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Agents Wanted.
Catarrh Cure, etc.
Important to Agents.
Good Business Opening.
Dry Goods—Wakefield & Co.
Pensions—H. S. Berlin & Co.
Administrator's Notice—Estate of H. H. Barr.

Local and General.

—Heavy rains have damaged the Minnesota grain crops.

—The prudent man will advertise now for fall trade.

Ladies' Solid Gold Watches at $15 and upwards, at E. Grieb's.

—There are six hundred and seven banks in Pennsylvania.

—The first white child born in Ohio—Mrs. Sarah Bradford Pier—still lives, aged 86 years.

—Look at those boss shirts in the window of J. F. T. Stehle. Latest style of Hats and Caps at low pricee.

—A colony of polecats in the church cellar threw a coldness over a recent meeting in Maryland.

—Newspapers are printed in ten different foreign languages, including the Chinese, in San Francisco.

William Aland, Merchant Tailor, has just opened the largest line of woolens for men and boys wear ever offered in Butler.

—Scranton has a base ball club named Castoroil. They ought to "go through" a game right lively.

—Several persons were arrested in San Francisco, lately, charged with counterfeiting "buzzard" dollars.

—Look at those boss shirts in the window of J. F. T. Stehle. Latest style of Hats and Caps at low prices.

—Forty-five fairs will be held in Pennsylvania this fall. And here's where the politician gets in *his* work.

—The glad news comes from Baltimore, and the Sound that oysters will be unusually plentiful this season.

Specialties in woolens at William Aland's Merchant Tailoring establishment not to be had elsewhere in the county.

—A time lock is to be put on Hampton's mouth, set for the first Wednesday after the first Monday in November.

—Egg plant is the delicacy of the season, but the potato bugs seem determined to have the lion's share of them.

—Look at those boss shirts in the window of J. F. T. Stehle. Latest style of Hats and Caps at low prices.

—A bride of a week returned to her parents, at Bay City, Mich., because her husband made her black his boots.

—A careful traveller says that he rides in the rear car of an express train and in the forward car of a slow train.

—Look at those boss shirts in the window of J. F. T. Stehle. Latest style of Hats and Caps at low prices.

—The English House of Lords has passed the Hares and Rabbits bill. Now England should be able to draw a long breath.

—The jail of Armstrong county cost three hundred thousand dollars, but that don't keep the fellows in when they wish to get out.

A Solid Silver Case and a Genuine American Movement as low as $10, at E. Grieb's.

—A special term of Court for civil cases has been ordered for the weeks commencing with the first and second Monday's of October next.

—The strange looking liquid that comes out of the coffee-pot now-a-days would seem to indicate that last season's crop of coffee had been exhausted.

—Miss Annie Morall has just arrived home from the city, and will continue dress making in the latest style on North and Washington street, Butler. aug25-3t

—Georgia has the largest peach orchard in the world. It is in Trup county, covers 250 acres of land, and will yield $75,000 worth of fruit this season.

—To-morrow, Thursday, Sept. 9th, at 1 P. M., at the Court House, is the date and place of the sale of the property owned by the First National Bank of this place.

—Ayers Sarsaparilla. Be wise in time. All banetul infections are promptly removed by this unequalled alterative. It is the most potent blood purifier, and a fountain of health and strength.

—The palm for the quietest convention of the Presidential year has already been awarded by general consent to the late gathering of deaf mutes in Cincinnati.

—The seventh leather-back turtle ever caught on the Atlantic coast is now at Martha's Vineyard, in preparation for a museum. It is eight feet long, and weighs half a ton.

—It is impossible to live peaceable without being in the full enjoyment of health which is more surely secured through Days Kidney Pad, than from any other remedy in the world.

—Send for the Fair No. of the *Rural New Yorker*, 34 Park Row, N. Y. It is the handsomest and most instructive Agricultural and Horticultural number ever published anywhere.

—Ninety-seven men of a Spanish battallion were drowned in the river Ebro lately by the breaking down of a bridge over that stream while the men were marching across.

