

STAR OF THE NORTH



THINGS ABOUT TOWN & COUNTRY.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31, 1865.

The road masters are busy cleaning up our streets, alleys and by-ways.

HARD TO FIND.—A "hard shell Baptist" advertises in a New York paper for a meeting house to go to on Sundays where the gospel, not politics, is preached.

CHARLES G. BARKLEY, County Superintendent of Common Schools, is visiting the schools in Orange township, the foremost of this week.

ROBT. M. SHANNON, a graduate of the Columbia Democrat office, and now on detached service in a Printing Office, at Washington city, paid his friends a visit at this place the first part of this week. He was enjoying good health and looking well.

Gold has been quoted for the past few days at \$1.31 and thereabouts. We may hardly expect to see it get any lower soon. There is too much green paper in circulation.

Preparations are being made for the erection of a Post Office building, on the South West corner of Market Square. The spot is in readiness for the building and we may expect to see it up in a few days.

We would remind the public generally that our friend A. J. Evans, makes up to order all kinds of clothing for gentlemen. You will do well to give him a call, and examine his stock of summer goods.

The grain crop looks well all through this section of country. There never was a larger crop put out in one season than is out at present, and it never looked more promising of an abundant yield.

The Mississippi Legislature met on the 20th, and instructed Gov. Clarke to appoint commissioners to Washington to consult President Johnson in relation to a return of the States to the Union.

Our exchanges from all parts of the State say the growing grain and grass crops never looked better than they do this season, and there is every evidence of an abundant yield. The fruit prospects are equally encouraging.

DAVID LEWENBERG, Esq., is prepared to make up summer suits of clothing in the height of fashion, with neatness and dispatch, upon the most reasonable terms for cash.

The new Provision Store at this place caused quite a fluttering among the shopkeepers, and quite a tumbling down in prices. After Mr. Roylan opened store you could buy flour at \$5.00 per hundred, sugar 7 lbs for a dollar, best of ham 25 cts. per lb., and other things in proportion.

Those of our farmers who have a large amount of corn on hand must certainly feel a little queer, after refusing to sell their corn at \$1.60, and at present not being able to get more than 90 cts and no demand at that. It will be some lower.

The man who advertises liberally can sell goods at what he will; locality; and the man who has barely a board out, and expends nothing for printer's ink, must certainly find that few customers travel the road to his establishment. He must let the people know what he has, and how low he can afford to sell his goods, if he wishes to prosper.

Not quite a year ago Dr. John said in his paper when speaking of the newly appointed Internal Revenue Assessor—Isaac S. Monroe—"The Major is in possession of the qualifications to make a popular and efficient officer." But the Doctor must think himself "in possession of qualifications" to make a better one, as we understand he is trying hard to have Monroe turned out and himself turned in. We care but little about the matter, but think the community would not be benefited by the change.

This Republican of last week wants to know what the "copperhead contemporaries and the Bloomberg lawyers" think of Jerry Davis since caught "making trucks through the woods in Georgia, (although some people doubt the statement very much) in his wife's petticoats. For our part, we think just as much of Davis as we do of a man who, on learning that he is about to meet with opposition, takes a special, or coal train, and *walks it through*, and leaves his wife and whole family to travel alone, and unprotected, on the regular train, which was supposed to be attacked by a mob! This thing displayed Jacksonian spirit unprecedented!

We find it necessary every once in a while to call the attention of readers to our advertising terms. We charge ten cents per line for all proceedings of meetings not of a political or religious character, all ordinary notices, and twenty cents per line for all advertising in the local columns. It is an easy matter for customers to count the lines for themselves and send along the money with their orders. The burdens imposed upon the newspaper press by the high prices of the past few years, rendered this course imperative; and the publishers of our borough having adopted this scale, we shall rigidly adhere to it. We have the proceedings of a meeting or two in our drawer, which are not published for the reason that no money accompanied them. Remember friends, it costs something now-a-days, to produce a newspaper, and if you want to use its columns, it is but fair to pay for it.

The above is from the *Luzerne Union* and its own situation exactly.

