

Artemas on Ghosts.

Artemas Ward, one of whose peculiarities as a lecturer is that he touches upon almost every conceivable subject except the subject of his lecture...

"I haven't told you much about the ghosts, and it is so late now, that there is not time. But I shall speak in San Francisco in about four weeks from this time, and all who hold tickets to this lecture will be admitted free."

CHAIRS.—An eminent physician, speaking of our chairs, remarks that they are too high, and too nearly horizontal. We slide forward, and our spines ache...

MOTHERS' PENSIONS.—By a recent regulation of the Pension Office, many mothers of deceased soldiers are now entitled to pensions, who were not previously. Under the original regulations, a mother was required to prove her marriage, and only widowed mothers were entitled to pensions...

While at Berryville, Virginia, (writes an army correspondent,) we established our lines, and all persons residing in them were required to take the oath of allegiance. A "contraband," wishing to go through, on learning the requisition, very innocently asked, "What is he oath?"

A young girl at Brooklyn, N. Y. was seized with the idea that, like Joan of Arc, she was born to lead her country's armies. She enlisted as a drummer boy in a Michigan regiment, hoping to rank up to the command. She was shot at Chickamauga, and telegraphed to her father, "I expected to deliver my country, but the fates would not have it so. I am contented to die. Pray, papa, forgive me."

In Newark, New Jersey, a member who had formerly large "southern connections," proposed that the church should make Jeff Davis a life member of the Sabbath School Missionary Society. Even the boys and girls raised the proposition, whereupon he threatened to throw them out of the window. The "muscular Christian" subsequently apologized through the public prints.

Reductio ad Absurdum.—A Richmond paper acknowledges that the rebellion is reduced to this dilemma: "If the people are fed, the army must suffer; if the army is fed, the people will starve; and if the people starve, what's the use of the army?" Jeff Davis would ask, what's the use of the people? In any case, what's the use of the Rebellion.—Pres.

Benjamin Cox, an esteemed citizen of Salem, Mass., died last week. On the late Thanksgiving day, he ate his eighteenth Thanksgiving dinner in the same room in which he had eaten it on every successive Thanksgiving since he was four years old, having never once been absent on account of sickness or any other cause.

Jeff Davis calls the blockade of the Atlantic coast a paper one, and yet that "paper blockade" has captured one thousand and forty five blockade runners, of which 547 were schooners, 179 steamers, 131 sloops, 30 brig, 25 barqs, 15 ships, and 117 smaller craft. Comment is unnecessary.

STAR & CHRONICLE ALMANAC

Calendar table for the year 1863, showing months, days, and corresponding dates.

Union County Official Record. President Judge—Wm. S. Woods, Lewisburg. Post Office Assessor—James W. Sessons, do.

Post-Offices in Union County. Albion—(Daily Township)—J. B. Boyer, P. M. do—(Daily Township)—J. B. Boyer, P. M.

Regular Union County Courts open. Third Monday in February—May—September—December.

DR. JOSIAH SMITH, Having located in Lewisburg, solicits a share of the public patronage.

First of the Season! NEW GOODS! FROM PHILADELPHIA AND N.Y.

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For the Fall and Winter. For the Fall and Winter. For the Fall and Winter.

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Jno. H. Goodman, Market St., Lewisburg. Jno. H. Goodman, Market St., Lewisburg.

20,000 BUSH. OF OATS wanted, for which the highest price will be paid.

A NEW GROCERY. THE subscriber has opened a Family Grocery Store in Mrs. Grier's Building...

TOBACCO AND CIGARS, Butter, Eggs, &c. &c. Which are offered CHEAP FOR CASH by JOSEPH ECKBERT, Agent.

Peace—Peace! DEAR friends, and stout patrons, from country and town, these are your friends, who have gathered together...

Buffalo House. LEWISBURG, UNION CO., PA. LEWIS GIBBEL, Proprietor.

The man who drinks whiskey or chews tobacco, spends his money. The man who buys books and takes time to read them, plants his money.

A \$35 Iron City College Scholarship FOR sale at the Star & Chronicle Office.

DYSPEPSIA

DISEASES RESULTING FROM Disorders of the Liver AND DIGESTIVE ORGANS, are cured by HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS,

the great Strengthening Tonic. These Bitters have performed more Cures! Have and do give more Satisfaction!

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS WILL CURE EVERY CASE OF Chronic or Nervous Debility, Diseases of the Kidneys, and Diseases arising from disordered Stomach.

We defy any one to contradict this assertion, and will pay \$1000 to any one that will produce a Certificate, published by us, that is not genuine.

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS. The undersigned, having removed to Crisswell's New Building, Market St., between Front and Second, is prepared to Repair Watches, Jewelry, Musical Instruments, &c.,

REMEMBER. That this is not Alcoholic, CONTAINS NO RUM OR WHISKEY, and can't make Drunkards, BUT IS THE BEST TONIC IN THE WORLD.

READ WHO SAY SO. From the Pastor of the Baptist Church, Philadelphia, N. J.

THE UNIVERSAL CLOTHES WRINGER. NO WRINGER can be durable without Cog-Wheels.

