Home and County Items.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8, 1872.

Important Notice.

The firm of WEAKLEY & WALLACE having been dissolved by mutual consent, notice is hereby given to all those patrons of THE HERALD who are in arrears, either for subscription, advertising or job work, that prompt settlement will be necessary. At the expiration of 30 days, all accounts remaining unsettled will be collected according to law. The books of the late firm will be kept at THE HERALD OFFICE, where settlements can be made.

MEETING OF THE REPUBLICAN STANDING COMMITTEE.

The members of the Republican County Committee, are requested to meet in Rheem's Hall, at Carlisle, on Tuesday, August 13, 1872, at 12½ o'clock, p. m. Business of importance will be transacted, and a full attendance is desired.

WILL. A. LINDSEY,
Chairman.

MECHANICSBURG wants an ox roast.

COOL.—The mornings and evenings.

NEW FLOUR is offered at $8.50 per barrel.

A CROSS-EYED terrier is one of the curiosities of this borough.

THE days are getting shorter, and the nights correspondingly longer.

"HUMP CLOTH" is a new name for pannier material. So says our devil.

THE rabbit family on College street still keeps up the excitement for sight seers.

A CAMP meeting will be held near Boiling Springs during the present month.

PLOUGHING for next year's winter grain is the next business in hand among our farmers.

TROUT fishing closes according to law on August 15—not to be resumed until May 1, 1873.

Almost every exchange we receive has a requiem on the "melancholy days." Give us a rest.

THE "local" of the Mechanicsburg *Journal*, claims to be the champion jumpist of our sister town.

THERE will be no camp meeting held by the Evangelical Association, on the grounds near New Kingston.

WHAT comfort there would be in dressing, if a person could get along with a pair of slippers and an umbrella.

ABOUT this time look out for startling disclosures of a short peach crop. Some of our exchanges are already noticing it.

OUR readers should be on their guard, as spurious five dollar greenbacks are said to be in circulation. This is not applicable to printers.

OUR friend, N. B. Moore, auctioneer at Mount Holly is prepared to call sales at short notice. All orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

A "BUMMER" of the Teutonic persuasion created considerable merriment on Saturday evening by playing on a mouth-organ. "Music hath charms," &c.

READING RAILROAD.—By referring to our new advertisements, it will be seen that a change has taken place in the schedule of the Reading railroad since the first instant.

IF you wish a job executed in a hurry give us a call. Jobbing in all its various branches promptly executed, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

ROBERT MATTHEWS, the young man injured a few weeks since on the Southern Pennsylvania Railroad, has been obliged to undergo a second amputation, and his life is despaired of.

"COMPANY A," Captain Porter's company of the 130th Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, will celebrate the anniversary of their organization by a picnic at Noble's Ford, on Saturday. A pleasant time is anticipated.

THE Messrs. Mullin, at the Mount Holly Springs hotel, have their house filled with boarders, and have been obliged to refuse several applicants. This speaks well for the popularity of this well-known house.

THE Schoppe trial will commence on Wednesday, the twenty-eighth instant. It bids fair to be almost as protracted and tedious as the first. The District Attorney will be assisted by Messrs. Maglaughlin and Shearer.

GOOD SALE.—The sale of carriages, by Messrs. Smeltz & Co., was largely attended and good prices were realized for the vehicles disposed of. $166 being the average price obtained for buggies and spring wagons.

DEBATE.—From our York exchanges we learn that Mr. C. U. Hoffer, of this place, has been traveling about through York and the neighboring towns, making addresses to the people on his views of baptism, the Lord's Supper, salaried ministers, &c.

BRITISH INTERNATIONAL MONEY ORDER SYSTEM.—Monday last the British International Money Order System went into operation. Money orders can now be obtained at the postoffice upon post-offices in all parts of Great Britain and Ireland. United States Treasury notes, or National Bank notes, only received or paid.

A GENTLEMAN on West street is the possessor of two prairie dogs. These Western canines have attracted considerable attention, but make slow progress in becoming civilized—at least the owner is obliged to keep them secured, on account of their biting propensities.

AT an early hour on last Thursday morning, we were visited with a heavy rain and hail storm of about 15 minutes duration. On Friday afternoon hail fell in considerable quantities, and some of our citizens persist in saying that it snowed. We didn't see it. Snow in August! how cool and refreshing it sounds.

ELEGANT MUSIC.—On Thursday afternoon, the Keystone Band of Newville serenaded us. Since their last visit to this place the members have made rapid progress in musical accomplishments, and Newville can justly be proud of her band. The music discoursed was elegant, and we tender you our thanks, gentlemen.