The Republican editor of this place in attempting to express sympathy for those men who were so summarily arrested and taken away last Fall, is well understood. In the first place he is represented to be at the head of a Petroleum Oil Company formed in this place, and wishes to sell stock to the people whom he so shamefully abused last Fall, and during their incarceration and trial. In the second place he has no Provost Guard harbored close by his office for his special protection and safety. Although so far as this is concerned he need have no fears on the part of the Democrats. They do not belong to that kind of party that is guilty of mobbing inoffensive and peaceable citizens and destroying Printing Presses on account of opinions sake. He may feel perfectly safe so far as any violence is concerned. In the third place he, too, as well as Greeley, Phillips, Beecher, and Fred. Douglass, feels guilty in a measure, for bringing this great difficulty upon our country. They know it was through their teachings and intermeddling with the institution of Slavery that this war was brought upon us, by which an enormous debt has been incurred and thousands of noble lives destroyed. They attempt to make some atonement for the gross wrongs they have inflicted upon these people, both North and South. The least such lineal descendants of tories, as Dr. John, have to say on the matter, the better. Let them go and hide their carcasses, the infernal scoundrels, as all decent people shun them, and do not wish to be contaminated with their presence much less their odor.

JUDGE REPERT has kindly furnished us the following minutes and statement concerning the late meeting of the Agricultural Society and its financial condition:

At the 10th Annual Meeting of the members of the Columbia County Agricultural, Horticultural and Mechanical Association, held at this place, on Saturday, May 20th 1865, **SYLVESTER PERRELL**, of Hemlock township, was elected President; Caleb Barton, Wm. Neal, Mathias Hartman and Jas. Masters, Vice Presidents; Wm. H. Shoemaker, J. P. Cooner, and Joseph Hayman, additional Executive Committee; Ben. F. Hartman, Librarian; Elias Mendeshall, Treasurer; and L. B. Rupert, Secretary.

The Treasurer's report as read and adopted showed the following result, viz:

1864 May bal. in Treasury,	\$352 96
Rec'd during Fair, tickets, rent, &c.	1282 44
	\$1,635 40
Expenses, holding Fair, &c., 1864,	1036 63
	LEONARD B. RUPERT, Sec'y.

The editors of the Star claim to have fully understood the editor of the Republican of this place, for the last four years, upon the subject of "mob-law and violence." If he did not publicly advocate and encourage the enacting of riotous scenes, here and elsewhere, through the columns of his journal, for years past, he has encouraged, aided and abetted this unlawful conduct, on the part of his political Loyal Leaguers, by remaining silent and allowing such disgraceful scenes to be enacted as were witnessed in Bloomsburg, August, 1862, without one word of condemnation or disapproval from his lips. But to the contrary, he checked over the affair, and said the boys had "re-buked the open expressions of the disloyal." It so happened that the rioters were not exactly boys, if we are permitted to take a glance over our records of the Court. We always understood the Dr. He is, and ever has been, a mobile of the sneaking kind.

Not long since the Republican editor stated that he seldom read the Democratic papers of this place, and "go longer noticed" them. It would seem of late that he has taken to reading these Democratic papers more carefully and attentively, for scarcely a week passes but what he endeavors to get off something sharp on one or the other of the two journals. Sometimes denouncing the Democrat and its teachings, and at other times opposing the Star and its doctrine. He is as changeable as the wind, but of no force and influence; and of no account generally, among respectable and law-abiding citizens.

SEVEN-THIRTY LOAN—The government is now offering through Jay Cooke, Esq., their subscription agent, the third series of the new popular loan, known as the seven-thirties. The rapidity with which the first and second series have been taken by the people is evidence of the confidence the moneyed men of the country have in this loan, and should induce all men having funds to invest in government securities to subscribe at once, as this perhaps will be the last loan offered by the government at so high a rate of interest. Persons wishing to subscribe can do so by calling at the First National Bank of Bloomsburg.

SENIOR HIRSH W. BROWN, of Company A, 74th Regiment, P. V., is home on furlough, with spirits considerably depressed, on account of having lost another of his sons, whose death we chronicled in our last week's issue. He has lost his two oldest boys—both young men—in this war. They were industrious, intelligent and respectable young men, and much admired by all who knew them. Their names were, respectively, MILKS and JAMES BROWN. Their father enlisted for one year sometime last Spring, and is a member of Capt. Samuel J. PEALER'S Company, of this county. The company is, at present, doing duty somewhere in Virginia.