—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a remarkable remedy for all those painful complaints and weaknesses so common to our best female population. Send to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for pamphlets.

—John Grieb is home from a trip to Chicago and St. Louis. John took in the Knight Templar parade at Chicago and with the rest of the boys got skined by the Chicago hotel keepers.

—"Every politician isn't a states man," remarked John Lay, in a Texas saloon. This expression was regarded by Dan Moore, the town constable, as a personal insult, and he shot Lay at once.

See a woman in another column, near Speer's Vineyards, with a bunch of grapes from which Speer's Port Grape wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession for the use of invalids, weakly persons and the aged.—Sold by all Drnggists. 28aply

—It is required by law that the supervisors in each township put up finger boards at every cross roads. Failing to do this, they are liable to a fine of $10 for each and every act of negligence.

—About a month ago, our shoe dealer, Mr. Huselton, went East and ordered his fall and winter stock to be made to order. These goods are now arriving daily. Mr. Huselton will let our readers hear from him in next paper.

—Metal shoe tips have been used for years, on account of their saving, even when objected to on account of their looks. The A. S. T. Co.'s Black Tip will wear as long, and at the same time adds to the beauty of the shoe.

—An infant child, in Berks county, was left in charge of a little girl, who after putting the baby to sleep went out; on her return it was discovered that a large rat had gnawed the child's face so that it will be impossible for it to recover.

—While laboring under an attack of mental aberration, last Monday evening, Mr. Fred. Libold, of Centre township, severed his windpipe with a butcher knife. Up to yesterday evening he was still living, but his recovery is deemed impossible.

—Mr. Benj. McCullough, of whose injury, by a broken engine strap, we made a note of last week, is recovering from his injuries and doing well. At the time of the accident he was in the act of picking up a wheelbarrow standing near the saw-wheel, and the broken strap struck the wheel-barrow and smashed it to pieces before striking Mr. McC.

Important to Farmers.

Ninety-seven cents per bushel paid, in cash, at Klingler's Mills, Mifflin street, for No. 1 new wheat. This price guaranteed for fifteen days from date of this paper.

—Mr. J. R. Spang, of Butler, has in his possession orders for excursion tickets for the reunion of the 78th Penn'a Vol's., to be held at Leechburg on the 16th inst., to-morrow week. Persons desiring to attend the reunion should apply to Mr. Spang for an order.

—Pennsylvania State College admits both sexes. Endowment half a million. Tuition free. Courses of study, Classical, Scientific and Agricultural. A thorough Preparatory Department. Expenses $3 to $5 per week. For catalogue, address Joseph Shortlidge, A. M., 11aug14w Pres. State College, Pa.

—Irvin Scott's new barn in Lancaster township was struck by lightning on last Saturday, but did not burn. The roof was split, but the lightning seemed to pass off by the tin spouting. Wm. Lutz's house was struck three times; was on fire once but the fire was put out.

—The loss of Mr. Jacob Shoub of Forward township, whose barn and three grain stacks were burned early on Monday morning of last week, is put at $1100. He was insured in the Zelienople Company to the amount of $600. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

—"A Friend in need, is a friend indeed." Such a friend is Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, which should be in every family, it costs only 25 cents a bottle and may save many a doctor bill. Give it a trial.

—A citizen who removes from one borough or township to another, after the second day of September and before the day of election, forfeits his right to vote in his old district, and has not acquired a right to vote in the new. He, therefore, by his own act disfranchises himself.

—A Butler man told his neighbor (who don't read the papers) that his wife had gone to camp meeting and left him to board himself; adding that he "should have to Tanner a little." And now that neighbor is telling around town that his friend beats his wife and uses her shamefully.

—Any one who doubts the vast number of intellects ruined by self-abuse, have only to visit any one of our numerous asylums and the records will show that eight out of every ten of the cases of insanity among their patients are the result of nervous diseases. The really only safe and effectual remedy is Gray's Specific Medicine. Sold by J. C. Redick.

