

SEVERAL editorial articles have been crowded out of this week's paper.

We clip the subjoined card from last week's issue of the Altoona Vindicator:

On the 23d day of September, 1868, we published in the Vindicator, an article relating to Mr. R. W. Hunt, of Johnstown. This article was based upon statements made to us by a certain Charles Coleman, who voluntarily came to our office and made the statement. Since then, the truth of these statements of Coleman have been denied by Mr. Hunt, and we understand he is sustained in his denial by other respectable gentlemen, while the cowardly Coleman has disappeared, and though diligently sought after has failed to appear, and verify his statement.

In justice to Mr. Hunt, in consequence of Coleman's failure to sustain his allegations we cheerfully publish this vindication. The article published in the Vindicator was to the effect that political proscription was practiced by the Cambria Iron Company through its agents. An action for libel was brought against the editors of the Vindicator by Mr. Hunt in the Cambria county Court, which action has been discontinued.

It is recorded as an important fact that the Russian Government, while the crops of that country have for several years been good, has entered the grain markets of Europe as a purchaser. This has been rendered necessary by the emancipation of the peasantry, whereby the area of grain sown in Russia several years past has been decreased. Provinces which formerly exported vast quantities of grain, for several years past have been obliged to import corn in order to make up for deficiencies. To provide against the consequences of the improvidence of the newly emancipated serfs, the Government is now obliged to store immense quantities of grain for the use of the population of the rich grain districts of the empire. Some effect on the American breadstuff market is likely to be the consequence, as England, who has heretofore been a purchaser from Russia, will be driven here to supply her deficiency.

On the afternoon of the 12th inst., a farewell reception was tendered Governor Curtin at Philadelphia. In the evening, a banquet was had, when the Governor made one of his characteristically eloquent speeches. We make but a single extract, which should sink deep into the hearts of all who remember the privations and sufferings endured by our gallant soldiers that government: "The disabled soldiers of the war should be alike strangers to want. It is true the National Government has done much for them. Lands have been purchased and buildings have been erected, but provision has not been made for all of that class of our citizens, and I sincerely trust that positive demand will be made by the people of the State at the next session of the Legislature for liberal measures to be enacted for their support. Let it be part of the proud history of this great State that accepting the war as a necessity, she gave to it freely her best blood, and that now the orphan made destitute by the war is provided for and educated, and that the maimed and sick man is maintained and made comfortable, not as a pauper, but as a soldier of the republic—that she at least to her glory and honor is just to the living and the dead."

JOHNSTOWN is located at the confluence of the Conemaugh and Stony Creek rivers. It is a very large town. Its population is variously estimated at from ten thousand to fifty thousand souls. It can count among its permanent institutions several churches, a theater, gas works, water works, a steam fire engine, and a District Court. Two papers prosperously grow therein. One, yelext the Tribune, is recognized as the only live competitor at present of the N. Y. Tribune. The people of Johnstown are all energetic, amiable, and intellectual. The number of drinking saloons in Johnstown is thought to be about 500. The Johnstown Tribune is one of the two newspapers officially appointed to publish the U. S. laws. A great many strangers visit Johnstown every month. Johnstown pays all the taxes collected in Cambria county. It is the "hub" of Cambria county, and an honor, not only to the county, but to the State. We are proud of it.

The foregoing disjointed paragraph was suggested by seeing that the Johnstown Tribune last week misinterpreted some remarks made by us in the last issue of this paper. The Tribune says that our sole animating motive in pitching into the District Court and Union Hall is a clanish, long nursed, ungenerous and illiberal jealousy of the growing prosperity of Johnstown. Of course, the Tribune, as usual, misunderstood, or didn't want to understand, what we said. But that makes no difference. We have above done the nice thing for Johnstown, and we hope that prosperously growing town will be grateful for the favor.

EDITORIAL ETCHINGS.

Changeable—the weather. Strawberries are getting ripe. Slim—the attendance at court. The blackberry crop will be large. Flies are becoming numerous and annoying.

Grenadine walking dresses are very much in vogue.

The Ohio Board of Agriculture offers \$100 for the best wheat.