Geo. J. BOLTON, Proprietor of the Baulster House, Harrisburg, designs re-opening the Columbia House, at Cape Islands, N. Jersey, on the 15th day of June next. This is one of the best and most popular resorts we know of, and Mr. Bolton will do all in his power to make his guests comfortable and well pleased with their entertainment.

Success to Mr. Bolton; may he have plenty of visitors and the season prove beneficial to both him and his guest.

C. B. BROCKWAY,
May 3, 1865.
Mercantile Appraiser.

WHISKERS!!!—Those wishing a fine set of whiskers, a nice moustache, or a beautiful head of glossy hair, will please read the card of **THOS. F. CHAPMAN**, in another part of his paper.

March 1, 1865.—3 mos.

LIST OF DEALERS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY,

FOR the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, of Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Distillers, Brewers, Restaurateurs and Eating House Keepers, within the County of Columbia, returned and classified in accordance with the several acts of Assembly, by the Appraiser of Mercantile Taxes of said county as follows, to-wit:

Vendors.	Twp.	Class.	License.
SH Miller,	Bloom,	13	10 00
A J Sloan,	do	13	10 00
McKelvey Neal Co	do	8	30 00
H C & I W Hartman	do	11	15 00
J J Brower	do	13	10 00
Bloomburg Iron Co	do	8	30 00
E Mendenhall	do	13	10 00
L T Sharpless	do	14	7 00
P John	do	14	7 00
Eyer & Moyer	do	14	7 00
E P Luiz	do	14	7 00
F Rabb	do	14	7 00
J K Gitten	do	14	7 00
A Terwilliger	do	14	7 00
Henry Giger	do	14	7 00
O A Jacoby	do	14	7 00
Henry Klein	do	14	7 00
J W Diersholt	do	14	7 00
Andrew Rupert	do	14	7 00
J Sharpless	do	14	7 00
P Billmeyer	do	14	7 00
A J Evans	do	14	7 00
David Lowenberg	do	14	7 00
S C Shives	do	14	7 00
Stonher	do	14	7 00
F X	do	14	7 00
A Solleder	do	14	7 00
D L Mendenhall	do	14	7 00
Lloyd Paxton	do	14	7 00
Jas K Eyer	do	14	7 00
E Conner	Montour	14	7 00
Wm Butler	do	14	7 00
Bobst & Marzenger	do	14	7 00
J S Mc-Ninch & Co	Catawissa	14	7 00
J S Hires	do	14	15 00
J Sharpless & Co	do	14	15 00
G Hughes & Son	do	14	7 00
J K Sharpless	do	12	12 50
Cresay & John	do	12	12 50
S D Rinard	do	14	7 00
W John	do	14	7 00
Casper Rahn	do	14	7 00
Wm Orange	do	14	7 00
B F Richardson & Bro	Scott	14	7 00
C S Fowler	do	11	15 00
Sam'l A Workman	do	14	7 00
W A Barton & Co	do	14	7 00
David Whitmire	do	14	7 00
W Crevling & Co	do	14	7 00
Peter Ent	do	12	12 50
H W Creasy & Co	do	11	15 00
C S Fowler	do	12	10 00
J & T Creveling	Cowangin	11	15 00
Houzelack & Y Baren	do	8	30 00
W Bedford & Co	do	12	15 00
W P Ryon & Co	do	12	12 50
J B Koutle	do	14	7 00
William Snyder	do	14	7 00
Daniel Wertman ag't	do	14	7 00
C P Smith	do	14	7 00
B McBrister	do	14	7 00
D T McKernan	do	14	7 00
George Yeager	Locust	14	7 00
Washington Yeager	do	14	7 00
Mark Williams	do	14	7 00
Abraham Rice	do	14	7 00
J B Deegan	do	14	7 00
J Cherrington	Roaringcreek	14	7 00
Franklin S Shuman	Beaver	14	7 00
Jacob Bamberger	do	14	7 00
Schwepkermeister & Co	Maine	14	7 00
Brown & Fisher	do	14	7 00
Bowman & Owen	Berwick	11	15 00
Abraham Miller	do	10	20 00
Jackson & Woodin	do	10	20 00
Jackson & Bowers	do	12	12 50
A Miller & Co	do	14	7 00
J B Dodson agent	do	14	7 00
Jackson & Woodin	do	13	10 00
J Sheehol & Craig	do	14	7 00
C D Eyer	do	14	7 00
G H Fowler	Centre	13	10 00
Jacob Sponser	do	14	7 00
E W M & G L Law	do	14	7 00
C H Hess & Co	do	14	7 00
Henry Lahnun	do	14	7 00
Jesse Hicks	do	14	7 00
Samuel Duetterich	do	14	7 00
Aram Duetterich	do	14	7 00
Greth H Fries	do	12	12 50
A Fulmer	do	14	7 00
John Keltner	do	14	7 00
Jacob Harris	Hemlock	14	7 00
Charles Nayhart	do	14	7 00
M G & W Shoemaker	do	13	10 00
McKelvey & Apleman estate	do	14	7 00
R W Bowman & Co	Orange	13	10 00
D K Stewart	do	13	10 00
A Coleman	do	14	7 00
B Ammeffman	Fi-hingcreek	14	7 00
Howell & Pennington	do	14	7 00
Solomon Fuss	do	14	7 00
James N Jones	do	14	7 00
D & M McHenry	do	14	7 00
Mrs H A Cole	Benton	14	7 00
Samuel Henreck	do	14	7 00
John Everett	do	14	7 00
Hughes & Calendar	do	14	7 00
John Leggett	Greenwood	14	7 00
D & W Masters	do	11	15 00
Corcelius Preston	do	14	7 00
Schleyer & Black	do	13	10 00
C Eves & Co	do	13	10 00
Joseph Sands	Mt Pleasant	14	7 00
George Vance	do	14	7 00
Conrad Kewmer	Marion	13	10 00
E F H Brother	do	14	7 00
John Heller	Miffin	14	7 00
Stephen H Swank	do	14	7 00
Cresay & Brown	do	14	7 00
J X Schweppenheiser	do	14	7 00
W A Brown	do	14	7 00
Jacob Yoh	do	14	7 00
Washington Parr	Franklin	14	7 00
G S McWilliams	do	14	7 00
C Mendenhall	do	13	7 00
John G Jacoby	Briatrecreek	14	7 00
Levi Summerville	do	14	7 00
J Thomas	do	13	10 00
P M Traugh	do	12	10 00
Reuben Miller	do	14	7 00
William Fries	do	13	10 00
Jeremiah Jacoby	do	14	7 00