—Yonkers *Statesman:* The bashful young man who asked a lady on the beach if he "could see her home," was much surprised to hear her say "that he could go up and see it if he wanted to, but she didn't think her father wanted to sell," and then coolly walked off with the man of her choice.

—The Renno Bros. of this place have lately been getting out some very fine work. The monument for Mrs. Margaret Weisner, dec'd, lately of this place, which they finished lately, is a very fine piece of work. Their prices are remarkably low, and when you need something in their line give them a chance.

—Reliable.—It is useless to deny the great curative effects of Simmon's Liver Regulator. Its virtues are attested by thousands who have used the medicine, and it is now largely in demand. It commends itself to the public by its component parts being entirely vegetable, no injurious effects from its use, being pleasant to the taste, and its operation upon the Liver being perfect, at the same time so impreceptible that it interferes with neither business nor pleasure.

—The first Congress in which the real state of the population as found by the census of this year will govern the representation is the Congress which will meet in December, 1883. That is to say, three years and a half must intervene between the taking of the census and its practical effect on the representation.

—A well known citizen of New York has spent about three thousand dollars in the construction of a cave for the cultivation of mushrooms. He has employed a professional mushroom grower to take charge of it and naturally anticipates, it may be supposed, after so liberal a provision, that the results will prove compensatory.

—A young man about twenty-one years of age and an old woman over seventy were married by one of the Justices, of Kittanning, on Tuesday morning last. There didn't seem to be anything particularly wrong with the young man only whisky, and nothing that we could detect wrong with the old woman, only she had heard too much thunder in her time, to make a "young and interesting bride." —*Sentinel.*

Grand Opening.

Of fall and winter millinery
Hats, bonnets, plumes, tips, feathers,
Ribbons, ornaments &c., &c., at
Ritter & Ralston's.

—The Government receipts for August aggregate $30,500,000, as follows: Customs, $18,000,000; revenue, $9,500,000; miscellaneous, $3,000,000; and the expenses are $16,500,000, exclusive of the interest on the public debt, which is light. Judge French, Acting Secretary, estimates the decrease of the debt for August at upward of $11,500,000.

—The annual importation of some $25,000,000 in flax and flax goods would naturally lead to the inquiry as to what is being done in this country to supply that demand at home. The crop of flaxseed increases each year, and so does the importation of flax. Is there no profitable medium place in flax growing where the seed and fiber may both be made a more profitable business than seed-growing alone?

A Cross Baby.

Nothing is so conducive to a man's remaining a batchelor as stopping for one night at the house of a married friend and kept awake for five or six hours by the crying of a cross baby. All cross and crying babies need only Hop Bitters to make them well and smiling. Young man, remember this.—*Traveller.*

—An ovarian tumor, weighing about 35 pounds, was removed from an Armstrong county woman, lately. She had been suffering from its effects for about eight months, being confined to bed since April 1st. The contents of the tumor had suppurated, and her condition at the time of the operation was very precarious. Not an untoward symptom has occurred since the operation and her recovery is almost certain.

—"This is a nice time of night for you to be coming in," said a mother, the other night, to her daughter, who returned from a walk at ten o'clock, "When I was like you," continued she, "my mother would not allow me out later than seven o'clock." "Oh, you had a nice sort of a mother," murmured the girl. "I had, you young jade," said the mother, "a nicer mother than ever you had."

Grape Juice.

The art of fermenting the Oporto Grape into wine in this country has been brought to a greater degree of prefection by Mr. Alfred Speer, of Pussaic, New Jersey, than by any other person, and his wine is very popular as a ladie's wine, as well as for the communion table and for invalids. For sale by D. H. Wuller.

—It was but a few weeks ago that three men died in a melon patch in Texas after eating melons on which Paris green had been carelessly thrown, and again there is a report of five persons in New Hampshire being poisoned, one perhaps fatally, from eating potatoes on the vines of which the deadly stuff had been thrown. It is time to find some other remedy for the ravages of insects.