SEPTEMBER.—Our town promises to be unusually lively during the month of September. The State Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association will meet on the tenth, to continue in session several days. The West Pennsylvania Lutheran Synod will meet in this place on the eighteenth, and remain in session about six days. It is expected that many distinguished personages will be in attendance at these meetings. Then the county fair opens on the twenty-fifth, which together with the fall campaign, will make our dull old town quite lively. Anything to give us relief from the present monotony.

WE would direct the attention of the Street Commissioners to the unsafe condition of some of the crossings.

WORK on the First Presbyterian church has been resumed. We doubt if the present year will witness the completion of this splendid improvement.

JACOB LIVINGSTON, agent for the sale of N. Gerbig & Son celebrated Chambersburg soap and candles by the package only, at factory prices.
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A NUMBER of citizens of Mechanicsburg are preparing to form a colony to go West, and held a meeting for that purpose, at which a number of addresses were made, and a committee appointed to draft articles of association.

MR. J. B. BRANDT, of Mechanicsburg, is about organizing the young men of that place into a volunteer military company. We learn that Mr. Brandt is a competent instructor in military tactics.

HARVEST HOME FESTIVAL.—On Friday and Saturday evenings, August 9 and 10, the Shiremanstown Cornet Band will hold a harvest home festival in the grove one-quarter mile South of that place. The festival will also be in operation during Saturday afternoon.

MESSRS. GARDNER & Co are making an extensive addition to their car shops at the Eastern side of town. An engine will also be placed in the new building. In a few days the firm will begin work on the new contract, and furnish employment to a large number of workmen. We wish them success.

WE would invite a careful perusal of the letter of Hon. Thomas D. Stiles, formerly of this county, taken from the Greenville (Ohio) *Democrat*, and published on the fourth page of this issue. Also, an Autobiographical Sketch of Chancellor Kent, taken from the *Southern Law Review*.

STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—The Pennsylvania State Teacher's Association will hold its Nineteenth Annual Convention, in the Academy of Music, Philadelphia, August 20, 21, 22 and 23. On the twenty-third, a grand excursion to Long Branch will take place. It promises to be one of the largest and most important Conventions of the kind ever held in the Old Keystone.

"WITHIN the last few years, printing upon envelopes has been an almost necessary safeguard, in the large increase of postal business and the consequent delays."—*N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.*

To those of our business men and others in need of envelopes we would say, that we have a very large stock on hand which we will dispose of, with or without cards printed on the same, at lower rates than can be furnished by any other establishment in the Valley. Send along your orders; we guarantee satisfaction.

PICNICS.—The Reformed Sabbath School will picnic at the Carlisle Springs tomorrow (Friday.) Two Sabbath Schools from the country will picnic with them. It will no doubt be a grand success.

THE Sabbath Schools of the two Presbyterian congregations, and also the Bethel intend holding picnics, but we have not learned the date.

THE open air services were well attended on Sabbath evening, and addresses were delivered by Revs. Albert and Robinson. On next Sabbath evening they will be held on the corner of North and Bedford streets. It would be more becoming if the young "sports" would refrain from fast driving on the streets when these meetings are in progress.

PERSONAL—Samuel B. Caldwell, esq., of Brooklyn, New York, is in town on a brief visit.

MR. WM MACFEELY, of Washington, is paying a visit to his family in this place.

IT will, no doubt, be gratifying to the friends of Lieut. A. D. B. Smead, to learn that he has been promoted to the rank of First Lieutenant, and assigned to duty at Fort McPherson, Nebraska.

MR. JOSEPH ZEIGLER, formerly of this place, and a graduate of Dickinson College, paid us a visit a few days since, and subscribed for the HERALD. Mr. Z. is at present a resident of Independence, Southern Kansas, and is engaged in the practice of the law. We are pleased to learn he is meeting with success.

LEW. C. FOSNOT, of the Oakville *Enterprise*, dropped in on us the other day. He represents business unusually brisk, consequent upon the publication of the *Daily Camp Journal*.

MR. THOMAS BAIRD and lady, of New York, are sojourning in our town during the "heated term."

THE Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association, noticed in our last issue, will be held about September 10, and continue in session several days. Between three and four hundred delegates are expected to be in attendance, which will make this one of the largest religious bodies ever in session here. We are glad to be enabled to announce the appointment for this convention. Interesting more particularly young men, and being altogether under their control, it exerts an influence not held by our other organizations. Its annual visits to other places have always been productive of much good and we trust a like result will be experienced here. A committee of ladies will aid the young men in obtaining homes for the delegates while here, and we would appeal on behalf of our association, to the citizens and ask them to extend the hospitalities of their homes to these strangers during their visit. The number to be accommodated is large, but with all taking an interest they can be received and welcomed. Carlisle has always been spoken of as a town given to hospitality; let the present test again prove this to be true.