RESTAURANTS AND EATING HOUSES.

Frederick Fox	Bloom	6	12
B Stohner	do	6	12
W B Koons	do	7	10
H C Christian	do	7	10
S Kosterbander	Catawissa	8	5
Levi Keller	do	8	5
William Stetter	Conyngham	7	10
Edward Haffey	do	8	5
John Chapman	do	7	10
Thomas O'Conner	do	8	5
Richard Kealey	do	8	5
Henry Hockman	Berwick	7	10
Michael Keller	Orange	8	5

DISTILLERS.

Moses Simmons	Fishingcreek	6	25
Frank Edgar	do	8	12 50
Reuben Miller	Briatrecreek	4	40
Rohr McHenry	Benton	6	25

All persons who may feel aggrieved by the above classification can have an opportunity of appealing by calling upon the undersigned at his office in Bloomsburg, Pa., at any time on or before the 1st day of June, A. D. 1865, after which no appeal will be heard.

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Agricultural Chemical Co.'s CHEAP FERTILIZERS.

The Fertilizers prepared by the Agricultural Chemical Co., (a Company chartered by the Legislature of Pennsylvania with a capital of \$250,000,) have been proved in practice to be the cheapest, most profitable and best, for the Farmer, Gardener and Fruit grower, of all concentrated manures now offered in any market. The Company's list embraces the following—

PABULETTE.
This Fertilizer is composed of night soil and the fertilizing agents of urine, combined chemically and mechanically with other valuable fertilizing agents and absorbents. It is reduced to a pulverulent condition; ready for immediate use; and without loss of its highly nitrogenous fertilizing properties. Its universal applicability to all crops and soils, and its durability and active qualities are well known to all that agriculturists can desire.

