Franklin Repository.

LOCAL ITEMS.

GOSSIP WITH OUR FRIENDS.—A serious obstacle in the path of a public gossip is the competition he meets with socially. It is true that "competition is the life of trade," yet too much rivalry has a tendency to tire, not the contestants, but the bystanders. The ladies, God bless them! with the long suffering for which they are proverbial will bear a deal of gossip; but the men, being made of sterner stuff, soon weary of the monotony, unless the tittle-tattle be unusually personal. For instance, articles commencing with, "The filthy trash with which our vulgar minded opponent has so plentifully bespattered his readers," etc., etc.; or, "Our miserable contemporary last week attempted in his wonted foul-mouthed style of slang and renown to overwhelm us, US! with an avalanche of vile copper-woolyheadisms, but we warn the groveling miscreant that," etc., etc.

We were cheered one day last week by a friendly visit from Mrs. Grundy's sister, who, after entertaining us for a half hour with some tid-bits of a private nature, graciously handed us the following for publication, suggesting its usefulness to some of our mutual friends less imaginative than herself, and recommending its being committed to memory. She called it:

THE PERIPATETIC'S VADE MECUM.

A is for Alice who must have the last word,
B is for Betsey who is always absurd;
C is for Charlotte superciliously proud,
D is for Dolly so uncommonly loud;
E is for Eliza who was always a slattern,
F is for Fanny, by no means a pattern:
G is for Georgie who loves to be flattered,
H is for Hannah so jaded and battered;
I is for Isabel, fat and so coarse,
J is for Julia—consider her source;
K is for Kitty who laces so tight,
L is for Lizzie not too good to bite:
M is for Mary who wears such large hoops,
N is for Nancy so tall that she stoops:
O is for Olivia, with a hole in her stocking,
P is for Prissy whose conduct is shocking:
Q is for anyone that I don't know.
R is for Rachel who is wanting a beau:
S is for Sally as cross as a cat,
T is for Tillie as blind as a bat;
U is for Undine who ne'er touches water,
V is for Venus no better than she ought to;
W is for Willie so foolish and silly,
X is for Xantippe who always beats Billy:
Y is for *You*, the next visit I make,
Z is for Zany, do you the compliment take?

Court week reminds us of the time we were sued in F———, since when we have abjured the law, in fact considered it a sort of humbug. Some sixteen years ago, when we were mercantiling, we sold a—well, we'll call it a book, to a young man, who after some months wished to return it. His manner was not altogether agreeable, and we *wouldn't* take the book back. Soon after we received a summons to appear before a certain 'Squire in F———. The day arrived, bright and sunshiny, and we started with a light heart, a horse, a buggy, a driver, a lawyer and an armful of law books. Upon our arrival at F——— we found to our surprise that the suit was brought by the *father* of the youth. We proved by the young man himself that the sale was all right, and that the book was worth the money. After some hesitation the 'Squire decided that as the purchaser was not quite twenty-one years of age, the sale was therefore *null* and *void*, (under the law that if you sell to minors without their parents consent and approval, you cannot make the parents liable for the debt) that we should pay the costs of suit, and refund the price of the book in question, the buyer retaining the same. We couldn't see the point, and feeling aggrieved, complained to a friend who happened to live hard by, and were consoled with the following: "You may thank your stars that you lost the suit, for if the *old man* had lost it, he would have licked you and your lawyer, and the 'Squire, *which the 'Squire well knew*." We bowed our head in submission, and felt that "man proposes, but the 'Squire disposes." Our expenses were $19,87½. We valued our experience at $29,87½, leaving a net profit of $10,00.

A religious enthusiast joyously informs us that after the war church membership will be largely increased, because there will be so many lame men (laymen).

We thank those who speak well of our "Gossip," and feel kindly toward those who speak ill of us. We are aware that too much pudding will choke a dog, but we hope that an intelligent community will perceive that the choking is the fault of the dog, not of the pudding.

