

John & Conny Affairs.

The residence of James H. Marshall, Esq., a short distance from Fairfield, this county, came very near being destroyed by fire on Tuesday night last.

By appointment of the Presbytery of Carlisle, which met at Green Castle a few days since, Rev. J. R. Wrenza will be installed Pastor of the united charge of the Hunterstown and Marsh Creek Congregations, on Friday next, the 23rd inst., in the Church at Hunterstown.

The several protestant congregations of the Borough united in a prayer meeting, at St. James' Church, on Wednesday evening, instead of the usual prayer meetings in the respective churches.

Rev. P. RAY, formerly of the Seminary, and latterly of Chester county, has accepted a call from the Lutheran congregation of Wrightsville, and has commenced his ministerial labors there.

Mr. JOHN MILLER continues the Lumber and Coal business at Littleton. His assortment is large, and he will sell at accommodating rates.

The annual election for officers of the Hanover Branch Railroad Company will take place at the office of the Saring Fund Society, in Hanover, on Monday, the 10th of May next.

During the past week this region was visited with soaking rains, raising the streams, and doing much good to vegetation.

The April term of Court commences to-day.

For The Compiler

Three men, A. B. and C., commence a journey with 120 lbs. of provision, each taking a different amount. At the end of 10 days A's provision is all gone, when B. and C. kindly furnish him in equal shares what he requires daily.

Mr. STURGEON.—The following is my answer to the Surveyor's Problem, published in your paper of the 20th ult. The perpendicular height is 118.82 perches; the largest side of the triangle is 151.05 perches; and the area 94 acres and 126 perches.

For The Compiler. I have solved your Enigma, and found it to be something that I would much like to see. With a Spoon I suppose you often sup Rice, and some people say it's very nice.

For The Compiler. I am composed of twenty-three letters. My 1st 19 12 is the sweetest place on earth. My 13 17 23 is a river in Prussia.

Smashed Down and Runaway.—One day last week our young friend, Mr. Edwin Crumrine, of Manchester, paid a visit to our town, driving a fancy horse attached to a very neat and light sulky.

Execution of Anderson and Richards.

LANCASTER, April 9.—This is the day appointed by the Governor for carrying into effect the sentence of the Court upon Alexander Anderson and Henry Richards, the two negroes convicted of the murder of Mrs. Garber and Mrs. Ream, two respectable elderly ladies of Manheim township, about five miles from this city.

As soon as the crime was discovered the population was aroused, and pursuit made of the supposed murderers, who had been lurking about the neighborhood. They were arrested the same evening, and were tried and convicted at the last term of the Court.

The execution, of course, had to take place in the yard of the prison, before a limited number of spectators. The gallows was erected yesterday. It consisted of four upright timbers, sixteen feet high, connected at the top by four cross-ties, across two of which the beam rested to which the ropes were attached.

The prisoners have for some time expressed great contrition, Anderson particularly being very penitent and expressing perfect confidence in religion, reading his Bible often and declaring that he would die happy.

There was great anxiety to witness the execution, and many people from the country came into town for the purpose, a large proportion of them being from Manheim and its neighborhood.

The Sheriff was very strict, and in spite of the thousands of applications for admission only about one hundred persons were permitted to enter the prison yard.

The prisoners passed the night composedly. The morning was spent in religious exercises and in conversation with the ministers and others admitted to see them.

On Friday night, very suddenly, in Oxford township, Adams county, Mr. NACE MILLER, (father of the Rev. Lewis Miller), aged about 75 years.

On the 16th of February last, of catarrh fever, FRANKLIN HIRKES, of Alexander and Sarah A. Heikes, aged 1 year 10 months and 19 days.

On the 13th inst., by the Rev. Jacob Ziegler, Mr. AMOS F. STONE, of Tyrone township, to Miss MARY C. FOGLE, of Cumberland twp.

On the 8th inst., by the Rev. O. Ege, Mr. WM. LEEBER, of Keewane, Henry county, Illinois, to Miss ELIZA JANE MOORHEAD, daughter of Mr. Wm. Moorhead, of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa.

On the 15th inst., at the same place, by the same, Mr. DAVID SMITH, to Miss LOUISA KILBY, both of Mountpleasant township, Adams county.

On the same day and place, by the same, Mr. JOHN REISER, to Miss MARGARET KEISER, both of Adams county.

