

PEN, PASTE & SCISSORS.

Mr. Worden, editor of the "Chronicle," has been delivering a lecture in Lewisburg on the beauties of obstinacy.

Dr. Livingstone, the African traveler, will leave England in April, for a new series of exploration, beginning at the Zambese River.

We have on hand several superior Gold Pens, and Gold Pencils, received in the way of trade, which we are disposed to sell at very reasonable prices.

Gen. William T. Haskell, the eloquent orator of Tennessee, is said to have again become interperate, and is confined in the lunatic asylum at Hopkinton, Kentucky.

A man died last summer, in Cuba, aged one hundred and sixty-five years, according to the newspapers, which adds that "his first sickness was that which carried him to his grave."

Philadelphia passengers via Lackawanna and Bloomsburg and Reading roads will leave Bloomsburg Station at 12.50 P. M., and arrive at Bloomsburg at 3.20 P. M., on and after Monday next, March 1st.

It is rumored that the Board of Managers of the Washington Monument, have decided to raise sufficient funds to finish it in the style originally intended, have concluded to build it with brick and mortar, and plaster it in imitation of marble.

Governor Parker has sent a requisition to the Governor of Ohio for the delivery up of Fred'k W. Porter, the late Secretary of the American Sunday School Union, who proved a defaulter some time ago to the tune of \$50,000.

An attempt was made on the 15th inst., to throw a train of cars off the Central Ohio Railway, by placing an iron bar across the track.

On Saturday evening, the Methodist Protestant church in Sixth street, Cincinnati, was partly destroyed by an explosion of gas.

We think those democrats who enjoy the society of such men as Buchanan and Cass, Judge Black and Howell Cobb, must be nearer right on the Kansas question than those who find themselves in the company of Greeley and Giddings.

The Sullivan Democrat states that a vein of coal, thirty-six inches in diameter, is worked by M. B. Heitz, in Cherry township, four miles from Dushore.

It is stated that a worthy minister in Indiana, who had become somewhat mixed up in land speculations, recently announced to his congregation, at the opening of Divine service, that his text would be found in St. Paul's epistle to Minnesota, section four, range three west.

The use of postage stamps, as seals, to prevent the unlawful opening of letters, is suggested. This would afford no adequate protection, unless the post office stamp be impressed upon the postage stamp, for a person who is interested in opening a letter could easily remove the stamp, and put a fresh one on its place.

There are from eleven to twelve millions of oysters arriving at Philadelphia week-week of this number several hundreds of thousands are opened daily, placed in cans, and sent to the West—more particularly to the Territories.

At Wethersfield, (Conn.), a lad of twelve years climbed the lightning rod of the Congregational Church spire, one hundred and fifty feet high.

We have later news from the Salt Lake expedition. In the mountains the weather was intensely cold, snow from one to six feet deep, forming in good spirit, Gov. Cumming performing the duties of his office, and the Indians all friendly.

The Cincinnati Gazette is pained to learn that the venerated widow of Ex-President Harrison, has been for a considerable time confined to her bed, at the residence of her son, J. Scott Harrison, near North Bend.

Mrs. Robinson, the "veiled murderess" is employed in knitting stockings at Sing Sing Prison, New York. On visitors entering the room in which she is engaged at work, she invariably endeavors to turn her face in an opposite direction, as if she was the "observed of all observers."

WOMAN'S LAUGH.—A woman has no natural grace more bewitching than a sweet laugh. It is like the sound of fates on a clear, sparkling rill, and that hears it feels as if it bathed in the cool, exhilarating spring.

THE BLOOMSBURG DRAMATIC INSTITUTE, as will be seen by their advertisement in another column, design giving a series of entertainments, commencing on the 10th of March.

We notice that our enterprising townsman, Mr. JACOB DEFFENBACH, has made arrangements for supplying our citizens with that necessary article, Milk. We hope he may meet with proper encouragement.

Hon. Warren J. Woodard, our excellent President Judge, has been holding Court the past week at Laporte, in Sullivan. The trial of Mrs. Fittinger, for the murder of her husband over a year ago, was before the Court. We will give the result as soon as it is known.

ANNUAL STATEMENT RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE COLUMBIA COUNTY, For the Year 1857.

The Auditor elected to audit and adjust the accounts of Columbia county, have examined the same from the 1st day of January, 1857, to the 31st day of December, 1857, and respectfully lay before the Honorable Board of Supervisors, the following statement and reports agreeably to the 22d Section of an Act of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, passed at the City of April, A. D. 1851.

Table with columns for Receipts and Expenditures. Receipts include Taxes, Licenses, and Fines. Expenditures include Salaries, Expenses, and Repairs.

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SWAN & CO'S LOTTERIES. AUTHORIZED BY THE STATE OF GEORGIA.

\$70,000 For Ten Dollars!! The following scheme will be drawn by J. Swan & Co., Managers of the State Lottery, in each of their weekly Lotteries for March, 1858.

Each Saturday in March: 1st Prize, \$10,000; 2nd Prize, \$5,000; 3rd Prize, \$2,500; 4th Prize, \$1,250; 5th Prize, \$625; 6th Prize, \$312.50; 7th Prize, \$156.25; 8th Prize, \$78.125; 9th Prize, \$39.0625; 10th Prize, \$19.53125.

Special Notices. CLOSING OUT—SMALL PROFITS.—The undersigned, of the Columbia Democrat are informed that numerous barrels, in elegant and fashionable clothing, are being disposed at the paternal establishment of Granite Mills, No. 607 Chestnut street.

THE NEW YORK WEEKLY NEWS, is an excellent New York city paper for country reading. It contains the latest and most correct Cable Market and Produce reports.

THE GOLDEN PRIZE FOR 1858. The New York weekly GOLDEN PRIZE is one of the largest and best literary papers of the day.

QUALITY TO ALL! UNIFORMITY OF PRICE.—A NEW FEATURE in Business: Every one has an Advantage.

REWARD WILL BE PAID FOR ANY MEDICINE that will cure BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, or any other pulmonary complaint.

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The undersigned has for sale every description of Agricultural Implements and Machinery, and is prepared to supply all articles in the line of his business.

VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY FOR SALE. The subscriber offers for sale that desirable Mill property, situated in Greenwood township.

HEAR THE MILLER. Customers are notified that the subscriber has received a new lot of Flour, and is prepared to supply all orders.

DR. WALTON'S AMERICAN PILLS. YOUTHFUL VIGOR.—The undersigned has for sale a new lot of Pills, which will cure every complaint.

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