

A DREADFUL DEED.—The Lancaster Intelligencer records a dreadful deed as having been attempted near Dillfield. A young woman named Major, was much alarmed at hearing some persons walking in her room, and upon making a noise, was told in German to be quiet. She at once discovered the person to be HER STEFATHER, who, after opening the back door made an attempt upon her with a knife, inflicting a highly dangerous, and nearly fatal wound in the neck. It extended along the upper side of her collar bone, leaving the carotid artery pulsating on the surface, the thumb nearly severed from the hand, and several other wounds. He had secreted himself, under her bed, from nine or ten o'clock, until the hour spoken of and had frequently threatened her life before, because she would not comply with his wishes. Dr. Kerfoot, was immediately called in, and examined and dressed her wounds. She is still in danger.

Phil. Inquirer.

We learn that the woolen factory belonging to Mr. E. W. Lawton, at Portsmouth, R. I. was burnt down on Friday evening.

A FATAL ACCIDENT.—On Monday last Mr. Hayweiser, of the borough of Gettysburgh, was deprived of life in a mournful manner. He was engaged in digging sand at the southern end of the town when a bank which was considerably undermined fell upon him and crushed him to death instantly. He was a German somewhat advanced in years.

A man named Longtin was on the 13th inst. lodged in jail at Montreal, for the murder of a private of Hussars, at a house in which there was a jollification on foot.

DIED.

In Milford, on Wednesday evening, the 20th inst. after a protracted illness, Mr. EDWARD BARNES, aged about 42 years.

LAST NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the late firm of Stokes & Brown, are requested to make payment on or before the first day of July next, or their accounts will be left in the hands of a Justice for collection. STOGDELL STOKES.

May 29, 1840.

NOTICE.

The Auditors appointed by the Orphans' Court of Monroe County, to audit, examine, and if necessary to settle the account of Philip M. Bush, administrator of the estate of John Smiley, deceased, will attend to the duties of their appointment, at the public house of Edward Postens, in Stroudsburg, on Tuesday the 16th day of June next, at 10 o'clock, A. M. when and where all persons interested may attend if they think proper.

FRANKLIN STARBIRD, WM. D. WALTON, JOHN BOYS.

May 29, 1840. Auditors.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, (issued out of the Court of Pike county) there will be exposed to public sale, on Monday, the 8th day of June next, at one o'clock, P. M. at the Court House in Milford, the following described lots of unseated or unimproved lots of land, situate in the county of Pike and State of Pennsylvania, two of which is in the township of Green, one of them numbered on the Commissioners books of Pike (281) warrantee William Wallen, containing 439 acres and 100 perches, one other No. 268, warrantee William Linnch, 439 acres and 100 perches. Six other tracts situate in the township of Dingman, in said county, as follows: No. 146, warrantee Mordecai Roberts, 435 acres and 108 perches, one other, No. 175, warrantee John Guindv, 453 acres and 30 perches, one other, No. 176, Matthew Rverson, 104 acres and 90 perches, one other, No. 177, William Morris 386 acres and 107 perches, one other, No. 178, Hannah Palmer, 439 acres and 154 perches, one other, No. 180, Samuel Gunsables, 378 acres and 60 perches, one other situated in Delaware township, No. 88, John Morton, 439 acres and 90 perches, one other situate in Lehman township, No. 90, Richard Broadhead, 378 acres. Given up by the defendant David Beecher. Seized and taken in execution as the property of David Beecher at the suit of Stuel to the use of David R. Bury, against David Beecher, and will be sold by me J. M. HELLER, Sheriff, Sheriff's Office, Milford, May 9, 1840.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

Was lost on Thursday, the 21st inst. between Stroudsburg and John Brown's Tannery, a large fair grain Salf Skin Pocket Book, containing one \$50 bill on the Eastern Bank, one \$3 bill on the Goshenbank, one note of hand against John Brown for one hundred dollars, payable one day after date, and dated 23d of March, 1840, and one note of hand against Samuel Bogart for twenty dollars, dated May 9th, 1833. Any person finding said pocket book and returning it to the subscriber at John Brown's, shall receive the above reward. MICHAEL BROWN, Jr. Smithfield, May 22, 1840.

