Franklin Repository.

LOCAL ITEMS.

GOSSIP WITH OUR FRIENDS.—How quiet and how beautiful the country looks to one who has been pent for a time in a large city.—There is no spring in the city. It is true that a few trees, shrubs, flowers and blades of grass give some little token of it; but the heated pavements, dusty streets, close atmosphere and horrible smells are a surer index. Broadway will do in winter, with the gay dresses of the ladies, the gaudily painted omnibusses and the flaming shop windows; but in the spring give us "rocks, waters, woods," fields of grain and clover, fruit trees in blossom, flower gardens in full bloom, and road side grass.

By the bye, what has become of the fulfilment of the prophecy about the grass growing in Broadway when the South would secede. Our Southern brethern have seceded, and the grass grows not yet in Broadway. Alas for the prophets, in their own country!

The ten cent omnibus fare was, as we expected, a failure. The great unwashed as well as the washed refused to pay the villainous price; and the unwonted sight of empty stages was seen on Broadway. A great moral victory was won by the sovereign people, and six cents is once more the charge per half hour for the privilege of being squeezed, trampled on, and smothered in concert with from twelve to eighteen of their misguided fellow beings. One meets with strange adventures sometimes in these vans. Losing one's pocket-book, for instance, is quite exciting; so is the occasional striking of hobs and falling of horses. A small man is excusable for a feeling of desperation when engulphed in the crinoline of a lady on each side. To have a fat lady on the one hand and an angular one on the other is still more distressing, the meeting of the two extremes through his body is, to say the least, unpleasant, worse than to have a barbed arrow piercing the left and a mustard plaster on the right shoulder, the faint, roast beef, greasy, sweaty feel balanced by the vulture-beak sensation. But when a fellow gets sandwiched between two plump, pretty lassies, the one with blue eyes and golden hair, the other with brown eyes and chestnut locks, then, then comes the tug of war. Every jolt of the stage sways him to and fro like a spoon between two pyramids of blanc mange.—If you happen to be old or irascible or corned, take care of your toes; if amiable, don't let an old lady of two hundred (pounds of course) sit on your lap. If your clothes are new, don't take on your knee a juvenile with a fresh ginger cake in his hand; if your habilaments are shabby, don't mind an occasional look of scorn from those who are well dressed; if you want fun, watch a lady getting into the door, particularly if she has three or four bundles and an umbrella in her arms; and if you wish your hair to stand on end, see an Englishman try, on pretext of stopping the stage, to pull the driver's leg and body through the little round six inch hole in front. At times the drivers will swear, give the wrong change, or forget it altogether. Should you drop your change, you must never attempt to hunt for it, for it is very trying to stoop down and hunt through some thirty gaiters and boots for a few five and ten cent notes. Bear your loss like a man, and be more careful next time. Never argue with a John, particularly if he's from a well known island west of Great Britain. Pray without ceasing, keep your temper, wear strong, simple, neat, plain attire, pay the exact fare, look at and talk to nobody, keep your left hand on your pocket book, pay no attention to insults or blandishments, be sure you know where you intend to alight, don't go to sleep, be pleased or frightened at nothing, attempt not to stop a passing stage with your elbow or head, never make your exit *face foremost* or before you have come to a halt, avoid the mud, look well to it that the stages in your rear don't pass over your prostrate body, race for the side walk incontinently—treasure up all these precautions in your heart, and in due course of time, after loss of time and treasure, and a leg, perhaps, you will be able to travel on Broadway with ease to yourself and comfort to others. Little thought we to spend so much time on this subject, but the truth is, we have been passing such an amount of time lately in omnibuses, that we have been run away with—the theme opens up such a field for thought, for reflection, for philosophizing. We often think of what a pious old friend of ours once said as he picked himself up out of an upturned stage—"I'd rather take Pharoah's chance in the Red Sea, any time, than ride the length of Broadway in an omnibus." Not too strong a remark, but slightly exaggerated.

