S. Lecron; L. A. S., Miss A. Nicodemus. This is said to be the finest Grange so far organized in the County.

NEW YEAR'S NIGHT.—Notwithstanding the presence of four Policemen on New Year's Night there was a very considerable amount of disorder on our streets up to midnight. Although vigilant in their efforts to prevent the usual discharge of fire arms, putting off fire crackers and other combustibles, they were only partially successful. Torpedo firing was the sport in which the parties most successfully indulged, only an occasional report of fire arms being heard. We regret to state too, upon the authority of Madam Rumor, however, that despite local opinion, the disorder was mostly attributable to a too free use of strong drink, which was doubtless smuggled in advance for that particular occasion.

Reading has 31 churches, Berks county 190.

HIGH SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENTS.—Mr. Editor.—With your permission, I would occupy a small space in your columns, to say a word to the readers of your paper, in regard to the entertainments given by the "Public High School of our borough." The first of which came off on Tuesday, and the second on Thursday evening of last week. On both occasions, a pretty fair audience was in attendance, and judging from the pleasure and happiness indicated by smiling faces, all seemed to be delighted with the exercises. These consisted of declamations, dialogues, and tableaux. Considering that but a short time was devoted to preparations for these exercises, the pupils performed their parts admirably. I can scarcely refrain from noticing some of the performances particularly, and making special mention of those who performed the several parts, but where all did so well, it would perhaps not be in place to do so, since the proposed limits of this article will not allow of our noticing all who participated in the entertainments. I think the exercises, on the whole, reflect great credit upon the Principal, Prof. P. H. Bentz, and his assistant in the "High School Department," Mrs. J. A. Funk. The selections were elegant, and various, most of them instructive, and just enough of the humorous to add spice to the whole, and altogether they seemed to have been chosen for instruction, as well as entertainment. In closing this article, I can not do better than exhort the patrons and friends of our public schools to uphold and sustain our worthy School Board and the Principal and Teachers in all that pertains to, and is necessary, to make our schools what they should be; the pride of our town, and a blessing to our children. Let the parents visit the schools frequently and encourage their children to be studious, and obedient to all the requirements of the teachers, and thus may they hope to receive the fullest returns of the money expended in erecting a suitable house and sustaining and keeping open the schools during the greater portion of each year.

LOCK-JAW CURED.—The following case of lock-jaw was brought to our notice the other day. It appears John Harvey Miller, a lad about 9 years old, received a severe foot wound about the middle of November last. Some two months later he took lock-jaw, with which he suffered most distressingly for about three weeks, his jaws being firmly locked. Fluid food was introduced into the stomach by a nursing bottle, the lad sucking the fluid through his teeth. Living near Mt. Hope, the citizens there have manifested a great interest in his case. Some four cases of lock-jaw having proved fatal in their midst, they are much gratified at result of the treatment in the latter case. Our informant states he is now able to sit up and is pronounced out of all danger by the attending physician, Dr. I. N. Snively, of this place. The Dr. must feel the more gratified at the result of this case, as the most eminent surgeons have been successful in but few cases of lock-jaw from wounds.

CHURCH SOCIABLE.—A Sociable was held in the M. E. Church on Friday evening last and an Oyster Supper served. The attendance was pretty general and all seemed to enjoy a pleasant time. The supper was gotten up in fine style. In addition to oysters, coffee and other choice eatables were furnished in profusion.

The popular Pastor, Rev. Mr. Donahue, and a number of others, gentlemen ladies, prominent as members of the church, left nothing undone to entertain their guests and make the occasion one of special interest in a social point of view.

Special credit is due Mr. George Stover who superintended the cooking department—for better stews could not well be served—as well as the ladies who had charge of the tables, which were both tastefully and sumptuously arranged.

INJURED BY A FALL.—On last Monday Harry Strickler, Esq., while engaged in his duties of storekeeper at Hargleroad's distillery, near Scotland, was thrown by the breaking of a platform a distance of about ten feet upon the brick floor of the distillery, and had his collar bone fractured, and received some severe bruises by the fall. Dr. Lane was sent for, who rendered what surgical aid was needed, and removed him to the Washington Hotel in this place, where he is now lying. Though his injuries will prevent him from discharging his duties at the distillery for some time, they are not dangerous, and he is as comfortable as his condition will permit.—*Repository*.