BIDS.—Proposals to furnish printing paper to the State were opened at the office of the Superintendent of Public Printing, Mr. John McCurdy, Harrisburg, on the first instant. The bids were as follows:

W. H. Flitcraft, Philadelphia, 16½ cts. per pound; J. R. Bitner, Lancaster, 15 and three-fifths; B. M. Moore, Philadelphia, 15; W. A. & A. F. Mullin, Mt. Holly Springs, 15. Half the contract was awarded to the Messrs Mullin, and half to Mr. Moore.

The only bidder for the bill paper was Mr. C. H. Mullin, of the Mount Holly Springs Paper Company, to whom the contract was awarded at 22½ cents per pound. The book paper must measure 20x40 inches and weigh respectively 40 and 50 pounds to the ream. The bill paper (double flat cap) must be 17x26 inches, and weigh 28 pounds to the ream.

We congratulate the Messrs. Mullin upon their good fortune in securing the contracts, and know that the State will receive the quantity of paper contracted for.

WE have not been afflicted much with circuses and menageries this season.

THE Fall term of the Public Schools will commence on Thursday next, the fifteenth instant.

A DISGRACEFUL scene was enacted in the market house last Friday evening, to the delight of a crowd of Young and Old America.

NIGHT trains have been very common the past month. We should not be surprised if there were some railroad projects under foot that occasions the running of extra trains.

WANDER through any of the streets in the evening that you please, and the ear will be greeted with the music of the piano, organ, melodeon, and—we were going to say chin music.

THE Board of Directors are having the school houses scrubbed, and renovated preparatory to their occupancy to-day one week—the fifteenth instant. All of which is right and proper.

MANY of the pavements are in a bad condition, and property owners should give this matter their attention. "You know how it is yourself" to be walking along and step upon a loose brick, particularly in wet weather.

MR. JAMES P. NEFF, having returned from his recent trip "over the mountains," is better prepared than ever to sell goods at greatly reduced prices. Choice smoking and chewing tobacco, paper collars, cuffs and neckties in abundance.

HARVEST HOME.—Our farmers and others interested, should not forget that the Cumberland County Agricultural Society will hold their annual harvest home on Saturday, August 17. By that date our rural friends will have entirely finished their harvest, and they should not fail to be in attendance. Let them meet together, compare notes, partake of a good dinner, listen to an able address, and firmly resolve to make the Fourteenth Exhibition the best one ever held.

DELIGHTFUL PICNIC.—On last Friday morning at half past 7 o'clock, the English Lutheran Sabbath School, of this place, left the "jail corner" *via* C. V. R. R, for Good Hope. The grove of Mrs. Elliott, about one mile south of Plainfield, had been selected by the Committee as the spot on which to "while away the fleeting hours." The day was spent in various ways: some playing croquet, others pitching quoits, while the lads and lasses prepared such plays as Copenhagen, Jogging along, Button, etc, interspersed, of course, with eating and drinking. Everybody was delighted with the grounds, the railroad accommodations and the manner in which the day was passed. With the exception of a shower in the afternoon the day was all that could have been desired. About 500 persons took part in the festivities. The committee deserve great credit for the success which attended their efforts.

THE POSTOFFICES OF PENNSYLVANIA.—The whole number of postoffices in the State is two thousand eight hundred and fifty-three. The two most important, rated by the salaries of the postmasters, are the Philadelphia and Pittsburg offices. The next in importance are Alleghony, Easton, Meadville, Titusville, Tideoute, Erie, Reading, Pottsville, Scranton, Williamsport and Harrisburg.

Of those paying salaries of two thousand dollars and over, there are thirty-one, namely: Allentown, Ashland, Bethlehem, Carlisle, Chambersburg, Chester, Columbia, Corry, Danville Court House, Franklin, Honesdale, Johnstown, Lebanon, Lewisburg, Lock Haven, Mauch Chunk, New Castle, Norristown, Oil City, Petroleum Centre, Pittston, Pleasantville, Pottstown, Pottsville, Rouseville, Sharon, Warren, West Chester, Wilkes-Barre and York.