—The good people living at Commercial Point, Pickaway county, Ohio, were cursed with the propinquity of a vindictive and quarrelsome young man named Thomas McDonald. He hailed from Kentucky, but he had married a Pickaway wife and owned a Pickaway farm, and he had lately pummelled a Pickaway farmer. So the good people of Pickaway went at night to the house of McDonald and took him therefrom and hanged him on one of his own apple trees.

—The village of Las Placitas, about thirty miles from Santa Fe, New Mexico, is reported to be founded on a ledge of rock carrying from $3,000 to $6,000 worth of gold per ton. The value of the rock was detected by prospector, Jesse Martin, who has "located" the streets of the town. Governor Lew Wallace describes the lead as eighty-four paces in width, and nine thousand feet have been located along the vein. The whole village is built on the ledge, and rock worth $3 a pound has been thrown about as worthless.

A Card.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South Africa. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. Joseph Inman, *Station D, New York City.* tf

—The remarkable statement that the receipts from customs for the year ending June 30, 1880, are $50,000,000 greater than for the year ending June 30, 1879, leads to the consideration of the fact that the United States must have sent away to the value of $200,000,000 more for the purchase of foreign goods than during the previous year. This should stimulate capital and labor to discover these needs and to enter new ventures in an effort to supply this demand.

From 20 Cents Up.

Carpets of all styles, at
Ritter & Ralston's.

—The Philadelphia *Medical Times* has an article, contributed by a physician, on the healthfulness of plants in living and sleeping rooms. Experiments by him show the value of house plants as natural and perfect atomizers. He gives as a conclusion that every housekeeper can keep the air of winter rooms moist by having thrifty plants in them, and there is reason to believe that the lives of many persons who die from pulmonary complaints might be preserved by this agency, at once so agreeable and so salutary.

The Butler County Fair.

Persons visiting the Fair are cordially invited to call in and examine the immense stock of fine dress goods, staple dry goods, millinery goods, trimmings, carpets &c, at
Ritter & Ralston's.

—Sandy Lake, Mercer county, was startled and shocked by the terrible death, on Friday morning last, of the wife of T. S. Baily, a prominent citizen of that place. Mrs. Baily had gone into the yard to milk, her two little sons following her, and while thus engaged the boys climbed into a heavy wagon in the yard and threw off the lock, causing the wagon, which stood upon a steep hillside, to run backwards, and Mrs. Baily in attempting to stop the wagon was caught between the rear end of the wagon and the fence, apparently completely crushing her chest. She died within forty minutes.—*Sharon Herald.*

At 6 1-4 Cents.

Good soft finished bleached muslin,
Yard wide unbleached muslin,
New fancy dress calicoes, at
Ritter & Ralston's.

—The following is a statement of United States currency outstanding on August 31st: Old demand notes, $60,880; legal tender notes, all issues, $346,681,016; one-year notes of 1863, $46,765; two-year notes of 1863, $12,700; two-year coupon notes of 1863, $23,350; compound interest notes, $243,310; fractional currency, all issues, $15,557,933.70; total, $362,625,954.70. The amount of national bank notes outstanding at date (not including circulation of national gold banks) is $342,728,018; circulation of national gold banks, $1,328,760; decrease in circulation during the month, $88,754; increase since Sept. 1. 1879, $13,383,871.

Re-Working Butter.

Hundreds of tons of white butter are bought every year, worked over by dealers, colored up and sold for double the price paid the farmers. This fact should convince farmers that they should put their own butter into the best shape for market and so realize all they can from it. It must have the bright golden color of June, which nothing but Wells, Richardson & Co's Perfected Butter Color can give. Use this color, pack your butter in the best manner, and you will get the top price.