We wish we could say something about the Fair, our Fair, the Fair to be held in Chambersburg the 13th of June next, for the benefit of the Christian Commission, that would give new energy to the energetic and stir up the lukewarm. Doubtless many may think our Fair small in comparison with those held at Chicago, Brooklyn, New York, etc.; but the fact is, it will not be small for Chambersburg. There is an influence and a heartiness at work that will cause our Fair to compare favorably, for our means, with those of much greater pretensions. We know full well what our town has already done for the good cause, that our houses have ever been open to the Union soldier, that we have already given more than our share, that we have nursed the sick and fed the hungry, that we have been robbed by the enemy and insulted by our Legislature, and last, but not least, that we are truly and heartily devoted to our government. Come, let us all join together as one people, ignoring party lines, and each one lend all his might in aid of our brave men in the field. They give their time, their labor and their lives for us; let us give them our aid and sympathy. We, in behalf of the managers of the Fair, respectfully ask every one to help us. If there is a farmer who can spare but one egg, and but one potato, let us have it. We will take anything that can be turned into money. Come and help us. Come, come; and when this unholy war is over, we can all feel that we have done our share in producing the glorious result—an undivided country, peace and prosperity, and freedom for all, rich and poor, white and black, alike. Come, friends, lay aside for a day or two your business, and your selfish concerns, and, for the honor of old Franklin, assist in raising a handsome contribution for the Christian Commission, to be used for the comfort of the defenders of our homes, our laws and our national honor.

A youthful friend of ours having undergone a medical examination by the Draft Surgeon, informed us that the Doctor told him he had "Angelina pectoris." Poor fellow, guess he must be in love!

REBEL SPY SHOT AND CAPTURED.—On Friday last, Mr. Latshaw, the enroling officer for Franklin township, Adams county, met a suspicious looking character on the road, and questioned him as to his residence. He answered that he resided in that township, but when interrogated as to the names of his neighbors, he found that Mr. Latshaw was likely to detect him and he said he had made a mistake—that he resided beyond Mercersburg. From his confused and unsatisfactory statements, Mr. Latshaw felt it his duty to arrest him, and he did so. The prisoner made no resistance, but proposed to walk back to New Salem; but on the way he took the first favorable opportunity to jump the fence and run away. The officer pursued, and was joined by the people of the neighborhood; and after a chase of about three hours, he was recaptured without being injured. Officer Latshaw then bound his feet together, and started for Chambersburg to deliver the prisoner to Capt. Eyster, the Provost Marshal. Latshaw and the prisoner were in a single seated buggy, and Mr. Slonaker rode behind on horseback When in the South Mountain, the prisoner managed quietly to get his feet loose, and when opposite a dense thicket of laurel, he sprang from the buggy into the bushes. Mr Slonaker fired at him and lodged a ball in his shoulder, making a slight wound, but it did not arrest the prisoner. Latshaw immediately jumped from the buggy and rushed into the thicket after him, and called to him twice to halt or he would fire; but the prisoner continued to get away as fast as possible. Latshaw fired and struck him in the hip, shattering the bone badly, and of course arresting his progress. He at once called out that he was mortally wounded. Mr. Slonaker went up to him, while Latshaw pursued his horse, and the prisoner told him that he was fatally injured—that he could not live long, and at once admitted that he was a rebel spy, and had met a just fate. He gave his name as Lloyd, and stated that he had been in this section making observations for the benefit of the rebels.

He is a man of about forty years of age, stoutly built, with dark hair and goatee, is quite intelligent, and has evidently not been a laboring man. It is more than probable that he is a rebel officer. On his person was found a belt with nearly $100 of gold, and he had Chattanooga and Virginia rebel money, and a little Pennsylvania currency. He represents himself as a native of Lee county, Virginia, but says that he has lived in Missouri for some years, and was about to return to Lee county. He had a letter, with the date and place where it was written torn off, which refers to a journey to be undertaken, and certain information to be conveyed; but it furnishes no clue to parties in complicity with him. He had also a Cincinnati paper of the 28th ult. in his pocket, from which we think it probable that he passed through that place several weeks ago. He was in this town a few days before he was arrested; tried to sell some gold at the Bank, and very carefully scanned a map of the county hanging in the Bank.

His thigh wound is very serious, but not necessarily mortal, and his recovery is altogether probable. Had his wound been less dangerous, it might have been difficult to gather sufficient evidence to warrant holding him as a spy, but when he was shot he supposed he was about to die, and he admitted his purpose and business frankly. He is now in the Hospital in this place, in the custody of Gen. Couch, and will, we learn, be sent to Fort Mifflin as soon as he recovers sufficiently to be removed. Great credit is due Officer Latshaw and Mr. Slonaker for his arrest and delivery to the authorities at this place. We presume that Lloyd came into our lines through the Cumberland mountains, came East by way of Cincinnati, and meant to escape through the Shenandoah Valley.