AURORA BOREALIS.—Saturday evening, at about eight o'clock, the citizens of Carlisle were astonished by the appearance in the skies of the Northern Lights or Aurora Borealis. This display was of wide extent throughout the country. These bodies have so often been witnessed before that they would not have excited any hurry by their approach so near our earthly latitudes last evening were it not for the fact that a well known and most scientific astronomer named Plantamorer, about four months since prophesied that a comet would strike the American Continent at about eleven o'clock in the forenoon of the twelfth of August, 1872. Science day by day becomes more positive and exact, and a statement like this, which two hundred years ago might have been couched in mysterious phrases and given us as an inspiration direct from heaven, is now made certain by the skill and celebrity of the scholar, who manifests his theory on actual study. It is possible to laugh and be incredulous and yet incredibility may be a mistake; therefore all people in Europe and America—for it is to strike in Europe at four o'clock the same day, making the time difference—should prepare for the hour of doom.

MARKETS.—Our markets are pretty well supplied with meat, vegetables and the thousand and one *etceteras* that serve to supply the wants of the community.

Meats.—The meat market of our borough will compare favorably with those of larger places, as regards quality and quantity, while the price, although sufficiently high for all practical purposes, is far below those of neighboring towns. Our friend, Major A. A. Line, generally has his stall supplied with the best veal and mutton that can be obtained.

Huckstors.—Messrs. Allison, Low, Harkness and Sites have large quantities of vegetables, melons, &c., on hand every market day.

Berries.—Blackberries were sold at four cents per quart on Saturday, but our friends from the rural districts tell us that the berry season is nearly over. To those of our citizens who have not already laid up this kind of fruit, we would advise them to tend to it at once.

Butter and eggs.—The first-named sells at 16 and 20 cents per lb., and the latter at 18 and 20 cents per dozen. As the custom of selling eggs by the pound has been adopted in many places, with advantage to the purchaser, we would suggest the propriety of disposing of them in that manner by our country folks. Who seconds the suggestion?

Fruit.—Apples are very abundant, and sell at 10 and 12 cents per peck. Peaches at 30 and 40 cents per peck. Our Adams county friends say that the early peaches will be a large crop. Plums were offered in market at 20 cents per quart on Saturday.

Vegetables—of all kinds are very plenty. This is welcome news to all our citizens, but more especially the laboring man. Corn sells at 12 and 15 cents per dozen; potatoes at 12 and 20 cents per peck; tomatoes at 40 and 50 cents per peck; lima beans at 25 cents per quart, and all other garden truck at correspondingly reasonable figures.

SAVE YOUR POSTAGE.—It should be known by everybody that the new postal rates are now in force. We are again brought back to the one cent newspaper postage. Transient papers, circulars, samples and such that have been two cents per two ounces or less, are now but one cent for the same weight.

THE CORN AND POTATO CROP.—Whilst we have made a short wheat crop, we are glad to learn that the prospect for a good corn and potato crop is very cheering. Although neither of these crops are out of danger, the season thus far has been very favorable to their growth, the hot weather and fine showers of rain pushing them on with great rapidity, so that we have every reason to hope for a very good yield of each. With plenty of corn and potatoes, we shall not so seriously miss the wheat crop.

THE following extract, relative to a surprise party tendered the Rev. W. O. Cornman and family, late of this place, we clip from the Easton *Express*, of the 23d ultimo:

"Last Thursday a week, Philipsburg had quite a sensation in the shape of a donation and supper. The Rev. W. O. Cornman, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, brought his family to this place to reside, and this was made an occasion for rejoicing. A carriage met them at the depot and conveyed them to their temporary boarding place, and at 5 o'clock p. m., they were summoned to make their appearance at the house which the congregation had secured for them. "They came, they saw, and were conquered." For, lo! there was a great supper prepared for them, and the congregation assembled to participate with them in making away with it. Everything passed of pleasantly. After the smoke of the battle had sufficiently cleared away to take a survey of the situation, they found themselves in possession of a large quantity of groceries, edibles, fruit, &c., &c. The larder was well supplied with everything necessary, and last, though not least, a purse of greenbacks was presented to the pastor. Long may the pastor and people be wedded together in harmony and peace."

BURGLARY AND ESCAPE FROM ARREST.—On Wednesday night of last week, the store of Clever & Ernst, of Jacksonville, in this county, was burglariously entered, and a quantity of clothing, boots, shoes, and other articles taken, together with the sum of $10 in three and five cent pieces. On Thursday three young men, John Cauffman, Walter Wogaman and Jas. Black, of Milltown, were observed in Carlisle spending money of the above denominations. Suspicion having been fastened upon them, search warrants were issued on Saturday, and Deputy Sheriff Goodyear, after a thorough search of the houses of the suspected youths' parents, found several articles pointing to the young men as the thieves. Later in the day, Cauffman and Wogaman were arrested, and Mr. Goodyear, placing them in charge of an assistant, started in pursuit of Black. In the absence of Mr. Goodyear, it is supposed his assistant, overcome with fatigue, fell asleep, when the prisoners escaped, handcuffed together. As soon as their flight was discovered, they were followed and the pursuit continued until Sunday afternoon, but without the satisfaction of a recapture.