Dr. C. H. LEE,
Homœopathic Physician.
Office and residence near the Wick House North Main street, Butler, Pa. jan7

—The rape case (called hereabouts Alex Coffroth's case), against eleven young men formerly connected with Boyd & Peters' circus, terminated on Friday in a complete fizzle. The girl said to have been raped was unable to satisfactorily identify a single one of the defendants, and the jury returned a verdict of not guilty without leaving the box. The redoubtable General was not on hand to father his own creation. We hear on good authority that the costs in this case will be considerably over a thousand dollars. Lawyers and politicians should be careful about stirring up mares' nests of this size.—*Somerset (Pa.) Herald.*

At 5 Cents per Yard,

Good dark calico,
Good bleached muslin.
Bargains in everything, at
Ritter & Ralston's.

—One of the hardest and most revolting stories of the generation is that told of the imprisonment of an insane man by his brother in this State for twenty-seven years. His prison was a log hut without windows, and the man, looking much more like a savage beast, was found in indescribable filth, chained to the floor. His hair and beard reached to his knees, his nails were like talons, his naked body was like that of an animal. He was ferocious, and had to be over-powered by the officers. For twenty-seven years he had been neither washed, clothed or shaved, the sun had not shone upon him, and his food had been shoved into his cell as into a pig-trough. The brother, a farmer, said he did not want to put him in an asylum, and so built the log cabin for him, thinking he would soon die.

"Became Sound and Well."

Hatcher's Station, Ga.

R. V. Pierce, M. D.:
Dear Sir—My wife, who had been ill for over two years, and had tried many other medicines, became sound and well by using your Favorite Prescription. My niece was also cured by its use, after several physicians had failed to do her any good. Yours truly,
Thomas J. Methvin.

—It is of small use to try to keep pace with French ingenuity. Probably no other newspaper in the world save a Paris newspaper could have discovered that Dr. Tanner was an imposter, and given such a reason for the assertion. *La France* professes to have received information, directly or indirectly from the divorced Mrs. Tanner, that the supposed water administered to the faster was really liquid *mate* or *matis*, a South American beverage possessing great force-giving qualities. This theory does away at once with the doctor's jug of Central Park spring water and the honesty of his attendants, but it is too good a story to be spoiled by contradiction.

Value Received.

The only man in America who has complete facilites for collecting national statistics is Hon. A. R. Spofford, Librarian of Congress. All the date which he secures during the year is carefully retained and has been put into a book. His last issue, "The American Treasury of Facts," has been sent us by Messrs. H. H. Warner & Co., proprietors of the famous Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, and it is really a cyclopedia in itself. In this busy age one can grasp national affairs only by statistical figures, and the work under consideration reflects such credit on Messrs. Warner & Co., who have secured it.

—It was recently announced that a New Orleans girl, having accepted one suitor, took a walk with a second for the purpose of giving his *congé*. The accepted individual saw the two together, became madly jealous, declined to accept the lady's explanation, and broke the engagement. The discarded girl threw herself in front of a moving locomotive, in the hope of ending her life, but failed with the loss of a leg. Her patient lover, convinced of her faith, begged her pardon, and will marry her. It would be difficult to reconcile the action of the man with sanity did not the New York *Graphic* come to our assistance with the statement that fashionable stockings will cost fifty dollars per pair this fall. Then, by putting one and two together, we can understand and admire the wise economy which moved him.

Black and Colored Brocade Silks,
Black and Colored Satins,
Black and Colored Velvets,
Brocade Cashmeres, Brocade
Alpacas, Brocade Ribbons.
All the new things in dress goods
And trimmings, at
Ritter & Ralston's.

—The steamer General Werder arrived at New York from Hamburg a few days ago, with $1,500,000 in gold, and the steamer Canada brought from Havre $520,000. The drain from the Imperial Bank of Germany is exciting serious apprehension in that country, and the London *Times* says that the bank, though still paying gold for its notes in Berlin, refuses to do so in Bremen and Hamburg, adding: "The stoppage of gold payments in Hamburg and Bremen is sufficiently significant. It need surprise nobody should Germany be forced to resort to silver every where as a legal tender. The gold and silver in the Imperial Bank of Germany are not distinguished in the weekly return, but it is currently reported that the stock of gold is really very small." A Berlin dispatch to the *Morning Post* says: "The apprehensions of an impending change in the German currency are increasing. It is said that Prince Bismarck favors the reintroduction of the bi-metallic system."