There are 1,027 prisoners in the Ohio Penitentiary.

Imitation calicos, made of paper, are now sold in England.

Well, and now, to wit: If you want cheap goods, consult our advertising columns.

There is a pear tree in Massachusetts from which fruit was gathered over one hundred and forty years ago.

Man who don't advertise—business slack; clerk laying on the counter; proprietor grumbling about dull times.

Man who does advertise—business brisk; clerks busy; continually receiving new goods; times brisk.

A gentleman died in Chicago last week, leaving life insurance policies to the amount of \$150,000.

Strawberries are selling at two cents per quart in some parts of southern Illinois.

Bryan's circus and menagerie passed through this place on Thursday morning last en route for Johnstown.

Hon. A. A. Barker and son have gone to attend the Peace Jubilee, at Boston.

The small-pox is increasing in New York city. Thirty cases have been sent to the hospital within two weeks.

About \$70,000 worth of tickets have been sold to the Boston Jubilee, and the demand is still lively.

Familiar terms of office seekers—How d'ye do! How's the family! Crops good! Oh, ah, see here, &c., &c.

There will be a picnic held on the farm of Samuel O'Hare, four miles south east of town, on Tuesday next.

Strawberries were never so plenty and so cheap in Chicago as the present season. Eighteen car loads were received there yesterday.

There are trees so tall in Missouri that it takes two men and a boy to look to the top of them. One looks till he gets tired, and another commences where he left off.

The flies in Kentucky are destroying the tobacco crop, and not more than one-half is expected to mature this year. In many sections of the country the crop has been entirely destroyed.

We are much gratified to announce that during court our subscription list was increased beyond our highest expectations to see us and left their "williams" with us. Glad to see them. Come again.

The Internal Revenue Department has lately rendered a decision in respect to the stamping of bonds issued by school boards. It is to the effect that they do not need stamps when issued by a board in its official capacity.

The State Journal has read a will, in which the testator bequeaths his immense fortune for the erection of a superb Cat Infirmary, to be located in some large city, and to be provided with rats for the amusement of the cats.

The Israelites of Philadelphia have purchased a lot at the corner of Broad and Mount Vernon streets, and contemplate erecting a magnificent synagogue thereon at a cost of about \$300,000.

The Ex-rebel General John C. Breckenridge is now in St. Paul, Minnesota, looking after his property, he having owned a considerable amount there previous to going into the rebellion.

The Republicans of Indiana have nominated the following ticket: Assembly, David M. Marshall; Prothonotary, John Lowry; Sheriff, Henderson C. Howard; Treasurer, Noah Lohr; Commissioner, John L. Fleming; Auditor, A. J. Hamilton.

A joke is being retailed by the midgets at Annapolis, to the effect that the only person on board the steamer of the President's party who was at all sick was Secretary Borie, who is represented as having thrown up everything but his Naval Secretaryship.

Another appalling disaster occurred in the coal mines at Merthyr Tydvil Wales, on Thursday. An explosion, cause not known, took place while the men were at work. Few of the miners escaped from the pit, and it is reported one hundred and twenty were killed.

A lady fifty-two years of age whose husband is in the seventies, gave birth to twins a few days ago at Washington. Of male and female created he them, and one is named May and the other U. S. Grant. The veteran father need not be put upon the retired list.

Reports made to the Convention show that the Sons of Temperance now have 1,968 divisions in operation, with 96,673 members and 40,781 lady visitors. The receipts of the order last year were \$136,265, and it has \$223,693 in cash or good investments. Nearly 25,000 members were expelled during the year.

The principal shops of Paris will henceforth be closed on Sundays. This important social reform is not the result of a religious movement, but of a desire on the part of shopkeepers and their employees to obtain additional recreation. The latter appeal to the good will of the public to aid them in making the measure general.

On Commemoration Day, at Charleston, S. C., Chief Justice Chase said: "The dead are not dead. They have only gone before, and now see eye to eye. Why may not we all borrow from their sacred graves oblivion of past differences and henceforth unite in noble and generous endeavor to assure the honor and welfare of our whole country, of all her States and of all her citizens."