A CROWD of perhaps 150 admirers of horse flesh assembled at the Cumberland county fair grounds last Saturday afternoon, to witness a trotting race between a brown horse, "Congedee," of West Virginia, and a bay mare, "Tempest," of Maryland. It proved to be a dreary affair, the best time made being 2.53, and was won by Congedee, in three out of four heats. A pacing race was dovetailed between the trotting heats, and was won by Allen's bay mare over Hess' "White Cloud," in two out of three heats, the fastest time being 2.46½. Considerable money changed hands on the grounds, though the idea of fairness in either race was received by many with much distrust. It is certain that the lovers of an exhilirating sport cannot fail to be dissatisfied with so flagrant an exhibition of jockeyism, and lack of ring discipline, as was witnessed on last Saturday.

Immediately before the last heat of the trotting race, a scrub match was run once around the ring, a distance of nearly 600 yards, between a sorrel mare belonging to J. W. Hannon, of Newville, and ridden by R. F. Myers, and Quigley's brown horse, ridden by Bun Moudy. This was the prettiest and most exciting race of the day, and was won by Mr. Hannon's mare after a sharp contest.

CARLISLE DISTRICT METHODIST EPISCOPAL CAMP MEETING—EXCURSION TICKETS—EXTRA TRAINS, ETC.—The Cumberland Valley R. R. Co., has announced its arrangements for the accommodation of the public during the continuance of the camp meeting to be held near Oakville, commencing on Wednesday, August 7, and closing on Friday, August 16, from which we give the following for the information of the many readers of the HERALD, who expect to attend the meeting or visit the great camp ground at any time during its continuance.

Excursion tickets (for the round trip) will be issued from all stations on the main line, between Harrisburg and Hagerstown, and those on the Southern Pennsylvania railroad between Richmond and Chambersburg, which tickets will be good for return passage until the last train on Saturday, August 17, and no longer. All trains will stop at the camp ground.

During the continuance of the camp meeting, extra trains will be run as follows:

First train leaves Chambersburg, on Saturday, August 10, at 5:50 p. m.; leaves Shippensburg, 6:35 p. m., and arrives at Oakville, 6:50 p. m. Returning, leaves Oakville, 9:45 p. m.

Second train leaves Chambersburg, 7:00 p. m.; leaves Shippensburg, 7:30 p. m., and arrives at Oakville, 7:45. Returning, leaves Oakville, 9:45 p. m.

First train leaves Chambersburg and Newville, on Tuesday, August 13, at 6:40 a. m.; leaves Shippensburg, 8:10 a. m.; leaves Oakville, 8:30 a. m., and arrives at Newville, 8:45 a. m. Returning leaves Newville, 9:15 a. m.; leaves Oakville, 9:30 a. m., and arrives at Shippensburg, 9:50 a. m.

Second train leaves Chambersburg, 5:50 p. m.; leaves Shippensburg, 6:35 p. m., and arrives at Oakville, 6:50. Returning, leaves Oakville, 9:45 p. m.

Third train leaves Chambersburg, 7:00 p. m.; leaves Shippensburg, 7:30 p. m., and arrives at Oakville, 7:45. Returning, leaves Oakville, 9:45.

On Saturday, the 10th, the express train leaving Oakville at 6:20 p. m., will run through to Greencastle.

Two extra trains to Harrisburg. One on Saturday, August 10, leaving Oakville for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, at 9 o'clock, p. m.

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BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD.—On and after Wednesday, July 17, the Cumberland Valley Railroad train which arrives at Hagerstown at 11.45, a. m., will make connection with the noon train of the Washington county branch of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad for Baltimore and all points east.

LOOK OUT FOR THE METEORS.—On the tenth of August, unless the calculations of our astronomical *savans* fail us, the earth will pass through a ring of meteors—the remains of the comet of 1862—on which date those of our readers who are wide awake may expect a meteoric display of greater or less brilliancy.