A startling instance of the despotism of the bloody tyrant, Lincoln, was manifested last week by the seizure of innocent citizens, who were arrested and confined for several days under the charge of two Constables, not even being allowed to have communication with their friends. Too add insult to injury, they were exposed to the public gaze in a jury box, and were compelled to listen to speeches by the hour. Where is the American Eagle that once presided over the palladium of our liberties?

THE PENN MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA.—It is surely unnecessary in this day to mention any one of the many advantages of Life Insurance, but it is by no means out of place to state the advantages of insuring in the "Penn Mutual." It is a *permanent* institution, subject to the laws of *this State*. Its premiums are as low as is consistent with security. It possesses the highest reputation for stability and honorable dealing, and its officers and trustees are well and favorably known. It offers superior advantages for a safe and judicious investment. It is the only purely Mutual Life Insurance Company in the State. Every member of this Company has a vote in the election of the trustees, who have the management of the funds. It is well known that the Penn Mutual has paid heavy losses *promptly* in this town. Mr. Samuel S. Shryock, of this place, is agent for the Company, and can furnish pamphlets, and give all desirable information on the subject.

ROBBERY.—The clothing store of Mr. John Sheets, on Main Street above Queen, was entered on Saturday night last, and robbed of about $200 worth of clothing. No clue has been discovered to lead to the detection of the thief. Some tools were left in the store which had been taken from Croft's smith-shop the same evening. The same night an attempt was made to rob Hutz's Store. The cellar door was forced with the intention of entering the store through the trap-door; but the clerk who sleeps in the store was awakened by the barking of a dog, and the robbery was frustrated. It was doubtless the same party that robbed Mr. Sheets.

SAD ACCIDENT.—A heart rending accident which resulted in the death of Martha E Sellers, daughter of Mr. Samuel Sellers, a farmer residing in Penn township, Cumberland county, occurred on last Thursday week. The little girl, in company with several other children, had been spending the day at a neighbor's house, on their return in the afternoon, the children stopped at a hay stack to play. Martha was jostled off the top of this stack by one of her companions. Her spine was injured by the fall so severely that she died on the following Monday.

SUDDEN DEATH.—We are pained to announce the sudden death of Mr. John Golden, says the Shippensburg *News*, late of Southampton township, Cumberland county. After partaking of a hearty dinner on Friday, the 9th inst, and being at that time in the enjoyment of his usual good health, Mr. Golden repaired to the woods to complete some chopping he had commenced in the morning. A short time afterwards his lifeless body was found by some of his neighbors. Mr. Golden was an old resident of Southampton township, an honest man, and a good citizen.

CORRECTION.—In our classification of Judges chosen in the different districts of this county at the late election, we classed Sulpher Spring as Democratic. A correspondent writes to correct us. N. K. Harvey, Esq., a decided Union man, was chosen Judge of election in that district by two majority. We need hardly assure our kind correspondent that we make the correction with pleasure. Well done for little Sulpher Spring!

WE invite attention to the advertisement of Mr. Ryder in to-day's paper. He is an experienced dealer in and cultivator of Fruits, &c., and implicit reliance may be placed in the quality of his trees, vines, &c. Orders may be sent him with entire confidence that they will be faithfully and honestly filled.

PAYMENT OF MILITIA.—Pay Master Brice gives notice that the Militia called out by the Governor in 1862, will be paid promptly. Maj. M'Phail, at Harrisburg, will pay the men organized in the counties of Adams, Franklin, Fulton and the other counties South of the Susquehanna.

SALE OF GOVERNMENT HORSES.—Capt. Alfred Denny, Assistant Quartermaster at this post, sold at Public Sale on Friday last, eighty-one Condemned Government Horses. The average price brought was $31 or scarcely one-third *the original cost to the government.*

SALARY INCREASED.—The Presbyterian congregation of this place held a meeting on Monday last, and raised the salary of Rev. S. J. Niccolls, their pastor, to $1,500 per anum.

TAXPAYERS will notice the advertisement of Treasurer Elder in to-day's paper. He will soon start out to receive the State and County Taxes and licenses for the present year.