We note the following from the transfers of real estate made during December: Henry Walker to Worthington Dunlap, a tract of land in Washington township, containing 163 perches, for \$450. Geo. F. Summers to Worthington Dunlap at tract of land in Washington township, containing 4 acres, for \$422.06. W. H. Davidson and wife to Benjamin E. Price, a tract of land in Greencastle, lot No. 198, for \$3,000.

A. S. Monn's assignees to Dinah Monn, a tract of land containing 100 acres, in Quincey township, for \$20,000.

The new constitution requires an election for city, ward, borough, and township officers throughout the entire State on the third Tuesday of February.

BETTER TIMES COMING.—The *Annapolis Republican* thus hopefully discounts upon the speedy return of better times: Indications are that better times are coming for the new year upon which we have just entered, in a business point of view, financially and otherwise, than were experienced in the past. The severest financial panic, probably, that the country has felt for many years came upon us—unexpectedly—less than six months ago. It commenced with heavy failures in New York and came to a head in Philadelphia on account of Jay Cook & Co.'s suspension. This great American banking house which had attained a name and celebrity enjoyed by but few other firms in our country, and was closely connected with banking houses, capitalists and men of prominence in commercial pursuits throughout the United States and in Europe; which has secured universal confidence everywhere, was obliged to succumb. The cause speedily evinced itself in a serious interruption to financial and business affairs all over the Union, and to some extent in different parts of the Old World. The ball once started, kept rolling until its effect were made manifest in a general panic. We had been prosperous for a long time. Men began ready to feel, almost, as if nothing could disturb the presumed solid and healthful, or apparently prosperous condition in which they were moving. They became somewhat reckless and venturesome in speculations, going beyond their means, or what prudence justified. Thus, when the crisis came they were unprepared to meet it, and "went under" with many of their friends and neighbors. The storm had gathered unseen to them, and when it broke suddenly there were no means of escape until its fury had been spent.

The lesson, however, has doubtless been a good one. It served to purify the financial and business atmosphere, enabling those previously blinded to see their errors and the dangers which hovered over them, affording light to many whereby clearer views could be had of the future, and we believe they have improved thereon.

If we mistake not, persons will be more cautious henceforward, contenting themselves with making money less hazardously. They will calculate chances with greater prudence, investing in legitimate enterprises, productive of solid results and usefulness to the community generally.

On the first of this month, with the year just begun, an immense amount of money was due and will be paid out for annual and semi-annual dividends on stocks, interest on bonds and other investments. This is likely to be thrown into circulation or seek re-investment in various forms. Men, to a great extent, instead of being borrowers will be lenders.

The banks will have adjusted their accounts, made their annual statements and settlements, thus finding themselves in a condition of ease, ready and anxious to accommodate customers. Wild, seductive inducements, such as hitherto allured capitalists as well as banking institutions, drawing them into speculations, the deleterious effects of which, sad experience has already taught, will be avoided and their means, consequently, be diverted to safer channels appertaining to trade, commerce, agriculture, manufacturing and other approved pursuits.

This, we feel convinced, must and will be a natural consequence. There is as much, if not more, money in our country now, as before the late pressure. Confidence being restored, it is certain to come out and be applied to purposes more productive and useful. In this view of the subject, therefore, we are justified in believing the year upon which we have just entered presents the hopeful elements of great prosperity to all who make prudent use of opportunities it may place within their reach.

THE DAVIS CASE.—According to the following statement which we copy from the *Hagerstown Daily Free Press*, there seems to be still a lingering hope for the death-condemned Davis: "On Saturday there was filed in the Clerk's Office, of the Circuit Court of this County an order signed by Judge Alvey directing the record in the case of the State vs. Joseph Davis, convicted of the murder of Abraham Lynn, to be transmitted to the Court of Appeals for re-argument as to certain errors. The petition on which the order was granted alleges that the record sent from Carroll County is defective in various points, among others that the Grand Jury who found the indictment is stated to have been from Baltimore County, and that the indictment itself does not sufficiently allege murder in the first degree under the code of Maryland.

The application upon which the writ of error was granted was signed by Hon. Wm. P. Mausly, the indefatigable counsel of Davis, and Tryon H. Edwards, Esq., a young and promising member of the bar of this place, to the latter of whom is attributed the discovery of the errors in the indictment and other proceedings upon which the writ of error was founded and granted. If the Court of Appeals decide this writ of error to be well taken, it is conceded the Davis case is at an end, and he will be discharged without further trial.

The First national Bank of Waynesburg Green county has suspended.