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing either of the above notes, from any person, as said notes were obtained unlawfully. JOHN BROWN, SAMUEL BOGART, May 27, 1840.

Job Work of all kinds neatly executed at the office of the "Jeffersonian Republican."

BRANDRETH'S PILLS.

Cleanse and Purify the Blood. The application of the principal of PURGATION being allowed to be one of the greatest utility in the cure and prevention of disease, it is of the utmost consequence to ascertain what medicine is capable of producing the effect desired, in the easiest, and at the same time, in the most effectual manner. It has no longer to contend with the blind prejudices of the public; it is only with those few who are still determined to be "killed according to rule," like the people of old, "who would have" a "King to reign over them." But, thanks to the circulation of newspapers—thanks to the general diffusion of knowledge, which enables nineteen twentieths of the PEOPLE to read and judge for themselves—now we no longer believe in swallowing that deadly mineral, Mercury professing to cure, but universally leaving us in a worse condition after its use.

We no longer believe in the absurd notion that inflammations of any kind can be cured by abstracting our life—OUR BLOOD, it is now understood that an Inflammation is a wise ordinance of Nature—a signal that she requires the assistance of purgative medicine to ease her of the oppressive burden, which she proves by the high fever and the strong pulse, is wanted to be removed. In other words, the body calls for a VEGETABLE CLEANSING.

Brandreth's Vegetable Universal Pills require skill in their administration; the printed directions only have to be observed and they describe the just proportion of the dose to the magnitude of the disease to be cured.

BRANDRETH'S PILLS.

This medicine is acknowledged to be one of the most valuable ever discovered, as a Purifier of the Blood and Fluids. It is superior to Sarsaparilla, whether as sudorific or alternative. It stands infinitely before all the preparations or combinations of Mercury. Its Purgative powers alone are of incalculable value; for those Pills may be taken daily, FOR ANY PERIOD, and instead of weakening by the cathartic effect, they add strength, by taking away the cause of weakness. There is no good Mercury does, which these Pills do not likewise; but they have none of the miserable effects of that Deadly Secretive. The TEETH are not injured; the BONES and LIMBS are not paralyzed;—no; but in the stead of these distressing symptoms, new life and vigor is animate and evident in every movement of the body. BRANDRETH'S PILLS are indeed a UNIVERSAL REMEDY for they cure opposite diseases; they cure INFLAMMATORY and CHRONIC RHEUMATISM! They cure DIABETES and STRANGURY! They cure DYSENTARY and CONSTITUTIONAL COSTIVENESS! They will cure all these apparently opposite diseases, because they CLEANSE and PURIFY the BLOOD; provided however, Nature is not beyond all Human Assistance. For years this medicine has been before the public in the United States; wherever it has been introduced, it has superseded all other remedies.

DR. BRANDRETH'S OFFICE for the sale of the above valuable Pills in Philadelphia is at No. 8 North Third Street, a few doors above Market street.

25 cents per box with directions Druggists, never made Agents. Beware of Counterfeits.

GENERAL AGENTS. At Milford, JOHN H. BRODHEAD. " Stroudsburg, RICHARD S. STAPLES. " Duttsburg, LUKE BRODHEAD. " New Marketville, TROXEL & SCHOCH. May 9 1840.—ly.

CAUTION.

PUBLIC OPINION from whose decision there is no appeal, has been so often and so loudly manifested in favor of BRANDRETH'S VEGETABLE UNIVERSAL PILLS, that it is not surprising there should be found in almost every city, town, and village in the United States, persons so depraved at heart, and so utterly devoid of the principal of moral rectitude, as to manufacture a spurious article, and palm it off on the unsuspecting public as the genuine medicine, from the result of which so many happy results have been accrued to humanity. It is painful to think that an inestimable good should be product of direct and immediate evil—but so it is.