THE NORMAL SCHOOL.—In answer to the Chambersburg *Opinion*, and numerous inquiries from other sources, as to when the State Normal School at Shippensburg will commence its sessions, would say, that we have, within a day or two, "interviewed" a Trustee of the corporation, who gave it as his opinion that, under existing circumstances, the sessions will not commence before April, 1873. The contract for the completion of the building calls for the first of November, 1872, which agreement will be complied with. The heating, gas and water pipes are all in the building, and the plastering and carpenter work is pushed forward vigorously. We can assure all interested in the State Normal School at Shippensburg, that the first session will not commence later than April 1, 1873.—*Shippensburg News.*

SMALL POX.—I have entirely recovered from small pox; there has been no danger for three weeks, and as I am anxious to complete my College education before entering fully into the work of the ministry, and as I have no means, notwithstanding, my health will scarcely permit, I purpose canvassing the town of Carlisle with a very popular book, one that has almost a world-wide reputation. Price, $3.75 and $6.00 a copy. I still ask the patronage of the citizens of Carlisle, thanking them for what they done, for in three days I have sold fifty copies.

It is due that I should say a word concerning Dr. Wm. H. Cook, of Carlisle, as he undoubtedly saved my life. Before I was moved to the Poor House, he attended me faithfully three times each day, and after I was moved, once every day. He not only gave me medical attention, but everything else that I received through the kind, whole souled people of Carlisle, came through him. He almost nursed me; to my mind, he is the highest type of a perfect christian gentleman. It is useless to add that I am very grateful for his kind attention. Also, concerning Mr. Snyder, the keeper of the Poor House. Notwithstanding, my treatment at first was that of a pauper, as he only knew me as such, but after he became acquainted with the facts in the case, he treated me as though I had been his own son. He is a perfect gentleman. I was not put in the hospital, but in the old Poor House, among the sick and infirm people.

T. J. PRETTYMAN.

EMANCIPATION COMMEMORATED.

THE CELEBRATION OF OUR COLORED CITIZENS—A GRAND PARADE—BRILLIANT SPEECHES—A SPLENDID DINNER—GOOD BEHAVIOR—A GOOD TIME GENERALLY.

Last Thursday was a day of rejoicing and merry-making among our colored citizens. For several weeks previously it had been announced that busy preparations were being carried out for a "grand national celebration in commemoration of the emancipation of slaves;" and, accordingly, on the day announced, a programme, replete with features of interest and festivity, was carried out to the satisfaction of all concerned.

The day opened auspiciously, and early in the morning the streets were thronged with people anxious for the day's proceedings to commence. On the arrival of the morning train going westward, the scene was further enlivened by the arrival of several military and civic organizations, and many strangers, who came to participate in the celebration. Large delegations came during the day from Harrisburg, Chambersburg and nearly all the intermediate towns. The Committee of Reception, consisting of Assistant Marshals Thompson, Abel, Branson, Hodge, Jones and Lewis, received all visiting delegations, and escorted them to North street, the place of forming.

At 10½ o'clock, the procession, under the charge of Chief Marshal Peter Hodge, was formed on North street, right resting on West, and marched through the principal streets of our town, and afterward to the Barracks. In the line were several companies of infantry from abroad, the Cumberland Guards, members of secret societies, on foot, and a great many in carriages. The Keystone Band, of Newville, the Excelsior Band, of Harrisburg, and a drum corps, served to keep the spirits of the participants in harmony with the occasion.

At the Barracks, an able and eloquent address was delivered by Prof. John M. Langston, of Washington, which was listened to with strict attention, and favorably received by the intelligent assemblage, many of whom were whites. After Mr. Langston's speech, the crowd adjourned to the soldiers' quarters, where creature comforts were provided in abundance. Later in the afternoon, games were played, and songs sung in chorus in the happy style of the African race.

In the evening, a grand festival was held in Rheem's Hall. The building was densely packed in every part, and the audience enthusiastic. Addresses were delivered by distinguished colored speakers, among whom were Wm. D. Forten, esq., of Philadelphia; Prof. Wm. Howard Day, of the Harrisburg *National Progress*, and Major Simpson, of Philadelphia. It is worthy of notice that every speaker urged his hearers to vote for the re-election of Gen. Grant. The applause which uniformly greeted the delivery of sentiments favorable to the present Administration, indicated that there was little or no sympathy among the colored people of this section for the Greeley faction. The audience continued to listen to the speaking until a late hour, when it quietly adjourned.

A ball also came off in the evening, in the Good Will hall, which was largely attended, and was kept up till daylight notified the festive ones that it was time to disperse.

It may be well to note, recollecting the difficulty of Frederick Douglass, last winter, in procuring hotel accommodation, that our best hotels were open for the reception of guests without distinction as to color, and that numbers of blacks were boarded and lodged at them.