Hon. Wm. H. Seward, accompanied by Hon. Frederick W. Seward and lady, and Abijah Fitch, Jr., of Auburn, New York, are in Chicago. They have started out on a tour of some six months' duration, comprising a trip to Omaha and thence by Pacific Railroad to San Francisco, where they propose to take a steamer for Sika. The party propose to visit India and China before they return home to Auburn.

The New York Tribune advocates the abolition of the Electoral College. It proposes that each State vote directly for President and Vice President, and let the candidates preferred by the majority in any State receive two votes, answering to its Senators. Then let each representative district vote in like manner, and let whoever shall receive a majority of said votes be elected President and Vice President respectively.

A cure for somnambulism, it is reported, has been discovered by Professor Pejozzari, of Florence. The plan consists in winding once or twice round the leg of a patient, the end of a slender flexible copper wire, long enough to reach the floor. The theory of the cure is, that the copper wire dissipates the electricity in the human body. Eighteen somnambulists, treated in this way, it is asserted, have either been entirely cured or greatly relieved.

A law passed by the last Legislature of Ohio provides that no girl under twenty-one years of age shall marry without the consent of her parents or guardian. At Columbus, on the 4th, among the candidates for matrimony brought to the notice of the Probate Court, by application for a license, was a young lady twenty years of age. Both father and mother were dead. She was over eighteen years of age, and therefore had no guardian, and the Court could appoint none, because, under the laws of the State, she was her own mistress. Still the law of last winter says she can't marry.

OLD GRIMES— Old Grimes is dead, That poor old soul, We ne'er shall see him more; He used to wear a Darned nice coat, All buttoned down before. (He bought it at Shoemaker's) And at his home He had good things, Sweet cakes and light bread to eat, He bought his flour From H. A. Shoemaker Who keeps store on High street.

O. H. C. S.—Oak Hall Clothing Store, in Johnstown, seems to be the centre of attraction for those in pursuit of neat and fashionable garments. The gentlemanly proprietors, Messrs. Leopold & Bro., have won for themselves the reputation of selling cheaper than any other clothing store in Johnstown. Their stock is the largest in Johnstown and therefore affords the buyer a better chance to select from than other stores. In short, if you want a bargain go to this store.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE.—This cheap store, located on High street, in the old stand formerly occupied by K. H. Tudor, continues to be the headquarters of those who desire something fashionable, cheap and serviceable. If you desire any article in the grocery line, you will find this department well supplied and at figures that will command your patronage. John N., the accomplished and accommodating clerk, who is noted for his hospitality, will always be found ready to wait upon customers.

It is frequently and truthfully remarked by strangers who come to town, that if there is a store in Ebensburg that deserves a mention more than another, it is the mammoth hardware store of George Huntley, on High street. Here you will find an endless variety of any desirable article in the line of hardware. He sells exceedingly low. If you need anything in his line give him a call and be convinced that he sells very cheap.

AMERICAN SCALE Co.—T. W. Williams has been tendered the agency in this county for the sale of the American Scales. These scales are highly recommended by all who have used them—never failing to give satisfaction. They have been thoroughly tested and pronounced faultless. By common consent they are the cheapest, safest and most reliable scale manufactured. Buy one.

'TIS TRUE.—That you can buy goods at Barker's at lower rates than elsewhere is fact unquestionable. Their stock of goods having been bought recently and at a heavy heavy discount, they will be sold accordingly. They have in store a full line of summer dress goods which will be sold at unusually low prices. Remember the store two doors east of the Bank.

R. R. DAVIS continues to sell his goods cheap as ever. It is a fact undeniable that his prices are much lower for the same quality of goods than any store we know of. As he intends removing his stock of goods in a few days, great bargains may be had by calling prior to that time. Goods will be sold regardless of cost. Therefore you should avail yourself of the opportunity.

CHEAP GROCERY.—Decidedly and beyond contradiction, X. L. Ostman sells cheaper and better articles of groceries than can be found elsewhere in the county. He is in constant receipt of groceries every week, thus keeping a large and fresh stock always on hand, giving his customers the benefit of the lowest market prices as well as the freshest groceries. Give him a trial.