EDUCATIONAL.—Pursuant to notice the Franklin county Educational Association met in Waynesboro' on the 11th inst. Organized by electing Messrs. Jos. Douglas, President, and D. B. Russell and Joseph Eckhart, Vice Presidents.

From thirty to forty teachers were in attendance being not more than one-fifth employed in the county. The English branches commonly taught in the public schools were taken up in their regular order and discussed and in most cases classes were formed and drilled by one or more of the members. The subject of Reading elicited more than ordinary attention. "Object Teaching" which is now being freely discussed particularly in the more Eastern States, gave rise to considerable animated discussion, teachers manifesting a desire to test new theories before adopting them. Notwithstanding the slight attendance of Teachers and an extremely sparse audience, the meeting was one of interest. The President at the close of the meeting, spoke warmly for the great cause of popular education, and warned teachers at being discouraged at want of interest manifested by the people generally in the education of their offspring, that any undertaking having great good for its end, meets with the same apathy.

The Superintendent, in behalf of the Association, thanked the President for his cheering words of encouragement.

Among the resolutions adopted were the following:

Resolved, That we consider obedience to law and order as a Christian duty, and believe all teachers should endeavor to instill this principle into the minds of the youth under their charge.

Resolved, That our thanks are due the Rev. Mr. Krebbs for his able address, to the gentlemen who presided over the meeting, and also to the "few" citizens who were in attendance.

Resolved, That our proceedings be published in the county papers and Penna. *School Journal*.

J. S. M'ELWAIN, Sec'y.

BRIG. GEN. CHARLES T. CAMPBELL holds the position of Inspector General of our forces in the North West. Headquarters at Sioux City, Iowa.

STAMP DUTIES.—There is much difficulty often among the people in ascertaining the proper stamp duties to put upon notes, drafts &c. All checks, drafts or orders at sight require two cents without regard to the amount; and the following table shows the amount of stamps necessary on notes, drafts and every thing not payable on sight:

AMOUNT OF NOTE OR DRAFT.	33 Days...	63 Days...	93 Days...	4 Months	6 Months	Six Months	Over Six
$ 1 to $ 200	1	2	03	04	06	10	
200 " 400	2	4	06	08	12	20	
400 " 600	3	6	09	12	18	30	
600 " 800	4	8	12	16	24	40	
800 " 1,000	5	10	15	20	30	50	
1,000 " 1,200	6	12	18	24	36	60	
1,200 " 1,400	7	14	21	28	42	70	
1,400 " 1,600	8	16	24	32	48	80	
1,600 " 1,800	9	18	27	36	54	90	
1,800 " 2,000	10	20	30	40	60	1 00	
2,000 " 2,200	11	22	33	44	66	1 10	
2,200 " 2,400	12	24	36	48	72	1 20	
2,400 " 2,600	13	26	39	52	78	1 30	
2,600 " 2,800	14	28	42	56	84	1 40	
2,800 " 3,000	15	30	45	60	90	1 50	
3,000 " 3,200	16	32	48	64	96	1 60	
3,200 " 3,400	17	34	51	68	1 02	1 70	
3,400 " 3,600	18	36	54	72	1 08	1 80	
3,600 " 3,800	19	38	57	76	1 14	1 90	
3,800 " 4,000	20	40	60	80	1 20	2 00	
4,000 " 4,200	21	42	63	84	1 26	2 10	
4,200 " 4,400	22	44	66	88	1 32	2 20	
4,400 " 4,600	23	46	69	92	1 38	2 30	
4,600 " 4,800	24	48	72	96	1 44	2 40	
4,800 " 5,000	25	50	75	1 00	1 50	2 50	

FROM THE 11TH PENNA. CAVALRY.—Letters have been received in this place from a number of the gallant boys of this famous Regiment, giving vivid and interesting accounts of the great raid under Gen. Kautz on the Peninsula, in which they were prominent participants. In a letter before us, it is stated that the command, numbering about twenty-eight hundred, approached within six miles of Richmond, over roads not heretofore traversed by any of our troops, and greatly to the consternation of the inhabitants of that section. The destruction of property of various kinds by this raid is almost beyond computation, and the raiders captured a greater number perhaps, of Negroes, Horses, Mules, &c., than has been taken by any similar expedition since the commencement of the war. The results will be a severe blow upon the rebels, and will greatly assist Gen. Butler in carrying out the purposes of his important campaign. The command were out fourteen days and are now safely encamped for a short rest at City Point. Among the casualties sustained by the 11th on the raid, we regret to record the death of George Elliott, son of Mr. Marion Elliot, of this place, who was killed by bushwhackers.

