

Daily Telegraph

HARRISBURG: Thursday Afternoon, April 11, 1861.

COMMON COUNCIL.—A special meeting of the City Council will be held this evening.

THE METHODISTS of Ebensburg, Cambria county, are doubtless very moral and pious people, but nevertheless they are to have a Show in their church every Sunday throughout the present year!

BIRD SHOOTING.—Sportsmen know, but idle lads who wander among our fields and forests do not know or care, that it is against the law to kill blue-birds, swallows, robins, or any other insectivorous birds; and that they are liable to a penalty of five dollars for each and every such offence.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—The Board of Directors of the Western Pennsylvania Railroad held a meeting at Altoona, recently, when steps were taken to have the whole line examined and put under contract. The utmost harmony prevailed, and there was not a member of the Board who did not desire to have the road reconstructed immediately.

THE NUISANCE.—In the case of Patrick Waugan, returned yesterday for maintaining a nuisance in the sixth ward, a hearing was had before the Mayor last evening, when the defendant was fined one dollar and costs, which he paid. It is probable that Patrick will keep his pig-pen in better condition hereafter.

CAUSES OF SUICIDE.—Women kill themselves for want of love, and men for want of money, usually. Women go in for love and diamonds, and men for dollars, dogs, horses, and a wide life.

JUVENILE OFFENDERS.—Last evening six small boys, who looked as if nobody owned or cared for them, were before the Mayor, charged with annoying the family of Mrs. Todd, residing somewhere in the sixth ward.

THE CANALS.—It appears by the annual report of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, that the earnings of the canals owned by the company during the past year were \$209,865 88, and that the expenses for the same time were \$164,760 68; making a net profit of \$64,605 20.

THE HARMONY DANCING CLUB give their first Grand Cotillon Party, in the new Exchange Hall, this evening. A large number of fair ladies will grace the occasion with their presence; and strangers now in the city, who wish to while away a few hours pleasantly, in keeping time with flying feet to the dance-inspiring music of the fiddle and the bow, should visit the hall to-night, and join in the festivities of the occasion.

THE NAMES.—The three soundrels captured yesterday for committing an infamous outrage upon the person of a young girl from Balabridge, answer to the names of Jacob Grubb, Robert M'Neal and Jerry Schindler.

DIAMOND, FAIRY AND BUGS.—Gilt tawdriness, gilded buckles, burnished bouquets and bullion cord, I am glad to note, are obsolete—at least among people of taste. Fruit has been revived, rare bunches of grapes, tempting with their purple bloom; luscious looking white water grapes, and great rare ripe cherries, pendant from rough stems, yet retaining the pink and white blossoms; and scarlet strawberries, nestling amid their green surroundings, are now used sparingly and tastefully in the ornamentation of bonnets.

THE STATE FAIR.—The Great Annual Exhibition of the State Agricultural Society of Pennsylvania seems to be falling into a condition of popular disrepute that does not promise a very brilliant future. When these "great shows" were initiated some years since, there was a warm competition for the honor of furnishing a location for them.

STEEL PEN.—Mr. Steel was married to Miss Penn, at Cincinnati, recently. The probability is that the happy couple will engage in the steel pen manufacturing business.

CHEAP FRUIT.—The supply of oranges continue to increase in our market, and the luscious golden fruit is peddled about the streets at ten cents a dozen. At the ruling prices oranges are cheaper than apples, notwithstanding the abundance of the latter.

MENTIONS OF WAR.—The other day a freight train passed through this city east over the Pennsylvania Railroad, containing over seventy cars, very heavily laden, and drawn by two locomotives. A number of the cars contained live stock, but some of those which rolled the heaviest, and were closely boxed, are said to have contained ordnance, cannon balls, and other munitions of war from the Pittsburg arsenal.

ADJOURNMENT.—The Carlisle Presbytery, which met here on Tuesday, adjourned at noon to-day, after a pleasant and harmonious session. Some forty preachers were in attendance, and we do not mean to flatter when we say that a finer looking or more intelligent body of men never assembled in our city.