PHOTOGRAPHIC.—If you want a correct likeness of yourself—a picture that is a picture—go to Spencer's rooms on Julian street, where your want will be realized. Entire satisfaction given in every instance. Prices moderate.

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CHEAPEST FLOUR. CHEAPEST FLOUR. CHEAPEST FLOUR.

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PRICES GOING DOWN! AT THE EBENSBURG HARDWARE & HOUSE FURNISHING STORE.

I once more return my sincere thanks to my old friends and customers for their liberal patronage extended towards me, and now, owing to the great fall in prices, by which many articles can be sold as cheap as before the war, and having a thorough knowledge of the business and the wants of the public, I take pleasure in announcing that I can and will sell goods at a less figure than any similar establishment in city or country. My stock will consist in part as follows: DOOR AND CUPBOARD LOCKS, CATCHES, BOLTS, HINGES, SCREWS, WINDOW SPRINGS, SHUTTER HINGES, WINDOW GLASS, NAILS, PUTTY, BORING MACHINES, AUGERS, CHISELS, BRACES AND BITS, HATCHETS, SQUARES, COMPASSES, TRY SQUARES, BEVELS, POCKET RULES, JACK, SMOOTHING, AND FOR PLANES, PANEL PLOWS, LEVELS, SASH, RAISING, AND MATCH PLANES, SAW SETS, BENCH SCREWS, CROSS-CUT, PANEL, RIP, COMPASS, AND BACK SAWS, GAUGES, OIL STONES, SCREW DRIVERS, PLOWS, POINTS, SHOVELS, FORKS, SCYTHES AND SNATHES, RAKES, HOES, SPADES, SHEEP SHEARS, HORSE BRUSHES, CARDS, CURRY COMBS, BELLS, HAMES, WHIPS, BUT, TRACE, BREAST, HALTER, FITH, TONGUE, AND LOG CHAINS, RIFLES, SHOT GUNS, REVOLVERS, AND PISTOLS, CARTRIDGES, POWDER, SHOT, CAPS, LEAD, POUCHES, POWDER FLASKS, GAME BAGS, GUN LOCKS, MAIN SPRINGS, PIVOTS, &c. LAMPS AND OILS, COOKING, PARLOR, & HEATING STOVES, TIN AND SHEET IRON WARE, WASHING MACHINES, AND WRINGERS, &c., &c., &c., &c., &c., &c.

Also a large stock of the best brands of CIGARS AND TOBACCO!

FARMERS—ATTENTION! YOU ALL SHOULD HAVE Heath's Champion Horse Hay Fork! DECIDEDLY THE BEST IN USE. The undersigned desires to call the attention of the public to the fact that he is agent in this county for the sale of the CHAMPION HAY FORK! Which has many advantages over all others manufactured. It is simple in construction, light to work, and will lift short hay equally as well as long. Price \$10. Address or call on E. STILES, Ebensburg. June 17-41

VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.—The undersigned will sell at private sale the House and Lot in the East Ward of Ebensburg Borough, fronting 66 feet on High street, and extending back along Caroline street 264 to Lloyd street. This property is conveniently located either for business purposes or for a private residence. The house is a two-story frame, with 4 rooms on each floor,—with stable and suitable outbuildings. The lot is in a fine state of cultivation, and has 7 bearing apple trees on it. For terms apply to Catharine Roberts, at the residence of R. E. Jones, in the West ward of said Borough, or to the undersigned at his office. WM. H. SECHLER, Attorney at law. Ebensburg, Aug. 13, 1868.

LATEST ARRIVAL!! AT THE LARGEST AND ELEGANT NEW ROOM OF ZAHM & SON, High Street, Ebensburg Pa.

ENTIRE NEW STOCK OF GOODS! Consisting in part of DRY GOODS, DRESS GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS and SHOES, HATS and CAPS, AND A FULL LINE OF SUMMER GOODS!

GROCERIES! Coffees, Sugars, Syrups, Candles, Molasses, Teas, Fish, Spices, Hams, Oils, Crackers, Cheese.

HARDWARE! A general assortment of Hardware will always be kept on hand.

QUEENSWARE! In great variety.