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NOTICE

I hereby give to all persons leaving Deeds, Mortgages, Releases or other Papers in the Register and Recorder's office, unpaid for, that said papers may be had by applying at my residence, on West Market Street...

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T. G. EVANS, FAMILY GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE

On Market street, between 3d and 4th, LEWISBURG. CALL AND SATISFY YOURSELVES.

OUR STOCK is large and well selected—embracing everything usually kept in a first-class GROCERY STORE—including an assortment of choice...

QUEENS-WARE, HARD-WARE, CEDAR AND WILLOW-WARE. I take this opportunity to return my thanks to the public for a liberal patronage...

NEW FURNITURE ESTABLISHMENT. The subscribers have opened a Furniture Establishment, on Market St. Lewisburg...

SPECIAL NOTICE. THE Books of EVANS & COOPER are in my hands for collection. All persons desiring to settle their accounts, will find the Books at my Office.

Latest Fashions. 1863-4. Just received—the latest styles of Fashions for the Fall of 1863, and Winter of 1864.

Daily Morning News. SAM'L SLIPER has commenced furnishing the Harrisburg Telegraph...

WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c. The undersigned, having removed to Crisswell's New Building, Market St., between Front and Second, is prepared to Repair Watches, Jewelry, Musical Instruments, &c.,

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UNION BOOT AND SHOE

STILL AHEAD!—Come one! come all! Examine for yourselves the largest and cheapest stock of FRAMED MADE BOOTS and SHOES in Union County!

DRUG STORE. If you want pure Drugs, go to SCHAFFLE'S Drug & Chemical Emporium, where is kept a large and general assortment of all first-class Drugs.

FAMILY DRUG STORE OF C. W. SCHAFFLE, Lewisburg, Pa.

DAVID GINTER & SON. HAVING removed their Chair and Cabinet Ware-rooms to the larger and more commodious rooms, late the residence of Wm. Frick, on the corner of Third and Market Sts., Lewisburg...

MEAT—AND UNION! JACOB G. BROWN, having assailed the public in feeding the hungry of Lewisburg and vicinity, for nearly three years past, with the best of Beef, Pork, Veal, &c., would return his grateful thanks to his numerous customers for their patronage...

Manufacturing on 1st Street. Where Cabinet and House Turning, Scroll and Rip Sawing done on short notice and to order. A good assortment of LEMBEE always on hand for Newel Posts, Banisters and Hand Railings.

Boots and Shoes. The subscriber has just received at his Store (next door to the Post Office) a full supply of Boots & Shoes of every style and variety for the season. The stock has been selected with particular care, and will be afforded at VERY REDUCED PRICES FOR READY CASH.

J. M. MOWERY. Fashionable Boot and Shoe Maker. South Fifth St., Lewisburg. KEEPS constantly on hand, and manufactures to order, all descriptions of BOOTS AND SHOES.

WINFIELD FACTORY. THE subscriber, thankful for past patronage, would inform his friends and the public in general, that he continues to manufacture all kinds of Woolen Goods, such as Cloths, Cassimeres, Tweeds, Sattins, Jeans, Blankets and Flannels, also Carpet and Stocking Yarns.

RIVIERE HOUSE. The undersigned returns his sincere thanks for the patronage extended towards him by the citizens of this and the adjoining counties, he would most respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

CARPETS—a large and choice variety, from 31 cuts, upwards, for sale by April 10, '63. BROWN & BRO.

For Sale: FRICK, BILLMEYER & CO. Are manufacturing and have constantly on hand a large quantity of 4 feet Palms and 3 and 4 feet Lath at the following prices: Palings held in a new style, from \$8 to \$10 per M.

NOTICE—Gentlemen! CITIZENS of Lewisburg and vicinity are respectfully informed that the subscriber has bought out the interest of E. L. HINES in the business of Shaving and Hair Cutting, and continues the same of the old stand—Barber of widow Ammon's block, between Fourth and J. Houghton's store, by strict attention to business he hopes to give satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage.

FIRE INSURANCE. INSURANCE COMPANY OF NOTRH AMERICA—Philadelphia. Capital \$500,000.00 Assets Jan. 1861, 1,254,719.81 CHARLES F. COFFIN, President.

JOHN B. LINN, ATTORNEY AT LAW, LEWISBURG, PENNA. Also Commissioner of Deeds for the State of PENNSYLVANIA.

\$5,000 wanted! ANY person having from one to five hundred Dollars, can have the same safely invested in Judgments upon valuable real estate in this county, upon application to J. F. & JOHN B. LINN, Lewisburg, July 18, 1863.

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ORWIG & HAYES, Attorneys at Law. OFFICE on South Second near Market. [April 1, '61] Lewisburg, Pa.

Central Family and Machine Shop. Miller, Walk, Shiner & Co. Manufacturers of Bullock's Iron Mower and Reaper, Darling's Endless Chain Horse Power, Willson's Telegraph Fodder Cutter, Riches' Iron Plows, Withrow's Self-Sharpening Plow, and Michigan Double Plow. Also, Saws and Castings of every description.

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