DELEGATES ELECTED.—By an arrangement made between the Delegates from this district in the Union State Convention, the counties of Franklin and Adams were conceded one District Delegate to the National Convention, and the counties of Fulton, Bedford and Somerset the other. In pursuance of that arrangement the conferees from this end of the district—Messrs. Benjamin Chambers, Jno. E Crawford and H. S. Stoner of Franklin, and D. M'Connaughy, E. G. Fahnestock and C. H. Buehler of Adams—met in this place on Tuesday of last week, and had sessions on Tuesday evening and Wednesday. Adams county presented Col. E. G. Fahnestock, and Franklin county presented John Stewart, Esq. On the 20th ballot, Mr. Stewart was chosen Delegate, and Col. Fahnestock was made alternate Delegate. The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Delegates elected by this conference be instructed to support the re-nomination of ABRAHAM LINCOLN for the Presidency, and that they be requested to support the nomination of Gov. Andrew Johnson, of Tennessee, for the Vice Presidency.

THE POSTAL MONEY ORDER SYSTEM.—The bill to establish a Postal Money Order System, has become a law. It is designed to facilitate and secure the transfer of small sums of money through the medium of the Post Office. Under its provisions, any person desiring to transmit money by mail in a sum not less than $1 or more than $30, may by depositing the amount in the hands of any Postmaster with whom a "Money Order Office" shall be established, obtain an order therefor drawn upon and payable by the Postmaster of the place to which he intends to forward the money. No order shall be issued for less than $1 or more than $30; and persons receiving them will be required to pay the following fees: For an order for $1 up to $10, ten cents; more than $10 and not exceeding $20, fifteen cents; over $20, twenty cents. This system of money exchange through the Post Office has been in operation in Europe for many years past, and is found a great public convenience.

A SPLENDID ESTABLISHMENT.—On Saturday evening last Messrs. Burkhart & Heushey opened their splendid new Confectionery and Fruit Store and Ice Cream Saloon for the patronage of the public. The establishment is located on the West side of North Main St. near the Post Office, and is one of the most extensive of its kind in this part of the State. The sale rooms are very handsomely fitted up, and in the manufacturing departments the best machinery and latest improvements for baking &c. are introduced. Their present stock of Confections, Fruits, Cakes, Fancy Goods, &c., is very large and attractive, and they are prepared to furnish anything in their line in the smallest or largest qualities at very low rates.

The Ice Cream Saloons are elegantly furnished, and it is the design of the firm to supply the very best quality of Ice Cream that can be made, and of the choicest flavors

DON'T forget to write letters and send newspapers to our gallant soldiers. They are always longing to hear news from home, and a letter, or newspaper,—their *home* newspaper, especially—is ever a most welcome visitor. Just now there are hundreds of our brave boys prostrated on beds of pain in the hospitals at Washington, Alexandria, Belle Plain, Fredericksburg and elsewhere, to whom the time passes wearily, who would find great solace in their home newspaper We hope that each one of our subscribers, will pack up to-day's REPOSITORY, after they have read it, and send it to their absent friends and relatives, or to one of the hospitals in the places named, in care of the Sanitary or Christian Commissions. Those good Samaritans will see that papers so sent are properly distributed. We intend to dispose of as many copies as we can spare in this way for some weeks to come, and hope all our readers will do the same.

CONTRIBUTION.—We have received from Mr. Geo. Sprecher a contribution of $6 45 for the Christian Commission.

DESERTER ESCAPED.—A deserter named Field, from one of the Western States, was arrested by the Provost Marshal last week, and placed in the Hospital in consequence of serious injury to one of his feet which rendered it impossible for him to walk. He is a scienced deserter, having deserted from four regiments, and would doubtless have been punished severely and probably shot had he been tried. On Thursday night he made his escape, and as he could not walk, the query is a grave one as to the means by which he got away. He must have been aided, by persons in this place, and taken off on horseback or in a buggy. Can any of our copperheads guess as to how he escaped?

CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY.—The year 1864 is the first centennial anniversary of the laying out of the town of Chambersburg in the year 1764, by Col. Benjamin Chambers, on his plantation at the junction of the Falling Spring with the Conococheague Creek, where he had resided with his family from his first settlement in this valley, in the year 1730; and where he had a fort constructed and armed with cannon at his own expense, in 1756, for the defence of his family and others against Indian warfare, then being carried on against the white settlers. We submit to our citizens whether there should not be proper recognition of the anniversary.

REPOSITORY CONTRIBUTION.—The cash receipts of the REPOSITORY Office on Wednesday last, amounted to $133 55, which was remitted to Jos. Patterson, Esq., of Philadelphia, as a contribution to the Christian Commission. The following is the acknowledgement received:

U. S. CHRISTIAN COMMISSION,
Philadelphia, May 20, 1864.

Received of Messrs. M'Clure & Stoner one hundred and thirty-three dollars and fifty-five cents for the Christian Commission, being amount of receipts from the office of the FRANKLIN REPOSITORY, Chambersburg, Pa., for one day.

JOS. PATTERSON, Treasurer.
per Wm. H. Hill.

NARROW ESCAPE.—We learn from the Waynesboro' *Record*, that Mr. W. H. Brotherton, of that place narrowly escaped drowning on Sunday last a week. He was returning from Westminster, Md., and in the attempt to cross Pipe Creek was compelled to cut his horse from the buggy and in this way narrowly escaped with his life. The stream was very much swollen from the late rains and M. B. missed the right fording. His buggy, with carpet sack, clothing, papers, etc. was lost.

IT is requested that persons having taken sewing for the Ladies Fair, for the benefit of the Christian Commission will return the same by Tuesday, May 31st, so that the committee may prepare it for sale at the Fair. This notice refers to such article made from muslin, linen and flanel.

A FAIR.—The ladies of Waynesboro' and vicinity have decided upon holding a Fair in that place, the proceeds of which is to go to the Christian Commission. They are actively engaged in making the necessary arrangements and so far, from what we can learn, have been liberally encouraged.

THE DRAFT ORDERED.—Capt. Eyster has received orders to proceed to draft for the deficiencies under the late calls without delay, and he will be ready to commence on Monday next. He will not reach Franklin county for two weeks. The men drafted will be reported in our columns.

PAYMENT OF THE MILITIA.—Maj. Wm. S. Stryker, Paymaster, will be in Chambersburg on Friday next to pay the militia companies of 1862 remaining unpaid. The members of the companies will facilitate the matter by calling on the Captains before that day and signing the rolls.

CHURCH DEDICATION.—The United Brethren in Christ will dedicate their new Church edifice, in St. Thomas, on Sunday, the 15th of June next. Ministers from a distance are expected to be in attendance.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.—We have received $132 83 from the Ladies' Aid Society of Fannettsburg, to be forwarded to the Christian Commission.

ANY WIDOW, or PARENT, or ORPHAN, or BROTHER, or SISTER of any SOLDIER, SAILOR or MARINE, KILLED, or who has DIED in the service of the United States, who desire *Ninety-six Dollars* ($96) *a year Pension*, from *One Hundred to Eleven Hundred and Ninety-five Dollars* ($1195) *Cash Bounty*, and all the Arrears of Pay due him, should call at once or write to JOSEPH E. DEVITT & Co., *No. 427 Walnut Street, the Military and Claim Agency, Philadelphia.*

Also, State Pay, County, City, Ward or other Bounty, &c., if there is any due. Apply either in person or by letter. may25-cow-2t

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.

COUNTRY people look to your interest. Take your Lard, Bacon, Dried Fruit and marketing to Gelwicks', where you will receive the highest price in cash, and see the largest stock of Fish in town at low figures.

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES.—These Lozenges are prepared from a highly esteemed recipe for alleviating *Bronchial Affections, Asthma, Hoarseness, Coughs, Colds*, and Irritation or Soreness of the Throat.

GO TO Gelwicks', on the Diamond, for fine Syrup, Green and Black Teas, fresh Spices, Crackers, &c. You will get the best quality for the least money.

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

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.

GELWICKS has just received a heavy stock of every description of store goods, and offers them cheap, wholesale and retail.

SODA WATER.—Cold and sparkling Soda Water at Heyser & Cressler's Drug Store. Call and try it.

REPORT OF THE MARKETS

Chambersburg Markets.

CHAMBERSBURG, May 24, 1864.