[For the Village Record.] Christmas having come and gone, and its festivities having been participated in by our citizens very generally in a cordial and harmonious manner, it is natural to indulge in a pleasing retrospect of its events. Worldly avocations gave way to divine worship, or joyous festivities (according to respective tastes and customs) generally intended for the instruction and gratification of the youth connected with our Sabbath Schools.

The exercises in Trinity Reformed Church on Christmas night seem to have been much appreciated by the intelligent audience that thronged that spacious edifice. A beautiful evergreen tree was placed in front of the pulpit extending to the ceiling, with graceful branches occupying a breadth of twenty feet. The tree was surmounted with a glittering star, ornamented by about forty tapers and two hundred cornucopias filled with confections as presents for the children.

On one side of the pulpit was an evergreen arch enclosing the transparent motto—"A Merry Christmas to All." On the opposite side a corresponding arch with a transparent motto—"God Bless our Sunday School."

These decorations were much admired and made a favorable impression on the audience. At six P. M. the Sunday School entered, including officers, teachers and scholars, numbering about one hundred and fifty and occupied the seats reserved for them.

A salutary anthem was rendered by the School, and, a fervent prayer offered by the Rev. Mr. McClean of the Presbyterian church which being followed by another anthem, the Rev. Mr. Hibshman Pastor of the congregation read appropriate portions of scripture and announced the programme, including choice music, interspersed with brief addresses by the Rev. Mr. Keedy of the Lutheran church and the Pastor loci. The infant class of about forty small children did well. Several quartettes by a class of young ladies. An echo, with a piece sung by the young men, all accompanied by the organ and pronounced by competent judges to have been admirably performed and reflected much credit on the chorister and those associated with him. But, the song—entitled *The Christmas Tree*—sung by Miss Laura A. Besore and Miss Mary A. Van Lear, pupils of Miss H. B. Miller Organist, attracted special attention. These two young ladies of similar form, and attired in white, presented a beautiful appearance; and their graceful and appropriate gestures, accents, cadences and modulation all showed that they had been instructed by one who understands the principles of music and of elocution.

There was nothing trivial nor ludicrous in any part of the exercises. Nothing but what comported with the dignity and sanctity of the house of God. Nothing but what the most devout christian could sanction and persons of the most cultivated minds could relish. The festival closed with prayer by the Rev. Henry Miller and doxology and benediction by the Pastor.

RECEIPTS.—The following is a list of our subscription receipts for December last:

Henry G. Shank	2.00
Daniel Shank	2.00
Henry Baley	2.00
Jno. M. Hess	2.00
H. Gladhill	2.00
Jos. Middover	2.00
Israel Bear	5.00
L. W. Wengert	2.00
Benj. Friedly	2.00
S. G. Martin	2.00
Samuel Pfoutz	2.00
Christian Miller	2.00
Samuel Benedict	2.00
L. X. Bonbrake	3.00
Geo. W. Davis	2.00
J. G. Tridle	4.00
E. B. Winger	2.00
Geo. L. Knepper	2.00
Daniel Shockey	2.00
T. Nichodemus	6.00
B. E. Price	2.00
Mrs. Shover	2.00
Dr. A. J. Snively	2.00
Samuel G. Hollinger	4.00
Miss Nancy Geiser	4.00
H. C. Miller	85
J. H. Gordon	5.60
Geo. Harbaugh (of G.)	2.00
John D. Hade	2.00
John Leshor (of C.)	2.00
Alix Johnston	2.00
Jacob Summers	2.00
Alfred Jones	4.00
Frisky Stouffer	4.00
M. Mital	3.00
John W. Bear	4.00
Jaesh D. Summers	2.00
G. W. Carbaugh	2.00
Cyrus Garver	2.00

On Monday Mr. Todd introduced a bill in the House of Representatives reciting that at the time of the invasion of Pennsylvania by Lee's army, the citizens of Adams, Bedford, Cumberland, Franklin, Fulton, Somerset and York counties suffered great losses at the hands of both armies, and the appointment of a commission by the State, which had assessed the damages so incurred at \$1,254,474.30, and directing the Secretary of the Treasury to pay the above sum to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania for the use of the citizens of the counties above named according to the report of the commission appointed by the State.

Under the new Constitution parties applying for any local legislation must advertise the same at least four weeks in advance of its introduction, in the newspapers of the section affected, or from which it originates. All the provisions of the bill must be advertised.