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Burned to Death.

An interesting little girl 4 to 5 years of age, whose parents reside in west Patrick street, was burned to death by its clothing taking fire in a room where it had been left locked up, together with a little boy of about 18 months of age, by the mother, while she went out on business.

Indeed, my friends! how dear to me My chosen friends, the few Who guard me with affection's eye— And pay the printer too.

When life is o'er, then may we meet, With friends who have been true; And there with joy, I hope to greet, Our worthy printer too.

But those who never pay their bill, And take the paper too, Cannot expect to join us till— They pay the printer too.

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Market Reports.

Flour, per barrel, \$4 25 @ 4 50 Wheat, per bushel, 90 @ 1 42 Rye, " " 70 @ 76 Corn, " " 65 @ 70 Oats, " " 32 @ 40 Clover-seed, " 4 00 @ 4 25 Timothy-seed, " 2 00 @ 2 25 Beef Cattle, per head, 7 00 @ 9 50 Hogs, " " 7 00 @ 7 50 Hay, per ton, 10 00 @ 15 00 Whiskey, per gallon, 20 @ 22 Guano, Peruvian, per ton, 56 00

Flour, per bbl., from wagons, \$4 00 Do., " " from stores, 4 62 Wheat, per bushel, 87 @ 1 00 Rye, " " 70 @ 76 Corn, " " 65 @ 70 Oats, " " 32 @ 40 Cloverseed, " 4 00 Timothy, " 1 50 Plaster, per ton, 0 00

Flour, per bbl., from wagons, \$4 00 Do., " " from stores, 4 75 Wheat, per bushel, 95 @ 1 05 Rye, " " 84 @ 85 Corn, " " 70 @ 75 Oats, " " 42 @ 44 Timothy, " 2 00 Plaster, per ton, 6 50

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New Millinery.

IN LITTLETON.—MARY M. BEITLER would respectfully inform the Ladies of Littleton and vicinity, that she has commenced the Millinery business at the residence of Wm. H. Laninger, in Frederick street, where she will keep on hand for sale, at the lowest profits, BONNETS, Fancy Ribbons, Flowers, Bandboxes, Straw, Leghorns, and other Millinery Goods, of the newest styles.

Bonnet making and trimming attended to with dispatch, in the latest fashions, and cheaply. April 5, 1858.

Milinery Removed. S. C. HOWARD would respectfully inform the Ladies of Gettysburg and its vicinity, that they will find her in Chambersburg street, at the residence of Mr. Samuel Herbst, opposite Mr. Tate's Hotel.

New Spring Goods! J. L. SCHICK has just received and offers for sale the most desirable assortment of DRY GOODS ever brought to Gettysburg, consisting of—

Spring Silks, Plain Black do., Foulards, Cashmere a'quille, Lawn do., Spring Delaines, and Gent's Linens.

Also, Bombazines, Alpaca, De Boges, Ginghams, Lawns, Brilliants, Shepher's Plaids, Crepe De Pange, Tissue Barges, &c. April 5, 1858.

Grand Opening OF HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, Trunks and Carpet Bags, at prices cheaper than ever.—Paxton & McHenry have just received the largest and cheapest assortment of Boots, Shoes, Hats and Trunks ever brought to this market, all of which they intend selling at the lowest prices.

P. S. Ladies' Gaiters, and all kinds of colored Shoes, in great abundance. PAXTON & McHENRY, South East corner of Centre Square. April 5, 1858.

Come and See. FRESH GROCERIES.—Norfolk & Martin have just received from the city a large lot of fresh Goods in their line. Sugars, of all qualities and prices; Molasses, five different kinds; Coffee, three kinds; Tea, emerald, black, and white; Crackers, Macaroni, Brooms, Brushes, &c.; Powder and Shot, Penicils, and a variety of fancy articles.

Flour and Feed always on hand, and sold at the smallest profits. April 12, 1858.

New Goods! CHEAPER THAN EVER!—Fahnestock Brothers have just received a large assortment of Ladies' Dress Goods, such as Dutch, English, and Delaware, Robes a'quille, Silks, Chintz, Lawns, Ginghams, &c., to which we invite the attention of buyers. Our stock comprising every variety of style and pattern, and having been selected with care and purchased low, we can offer inducements to our may work the machine against any other machine during hay-making and harvest; and if it does not give better satisfaction than any other machine with which it may be worked, they are at liberty to return it.