The very excellence of Brandreth's Vegetable Universal Pills, has in some respects, opened a species of high-way through which cupidity and avarice carry on their depredations without check;—notwithstanding the frequency of exposure already made—notwithstanding the inflexible disgust which has been heaped upon counterfeit druggists—notwithstanding the large amount of human suffering which has been the consequence of this imposition and fraud, druggists continue to carry on this revolting traffic; and counterfeiters are as numerous and as varied in the market, as if no denunciation had ever been made, and public indignation never been expressed.

Since, however, this destructive evil still exists, and neither the fear of God, nor of earthly punishment, can entirely put it down, it becomes my imperative duty again and again to caution the public against purchasing pills of a druggist, professing to be Brandreth's Pills for as under no circumstances is any of this class made an Agent, it follows of course that the Pills sold at such places professing to be Brandreth's Pills are universally base counterfeits, highly injurious to the health of the People.

Established Agents for the Genuine Brandreth's Vegetable Universal Pills, are INvariably furnished with an engraved certificate, signed, E. BRANDRETH, M. D. in my own hand writing. This certificate is renewed every year and when over twelve months old, it no longer guarantees the genuineness of the medicine. It would be well, therefore for purchasers carefully to examine the certificate, the seal of which is neatly embossed on the paper, in order at least that the safeguard of imposition may not at least be susceptible of imitation.

B. BRANDRETH, M. D. Philadelphia Office for the sale of the above

Valuable Pills is at No. 8 North-eighth Street a few doors north of Market street.

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LADIES' COMPANION.

New Volume commenced with the May Number. THE Ladies' Companion, established in May, 1834—a popular and highly esteemed magazine of General Literature and the Fine Arts; embellish with gorgeous and costly engravings on steel, and the Quarterly fashions; and also with Fashionable and popular Music, arranged for the Piano-Forte, and Guitar.

Since the publication of the number for November, the demand for the Ladies' Companion has been unprecedented and beyond the most sanguine anticipations. At the commencement of the volume an additional number of copies were printed, which was considered at the time adequate to satisfy all the orders which might be received, and leave a considerable number on hand for subsequent calls. The publisher is more than gratified in stating that the whole of an edition of six thousand, five hundred copies, was completely exhausted before the issuing of the third number of the volume; and, consequently, he was compelled to reprint a second edition of two thousand copies, making the circulation of the Ladies' Companion eight thousand five hundred, at the termination of the tenth volume. In consequence of this great and unparalleled increase of new subscribers, he has determined to commence the new volume for the ensuing year with thirteen thousand; hoping that he will thus be enabled to supply all the demands for the Ladies' Companion, as well as those disappointed in commencing with the tenth volume. The proprietor feels grateful for that encouragement which has been so lavishly bestowed upon his magazine, and at the same time he begs to assure the readers of the Ladies' Companion, that it is determined resolution to meet it with a corresponding liberality to merit its continuance. The work appears in beautiful new type, printed on the finest paper; smoothly pressed, and neatly stitched in a handsome cover.

The Ladies' Companion contains a larger quantity of reading than any other magazine issued in this country, and its subscription price is only three dollars a year, while the great combination of talent secured for the coming year will render it unequalled by any other periodical.