Though all the proceedings of the day were characterized by liveliness, perfectly good order was preserved, and no disturbance occurred in connection with any of the festivities of the colored people. The conductors and participants can alike congratulate themselves on the success of the celebration, as it has been the subject of much remark and commendation.

CORNER STONE LAYING.—No preventing Providence, the corner stone of the Letort Spring church, of the Evangelical Association, one mile east of the Poor House, will be laid with proper ceremony on Sabbath, August 25, at 10 o'clock. Several ministers will be in attendance.

H. A. DIETTERIT, Pastor.

THE funeral of Wm. B. Parker, esq., late United States Consul to Zante, took place on Saturday afternoon last. His remains were brought home on Thursday by Col. Isaac B. Parker, who had proceeded to Paris to meet the wife of the deceased and to take charge of the body. The funeral was attended by the members of the Bar, the Union Fire Company, and other civic societies, together with a large number of friends and relatives. After services at St. John's Episcopal church, the remains were interred in the old graveyard on South street.

RETURNED.—After an absence of 10 days the party of gentlemen from this place, that had been encamped at Wilson's Rock, Perry county, returned on last Saturday evening, about 9 o'clock. One and all speak in glowing terms of the pleasant time passed on this noted spot, and regret exceedingly that business compelled them to return. The day was passed in hunting, fishing and other out-door pleasure and the nights in setting "out-lines," &c. Long will the memories of "Camp Sport" linger in the minds of those who camped on the romantic spot.

AN affray took place last Thursday evening, on the street, opposite the south side of the market house, between an intoxicated German named Philip Weirich, and a negro, named Jackson Scott, in which the latter received two severe scalp wounds from a knife in the hands of Weirich. Sheriff Foreman put an end to the fight and arrested Weirich. After the negro had been attended by Dr. Grove, and the extent of his injuries ascertained to be not serious, he agreed to receive $20 and decline prosecution, whereupon the German was released from arrest.

WE clip the following from the Methodist *Christian Advocate*:

Rev. Dr. Dashiell, Secretary of our Missionary Society, has removed his residence from Carlisle to his family home in Roseville, Newark, N. J. Previous to leaving Carlisle the Trustees of Dickinson College at their annual meeting unanimously adopted the following:

WHEREAS, The Revl R. L. Dashiell, D.D., has filled the office of President of Dickinson College for four years, and acted as President *ex-officio* of this board during the same period; and, *whereas*, he has tendered his resignation of the Presidency, having been called by the church to another department of trust and responsibility: therefore,

Resolved, 1. That in accepting the resignation of President Dashiell the Trustees take pleasure in testifying to the ability and fidelity with which he has performed his duties as President, and the uniform Christian courtesy which has characterized his intercourse with the Board.

2. That we tender to him our best wishes for his happiness and usefulness in the department of Christian work to which he will in the future devote himself.

3. That the Secretary be requested to furnish a copy of this minute to Rev. R. L. Dashiell. CHAS. F. HIMES,
Secretary Board of Trustees.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.—At a meeting of the Union Fire Company, held on the evening of Aug 2, 1872, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, Our late Vice President, Wm. B. Parker, esq., has been stricken down by the dispensation of an all-wise Providence, in a foreign land, whilst in the discharge of his official duties as United States Consul at Zante, in the vigor of his manhood, and prime of his life. Therefore,

Resolved, That in the death of Wm. B. Parker, esq., the Union Fire Company has been deprived of one whose presence always animated its members, and whose active zeal in behalf of the Company has always been appreciated, and to whom the Company owes a lasting debt of gratitude for his untiring efforts to place her in the position she now occupies, and whose counsel and advice was always good.

Resolved, That the hall and apparatus be draped in mourning for the period of thirty days.

Resolved, That a blank page of our minute book be inscribed to his memory, as one whose record as a fireman, a citizen, and a friend, is untarnished, and not forgotten.

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with his bereaved family, assuring them the hearts of the members of his Company are as monuments upon which the name of the deceased is inscribed in characters indelible, and cherished by each one as fondly as he was loved whilst amongst us.

Resolved, That the Company attend his funeral in a body, and each member wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be handed to the friends of the deceased, and published in the papers of this borough.

THEO. CORNMAN,
L. T. GREENFIELD,
ROBT. SHEREDY,
Committee.

