

All Sorts.

Advertisements.

Sheriff's Sale.

The most terrific tornado known for years, passed over Cairo, Ill., on Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock. It was accompanied with thunder, lightning, and rain. A large number of transports and steam-tugs were blown across the river, and several steamers were very much injured. The steamer Philadelphia was sunk and three men were drowned. Four or five lives were lost on board the steamer Illinois, and eight persons were blown overboard from the Americans, and drowned. Five men were blown from the transports at the levee, and drowned; and several had legs and arms broken. The loss to the Government is very great. The slate roof of the St. Charles Hotel was torn off and completely demolished, and a small craft tied to the levee in front of the Hotel, occupied by a poor man and his family, consisting of five persons, parted its moorings during the gale, and all on board were drowned. At Paducah the storm was very severe, uprooting thirty houses, including the Marine Hospital. The damage done to the steamers and property along the river was immense.

SHARP FIGHTING. — Lieut. O'Neil, of Lancaster, commanded 22 men of Company C, 84th Regt. Pa. Vol., at the battle of Winchester, and one of the 22, but 4 came out unharmed — being killed and 14 wounded! He made a narrow escape, having received a bruise from a piece of shell on the right thigh, and also a slight flesh wound on the other. His blanket was shot from his shoulder, and his cap from his head — pretty close work!

There was an order issued from the General Post Office Department on Thursday, directing that all letters addressed to the soldiers of the Army of the Potomac, whether now at Washington or moving south, should be mailed to Washington City. From that office they will be properly forwarded in separate packages to the respective corps and divisions and their delivery facilitated.

The telegraph has placed the flotilla at Island No. 10 in direct communication with Washington, and a despatch from Commodore Foote announces an important operation on Friday. Thro' of the gun-boats, with three of the mortar boats, opened fire on the Rebels' heavy floating battery anchored off the Island. The fire was continued for over an hour, when the rebel battery was cut loose from its moorings and allowed to float down the stream out of range. The shells were thrown from the flotilla into the different forts of the Island and into the batteries on the Tennessee shore. The return fire of the Rebels produced no effect on the squadron. Other despatches, not so late as that from Commodore Foote, state that during the firing on Wednesday one of our shells struck the Rebel steamer Winchester, setting her on fire, and the burst to the water's edge. The Rebels attempted to bring their floating battery up within range but failed.

THE GRAIN AND FRUIT CROP. — A correspondent of the Steubenville Herald, who has traveled much through the country lately, speaks glowingly of the beautiful prospects for a good wheat crop. It is pronounced to be uncommonly forward and flourishing in present appearance, the best that he had seen for thirty years. It regards to fruit; the same gentleman says it has received no damage as yet, but he cautiously advises inquirers to "wait till the frost and freezing winds of May are past." This is the lesson of the experience of several years past. The prospects for an abundant crop of wheat in this neighborhood appear good, and the indications of a good fruit crop are also promising. In fact, all of our exchanges have yet referred to the subject, speak favorably of the prospects for an abundant harvest.

A BOY PRISONER. — A St. Louis correspondent relates the following incident in the prison hospital at St. Louis: A little drummer boy was evidently dying. A lady spoke to him, asking if he wanted anything. "No," was the feeble answer, but with a wistful look at the kind face over him, he said his mother had sent him from Mississippit to defend her home. He did not regret it, but wanted to see his mother. He gave his mother's address, looking wistfully, as if there was something on his mind. At last he said: "My mother is a good woman, too. She would treat a poor sick prisoner kindly, and if she were your son, she would kiss him." "I will kiss you, dear boy, for your mother," said she. She kissed him, and in a few minutes he died.

A RICH AFFAIR. — A MAN DRAWS ON A CITY FIRM FOR A WIFE — A few days since a respectable business firm on Water st. received a letter from a customer near Youngstown, enclosing an order for a wife! The customer was rich, middle-aged, a Dutchman and a widower. He said he wanted a wife right off, and had no time to look up one for himself, but should be in town in the course of a day or two to marry the woman which he depended on his friends having ready for him. Such an order rather took the merchants aback, but the man was too good a customer to displease. As they had no supply of the article on hand, for sale, one of the firm went out to hunt it up, and at an intelligence office got track of a girl who could speak German and English, was tolerably good-looking, and very much wanted to find a husband. A bargain was struck. The Dutchman came in yesterday, found the article ready for him, approved of it, got married, and took his curious purchase home with him. We did not learn whether the firm charged a special fee, or a percentage commission on the market value of the article. — *Cleveland Herald.*

A JEALOUS WIFE CONSIDERS HER HUSBAND. — On Friday evening, considerable excitement and much merriment was created in the neighborhood of Union avenue, Williamsburg, by a whipping inflicted by a jealous woman upon her spouse. It appears the offending Benedict had attended a masquerade party on Thursday night, leaving his "better half" at home. He went directly from the party to his business, and while on his way home, about six o'clock on Friday evening, was met, just before reaching that refuge, by his indignant wife, who, failing to receive satisfactory answers to her inquiries touching his whereabouts the night before, drew cowards, and applied it with much vigor about his head and face. Bystanders interfering, the woman finally left, saying she would "now go home to her mother." — *New York Sun.*

Fresh Stock.