SEPT. 21, 22 & 23
are the
Red Letter Days for Butler Co.
For then the Butler county Agricultural Society will hold its
THIRD ANNUAL FAIR.

The coming Fair of the Butler County Agricultural society, to be held in this town on Tuesty, Wednesday and Thursday, of week after next, is exciting more than usual interest all over the county. It is generally expected to be the largest, finest and most important Fair yet held in the county. People begin to realize that the active members of the society mean business, and are equal to the duty of getting up a first class agricultural exhibition.

The grounds and buildings have been put in admirable condition.

The premium list, divided as it is into forty-two different classes, and covering the multitude of farm products, stock, manufactured articles, fancy work, etc., is all that could be desired.

The liberal premiums for stock, which will be paid on the grounds, as will be all premiums, are expected to bring out all the best stock in the county. In fact the entries already exceed the accommodations originally provided.

If you have anything worth taking to the Fair, by all means take it and stay there. Meals can be had on the grounds at reasonable rates. Hacks will run at low rates, and but twenty-five cents admission for adults will be charged. Bring in your family, your friends and neighbors and come prepared to have a good time. Remember the dates, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, September 21st, 22d and 23rd.

—While Beatty Jameson, his sister Sadie and Mr. J. H. Chatham were out riding in a two-horse buggy last Sunday evening, and on descending a steep hill near the Shenkley School house, the front wheels struck a pipe which suddenly upset the buggy, throwing the occupants out. Miss Jameson was thrown against a tree, falling with her head between the tree and hind wheel. Fortunately the horses stopped and remained standing while the unfortunate lady was extricated from her perilous position, otherwise, had they started, her head would have been torn from her body. She received a deep cut above the left eye, and was otherwise severely injured about the head and face. The men escaped injury.—*Petrolia Record.*

Lost.

I lost in Butler, on last Saturday, September 4th, 1880, my pension certificate. The finder, or any person having information of the same, will please leave word at the Citizen office and oblige
JOSEPH MANGEL.
Sept 8, 2-t)

—The cotton crop for this year is estimated by the Macon, Ga., *Telegraph* at 5,650,000 bales. It says: "There is great talk whether it can rise to 6,000,000 bales, for the reason that there is not the force to gather such a crop. If we have the time it may be gathered, but that, of course, is extremely doubtful. The last season was extraordinarily mild and protracted, and picking was continued till the last lock was gathered. It would be unreasonable to hope for another such season; and, on the other hand, with an early frost and stormy and cold weather, progress in picking would be seriously interrupted. All experience teaches the South that on a cold, finger-benumbing day picking goes on slowly, and it is hard to keep hands at work. So in wet weather they cannot and should not be kept at work. Hence the actual out-turn of the crop of 1880-81 must be considered an event in the womb of the future. It may prove to be even less than that of the crop of 1879-80."

—So colossal has the patronage of the National Government became that any President might despair of his ability to deal with it. Pierce is the last President who dispensed all the offices anew. When Pierce came into office the annual expenditures of the government were only forty-six millions; last year they amounted to two hundred and sixty-seven millions. The number of offices has not increased in the same proportion, but it has risen from sixty thousand to more than a hundred thousand. It would overtask the energies of any President to distribute this colossal patronage. Buchanan, who succeeded Pierce, found all the offices filled with democrats and made no wholesale changes. When Lincoln came in the secession of the South curtailed the patronage, and the outbreak of the civil war made it inexpedient to practise party proscription against democratic office-holders who were loyal to the Union. Since Lincoln's time there has been no motive for a universal change. Johnson might have attempted one, but he was restrained by the Tenure of Office law. Grant found all the offices filled with republicans and did not make changes from mere party views; and so with Hayes.