ELECTION.—An election for one President, one Treasurer and six Managers of the Waynesboro' State Line Turnpike Company will be held in Waynesboro' on the 2d of May.

AN UNWELCOME STRANGER.—Mr. Itch commonly known as *the* Itch, has made its appearance in town and in various places throughout the county. It may be a source of relief to persons so afflicted to know that they can get a *sure cure* for this troublesome disease at Miller's Drug Store Let all so afflicted send immediately to their Drug Store and get a box of Terrel's Itch Ointment. Price 25 cents. It is a speedy cure.

GELWICKS, of the cheap wholesale and retail Grocery, Provision and Variety Store, has just received a fresh supply of goods. He does not confine himself exclusively to the Grocery business alone, but deals in almost every description of goods. You can buy almost any article you wish at his extensive establishment.

WHEN you have been every place and cannot find what you want, go to Gelwicks, he keeps everything and intends to make his business pay, not by large profits, but by selling the largest amount of goods.

SPECIAL attention is invited to the Card of Jacob Harley, 622 Market street, Philada.—in this issue. His stock of Watches, Jewelry, etc., is large, and those who call at his store cannot fail to be suited.

IF YOU wish to impart vigor and clearness to the voice, relieve hoarseness &c., go at once to A. J. Miller's Drug Store and get a box of Bannvart's *Troches*, the only effectual remedy in the market. mar 2

THE REBEL DEAD AT GETTYSBURG.—From evidence developed to the workmen and others engaged in removing the dead bodies on the battle field, they are now fully convinced that not less than seven thousand rebels lost their lives in this conflict, the bodies of whom are still there. In one space of three acres was found three hundred and twenty-five Confederates slain; and elsewhere in a single trench, two hundred and fifty more. A considerable portion of the battle ground is likely to be plowed up this spring and summer, by farmers owning it, preparatory to planting corn and other grain. As a matter of course, the Confederate graves must be obliterated, and the trenches which now indicate their places. There is a strong desire with the people in respect to humanity, to have these bodies, though of the enemy, respectably and decently put away, in some inclosure where they may not be disturbed. Our common humanity should impel us to such a step.—*Gettysburg Star.*

TO-DAY the Democratic representatives in Congress, almost in a body, stand recorded in favor of sustaining the author of openly treasonable sentiments. There is almost an equal unanimity of the Democratic press. Take, for example, the following from the *Crisis*, Medary's paper, published at Columbus, Ohio, and widely circulated and believed throughout the West:

"There can be no doubt about the fact *that any attempt to transfer the Democratic party on to a war platform will be resisted* with more determination than some men, who would sell the country for an office, suppose. They want neither Lincoln nor any of his major generals. The strength, and the only strength, of the Democratic party, from the first to the last, has been *opposition to this war*, unholy, barbarous and ruinous."

CAPTURE OF FORT PILLOW BY THE REBELS.

Horrible Butchery of Our Troops.

CAIRO, ILL., April 14.—On Tuesday morning Forrest, with some 6,000 men, attacked Fort Pillow. Soon after the attack Forrest sent a flag of truce demanding the surrender of the fort and garrison, in the meanwhile disposing his force so as to gain an advantage.

Maj. Booth, of the 3d Tennessee United States Heavy Artillery, formerly the 1st Alabama Cavalry (colored), refused to receive the flag of truce and fighting was resumed.

Afterwards a second flag came in, which was also refused. Both flags gave the rebels the advantage of gaining new positions.

The battle was kept up till 3 o'clock P. M., when Maj. Booth was killed and Maj. Bradford took command. The rebels had come in swarms over our troops, compelling them to surrender

Immediately upon the surrender, there ensued a scene which utterly baffles description. Up to that time comparatively few of our men were killed, but, insatiate as fiends and bloodthirsty as devils incarnate, the Confederates commenced an indiscriminate butchery of the whites and blacks including those of both colors who had been previously wounded.

The dead and wounded negroes were piled in heaps and burned, and several citizens who joined our forces for protection, were killed or wounded.