ASTRONOMERS tell us that there is a hot spot on the sun, that is a spot more fiery than the sun itself, 86,000 miles long, and nearly as wide. It can be seen with any moderately good telescope and smoked glass, and has the appearance of surging around in great circles, and looks altogether as if some mighty convulsion was going on in the sun's atmosphere. Might not this account for our evenly tempered weather during the fall and winter so far.

At the corner of State and Fifth streets, Troy, N. Y., stands a Methodist church. Its location was fixed nearly fifty years ago by a dream. Dr. John Landon dreamed that he saw a flock of white doves alight on the spot, and, accepting the vision as a good omen, he so strenuously insisted upon the selection of that particular site that he carried his point.

DOES IT PAY.—One of the Agents of *The Christian at Work*, T. De Witt Tailmage's paper, recently obtained 380 subscriptions in about eighty hours absolute work. This was great success to be sure, but the agent had a fine paper and superb chromos to back him. There is room for more agents of the same sort.—Samples and terms free. Office 102 Chambers Street, New York. See advt.

W. A. Reid offers to those who are in arrears to him who pay up now a reduction five per cent. on the amount due him.

LADIES' WEAR.—Jacob Snider, Oellig Building, Public Square, is selling Ladies' Shoe Wear at Panic Prices. Call and see for yourselves. Jan 8-3t

Reid receives on Thursday the very best Oysters, large salt water bivalves. Sold at the same prices as inferior oysters. Have been selling for. Jan 8-1t

Coarse home-made boots are sold for \$5.50 at Snider's Store, Oellig Building, Public Square. Jan 8-3t

A full stock of boys Boots and Shoes at Snider's Store. Jan 8-3t

Boot and Shoe Mending done promptly and cheaply at Snider's Store, Oellig Building. Jan 8-3t

If you want a pair of fine home-made boots for \$8.50 go to the cheap Boot and Shoe Store of J. Snider, Oellig Building, N. E. Cor., Public Square. Jan 8-3t

POSITIVELY THE LAST NOTICE.—All Taxes remaining in my hands, if not paid without delay will be collected with costs, as further indulgence cannot be given. Pay up and save costs. I mean what I say. Jan 1-3t W. F. HORNER, COL.

STOVER & WOLFF, REMOVED TO THEIR NEW STORE ROOM, ODD FELLOWS' BUILDING.

Call and examine their stock before buying elsewhere.

For Rent, in a good neighborhood, Saw Mill and Grist Mill. One of the best water powers on the Antietam. No opposition within three miles. A good hand with small capital can make money. For particulars call at this office. Dec. 25-3w

LOOK! LOOK! AND WONDER.—Price & Hoeflich call the attention of the trade to their immense stock of new goods, bought at Panic Prices, and to be sold at special low figures, within the next sixty days. Dec 18-1t

TAKE NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that boys and all other persons engaged in noisy conduct, and disorderly congregating on the streets, disturbing the peace, good order and quiet of the Borough by disorderly and unlawfully assembling at, and participating in Callithumpian Bandings, or disturbing private property—and placing it in and around the Public Square, or discharging firearms, setting off squibs, fireworks, fire crackers, or any combustible matter within the limits of the Borough, will be dealt with according to law.

I, therefore, Chief Burgess of the Borough of Waynesboro', by authority of the Town Council, do appoint John H. Herr, Wm. F. Horner, John H. Miller Deputy Constables to assist Constable Robinson in preserving and maintaining the peace, good order and quiet of the Borough during the coming Holiday season, and at such other times as occasion may require during the present winter. Dec 16, 1873. Chief Burgess.

CHAPPED HANDS, face, rough skin, pimples, ringworm, salt-rheum and other cutaneous affections cured, and the skin made soft and smooth, by using the *JUVENILE TAR SOAP*, made by CASWELL, HAZARD & Co., New York. Be certain to get the *Juniper Tar Soap*, as there are many imitations made with common tar which are worthless. Dec 4-1w

Call at STOVER & WOLFF'S, N. E. Corner of the Diamond, if you want to buy cheap goods. They are making special inducements to purchasers, and discounting all cash bills, in order to reduce the stock on hand. Give them a call before buying elsewhere. July 24-4t

Make Money fast and thoroughly \$12.50 per day, or \$75 per week by at once applying for a territorial right, which are given free to agents, to sell the best, strongest, most useful, and rapid selling Sewing Machine, and Patent Button Hole Worker ever used or recommended by families, or buy one for your own use, it is only \$5. Sent free by express. Address for particulars Jerome B. Hudson & Co., Corner Greacwich & Cortlandt Sts., New York.