—A dispatch from St. Augustine, Fla., gives but too much reason to believe that the steamer Vera Cruz, of the Havanna and Mexican line, has been lost, with all her passengers and crew. Parts of the mail she must have carried from New York have been washed ashore, and the correspondent telegraphs that cargo supposed to be hers strews the shore for forty miles below St. Augustine. Several bodies have been washed ashore, and a trunk bearing the name of one of the passengers in the ship. A large steamer, now supposed to have been the Vera Cruz, was seen on the Saturday previous about sixty miles off shore from St. Augustine by a brig which was wrecked in the gale which broke out on Sunday. It was on the following Thursday that the mail matter was washed ashore. Nothing is known by the owners in New York concerning the vessel's fate. The Havana cable is, unfortunately, not working, so that no inquiries can be made there. The Vera Cruz was a staunch ship, and her owners say well manned and ably commanded. There is but to much reason to fear that she foundered in the hurricane which has this last week strewn the Southern coast with wrecks.

N. B.—Since the above was written the news of the loss of this steamer has been confirmed. Seventy-five persons went down with her.

The Coming Heir.

Up to yesterday no word had come to America of the birth of the long looked for heir to the Spanish Throne. It is safe to say that not for many years has an expected addition to a family called together a crowd such as is now gathered about the appartments of the Queen of Spain. Usually the persons present on such an occasion are privately notified in advance by the lady who provides the entertainment, and, being selected for sympathetic purposes, they naturally are of the sex that know how it—in short, they are women. Even the doctor never makes his appearance until summoned by a panting husband or a galloping messenger. But the invitations to Queen Christina's interesting event have been issued by the Lord Chamberlain, and although the crowd might be exactly to his own liking in case he had any duty like the Queen's to perform, it seems hardly such a party as Her Majesty would have selected had she been consulted. Every member of it is of the gender that is utterly useless on such occasions. Among them are grave diplomats, astute Cabinet officers, saintly prelates and proud nobles; but it would be safe to offer a million to one that not a man of the whole body knows catnip from peppermint or could give the royal baby its first bath, or knows how to handle the scales so as to be able to assure the expectant father that he had landed a ten-pounder. And in case of twins—a possibility that the Lord Chamberlain, never having been a mother, has entirely overlooked—why, it would be just like the stupid old fellows to mix those babies up and knock the whole question of the Spanish succession into the limbo of eternal uncertainties.

MARRIED.

DEER—LOGAN—By the Rev. J. J. McIllyar, August 26th, 1880, Mr. David O. Deer and Miss Myrtilla Logan (a grand daughter of Mr. Windle Hickey, of Butler county), both of Ætna, Allegheny county, Pa.

MOORE—KELLY—At the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. W. P. Shaw, on Sept. 2nd, 1880, Mr. J. W. Moore and Miss Calista E. Kelly (eldest daughter of J. C. Kelly, Esq.), of Worth township, Butler county.

DEATHS.

MORRISON—August 3rd, 1880, at the residence of her grandmother, Mrs. Electa Leason, Harrisville, Pa., Orie L. Morrison, aged 13 years and 4 months.

NEW CURE. Consumption and Asthma. Never yet failed. Address with stamp, "HOME," Frostburg, Md. [ja7 1y

Judge Acheson, present judge of the United States District Court for Western Pennsylvania, is regarded as one of the best and ablest that has ever presided on that Bench.

The Republicans of Lebanon county at their convention on Monday of last week, passed instructions in favor of Mr. Grow, for U. S. Senator. This is action of some importance to that gentleman, as Lebanon has a Senator and two Representatives to elect, all of whom will be Republicans.

New Advertisements.

FREE SAMPLES of two of the best articles ever sold by agents to every one who answer this within sixty days.
AMERICAN MANUFACTURING CO.,
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EVERY SOLDIER disabled in line of duty by wound, disease, or injury, is entitled to pensions.
PENSIONS INCREASED.—Many are drawing less than entitled to.—Thousands of Heirs entitled to Pensions and Bounty. REJECTED CASES re-opened.
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