Splendid Steel Engravings, prepared by Mr. A. Dick, ornament the work—one of which accompanies each number. These plates are entirely new, and are engraved at a heavy expense by one of the best artists in America, expressly for the magazine. The designs are selected with a view of interesting the general reader, and enhancing the value of the work, for its superior pictorial embellishments. It is with pride the proprietor announces that the Ladies' Companion is the only magazine published, in which new and elegant steel plates appear regularly. Those accompanying other monthly periodicals, are generally first worn out in annuals. In addition to the engravings mentioned, a correct plate of the Quarterly Fashions for Ladies, will appear in the June, September, December, and March numbers, independent of the usual embellishment. It is the determination of the proprietor, that these fashion plates shall appear in a style hitherto unknown. Its literary character will undergo no change, as it will remain under the charge of the same Editors as heretofore. Articles from the pens of the most distinguished writers, will appear in the forthcoming numbers, among which may be enumerated the following:—Mrs. Holland, Emma C. Embury, Lydia H. Sigourney, Frances S. Osgood, Elliot, Caroline Orme, Selma Smith, Mrs. Harrington, Ann S. Stevens, Miss Hannah F. Gould, Mary Ann Browne, Charlotte Cushman, Mary Emily Jackson, Henry W. Herbert, author of 'Cromwell,' &c. Professor J. H. Ingraham, author of 'Barton,' 'Capt. Kidd,' &c. Professor H. W. Longfellow, author of 'Outre Mer,' Win E. Burton, Chief Justice Mellen, John Neal, Park Benjamin, Grenville Mellen, N. C. Brooks, A. M. George P. Morris, Robert Hamilton, Isaac C. Pray, Wm Comstock, Hiram B. Fennis, Rev J. H. Clinch, James Brooks, Albert Pike, F. A. Durivage, Henry F. Harrington, together with several others, with whom negotiations are pending. They will hereafter be announced.

Mrs. Ann S. Stephens, William W. Snowden, Henry F. Harrington, Editors.

The Musical Department of the Ladies' Companion has ever commanded a large share of attention, and has been looked upon with no little interest by its readers, and more especially the Ladies, whom the publisher is anxious to please. It will continue to be a subject of more than usual care to him, and to the Professor under whose supervision it is placed, to make that portion of the magazine deserving of the continuance of every lover of music.

The Work in General. Of every department an equally careful supervision will be strictly exercised by the Editors, and all appropriate expenditures will be liberally bestowed, as it is the design of the publisher, with the aid of his contributors and the advice of his friends to make the Ladies' Companion distinguished for its beauty and accuracy of its typography, the variety and high tone of its literary articles, the quality and value of its music, and the unequal splendor of its pictorial embellishments, and the accuracy of its quarterly fashions. The proprietor pledges himself to use all honorable means to maintain the superiority which the Ladies' Companion has obtained. For five years he has steadily pursued a course of improvement, and he flatters himself that his present facilities are such as to give the work eminent advantages over all other publications.

From the foregoing it will be perceived that the Ladies' Companion embraces every department within the range of Belles-Lettres and the Fine Arts; and no exertions or expense will be deemed too great to render the work equal to any other extant. The flattering and general testimonials of nearly every contemporary journal in the United States, and in fact, many on the other side of the Atlantic, have strongly asserted the undeniable claims of the Ladies' Companion to the support of the public generally. There is no work that gives its readers such a great return for their money.

Terms—Three Dollars a year in advance, or Four Dollars during the year.

No subscription received for less than a year. Letters must be paid for, otherwise the postage is deducted, and credit given only for the balance. Address WM. SNOWDEN, 109 Fulton street, New York.

PROSPECTUS OF THE

JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN,

A new Weekly Paper, to be published at Stroudsburg, Monroe County, Pa., and Milford, Pike County, Pa., simultaneously.

The whole art of Government consists in the art of being honest.—Jefferson.