Flour—White	$7 00	Butter	22
Flour—Red	6 50	Eggs	12
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, May 24, 1864.

Breadstuffs move slowly, but prices are unchanged. The export demand for flour is limited, and only 2,000 bbls sold at $7 50 for extra, $8@8 25 for extra family and $9@9 50 for fancy.

Rye flour is steady at $7, and corn meal at $5 75. Wheat held firmly, and 300 bushels of red sold at $1 60, and white at $2@2 05. Rye commands $1 55@1 60. Corn is in limited request, and 4000 bus, yellow sold at $1 40. Oats are steady at 87@89c. Petroleum is held firmly, with sales of crude at 36½@37, refined at 57@59c, and free at 63@66c.

No change in groceries or provisions.

Whisky is dull at $1 30 ⅌ gallon.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

Philadelphia Cattle Market.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23, 1864.

Beef and Cattle are in active demand and sold at 15@19c, the highest figure ever realized and but 466 head offered. The market is very firm and prices have advanced; all the stock on sale sold at 14@19c per pound for common to extra.

Sheep are scarce and prices better; 1,100 head sold at 8@9c for clipped and 11@12 per ⅌ gross for wool sheep.

Cows are without change; 150 head sold at from $26 up 65 per head as to quality.

Hogs, about 1,800 head sold at from 10@13c the 100 lbs nett, as to quality.

[BY TELAGRAPH.]

Philadelphia Stock Market.

PHILADELPHIA, May 24, 1864.

Stocks dull—Penna. fives 98; Reading R. R. 73; Long Island 48; Penna. R. R. 71¼; Gold 1.83; exchange on New York par.

New Advertisements.

COUSIN LIZZIE'S LITTLE JOKER. A bright, sparkling little journal which every little boy and girl (and older ones, too) should subscribe for. It is well filled with interesting matter, and will give satisfaction to all who are not *very* hard to please. Terms, 25 cents a year. Address "COUSIN LIZZIE," No. 48 Ann St. New York.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the Estate of John Witherow, Esq., late of Metal township, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in Fannettsburg.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment; and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN H. WITHEROW, } Adm'rs.
may25 WM. S. HARRIS.

NOTICE TO BRIDGE BUILDERS.—Sealed proposals will be received at the Commissioners' Office, in Chambersburg, *until Tuesday, the 7th day of June next*, at 10 o'clock, for the erection of a WOODEN BRIDGE across Conodoguinett Creek, at Flickinger's Mill, on the line between Letterkenny and Lurgan townships. Specifications, and plans, of said Bridge to be seen at any time at the Commissioners' Office.

By order of Commissioners,
may25-2t GEO. FOREMAN, Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration to the Estate of Joanna K. Davis, late of the Borough of Chambersburg, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in said Borough.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment; and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

may25-6t* W. S. EVERETT, Adm'r.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary to the Estate of Rebecca Currey, late of Guilford township, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in Montgomery township.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment; and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

may25-6t* JAMES WITHERSPOON, Ex'r.

NEW FANCY DRY-GOODS AND NOTION STORE,

MANSION HOUSE, Chambersburg, Pa.

METCALFE & HITESHEW

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

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

comprising all the different styles:

Black and Colored Silks, Cloaking Cloths, Balmoral and Hoop Skirts, full line White Goods; Gauze, Crape and Love Veils, Hosiery, Gloves, Collars, Cuffs, Hankerchiefs, and everything belonging to a Fancy Dry Goods and Notion Store. Also,

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

with a good assortment of DOMESTICS, all of which will be sold *Low for Cash*.

☞ The patronage of the public is most respectfully solicited,

METCALFE & HITESHEW.

Chambersburg, Pa., May 25, 1864.-tf.

GREAT ATTRACTION IN HATS, CAPS AND STRAW GOODS!

—:o:—

I have now on hand a large stock of HATS, CAPS AND STRAW GOODS, which I will sell at a SMALL ADVANCE.

☞ Call and see the great variety. ☜

—:o:—

MISSES' STRAW HATS in all styles.

—:o:—

SHAKERS! SHAKERS!! SHAKERS!!! White and Dark, very best quality.

—:o:—

Call and get bargains at the New Store Room of

J. L. DECHERT,

a few doors South of the Diamond,

may25 Chambersburg, Pa.