FLOUR, FEED, &c., &c. Goods sold at lowest Market prices. Call and see goods.

By keeping constantly on hand a well assorted stock of goods the undersigned hope to merit and receive a liberal share of patronage. June 19.] ZAHM & SON.

ESTABLISHED IN 1856. 56. THE JOHNSTOWN 69.

DRUG STORE! Is the oldest and largest in Cambria County. It is the place to buy your DRUGS AND MEDICINES!

It is the place to buy your PAINTS AND OILS!

It is the place to buy your DYES AND DYE STUFFS!

It is the place to buy your PERFUMERY, TOILET ARTICLES, HAIR RESTORERS and DYES, PATENT MEDICINES, and all et cetera pertaining to a FIRST CLASS DRUG STORE!!

LARGEST EVER OFFERED IN THE COUNTY! Agent for Davis, Chambers & Co.'s PURE WHITE LEAD! WHICH IS THE BEST IN THE MARKET.

Drillers can save freight by purchasing their goods from our house. Price lists sent on application. C. T. FRAZER, No. 201 Main street, Johnstown, Pa. June 3]

M. L. OATMAN, DEALER IN CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES!

consisting in part of DOUBLE EXTRA FAMILY FLOUR, GRAIN, FEED, BACON, SALT FISH, DRIED APPLES AND PEACHES.

ALL KINDS OF CANNED FRUITS!! SUGARS! TEAS! COFFEES! SYRUPS! MOLASSES! CHEESE! &c., &c., &c.

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NEW GOODS! CHEAP GOODS! WHOLESALE AND RETAIL CONFECTIONERY!

West end Cambria House, Ebensburg, A. H. Fuller, Proprietor.

ANOTHER LARGE STOCK ANOTHER LARGE STOCK ANOTHER LARGE STOCK OF CONFECTIONERY

Just received and for sale cheaper than ANY OTHER MERCHANT in Ebensburg CAN AFFORD TO SELL.

1,000 Pounds Stick Candles, 400 Pounds Fancy Candles, 700 Pounds Assorted, 10 Boxes Prunes, 7 Boxes Currants, 6,000 Boxes Prime Cigars, &c., &c., &c.

The attention of the public is called to the fact that in connection with my confectionery is a first-class RESTAURANT

where will be served at all hours OYSTERS, stewed or fried, HOT COFFEE,

PIGS' FEET, TRIPE, SARDINES, DRIED BEEF, &c., &c.

IF YOU WANT BARGAINS, GIVE ME A CALL. Jan. 7, 1869. A. H. FULLER

18 NEW STORE! NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

THE PEOPLE'S ONE PRICED STORE, HIGH STREET, EBENSBURG. ASK FOR FRY'S CHEAP STORE.

EVERYTHING BOUGHT SINCE THE GREAT DECLINE IN PRICES

THE LARGEST AND CHEAPEST STORE OF GOODS IN TOWN.

BARGAINS! NEW STOCK OF DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, &c.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE AT THE CHEAP CASH STORE OF A. G. FRY!

in the rooms formerly occupied by R. E. Jones, on High-st.

BARGAINS IN DRY GOODS! BROWN MUSLINS, BLEACHED MUSLINS, CHECKS, GINGHAMS, TICKINGS, SHIRTINGS, DENIMS, DRILLS, JEANS, DELAINES, LAWNS, PRINTS

BOOTS AND SHOES! Men's Gait and Kid Boots, Ladies Congress Gaiters, and French Morocco Shoes, Children's Shoes.

BARGAINS IN GROCERIES! COFFEES, SYRUPS, MOLASSES, SYRUPS, SOAPS, CANDLES, SPICES, &c., &c., &c.

HARDWARE IN GREAT VARIETY! QUEENSWARE AND GLASSWARE! CARPETS AND OIL CLOTHS!

A beautiful assortment on hand and for sale cheap.

PROVISIONS! HAM, BUTTER, LARD, SHOULDERS, EGGS, MESS PORK, CHEESE, FISH, &c.

COUNTRY PRODUCE! taken in exchange for goods. Call and be convinced that I can sell cheaper than any other store in the county.

QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS! May 13, 69.] A. G. FRY