

B. F. SCHWEIER,
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

Bismarck's speech is a fine specimen of a straddler.

Florida straw berries sold in New York last week at 5 cents a piece, or for \$2.50 a quart.

The Metropolitan bank of Cincinnati "shut up shop" last week. It was a government depository.

Certain parties are having it announced in the news papers that the South Pennsylvania Railroad will be pushed to completion.

Bismarck delivered an hour and forty minutes speech in the German assembly a day or two ago, the chief subject of which was the peace question. He is far from being ready for war.

The principle of the anarchist is that he don't want to support any one, not even his wife and children, but he wants everybody to help support him. A liberal fellow, in his view, is one who helps other people's money.

The friends of President Cleveland may find interesting reading in Cleveland's letter of acceptance, of the nomination for the Presidency, in which he declares himself as against an account of the Presidential office becoming a candidate for re-election.

An insurance company in New York refuses to pay a large insurance on the life of John Tyler, on the ground that Tyler had agreed with certain man or two that he would, to have his life insured, and then commit suicide so that his debts might be paid.

Professor Francis L. Patton, D. D. of Lehigh, was unanimously chosen as President of Princeton College, last week. Dr. Patton is intensely Pro-bismarck and was a power in the college when Gov. M. Swiney of Chicago was under ecclesiastical consideration for preaching an Presbyterian doctrine.

Bismarck expresses the belief that Russia is peacefully disposed toward Germany, but still in possession of the power he believes Germany should have as a military establishment on a complete war footing. Which is no more than restating the old diplomatic theory of "time of peace prepares for war."

Captured at Last.
Merrill, N. J., Feb. 7.—For several weeks the residents of this place have been agitated by stories of a vigilante committee who had been on the lookout for them. On Sunday night several houses were robbed, and a large number of chickens were taken. The Vigilance Committee went to one of these houses and there found the tracks of the thieves in the yard. Tracks were followed to Sandy Hill, where a farm resided Samuel and John Baker, well known residents. Warrants were procured and the house was searched, whereupon forty-one chickens were found dead, and the kitchen floor and covered with a half yard of fresh mud and seven live chickens were found scattered about the premises. The Baker brothers were held by Justice Wright for their appearance at court.

PRETENDED GOOD BET HAD.
Henry E. Rees, painter and book keeper of the Continental hotel in Philadelphia was imprisoned last week for having stolen about \$12,000 from the employers. He had a miserable look about him, and was one of the most wretched of the Broad and Arch streets Baptist Church. He was a liberal man with other people's money, and was one of the strongest pillars of the congregation. He thought what in the Sabbath school and when a new church was built, he gave \$2,000. He had been a member of the church for many years. Prior to 1875 he was cashier and book-keeper of Charles Magraw and Co., and stole \$85,000 from them. They did not prosecute him, but left him in possession of the money. He had a wife and two children, and in addition to his wife, he kept a woman named Jennie Kurtz, in his wife's home from the one in which his wife lived. His wife knew nothing of the woman, but she had a feeling that she was not her wife. She had a feeling that she was not her wife. She had a feeling that she was not her wife.

to the don't care a continental class of young women. They told the stranger that Mr. Laird's team was their own and suggested a drive together through the town. The stranger, highly complimented by this generous conduct, untied the horse and the happy trio were soon dashing through Huntington, at a rapid pace to the great amusement of the girls and the man as well. While passing the court house Mr. Laird saw that his team was in the hands of a stranger, and hurrying up to the driver demanded an explanation. The girls immediately caught on the racket and disappeared as fast as they could, leaving the greatly embarrassed young drummer to explain. Mr. Laird doubted the story, but the truth, when given and admitted the truth, whereupon the stranger threatened to have them arrested. Fearing the notoriety that would ensue the girls begged that nothing should be said about it, and after promising that they would never do it again, they were left to depart.

Communication.

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IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A FIRST CLASS ARTICLE IN CHEWING TOBACCO DON'T FAIL TO GIVE OLD HONESTY A FAIR TRIAL. ASK YOUR DEALER FOR IT. DON'T TAKE ANY OTHER. J.B. RIZER & SONS, LEWISVILLE, KY.

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BRANCH AT PORT ROYAL.
Stockholders Individually Liab.
JOSEPH ROTHROCK, President.
T. VAN IRWIN, Cashier.

A SPLENDID COLLECTION
Bright, New Fall
AND
WINTER STYLES!
The Champion Clothier of Juniata County having just returned from the Eastern cities with a wonderful
AUTUMN & WINTER STOCK
Will make friends, outshine rivals, vie victories, and sell itself on its merits. MEN'S BOYS & CHILDREN'S
FASHIONABLE CLOTHING
and Gent's furnishing goods. First Class, combining style, quality and elegance, with prices that will astonish you. No sale is expected unless I prove this.
But I ask your patronage only when I give complete satisfaction. My stock of HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES OVER-ALLS, WATERPROOF and JEWELRY, Calico, Percale and White Shirts, Neck wear, Collars and Cuffs, Ties and Satchels, is full and complete. Call and see.