New Advertisements.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary to the Estate of Henry Brewer late of Warren township, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in said township.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment; and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

DENTON BREWER, } Ex'rs.
may25 SIMON BREWER,

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF INQUISITION.—*Christian Plum's Estate*—To the Heirs and Legal Representatives of said deceased: You are hereby notified that in pursuance of a Writ of Inquisition to me directed, out of the Orphans' Court of Franklin county, Penna., I will hold an Inquest on the Real Estate of which said decedend died seized, situate in Franklin county, *on the 30th day of June, A. D.*, 1864, at 10 o'clock, A. M., when and where you may attend if you think proper.

may25-3t] SAMUEL BRANDT, High Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF INQUISITION.—*John Ebbert's Estate*.—To the Heirs and Legal Representatives of said deceased: You are hereby notified that in pursuance of a Writ of Inquisition to me directed, out of the Orphans' Cour of Franklin county, Penna., I will hold an Inquest on the Real Estate of which said decedent died seized, situate in Franklin county, *on the 27th day of June, A. D.*, 1864, at 10 o'clock, A. M., when and where you may attend if you think proper.

may25-3t] SAMUEL BRANDT, High Sheriff.

B. L. MAURER & CO. LUMBER MERCHANTS, Have on hand for sale at reasonable prices, a large assortment of White Pine, Yellow Pine, and Hemlock Lumber, consisting of

White Pine 2 inch Plank.
" " 1½" "
" " 1¼" "
" " Boards.
" " Plastering Lathes.
" " Shingles.

Yellow Pine Joists, Scantling and Roofing Laths. Hemlock Joists, Scantling and Boards.

Also Locust and Chestnut Posts, and Chestnut Shingles.

Office in Wunderlich and Nead's Warehouse, opposite the Railroad Depot, Second Street, Chambersburg, Pa. may25

PUBLIC SALE.—Will be sold, by Public Sale; at the residence of the subscriber, on Main St., immediately opposite Eyster & Bro's Store, *on Saturday, the 28th day of May*, 1864, the following Personal Property, viz: All his Household and Kitchen FURNITURE, embracing, in part, 1 Bureau, 2 Safes, 1 new Dining Table, 2 Breakfast Tables, 2 Kitchen Tables, 3 Stands, 1 Clock, 5 Bedsteads, 3 sets Chairs, 2 large Rocking Chairs, Carpeting by the yard, 1 Patent Carpet Sweeper, &c. Also, a number of STOVES, among which are—1 new No. 9 Cook (for wood or coal) and Pipe; 1 Parlor Cook and Pipe, and 1 Nine-Plate and Pipe; 1 Patent Washing Machine; 1 large Iron Kettle; Tinware, Pots and Pans; China, Queens and Crockery Ware; also, 3 FINE HOGS, Hams by the pound, Lard by the pound; Corn by the bushel; Wine, Vinegar, Meat and Krout Vessels. Also, 1 set of good Harness; 1 two-horse Tougue and Yoke; Shovels, Forks, Spades, &c.

☞ Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, when attendance and a credit of Six Months will be given on all sums over $10.—All sums under $10, cash.

may25-1t* JACOB MICKEY.

READING RAIL ROAD.—SUMMER ARRANGEMENT

GREAT TRUNK LINE from the North and Northwest for Philadelphia, New York, Reading, Pottsville, Lebanon, Allentown, Easton, &c.

Trains leave Harrisburg for Philadelphia, New York, Reading, Pottsville, and all intermediate stations at 8:00 A.M. and 2:00 P.M.

New York Express leaves Harrisburg at 6:30 A.M., arriving at New York at 1:45 the same morning.

A special Accommodation Passenger Train leaves Reading at 7:15 A. M., and returns from Harrisburg at 5 P. M.

Fares from Harrisburg: To New York $5.15; to Philadelphia $3.35 and $2.80. Baggage checked through.

Returning, leave New York at 6 A.M., 12 M., and 7 P.M., (Pittsburg Express arriving at Harrisburg at 2 A.M.) Leave Philadelphia at 8:15 A.M. and 3:30 P.M.

Sleeping cars in the New York Express Trains through to and from Pittsburg without change.

Passengers by the *Catawissa Railroad* leave Tamaqua at 8:50 A.M. and 2:10 P.M., for Philadelphia, New York and all Way Points.

Trains leave Pottsville at 9:15 A.M. and 2:30 P.M., for Philadelphia, Harrisburg and New York.

An Accommodation Passenger Train leaves Reading at 6:00 A.M., and returns from Philadelphia at 5:00 P.M.