Men's Wear. J. L. SCHICK would invite the attention of Buyers to his large stock of Fine Colored Goods, such as— Fine Colored Silks, Fine Black Cassimeres, Fancy Cassimeres, Side Striped do., Vestings, Cravats, Hosiery, Gloves, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, &c. &c. April 5, 1858.

New Partnership. THE undersigned have entered into partnership in the Flour, Feed, Grocery and Provision business, at the old stand of the former, at the northwest corner of Baltimore and High streets. They will constantly keep on hand a large supply of Flour, Feed, Groceries, Provisions, Tobacco, Segars, &c., and will sell at the lowest living profits. Call and judge for yourselves. We will also call at the best market rates, for Flour and Cash. JACOB NORBECK, WM. J. MARTIN. April 5, 1858.

Public Sale of Land. THE undersigned will offer at Public Sale, upon the premises, on Saturday, the 24th inst., a part of the FARM whereon they now reside, lying south-east of the State Road, about 3 miles south-west of Gettysburg, containing 200 Acres, more or less. The land is a good fence, a portion of it in timber, some excellent meadow land, and the whole has already received about 800 bushels of sale.

Time to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M. when terms will be made known by the undersigned. MICHAEL FISSEL, ELIZABETH FISSEL, Huntington twp., April 5, 1858.

C. H. McCormick's REAPER AND MOWER.—I still have the Agency for C. H. McCormick's Reaper and Mower, and will offer to lease for this year two machines, the two-horse machine and the four-horse machine—and will guarantee fair chances and full satisfaction to any person who may want to purchase a machine. Any man purchasing a machine from me will get the machine against any other machine during hay-making and harvest; and if it does not give better satisfaction than any other machine with which it may be worked, they are at liberty to return it.

Removal. THE subscriber has removed his Plough and Machine Shop from the Foundry building to Railroad street, opposite Tate's Blacksmith shop, back of the Eagle Hotel, where he is better prepared than ever to attend to customers. Ploughs always on hand and made to order at the shortest notice, and Machines, Reapers, &c., repaired. Also he will attend to cleaning and repairing Clocks. DAVID WARREN. April 12, 1858.

Shawls! A. S. CHICK'S Printed Cashmere Shawls, Biella, Thibet, Delaine, &c. April 5, 1858.

SHAWLS, Bonnets and Ribbons.—Thibet Wool, Cashmere, Stella & Crappe Shawls, cheaper and prettier than elsewhere. Also Bonnets and Bonnet Trimmings; a large and pretty stock and very cheap, to be had at FAINESTOCKS.

ALMOST anything you want can be bought cheaper than elsewhere, at Fahnestock's. CHEESE.—A first-rate article just received and for sale by GILLESPIE & THOMAS.

FRUITS and Confections, nice and fresh, just from the States, at GILLESPIE & THOMAS.

STOVE PIPE of all sizes made to order at S. BUEHLER'S, in Chambersburg Street. HOUSE SPOUTING AND TIN ROOFING promptly attended to by GEO. E. BUEHLER.

GROCERIES.—If you want a good assortment of Groceries, such as Syrraps, Molasses, Sugar and Coffee, you will do well by examining the assortments at GILLESPIE & THOMAS.

JUST RECEIVED.—A large lot of bleached and unbleached Sheetings and Shirtings, all of which we offer at reduced prices. H. S. & R. H. MINNIGH.

QUEENSWALK.—Persons wishing to purchase Queenswalk will do well by examining the large and well selected assortment at H. S. & R. H. MINNIGH'S.

Domestic Goods. IN every variety at SCHICK'S, consisting of Prints, Mellins, Ginghams, Checks, Tickings, Sheetings, &c. [April 5.]

New Goods. THE cheapest in town. Call and see them, at the store of GEO. ARNOLD. April 5, 1858.

I HAVE a few Halfway COOK STOVES, which I will sell for \$25 each. GEORGE SWOPE, Ass't. Treas. March 15, 1858.

White Goods. AND EMBROIDERIES.—J. L. SCHICK would invite the Ladies to examine his large variety of new style Brilliants, Cambrics, Lace, Plain Cambric, Linen, Collets, Handkerchiefs, &c. [April 5.]