THE COUNTRY ROADS.—This is the proper time for supervisors and all others interested in and entrusted with the care of the public roads, to make an inspection of their condition, and repair them for summer travel.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—MIRACULOUS ESCAPE.—A few evenings ago while David Laushey was driving over the crossing at the Bird-in-Hand, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, he was run into by the mail train east. Mr. Laushey was thrown out and caught on the cow-catcher, and strange to say, escaped with but slight injuries.

THE WEATHER AND VEGETATION.—Within a few days we have enjoyed some mild and balmy weather; and it is gratifying to learn from the rural districts that the late frosts inflicted little or no injury upon vegetation. Fortunately, the weather preceding that portion of winter that "lingered in the lap of spring," was dry, so that the buds were not cased in ice, which is usually the cause of destroying both blossoms and fruit.

TRADING A WIFE FOR A CHATEAU.—There is a "best thing of the season" every day or two; but here is the "best thing of the best things"—the compressed and concentrated essence of excellence. Let everybody read, mark and inwardly digest, and let people over the water, when Americans come among them with good looking wives,—(and there are any quantity of these commodities on hand)—take warning by this novel specimen of trade, and hesitate before they plan their elopement.

"RICH FRENCHMAN," the accomplished lady writer who has charge of the fashion department of the New York Sunday Mercury, thus discourses on the fashionable style of decoration which is to be the prevailing mode: "DIAMOND, FAIRY AND BUGS.—Gilt tawdriness, gilded buckles, burnished bouquets and bullion cord, I am glad to note, are obsolete—at least among people of taste."

THE OIL BUSINESS.—In the Franklin oil district of Pennsylvania there are one thousand oil wells sunk, and the lowest estimate at which a well can be sunk is five hundred dollars, but in most cases this does not include loss of time, neglect of other business, traveling expenses, cost of engines for pumping, &c., which on an average may be assumed to be at least five hundred dollars more, making in all an expenditure of a million of dollars.

GOOD APPLES.—We are indebted to Mr. Maeder, opposite the TELEGRAPH OFFICE, for specimens of the apples he offers for sale, and having tested their quality can recommend them as sound, mellow and deliciously flavored.

CONVICTED.—Several weeks ago we published the particulars of the poisoning of a woman in Perry county, by her husband. The man, whose name is Wm. Weaver, was tried recently, and the jury found him guilty of murder in the first degree.

A BIG LOAD OF DUTK.—Last evening we saw a miserable specimen of humanity going to prison on a hand-cart. He had imbibed such an immense quantity of "tanglefoot" as to "obfuscate" his brain, and paralyze his limbs to such an extent as to deprive him entirely of the power of locomotion.

A PRETTY IDEA, coming like perfumed air o'er a bed of violets, is contained in the following lines, the production of an unknown author:

Bland as the morning breath of June / The south-west breeze play; / And through its haze, the winter morn / Seems warm as Summer's day.

HAS ARRIVED.—The famous Signor Blits arrived this afternoon, and will give his opening entertainment to-night in Brant's Hall. For the sake of the State Capital Band, under whose auspices and for whose benefit the exhibition is given, we hope the Signor will be greeted with a full house.

EARLY RADIISHES AND ONIONS are to be seen on the breakfast tables of those who can afford to indulge in these luxuries. New butter, with a pale complexion, is also an article of diet for those who have no occasion to meditate the consequences of discharging an extra quarter or so, when the day of settlement comes.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY SIR JAMES CLARKE'S CELEBRATED FEMALE PILLS. Prepared from a Prescription of Sir J. Clarke, M. D., Physician Extraordinary to the Queen.

CAUTION. An appeal will be held at the Treasurer's office, in the county of Dauphin, on Tuesday, the 7th day of May, 1861.

DR. CHEESMAN'S PILLS. Prepared by Cornelius L. Cheesman, M. D., NEW YORK CITY. The combination of ingredients in these Pills are the result of a long and extensive practice.