☞ All the above Trains run daily, Sundays excepted.

A Sunday Train leaves Pottsville at 7:30 A.M. and Philadelphia at 3:15 P.M.

Commutation, Mileage, Season and Excursion Tickets at reduced rates from all points.

80 lbs. Baggage allowed each passenger.

G. A. NICCOLLS,
may25,64-tf. General Superintendent.

LETTERS REMAINING UNCLAIMED in the Post Office at Chambersburg State of Pennsylvania, May 24, 1863.

☞ To obtain any of these Letters, the applicant must call for "advertised Letters," give the date of this list, and pay one cent for advertising.

If not called for within one month they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

Letters to strangers or transient visitors in a town or city whose special address may be unknown should be marked in the lower left hand corner with the word "*Transient*."

Place the Postage Stamp on the upper right-hand corner, and leave space between the Stamp and direction for post-marking, without interfering with the writing.

☞ A request for the return of a letter to the writer, if unclaimed within thirty days or less, written or printed with the writer's name, Post Office and State across the left-hand end of the envelope on the face side will be complied with at the usual Pre-paid rate of postage, payable when the Letter is delivered to the writer.

Arnold Nancy B	Gibson Rebecca	Rader Rachel
Bohn Thomas D	Hoaflick Sam M	Richardson Wm
Black George	Huston Wm P	Strock Jonathan
Byers Miss Reb.	HaysCaptDanlE	Spriges Mariah
Burger Annie E	Jenkins Susan	Snyder M
Bender John	Keselring Lewis	Spiece Leonard
Carle Miss Eliz.	Keiffer Mrs S M	Scripture Calvin
Betrich Jacob 2	Lidig Ellen	Sandford Mrs Ju
Derr Isaac	L'Lauglin Sar M	Stouffer Mary K
Eberle EugeneF	Morehead ChasS	SpielmanClint'n
Eyrly MissM S 2	Menic Mary A	Scicrist DavidW
Frederick Chris	M'Laughlin Tho	Varner Marg A
Glenn C Gilford	Marshall Robert	Walter Miss Jen
GipeSusannahH	Miller H A	Wolf John L
Gruver Benj F	Oyer MargaretH	Wen[illegible] Mary A
Gerhold John	Orris Rev S S	Zimm[illegible]man Wm
Gild D	Powell Israel	Zimmerman J
Green Mary E	Rosenberger J W	

J. W. DEAL, P. M.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE IRON WORKS.

By virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court of Washington county, Md., as a Court of Equity, the undersigned, Trustees, will sell at Public Sale, in front of the Court House, in Hagerstown,

On Tuesday, the 14th day of June, 1864,

all that valuable REAL ESTATE, situate in Washington county, Maryland, known as the

GREEN SPRING FURNACE PROPERTY,

which was for many years owned and carried on by J. DIXON ROMAN & CO., and is now for sale on account of the death of one of the partners. Said property contains

1,394 ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS,

of which about 200 Acres are cleared and in an excellent state of cultivation, the balance being

TIMBER LAND.

The FURNACE on said land is 35 feet high, with an 8 foot BOSH, CASTING HOUSE, COAL HOUSE, and BRIDGE HOUSE, and is run by an overshot wheel 40 feet high. It is in good repair, and the Water Power unfailing and all-sufficient. Said FURNACE is only one mile from the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and about the same distance from the Iron-Ore Bank, There is also

A GOOD DWELLING HOUSE

near the Furnace, also a large BARN and other out-buildings, and on different parts of said tract of land are a number of TENANT HOUSES (in all ten or twelve) in good repair.

The above property will be sold entire, or in parcels to suit purchasers; such parcels to be made known at the sale.

The undersigned will also sell at the same time and place, about

EIGHTY-THREE ACRES OF LAND,

separated from the above by the lands of George Feldt. Also a

LIMESTONE QUARRY,

on said Canal, near M'Coy's Ferry, containing

FIFTY SQUARE PERCHES OF LAND.

THE TERMS OF SALE, as prescribed by the Decree, are: One-third of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale, or on the ratification thereof, and the balance in two equal annual instalments of one and two years from the day of sale, with interest from that day, the purchaser to give his note with approved security for the deferred payments, and on payment of the entire purchase money, the Trustee will execute a Deed to the purchaser, as required by the Decree.

may25-3t F. M. DARBY, Trustee.