Sam'l STRAYER,
THE OLD RELIABLE CLOTHIER AND FURNISHER
IN PATTERSON.
June 16, 1888.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.
TIM-TABLE
On and after Sunday Feb. 15th, 1888 trains will run as follows:
EASTWARD.
ALTOONA ACCOMMODATION leaves Altoona daily at 5:20 a. m. Tyrone 6:25 a. m. Harrisburg 7:30 a. m. Pottsville 8:35 a. m. Newberry 9:40 a. m. McVeytown 10:45 a. m. Lewisport 11:50 a. m. Millersburg 12:55 p. m. Middletown 1:55 p. m. Newburg 2:55 p. m. Gettysburg 3:55 p. m. York 4:55 p. m. Philadelphia 5:55 p. m.
SIX WEEKS EXPRESS leaves Altoona daily at 6:20 a. m. Tyrone 7:25 a. m. Harrisburg 8:30 a. m. Pottsville 9:35 a. m. Newberry 10:40 a. m. McVeytown 11:45 a. m. Lewisport 12:50 p. m. Millersburg 1:50 p. m. Middletown 2:50 p. m. Newburg 3:50 p. m. Gettysburg 4:50 p. m. York 5:50 p. m. Philadelphia 6:50 p. m.
MAIL TRAIN leaves Harrisburg daily at 6:50 a. m. Tyrone 7:55 a. m. Pottsville 9:00 a. m. Newberry 10:05 a. m. McVeytown 11:10 a. m. Lewisport 12:15 p. m. Millersburg 1:15 p. m. Middletown 2:15 p. m. Newburg 3:15 p. m. Gettysburg 4:15 p. m. York 5:15 p. m. Philadelphia 6:15 p. m.
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New Firm.
WINTER GOODS.
To the coming and going of Seasons we must all conform. The Goods suitable for spring and summer must be supplanted by FALL AND WINTER GOODS.
We have now filled our shelves with Fall and Winter Goods of all kinds. Our customers have appreciated our efforts to give them goods to suit their purposes, and we believe that we are better prepared than ever to merit their confidence. We invite you to come and see and be satisfied. In our dress goods department we have almost everything. Don't be backward, call for what you want.

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Practical Dentist.
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The Cabinet Organ was introduced by Mason & Hamlin in 1820. It is a great advance in piano construction, especially in the tone, and has since that time supplanted all other organs. It is the only one that has remained in vogue since its introduction in 1820.

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DR. HOBENACK'S
CAUTION NOTICE.
A person is offering counterfeit copies of my book, "The History of the County of Juniata," and is selling them at a low price. I have no objection to the sale of my book, but I do not wish to see it sold at a low price. I have no objection to the sale of my book, but I do not wish to see it sold at a low price.

LEWISTOWN DIVISION.
Trains leave Lewistown Junction for Millersburg at 10:30 a. m., 1:15 p. m., 7:15 p. m. Trains arrive at Lewistown Junction from Millersburg at 10:30 a. m., 1:15 p. m., 7:15 p. m.

THURSDAY DIVISION.
Trains leave Tyrone for Bellefonte and Lock Haven at 12:00 p. m. and 4:25 p. m. Trains arrive at Tyrone from Bellefonte and Lock Haven at 12:00 p. m. and 4:25 p. m.

PRIME INVESTMENT.
TORTILITA
Gold and Silver Mining Co.
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All that which is respectfully submitted.
W. P. GRAHAM,
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Adoptors.

AUDITORS OFFICE.

Mifflintown, Pa., January 6th, 1888.

STATEMENT OF DEBTS DRAWN BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF JUNIATA COUNTY ON THE TREASURER THEREOF FOR THE SIXTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1888.

Balance on hand, \$1000.00. Cash on hand, \$500.00. Total, \$1500.00.

COMMUNALITY COSTS.

E. W. Melton, costs, \$17.00. S. P. Melton, costs, \$17.00. Total, \$34.00.

Public Buildings.

F. W. Noble, repairs to pump, \$1.00. J. H. Noble, repairs to pump, \$1.00. Total, \$2.00.

Courts and Jurors' Pay.

D. T. Kintner, juror's pay, \$700.00. J. H. Noble, juror's pay, \$700.00. Total, \$1400.00.

County Prison.

David Foyles boarding and Sherwin, \$52.12. D. M. Crawford medical services, \$9.25. Total, \$61.37.

County Watch Club Co.

P. O. Box 923, Philadelphia, Pa.

RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURES.

COUNTY OF JUNIATA
From January 1, 1887, to January 1, 1888.

THOUSANDS OF THE BEST
WALTHAM
CO-OPERATIVE CLUBS.
Watch to the Best, Cheapest, and most reliable. Waltham watches are the best in the world. They are made in Waltham, Mass., and are the only watches made in the world that are guaranteed for life.

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Interest.
Miss Caroline Laylor and others, interest, \$1055.25.

Printing and Stationery.
Bonall & Jackson, printing, \$165.78. Wm. M. Allison, court proclamation, \$109.50. B. F. Schweier, court proclamation, \$109.50. T. D. German, court proclamation, \$24.00. J. M. Copeland, stationery, \$46.00. W. H. Rolland, stationery, \$15.32.

County Bridges.
J. T. Dimmick, repairs to bridge at Mahanongo, \$5.71. M. G. Deck, repairs to bridge at

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