The black soldiers, becoming demoralized, rushed to the rear, their white officers having thrown down their arms. Both white and black were bayonetted, shot or sabred, and even dead bodies were horribly mutilated. Children of seven or eight years of age, and several negro women were killed in cold blood. Soldiers unable to speak, from their wounds, were shot dead and their bodies rolled down the banks into the river.

Out of a garrison of 600 men only 200 remained alive.

Among our dead officers are Capt. Bradford, Lieuts. Barr, Ackerstrom, Wilson, Revel and Maj. Booth, all of the 13th Tennessee Cavalry; Capt. Posten, Lieut. Lyon, of the 13th Tennessee, and Capt. Young, of the 24th Missouri, Acting Provost Marshal, were taken prisoners. Maj. Bradford was also taken, but is said to have escaped. It is feared, however, that he has been killed.

The steamer Platte Valley came up about 3½ o'clock. She was hailed by the rebels under a flag of truce and her men sent ashore to bury the dead and take aboard such of the wounded as the rebels had allowed to live. Fifty-seven were taken aboard, including seven or eight colored men. Eight of them died on the way up. The steamer arrived here this evening and was immediately sent to the Mound City hospital to discharge her suffering passengers.—Among the wounded of the colored troops are Capt. Porter, Lieut. Libberts and Adjutant Leming.

Six guns were captured by the rebels and carried off, including two 10-pound parrotts and two 12-pound howitzers. A large amount of stores were destroyed and carried away. The intention of the rebels seemed to be to evacuate the place and move on towards Memphis.

DIED.

GEYER.—On the 31st ult., in Mercersburg, Mrs. Mary Geyer, in the 78th year of her age.

McCUNE.—On the 1st inst., in Mercersburg, Jas. W., son of George and ——— McCune, aged 1 year, 6 months and 26 days.

SHOOK.—On the 10th inst., in Mercersburg, Geo. W. Shook, son of Harry and Marguret Shorts, aged 1 year, 8 months and 7 days.

SPRINGER.—On the 13th inst., in Mercersburg, Mrs. B. Springer, in her 79th year.

KERSHNER.—On the 28th ult. in Benson county Ill., Mrs. Catharine Kershner, widow of Joseph Kershner, dec'd, late of Franklin county, Pa., aged 73 years and 6 months.

SHINGLE.—On the 14th inst., near Greencastle, Rebecca, daughter of Mr. Jacob Shingle, aged 11 months and 8 days.

KISSECKER.—On the 14th inst., near Greencastle, Eliza Brumbaugh, daughter of Mr. Jno. Kissecker, aged 6 years, 1 month and 18 days.

MORTON'S GOLD PENS are now sold at the same prices as before the commencement of the war. This is entirely owing to the manufacturer's improvements in machinery, his present large Retail business and Cash-in-Advance system; for, until he commenced advertising, his business was done on Credit, and *strictly with the trade.*

The Morton Gold Pens are the only ones sold at old prices, as the makers of all other Gold Pens charge the Premium on Gold, Government Tax, &c. but Morton has in no case changed his prices, whole sale or retail.

Of the great numbers sent by mail to all parts of the world during the past few years, not one in a thousand has failed to reach its destination in safety, showing that the Morton Gold Pen can be obtained by any one, in every part of the world, at the same price, postage only excepted.

Reader, you can have an enduring, always ready, and reliable Gold Pen, exactly adapted to your hand and style of writing, which will do your writing vastly cheaper than Steel Pens; and at the present almost universal High-Pressure Price of every thing, you can have a Morton Gold Pen cheaper in proportion to the labor spent upon it and material used, than any other Gold Pen in the world. If you want one, call on A. MORTON, No. 25 Maiden Lane, New-York, or inclose a stamp for circular. dec2-6m.

HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS is one of the greatest strengthening preparations extant. It is especially adapted to those who are afflicted with the Fever and Ague, or any other disease arising from a disordered condition of the digestive organs. For the Fever and Ague there is perhaps no medicine in the world equal to it, as it enters, purifies and replenishes the blood, which is so important to bring about a healthy action in diseases of this nature. The Bitters are now among the most popular, and at the same time, valuable specifics in the medical world. In recommending it to the public, we are fully conscious of doing them a great service, knowing, as we do, their many excellent qualities, and sure and speedy action in all cases where the disease is caused by irregularity of the digestive organs. A trial will suffice for the most skeptical. See advertisement. For sale by Druggists and dealers generally, everywhere. [mar30-1m

R. R. R.—A CURE FOR COLDS.—If seized with severe Cold, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, bad Cough, Headache, pain in the back or shoulders, take on going to bed, two teaspoonsful of Radway's Ready Relief, in half a tumbler'ful of hot water sweetened with sugar or molasses. In the morning you will rise cured of your cold. Let those who have caught cold, either slight or severe, try this prescription; it will break up your cold, if you neglect your cold it may grow seriously, and end in consumption. If suffering from Rheumatism, Lumbago, Gout, Neuralgia, Cramps, Strains, Bruises, Wounds, &c, Radway's Relief will afford immediate ease. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by Druggists. Every Agent has recently been furnished with fresh Ready Relief.

THE CONFESSIONS AND EXPERIENCE OF AN INVALID.—Published for the benefit, and as a warning and

A CAUTION TO YOUNG MEN

who suffer from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay of Manhood, &c., supplying at the same time

THE MEANS OF SELF CURE,

by one who has cured himself after being put to a great expense and injury through medical humbug and quackery.

By enclosing a post-paid addressed envelope, single copies may be had of the author.

NATHANIEL MAYFAIR, Esq.,
may20,63-1y. Bedford, Kings Co., N. Y.

SURE CURE.—Every day we hear of the success of the "Sure Cure" in curing the Rotten Hoof and bad Scratches in Horses. Get a bottle and try it. Sold only by Heyser & Cressler.

LATEST NEWS!

From North Carolina.

NEWBERN, N. C., April 14.

According to the Raleigh *Progress*, the people of Western North Carolina recently hung several Confederate officers and soldiers for attempting to enforce the conscription.

The Raleigh *Confederate* says: "The election in North Carolina depends upon the success of our (rebel) armies. If they are successful, Holden will be defeated; if they meet with a repulse, his election for Governor by a large majority is certain."

There are frequent arrivals of steamers at Wilmington with valuable cargoes for the Confederate authorities.

The railroads of North Carolina are busy transporting rebel troops and supplies.

Recruiting for colored troops is going on briskly in Newbern.

Legislative—The Tax Bill.

HARRISBURG, April 16.

The House met at 3 P. M., and spent the whole of the afternoon and evening sessions in the consideration of the bill proposing to increase the revenues of the State by additional taxation on railroads, banks, brokers, etc.

The bill, as passed finally, provides for a tax of two per cent, on the gross receipts of rail road companies, when exceeding sixty thousand dollars, and a tax of one per cent. when less than sixty thousand. Adjourned.

SWALLOW two or three hogsheads of "Buchu," "Tonic Bitters," "Sarsaparilla," "Nervous antidote," &c., and after you are satisfied with the result, then try one box of OLD DOCTOR BUCHAN'S ENGLISH SPECIFIC PILLS—and be restored to health and *vigor in less than thirty days. They are purely* vegetable, pleasant to take, prompt and salutary in their effects on the broken-down and shattered constitution. Old and young can take them with advantage. Imported and sold in the United States only by JAS. S. BUTLER,
Station D, Bible House, New York, General Agent
P. S.—A box sent to any address on receipt of price, which is *One Dollar—post free.* mar23-1m

DO YOU WISH TO BE CURED?—*Dr. Buchan's English Specific Pills* cure, in less than thirty days the worst cases of NERVOUSNESS, Impotency, Premature Decay, Seminal Weakness, Insanity and all Urinary, Sexual and Nervous Affections, no matter from what cause produced. Price, One Dollar per box. Sent, post-paid, by mail, on receipt of an order. Address JAMES S. BUTLER,
mar23-1m] Station D, Bible House, New York.