THE JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN in principle, will be all its title purports, the firm and unwavering advocate of the principles and doctrines of the democratic party, delineated by the illustrious JEFFERSON: the right of the people to think, to speak, and to act, independently, on all subjects, holding themselves responsible to no power for the free exercise of this right, but their God, their Country, and her Laws, which they themselves have created.—A free and untrammelled Press, conducted in a spirit worthy of our institutions, is a public blessing, a safeguard to the Constitution under which we live, and it should be cherished and supported by every true republican. Such, then, it is designed to make the paper now established, and as such, the publisher calls upon the enlightened citizens of Monroe and Pike to aid him in this laudable enterprise. The time has arrived when the Press should take a bold and fearless stand against the evidently increasing moral and political degeneracy of the day, and endeavor, by a fair, candid, and honorable course, to remove those barriers which sectional prejudices, party spirit, and party animosity have reared to mar the social relations of men without accomplishing any paramount good.

THE JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN will not seek to lead or follow any faction, or to advocate and support the schemes of any particular set of men. It will speak independently on all State and National questions, awarding to each that support which its merits may demand, never hesitating, however, to condemn such measures, as in the opinion of the editor is justly warranted, holding as a first principle: "The greatest good to the greatest number."

Believing that the great principles of democracy are disregarded by the present Chief Magistrate of the Union, MARTIN VAN BUREN, the JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN, will decidedly, but honorably oppose his re-election to the high and responsible station which he now holds.

It will firmly oppose the "Independent Treasury" Scheme, and all other schemes having for their object the concentration in the hands of one man, and that man the President of the Nation, all power over the public moneys, a power, which, when combined with that vested in him by the Constitution as Commander-in-Chief of the American forces, Military and Naval, together with an enormous official patronage, would render him more powerful than the Executive of the British Nation, and in short make our Government, de facto an Elective Monarchy.

It will ever maintain that the welfare of our Country and the preservation of her Republican Institutions should be the first and only sentiments of our hearts in the choice of our public servants; that honesty, fidelity, and capability, are the only true tests of merit; that all men are created equal, and, therefore, should alike enjoy the privileges conferred on them by the Constitution without being subject to proscription, or coerced by the influence of party.

The columns of the JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN will ever be open to the free discussion of all political questions, believing as we do, that there is no liberty where both sides may not be heard, and where one portion of freemen are denied the privilege of declaring their sentiments through the medium of the Press, because they differ from the majority.

The JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN will ever take a lively interest in the affairs of Monroe and Pike, and of the Senatorial and Congressional Districts with which they are connected.

The Farmer, the Merchant, the Mechanic, and the Laborer, will each find a friend in the columns of the JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN. Due care will be taken to furnish its readers with the latest Foreign and Domestic News, and such Miscellaneous reading as will be both interesting and instructive. In short it is designed to make the paper worthy of an extensive patronage, both from the strictly moral tone which it will ever possess, and the efforts of the editor to make it a good and useful Family Newspaper.

The JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN will be printed on a super-royal sheet of good quality, and with good type.

Terms—\$2 in advance; \$2.25 at the end of six months, and \$2.50 if not paid before the expiration of the year. No subscription taken for a less term than six months.

RICHARD NUGENT.

Dissolution.

THE Co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers trading under the firm of STOLL & BRODHEAD, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—The business of the late firm will be settled by either of the subscribers, either being duly authorized to settle the same.

ALBERT S. STOLL, JOHN H. BRODHEAD.

All persons indebted to the firm of Stoll & Brodhead are particularly requested to make settlement on or before the first day of April next. ALBERT S. STOLL, JOHN H. BRODHEAD.

NOTICE,

The present expectation of the subscriber is that he will leave here at the close of his school, which will be at least in two weeks from this date. The timely attention of his patrons to their bills will save him much delay and inconvenience. I. B. NEWMAN.

Prospectus of Robert's World of Romance.

The cheapest work ever published in this country.

The subscriber will issue weekly from the press of the Boston Daily Times, and Boston Notion, a publication of the above title, in eight imperial folio pages, each page being half the size of the page of the Boston Notion.

Each sheet will contain one volume of a Novel, of the ordinary octavo size, and will form a series of all the most popular English Novels and Romances of the day; with such desirable ancient works as are not to be obtained at the booksellers. Arrangements having been made in London to secure the earliest reception of new books, this republication will be the first in this country.

