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Baltimore Adverts. HARDING & CARROLL. COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

J. Weatherly & Co., Wholesale and Retail Dealers in CHILDS' FURNACES, Brick and portable COOKING STOVES.

Franklin House, Rebuilt and Refurnished. Corner of Howard and Franklin streets.

Baltimore Safe Manufactory. MILLER'S IMPROVED SALAMANDER SAFES, built annually in these safes that never failed to preserve their contents.

Peter Zell & Son, Commission Merchants and Dealers in COFFEE, Corn Meal, Guanoes, OATS, Rice, Flour, Sugar, etc.

Wines, Brandy, Rums, &c. P. THIENAN & SONS, offer the following articles of their own importation, particularly for family use.

Baltimore. BELL AND BRASS WORKS, 121 Holliday street. B. H. REGESTER & Co., Proprietors.

Carpets, OIL CLOTHS AND DRUGGISTS, wholesale and retail. Constantly on hand an assortment of Carpets at low prices.

Notice. PETER WIKENTZ'S ESTATE. Letters of administration on the estate of Peter Wikentz, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same place, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment.

Call and See the Bargains! R. F. McLENNAN, having just returned from the city of Philadelphia, where he has selected very carefully his FALL AND WINTER GOODS, is prepared to show the prettiest and most fashionable stock of goods in his line ever brought into this place at a price that will defy all competition.

Marble Yard Removed. THE subscriber having removed his place of business to East York street, a short distance below St. James' Church, would announce to the public that he is prepared to furnish all kinds of marble in the style of the most celebrated workmen.

Lots of New Goods. GEO. ARNOLD has just received from the city a large lot of cheap CLOTHS, Gaudy Prints, Cambrics, Coatings, Socks and other goods, which he offers at a low price.

Private Sale. THE WASHINGTON HOUSE, New Oxford, Pa. is sold or rented on account of some persons wishing to buy or rent. The undersigned, who has been authorized by the proprietors, is prepared to receive offers for the purchase or rental of the premises.

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J. C. Neely, Attorney at Law, will attend to collection and all other business entrusted to him.

Wm. A. Duncan, Attorney at Law, Office in the North-west corner of Centre Square, Gettysburg, Pa.

A. J. Cover, Attorney at Law, will promptly attend to Collections and all other business entrusted to him.

Wm. B. McClellan, Attorney at Law, Office in West-Middle street, one door west of the new Court House.

Edward B. Buchler, Attorney at Law, will faithfully and promptly attend to all business entrusted to him.

D. McConaughy, Attorney at Law, office one door west of Buchler's drug and book store.

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J. Lawrence Hill, M. D., As his office one door west of the Lutheran church in Chambersburg street.

More New Goods. THE Sign of the BIG BOOT, in Chambersburg street. We have just received a large stock of HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Umbrellas, Baggy Hats, &c.

New Goods. CHEAP GOODS - BERRY GOODS - FURNITURE. Brothers have returned from the cities with the largest and cheapest assortment of goods ever offered to the public.

Real Estate Agency. THE undersigned has made arrangements to open in Gettysburg an AGENCY for the sale of REAL ESTATE, including the attention of persons wishing to sell or purchase Farms or Real Estate.

Hats and Furs. JOHN OBYRNE, S. E. Corner EIGHTH and RACE STREETS, PHILADELPHIA, respectfully informs the public that he has now in store a most excellent assortment of DRESS HATS, at \$2 and \$3 each.

Just in Season! GIVE US A CALL! The undersigned have just received from the cities an immense stock of CHEAP GOODS, including all the latest styles in all varieties, etc.

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Poet's Corner. THE DYING BROTHER. "Lay up nearer, brother, nearer. For my limbs are growing cold. And my spirit, brother, dearer. When my arms around me fold, I am dying brother, die."

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The Conjuror's Feast. The following story is from the Memoirs of Robert Houdin, the celebrated French Conjuror, written by himself. It describes one of his feats in Algeria among the Marabouts.

Instinct of Appetite. We constantly notice, at our own table, that a child will be ravenously fond of a particular dish, and after a while turn from it. The reason is, that there was a constituent in the much-loved food which the system required, and which it drank up greedily until it was fully supplied, and then instinct would receive no more.

One of the Sleepers. An exchange is responsible for the following: Away out in Missouri they live on the primitive system. People sleep, as well as eat, in one room, and in the morning there are three to a dozen beds in each chamber.

Curiousities to the Hermitage. A gentleman who recently made a pilgrimage to the Hermitage, and who returned with a number of curiosities, which he had collected in the mountains of the Pyrenees.

A Tall One. Do you know Tom D.? Well, he lives down by us in the town of Danville, and is counted by all persons, far and near, as the greatest liar of our age.

The Present Parson Estate. A New York paper says that the late Rev. Amos A. Whittington, late pastor of the First Church in New York, has just died, and his estate is being administered by his executor.

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A Wealthy Man. The New York correspondent of the New Orleans Crescent gives the following description of George Law.

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Disruption of Emigration from the British Colonies. The following is a comparison of the emigration from the British Colonies to the United States during the last two years.

Table with 4 columns: Year, Emigrated from Britain, Returned to Britain, Actual Emigration. 1857: 15,472, 1,456, 13,916. 1858: 13,329, 3,460, 9,869.

The diminution, therefore in 1858, was over 50 per cent, as compared with the preceding year. The 9,869 individuals who emigrated in 1858, possessed together 2,971,070 thalers, somewhat over 500 thalers per head, which gives an average of three or four persons, 1,000 thalers, as the average property of each. These statements go far to contradict the cry about European pauper importation, which a few years ago was re-echoed through the whole length and breadth of this exciting country.

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