G. CARR has just received from Philadelphia a fresh stock of GROCERIES, to which he invites the attention of the public. It embraces Coffees, Sugars, Teas, Syrups, Nougat, all kinds, including a superior Article for babies. Spices, &c. Liquors of all kinds always on hand.

TYSON BROTHERS.

A large assortment of Men's heavy Water-proof Boots, Caf' Boots, heavy Boots, &c. just received and for sale cheap, at Oct. 28. R. F. McLENNENY.

Holiday Presents.

JUST received from Philadelphia a fine assortment of Photograph Albums, suitable for Holiday presents, which we offer at reduced prices.

Change of Time.

GETTYSBURG RAILROAD — On and after Wednesday, May 15, 1861, the Morning Train will leave Gettysburg at 7 A. M., with passengers for all the connections, North and South, in the Northern Central Railroad, and vice versa. The train will stop at 2 P. M. and leave Gettysburg at 2.30 P. M.; but passengers by this train can go no further than Harrisburg about 5.15 P. M., with passenger tickets. Through Tickets are issued to Philadelphia, New York, Pittsburgh, Reading, Lancaster, York, Williamsport, Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, and all points on the line of the Northern Central Railroad. D. E. TRONE, Ticket Agent.

Another Railroad.

ACCIDENT — The Carr of the track near Gettysburg, Pa., to which the express train from the North and South, will be in the course of a day or two to reach the same evening. Returning will reach Gettysburg about 5.15 P. M., with passenger tickets. Through Tickets are issued to Philadelphia, New York, Pittsburgh, Reading, Lancaster, York, Williamsport, Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, and all points on the line of the Northern Central Railroad. D. E. TRONE, Ticket Agent.

Hardware & Grocery.

A. SCOTT & SON, Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods, Fancy Articles, Quinceware, Groceries, &c., N. W. Corner of Chamberlain and Washington streets. We have just received our Stock of Goods, suited to the FALL AND WINTER MARKET. We have a large assortment of new, pretty, good and cheap Goods for Ladies, and have a good assortment of DRESS GOODS, SHAWLS, TRIMMINGS, &c. Our stock of Cloths, Camisoles, Camisettes, Jeans, &c., for Men and Boys, is large, good and cheap.

John W. Tipton.

FASHIONABLE BARBER, North-east corner of the Diamond, (next door to McClellan's Hotel), Gettysburg, Pa., where he can at all times be found ready to attend to all business in his line. He has excellent assistance, and will ensure satisfaction. Give him a call.

Danger in Delay.

THE undersigned requests us to say that he will be much obliged to each and all of those who know themselves to be indebted to him, either by Note, Book Account, or otherwise, if they will make immediate payment. To delay doing so, will compel him to the disagreeable necessity of collecting through a proper officer. — MARCUS SAMSON.

TYSON BROTHERS.

Share constantly on hand a large assortment of plain and fancy glasses, gilt frames, gold and plated ideots, bracelets, &c., &c. with the swelling at astonishing low prices.

LADIES' DRESS TRIMMINGS.

In great variety, &c. — CHICKS.

A Fresh Supply.

I TAKE this method to inform the public that I have received from the city of Philadelphia a FRESH STOCK OF GOODS, comprising all of the newest styles of LADIES' DRESS GOODS.

SHAWLS,
CLOTHING CLOTHES,
GLOVES,
BOBINS,
DONNETS,
RIBBONS,
HANDKETS,

as well as a fine assortment of
PERFUMERY AND FANCY SOAPS,

in fact everything that is usually found in a stock of Dry and Fancy Goods.

FOR THE GENTLEMEN.

I have as complete a stock of CLOTHES, CASSIMETTES, GOODS SUITABLE FOR BOYS, &c., &c., as GLOVES, CLOTHES, HANDBAGS, PARASOLS, SHAWLS, &c., &c., as ever brought to the market.

Ladies' Dress Trimmings, in great variety.

Visiting Cards, Envelopes, Note Books, &c.

Irish Linen, Bleached and Brown Muslin, Pillow Case Muslin and Wide Sheetings.

Oct. 25, 1861. J. L. SCHICK.

Cheap.

OVER COATS,
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HOOD JACKETS,
MONKEY JACKETS,
SHIRTS,
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DRAWERS,
DRAWERS,
VESTS,
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PANTS,
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Lots of them a little cheaper than the cheapest, all of our make to be had at the Clothing Emporium. — GEO. ARNOLD.

June 1, 1861.

Lancaster Book Bindery.

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LANCASTER, PA.

Plum and Oriental Bindings, of every description, executed in the most substantial and approved style.

C. W. HOFFMAN.

Adams County, Pa.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of each county.

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