The cheapness with which books can in this manner be afforded, renders it an object for booksellers and others to give their orders early, as the edition will be limited, at first to Five Thousand Copies, and many persons will desire to secure and bind the year's volume, which will be equal to Fifty two Octavo Volumes, for FOUR DOLLARS. Thus copies of valuable works may be obtained for a trifle more than is paid to Circulating Libraries merely for one perusal.

The sheet will be printed in handsome style, with a folio and running head to each page, wide margin and good register; thus rendering it fit to preserve for binding at the expiration of each year.

Terms—Four dollars per annum; two dollars and a half for six months; three copies for ten dollars; five copies for sixteen dollars; ten copies for thirty dollars per annum. No discount will be made for less than three copies.

Postmasters and booksellers throughout the country are authorized to act as agents, on the terms specified.

Copies will be sold singly at the Counting Room, No. 7, State street, for ten cents each; and will be furnished to orders for eight dollars per hundred, payable in advance.

Not a copy will be sent from the office before the money is received for it, as the publisher is determined its circulation shall be entirely upon the cash principle.

The first number will be published on Thursday morning, Nov. 28, and the publication will be continued every Thursday thereafter.

The regular subscribers will be supplied during the term of their subscription, with any missing number which it may be possible to procure.

GEORGE ROBERTS, Publisher and Proprietor.

FEMALE SEMINARY, AT STROUDSBURG.

THE summer term of the above named institution commenced on Monday, the 1th day of May; and is conducted by Miss A. L. FRASER, an experienced and well qualified teacher.

The branches taught at this Seminary, are

- Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Geography, Grammar, History, Natural Philosophy, Chemistry, Botany, Logic, Geometry, the French and Latin languages, &c. &c. &c.

The Seminary being endowed by the State, instruction is afforded at the reduced rate of two dollars per quarter, inclusive of all branches.

Having rented the spacious stone building, formerly occupied as the male Academy, the Trustees are now prepared to receive any number of young ladies that may apply, from all parts of the county.

Board, in respectable families, can be obtained on reasonable terms.

From their knowledge of the skill, competency, and success of the Principal, the Trustees, with the fullest confidence, commend the Stroudsburg Female Seminary to the patronage of the public.

JOHN HUSTON, Pres't.

(Attest) WM. P. VAILE, Sec'y. Stroudsburg, May 15, 1840.

Notice to Boatman.

THE Delaware and Hudson Canal Company, will pay the following freight for transporting Coal from Honesdale to Rondout, on their canal the ensuing season, viz:

Running Company's boats with an agreement to purchase and paying \$10 each trip on said boat, and making not less than 16 trips with said boat during the season. \$1 40 per ton.

Running Company's boats with an agreement to purchase and paying \$10 each trip on said boat and making a trip in ten days or less. \$1 40 do.

Running Company's boats with an agreement to purchase and paying \$10 each trip on said boat, and making a trip in 11 days. \$1 35 do.

Running Company's boats with an agreement to purchase and paying \$10 each trip on said boat, and over 11 days making a trip. \$1 30 do.

Individuals running their own boats in the coal business will be paid the same freight as company boats.

Application for boats can be made to the Collectors and Superintendents on the line of canal.

R. F. LORD, Engineer. Office of Del. & Hud. Ca. Co. March 10th, 1840.

WANTED

At the Monroe & Pecono Tanneries, 200 MEN,

for peeling and gathering bark, to commence about the 20th of April, and continue throughout the barking season. Each man must come provided with an axe. Spuds will be supplied by the subscribers. Wages per day 62 1-2 cents. Boarding will be found.

R. T. DOWNING & Co. STUART, HOWELL & Co. Pocono tsp. Monroe county. April 3, 1840.—3t.

TIMOTHY SEED,

For sale by the subscriber, WM. EASTBURN. Stroudsburg, Feb. 14, 1840.