CHEMICAL COMPOST.
The Fertilizer is largely composed of animal matter, such as meat, bone, fish, leather, and wool, together with chemicals and inorganic fertilizers, which decompose the mass, and retain the nitrogenous elements. It is a very valuable fertilizer for field crops generally, and especially for potatoes, and garden purposes. Its excellent qualities, strength and cheapness, have made it very popular with all who have used it.

COMPOSITE FERTILIZER.
This highly phosphatic fertilizer is particularly adapted for the cultivation of trees, fruits, lawns and flowers. It will promote a very vigorous and healthy growth of wood fruit, and largely increase the quantity and perfect the maturity of the fruit. For household and household plants and flowers, it will be found an indispensable article to secure their greatest perfection. It will prevent and cure diseased conditions of the grass and turf, and is excellent for grass and lawns. It is composed of such elements as make it adapted to the growth of all kinds of crops in all kinds of soil. The formula or method of combining its constituent fertilizing ingredients has received the highest approval of eminent chemists and scientific agriculturists.

PHOSPHATE OF LIME.
The Agricultural Chemical Company manufacture a Phosphate of Lime in accordance with a new and valuable formula by which a very superior article is produced, as to be afforded at a less price than other manufacturers charge. Practical tests have proved that its value, as a fertilizer, is equal to the best Phosphate of Lime in the market.

TERMS CASH. All Orders of a Ton or more will be delivered at the Railroad Stations and the Wharves of Shipment, free of cartage. Cartage will be charged on all orders of less than a ton. One dollar per Ton allowance for cartage will be made on all sales delivered at the Wharves of the Company on Canal Wharf. Agricultural Chemical Company's Works, at Canal Wharf on the Delaware. Office, 413 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa. R. B. FITTS, General Agent. The Company's Pamphlet Circular, embracing full directions to using the above Fertilizers, sent by mail, free, when requested. March 8, 1865.—6mo.

\$1,865,000 WORTH OF WATCHES, CHAINS, RINGS, &c.

G. S. HASKINS & CO.,
36 Beckman Street, New York.
offer the following Indulgences to Buyers of Valuable Jewellery.
Having been for a long time engaged in the watch business, and established our reputation for promptness and reliability, and possessing great facilities for selling Jewellery in this way, we are confident that we can give satisfaction to all who feel disposed to patronize us.
\$650,000 WORTH OF WATCHES, DIAMOND Pins, Chains, &c., to be sold for One Dollar each, without regard to value, and not to be paid for until you know what you are to receive.
JUST LOOK AT THE FOLLOWING LIST OF ARTICLES TO BE SOLD FOR ONE DOLLAR EACH!
175 Watches (handsomely engraved and warranted perfect time keepers), varying in price from \$20.00 to \$120.00 each.
225 Ladies' watches, solid gold hunting cases, \$65.00 each.
250 Gentlemen's silver watches 15.00 to 20.00 each.
500 Latest style vest and neck chains, 4.50 to 8.00 each.
5,000 Gent's California Diamond Pins, 2.50 to 25.00 each.
4,000 California diamond ear drops, 2.00 to 15.00 each.
3,000 Miniature and enamelled gent's watch pins, new styles, 5.00 to 15.00 each.
2,000 Masonic and emblem pins, 3.00 to 10.00 each.
2,500 Gold band bracelets, engraved and plain, 3.00 to 20.00 each.
3,000 Jet and Mosaic brooches, 3.00 to 7.00 each.
2,000 Cameo brooches, rich patterns, very tasty, 3.00 to 6.00 each.
4,500 Florentine and Lava pins, the real article, 1.00 to 10.00 each.
3,500 Laces and Florentine car drops, 3.00 to 10.00 each.
3,000 Coral ear drops, 4.00 to 6.00 each.
2,000 Ladies' Chateleine chains, jet and gold, 15.00 to 20.00 each.
6,000 Gent's pins, a splendid assortment, 2.00 to 15.0