THROAT DISEASES.—"We would call attention to 'Brown's Bronchial Troches.' We have found them efficacious in allaying Irritation in the Throat and Bronchia, and would commend them to the attention of Public Speakers, and others troubled with affections of the Throat. They are also an excellent remedy for Hoarseness resulting from cold."—*Congregationalist, Boston.*

$25. EMPLOYMENT!—AGENTS WANTED!!—We will pay from $25 to $75 per month, and all expenses, to active Agents, or give a commission. Particulars sent free. Address ERIE SEWING MACHINE COMPANY, R. JAMES, General Agent, Milan, Ohio $75.
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REPORT OF THE MARKETS

Chambersburg Markets.

CHAMBERSBURG, April 19, 1864.

Flour—White	$7 00	Butter	30
Flour—Red	6 50	Eggs	15
Wheat—White	1 50	Lard	12
Wheat—Red	1 40	Tallow	9
Rye	1 25	Bacon—Hams	15
Corn	1 00	Bacon—Sides	11
Oats	75	Soup Beans	2 00
Clover Seed	6 00	Washed Wool	60
Timothy Seed	3 00	Unwashed Wool	40
Flax Seed	2 50	Pared Peaches	5 00
Potatoes—Mercer	50	Unpared Peaches	3 00
Potatoes—Pink Eyes	45	Dried Apples	2 00

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

Philadelphia Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, April 19, 1864.

Flour dull and has declined 25cts. per bbl. Sales of 2000 bbls extra family at $7 75@8 25, and fancy at $8 50@9. In Rye Flour and Corn Meal no change. Wheat is also lower. Sales of red at $1 80 and white at $2 per bushel. Rye is taken on arrival at $1 40. Corn has declined 2cts, and 6000 bushels of yellow sold at $1 30@1 31 and white at $1 90@2. Oats are steady at 88@90c. 400 bushels Clover Seed sold at $7 25@7 50 and Flax Seed at $3 35@3 37½. Whisky unsettled; small sales of bbls. at $1 22.

New Advertisements.

FARMERS TAKE NOTICE.—A good article of CORD VELVET at WHITE'S

GOODS OF EVERY STYLE AND variety, sold by the yard at WHITE'S New Store

BLANK DEEDS.—An assortment of BLANK DEEDS just printed on fine *Parchment Paper*, and for sale at the REPOSITORY Office

FARM BELLS.—A large lot of Lebanon Bells. No. 1 $8.00, No. 2 $6.00, No. 3 $5.00. The best Bells made. All Bells warranted one year.
ap20-4t BRAND & FLACK.

TAVERN STAND AT PRIVATE SALE.—I will sell or exchange the INDIAN QUEEN HOTEL for property in Chambersburg or vicinity. [ap20-tf] JOHN W. TAYLOR.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned, Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Franklin county, Pa., to make distribution of the balance in the hands of A. H. Etter, Administrator of the Estate of W. B. Kyner, late of Greene township, dec'd, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will attend at his office, in West Market Street, in Chambersburg, on Saturday, the 14th of May next, at one o'clock, P. M., for the purposes of his appointment. [apr 20-4t] T. M. CARLISLE.

PUBLIC SALE.—*On Saturday the 14th day of May*, 1864.—The Subscriber, as Administrator on the Estate of Francis Robison, late of Montgomery township, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, a TRACT OF LAND, situated about nine miles North of Hagerstown, two miles from the Welsh Run Store, and three miles South of Upton, adjoining lands of Robert Lindsay on the East, Jacob Barncord on the North, Michael Grossman on the West, and A. B. Winged on the South, containing 230 ACRES OF SLATE LAND. About 40 Acres of this Tract is in timber. The improvements consist of a One-and-a-half story LOG HOUSE, and and all other necessary out-buildings. There is also on this Tract a Well of never-failing water, and an Orchard of choice Fruit Trees.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, on said day, when the terms will be made known by
april 20-4t LEWIS P. SKEGGS, Adm'r.

LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the Post Office at Chambersburg April 19, 1864.

Alexander John	Embick Wash. J	Moravey John	
Ashwell Mis Ann	Etter Mis Sarah 2	Morgan Harry S	
Arnold Mis Nanby B 2	Frey Miss Clara	Moore Mis Sarah	
Bittner Miss ME	Fraker Philip	McKee James S	
Bittner Lewis	Fleagle Mis Nan.	Miller Mis Eliza	
Black Robert	Frank Mis Eliz.	Norton Wm. J	
Brown Franklin	Fickes David D	Oyler Mrs Sarah	
Blank George W	Fix Miss Elis.	Pugh Mis Marg. J	
Bra Rafe	Greenfield David	Philips Mrs Sus B	
Breetbill C G	Grove Abraham	Reifinger Daniel	
Bartney Miss M	Green or Griest W S	Rebert James A	
Bitner Miss Mary	Hudson Mis Mat.	Richardson Wm	
Buns Mis Emma	Halman George	Riley Mrs Wm.	
Brand J D	Hurner Samuel	Ross D S Esq 2	
Baughman Miss Eliza	Hummel George	Swarts Eliz. 2	
Barbner Mrs Eliz	Hercroads John	Schonely Mary A	
Burkholder Hen.	Hollar George 2	Sulenburger Isra	
Bush Nicholas	Hoffman Mis Til.	Solunburger Capt John	
Bender Joshua	Hilton Caroline	Smith Kate	
Bender John	Horning S	Shatzer Sus. R	
Benner Daniel B	Henderson Eliz A	Smith Benson	
Burkholder Hi.	Hoffman Chas A	Suttrell Arch.	
Chaeese John	Hurley Mrs Sar.	Shearer Henry C	
Cook Mis K R 3	Izer Mrs Mary	Smith Henry S	
Cook Miss Ann	Izer George	Sanford Julia A	
Cafe Mariah	Kinstry Harvy	Shelly George	
Carter Mrs Sue V	Kluk Andreas	Thompson Jno. C	
Crieder Mrs Char.	Keefer J J	Thomas Mis Eliz.	
Diefenbaugh Mis Isabella	Klump George	Vanclave B F	
Dick Peter	Long Miss Mary	Whitmore David	
Daly William	Lutz Samuel	Whitney Giles	
Ebright Geo W	Mongomery Dav	Winston Cath.	
	Miller Jere. 2	Woodroff C L	
	Mentzer Jos. O		

Persons calling for the above Letters will please say that they have been advertised.
J. W. DEAL, P. M.

New Advertisements.

INFORMATION WANTED.—Any information of ANDREW or HENRY ZINK, Refugees from Virginia, addressed to W. W. PORTER, Chambersburg, Pa., will be thankfully received. ap20-1t

UNIVERSAL CLOTHES WRINGER. BRAND & FLACK, Agents at Chambersburg. An article every family should have. Get the best, the Universal Wringer. Come get one on trial. Warranted to do the work. ap20-4t

ELECTION NOTICE.—An Election for Officers and Managers of the Franklin Railroad Company will be held at the Company's Office, in Harrisburg, *on Wednesday, the 4th day of May next*, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M.
ap20-2t E. M. BIDDLE, Sec'y.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Isaac Bemisderfer, late of Antrim township, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in Greencastle.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment; and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement.
ap20 JOHN ROWE, Adm'r.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—PROF. BOLLES having closed his third Winter Course of Lectures to a large class of Medical men and others, whose complimentary resolutions show the entire satisfaction they entertain *in the perfection of his new system*, in the treatment of *Acute and Chronic Diseases*, by the use of Galvanism and other modifications of Electricity, will commence another *Course Lectures*, at the Institute, 1220 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, *on Tuesday Evening, May 17th*, 1864.