To Get THE full worth of your money, make your purchases of Ready-made Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Trunks, Cloaks, Valises, and everything else in the early part of the season. SAMSON'S. March 29, 1858.

New Coal & Lumber Yard.

AT NEW OXFORD, ADAMS COUNTY, PA.—FRANKLIN HERSH has received and will constantly keep on hand, a large and well selected assortment of LUMBER, and a superior article of COAL suitable for family purposes. All orders for sawed lumber can be filled at the shortest notice. FRANKLIN HERSH. New Oxford, Feb. 8, 1858.

New Lumber Yard. NEW OXFORD.—The undersigned would inform the public that he has opened LUMBER YARD on a large scale, in the town of New Oxford, Adams county, to which the Gettysburg Railroad has been already extended. His assortment embraces all kinds of Lumber—Panel, First and Second Common and Cutting Boards, First and Second Common and Cutting Plank, Headed Fencing Boards, Homlock Joists, Scantling, Plastering Lath, headed and plain Pailing, &c. &c.

His invites calls from those in want of Lumber, feeling assured that in quality or price his stock can't be beat. He will endeavor to do a large variety of business. JACOB AULBAUGH. Feb. 1, 1858.

Breast & Winter. NEW OXFORD, Adams county, Pa. Produce, Furniture and Commission Warehouse; Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Groceries; constantly on hand, Fish, Salt, Plaster, Guano, &c. FLOUR, WHEAT, CORN, RYE, OATS, CLOVER and TIMOTHY SEED, bought at all times, for which the highest cash prices are paid. Feb. 15, 1858.

Freight. BETWEEN PHILADELPHIA & N. OXFORD.—The undersigned has made arrangements with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to run their cars to Wrightsville, where Goods can be transhipped into the cars of the Northern Central Railroad Co. The present rates of Freight between Philadelphia and New Oxford are—

On 100 LBS. CLASS, 40 cts. per 100 lbs. 3d " 34 " " " 4th " 29 " " " Goods for the present time will be shipped only twice a week from Philadelphia—on Monday and Wednesday. But they will be shipped daily whenever there is an accumulation of 2000 lbs. or upwards. HENRY KAUFFELT. Wrightsville, March 15, 1858.

A Large Supply of Lumber. INCLUDING every quality of River Pine, just received, and for sale, at very low prices, at the store of SHELDON & BUEHLER, on the corner of Washington and Railroad Streets, just in the rear of the "Eagle Hotel." They have also on hand a large variety of Plastering Lathes, Shingling Lathes, and Picket Heads, (for garden fencing), which they will sell low. Orders for any amount can be promptly filled. Builders, before purchasing elsewhere, will find it to their advantage to examine quality and prices.—Also, a superior article of Blacksmith Coal, at 33 cts. per bushel. Gettysburg, Jan. 25, 1858.

The First of the Season! MARCUS SAMSON has just received from the New York Auction Sales, a large lot of READY-MADE CLOTHING for spring and summer, which he is able to sell at prices unprecedently low. The new arrival consists of Frock, Back and Haplan Coats, with Pants and Vests, in the very best patterns; and for Men and Boys. Call and examine the large assortment before purchasing elsewhere.

Goods will be received from New York every few weeks throughout the season.—Inducements to purchase are made, and will be offered by any other establishment in the county are now, and will continue to be, offered, at SAMSON'S, Opposite the Bank. March 29, '58.

New Goods. GEO. ARNOLD has just received from the City a large stock of Goods, among which are Ladies' Dress Goods, very cheap and latest styles; cheap Cloths, Cassimeres, Tweeds, Summer Cloths, Drab, Delaine, Coatings, Vestings, Linens, Calicoes, Ginghams, and a large stock of domestic goods. Also, GROCERIES.

The above goods have been well selected and will be sold at small profits for Cash.—Please call, examine, and judge for yourselves. Gettysburg, March 29, 1858.

Elastic Cement Roofing. THE subscriber is prepared to contract and put on at the shortest notice, W. E. Child & Co.'s Patent Fire and Water Proof Elastic Cement Roofing.

It is perfectly Fire and Water proof, and in point of durability is equal, if not superior, to any Metallic Roofing. It can be put on over tin, tar, iron, or stange roofs, however flat or steep they may be. In points of resisting the elements of fire and water, nothing has