MURDER TRIAL.—Among the criminal cases to be disposed of at the next term of Court, is that of John Trump, of Fishing creek, charged with the murder of his sister-in-law, wife of Samuel Trump, by strangulation.

INTERESTING TO ALL! CATHCART & BROTHER, No. 14 MARKET SQUARE. HAVE NOW OPEN THEIR USUAL LARGE ASSORTMENT OF SPRING DRY GOODS!

WANTED.—AGENTS TO SELL PACKAGES OF STATIONERY and JEWELRY, at prices one third less than can be purchased elsewhere. Call on or address the undersigned.

INFORMATION FOR PEACH GROWERS.—At a late meeting of the New York Farmer's Club, a statement was made by a Mr. Ganton, of New Jersey, an extensive peach grower, which may be of interest to those engaged in the cultivation of the fruit in this locality.

JUST ARRIVED AND FOR SALE, 50 bbls. Apples; 50 tubs Prime Lard; 1,000 lbs. Hams, Shoulders and Dried Beef; 40 doz. Boston; 100 bushels Potatoes.

DISTINGUISHED ARRIVAL.—We had the pleasure, a few days since, of taking by the hand our old townsman ALB. RAMSEY, now Governor of Minnesota.

NEW ARRIVALS! NEW ARRIVALS!—Just received a large assortment of New Spring Goods. We name in part; 10 pieces of beautiful cheries, 12 1/2 worth 18 1/2; 10 pieces of traveling dress goods, 8 worth 12 1/2; 60 pieces bleached and unbleached muslins, at 10 worth 12 1/2; 50 pieces of bleached assortment of Cassimeres and other summer stuff for men and boys wear.

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New Advertisements.

LIST OF DEALERS In Merchandise, in Dauphin County, FOR 1861.

Table listing names of dealers and their locations in Dauphin County for 1861. Includes names like J. H. Smith, Wm. Weaver, and others.

HARRISBURG.—SOUTH WARD.

Table listing names of dealers in Harrisburg South Ward. Includes names like J. H. Smith, Wm. Weaver, and others.

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WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP.

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SUSQUEHANNA.

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MIDDLE PAXTON.

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JACKSON.

Table listing names of dealers in Jackson. Includes names like J. H. Smith, Wm. Weaver, and others.

HALLIFAX.

Table listing names of dealers in Halifax. Includes names like J. H. Smith, Wm. Weaver, and others.

JEFFERSON.

Table listing names of dealers in Jefferson. Includes names like J. H. Smith, Wm. Weaver, and others.

WIOTICONIS.

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HARRISBURG.—BREWSTER AND DISTILLERS.

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MIDDLETOWN.—TEN PIN ALLY.

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HARRISBURG.—BILLARD.

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MIDDLETOWN.—PATENT MEDICINES.

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Pillow Case Makers, all widths. Sewing Machines and Tricott. Tricott, all prices and widths. Towelling, all kinds.

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Harrisburg Broom Manufactory.

TWO DOORS FROM FRONT ST. IN WALNUT. BROOMS sold wholesale and retail 20 percent cheaper than can be had elsewhere.

IMPORTED BOLOGNA SAUSAGE.

A very rare lot just received and for sale by WM. DORR & CO.

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AND COMMISSION MERCHANT.

GOODS AND MERCHANDISE promptly forwarded by Philadelphia and Reading, Northern Central, Cumberland Valley and Pennsylvania Railroads, and Canal.

DAVID HAYNES, 110 MARKET, ST.

LILLIE'S PATENT SAFES. Strictly the ONLY Mercantile Safe made, that is both Fire and Burglar Proof.

UPHOLSTERING.

HUSK MATTRESSES, COTTON TOP MATTRESSES, FRENCH CARPET, HASSACKS, CHAIR CUSHIONS, LOUNGES, &c.

FARMER'S HOTEL.

The subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public that he has taken the FARMER'S HOTEL, in Market street opposite the Post Office.

AN EXTRA FINE lot of FONGTAI

TEA imported. This is the best brand of Black Tea imported. A small invoice lying in Wm. Dock JR. & Co.