Persons wishing to attend the Course are requested to make application early. ap20-3t

EVERGREENS, TREES, VINES AND PLANTS.—The subscriber has had such a heavy demand for Evergreens that he will make a large order from the Eastern Nurseries in May next, the best period for removing them. He is personally acquainted with the managers of Eastern Nurseries, and will be prepared to supply EVERGREENS of *the very best quality at the lowest rates.*

☞ Orders for TREES and PLANTS should be sent before the 1st of May, so that they may be transplanted at the proper time. He has an excellent assortment of the very best varieties. Orders may be left with J. N. Snider, J. S. Nixon, R. P. Hazelet or D. S. Fahnestock & Son, in Chambersburg.
B. L. RYDER,
ap20-3t Loudon, Franklin co., Pa.

TO FARMERS.

THE VALKER HORSE RAKE

is acknowledged to be the

Neatest, Simplest, Cheapest and most efficient Rake now in use.

Any boy of ten years can work it with ease; will not get out of order, and gives universal satisfaction. Warranted in every particular, and can be had from $6 to $8 lower than any other Spring Tooth Wheel Rake. For further particulars apply to the manufacturer. D. D. ESHELMAN,
ap20-3m] Shirleysburg, Huntingdon co., Pa.

NEW FANCY DRY-GOODS AND NOTION STORE,

MANSION HOUSE, Chambersburg, Pa.

MELCALFE has just received, and opened in the "Mansion House" Building, opposite the Bank, a new and beautiful stock of

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Persons wishing to examine either of the above Tracts previous to the day of sale, will please call on the subscriber, residing in Strasburg.

☞ Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., when the terms will be made known by
WM. W. BRITTON,
Adm'r with the Will annexed of Elis. Beelman, dec'd, and Att'y for the Heirs. [ap20-3t

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HEAD-QUARTERS, DEPARTMENT OF THE SUSQUEHANNA, CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., April 13, 1864.

GENERAL ORDERS, No. 27.

The following extract from the orders of the War Department is published—

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Adj't Gen.'s Office*, April 5th, 1864.

GENERAL ORDERS, No. 152.

The Department of the Monongahela will be annexed to the Department of the Susquehanna, *and discontinued as a separate Department.*

By order of the Secretary of War,
E. D. TOWNSEND, Ass't Adj't Gen.

Official:
(Signed) E. D. TOWNSEND, Ass't Adj. Gen.

In accordance with the above Order, the undersigned assumes command of that portion of this Department which has been annexed.

All orders and instructions from Head Quarters Department of the Monongahela will remain in force unless otherwise directed. The current orders of these Head Quarters will govern where there is a conflict of authority.

Officers whom this Order affects, namely, Staff Officers, Commanding Officers of bodies, and detachments, of troops, including those of the Departmental Corps will report their station and duties without delay to these Head Quarters.

The following are the Staff Officers of this Department, together with their stations:

Maj. JNO. S. SCHULTZ, A. A. Gen., Chambersb'g, Pa.
" JNO. B. BURT, A. D. C. & Ins. Gen., " "
Capt. JAS. G. JOHNSON, Chief Qr. Master, " "
Maj. C. H. MENEELY, A. D. C. & Com. Mus. " "
Capt. H. F. BEARDSLEY, A. A. A. Gen., " "
Lt. Col. JNO. L. LECONTE, Med. Inspec., Philada., Pa.
Surg. JNO. CAMPBELL, Med. Direc., " "
Capt. BROWNELL GRANGER, Chief Com. of Subsistence, Harrisburg, Pa.
Lieut. C. W. TAYLOR, Ordnance Officer, " "
ap20-1t] D. N. COUCH, Maj. Gen. U. S. Vols

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.—The members of the Farmers and Mechanics Industrial Association of Franklin County will meet at the Secretary's Office, in Chambersburg, on *Tuesday, May 10th*, at 1 o'clock P. M., to Elect Officers and Managers of said Association for the ensuing year, and also to consider the propriety of holding a Fair.
ap20 W. S. EVERETT, Sec'y.

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JOHN W. CLAGHORN, Treasurer.

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