OBITUARY RESOLUTIONS.—At a meeting of the Sigma Charge of the Theta Delta Chi Fraternity, the following were adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased God in his wisdom to remove from us our Brother, Wm. B. Parker, esq., U. S. Consul to Zante, Greece, we desire to place on record some sincere and merited tribute to the memory of our departed friend and brother. Therefore,

Resolved, That by the sudden decease of Brother Parker, we are impressed with feelings of profound sorrow for the great loss sustained by the Sigma charge of Theta Delta Chi, in this first inroad on the wall of its founders. Honest and self-assured in his convictions, he was fearless in their expression, and immovable in their maintenance. This marked decision, this conservative firmness, this sober solidity, joined to great industry and entire devotion to whatever pertained to the Fraternity, made him the prominent Theta Delt he grew to be. As one of the founders of the Sigma Charge, he was always among the foremost in all movements pertaining to the Charge—encouraging with his voice, his influence and his means, every project that seemed likely to promote the welfare of the Fraternity. We shall ever cherish, with grateful satisfaction, the substantial evidence which he has given since the establishment of the Charge, (covering a period of eleven years) of the enthusiasm and personal devotion to the Sigma, which has been so instrumental in bringing about the uninterrupted success of the past years.

Resolved, That we tender our profound and heartfelt sympathy in their bereavement, to the young widow and tender son of our departed brother, whose outward life gave the strongest assurance that he cheerfully and well fulfilled the duties of a loving ruler of his own household, the home of hospitality, taste and refinement, whose inner influence was attractive in all that constitute domestic loveliness, but which is now so sad and sorrowful. And we would further extend to his other near relatives our sympathy for the loss of one whose deep-seated affection was of no common order, and marked him as the most filial of sons, and the most devoted and dutiful of brothers; and we humbly trust that in the midst of their grief they may find consolation in the conviction that what to them is great loss, is to him great gain.

Resolved, That we will attend his funeral in a body, that our hall and charter be draped in mourning for the Chapter period, and that a copy of these resolutions be communicated to the family of the deceased, and furnished to the press of Carlisle.

TOM A. REILY,
WILL. M. OGILBY,
JOHN R. MILLER,
E. J. TODD,
THOMAS W. AHL,
W. F. REILY,
JOHN H. AHL,
W. J. DALE.

WHILE Chief Burgess John M. Wallace was quelling a disturbance at the market house last Friday night, an expert thief relieved him of a revolver, which he carried in his pistol pocket.

[ANNOUNCEMENTS.]

KEEP COOL.

Don't hurry, don't fret, and when you want prime apples, potatoes, cabbage, onions, &c., drop in at Humrich's.

FOUND.

A Knights of Pythias pin was picked up on the pavement on Thursday last. The owner can obtain the same by calling at THIS OFFICE, proving property and paying for this notice. 8au721t

JUST received sugar cured shoulders, hams, dried beef, beef tongues, at Humrich's.

THE person who received a set of harness in exchange for his own, at the United States Hotel, Mt. Holly, Pa., on Friday, July — will confer a favor by addressing me.

C. A. BURKHOLDER,
7au724t* Carlisle.

ANOTHER lot of choice halibut, mackerel, herring, at Humrich's.

PERHAPS no real medicine ever gained the rapid popularity which Castoria has done. One person relates his experience of its good effects to another. It is a vegetable preparation, perfectly harmless, pleasant to take; does not distress or gripe, but regulates the system, and is sure to operate when all other remedies have failed. Any person who has ever used Castoria for stomach ache, constipation, croup, flatulency, worms, piles, or deranged liver, will never again use nauseating oil, bitter pills or narcotic syrups. The Castoria contains neither minerals, morphine nor alcohol. By its soothing, quieting effect it produces natural sleep, and is particularly adapted to crying and teething children. It costs but 35 cents, and one bottle will save many dollars in doctors' bills. 8au724t

BLACKSMITHS WANTED!

At the Carlisle Machine and Car Works, steady employment will be given to good men. Apply to

1au721m F. GARDNER & CO.

FOR to suit up your sets of plain and gilt band china ware, call on J. L. Meloy & Co., who are agents for the sale of these goods. We have a full price list; a reasonable reduction when bought in quantities. 1aug724t

IF you want prime French mustard, by the quart, pint or half pint, go to Humrich's.

7,423 pounds of sugar received, by J. L. Meloy & Co. Fruit preservers come and see us. Money saved.

THE best assortment of Hamburg edge and insertings can be found at

27jo72tf J. H. WOLF'S.

WATERMELONS and cantelopes always on hand at Humrich's.

WE have the flour now that makes the women happy. Sold only by J. L. Meloy & Co.

A LARGE stock of dry lumber, placed in the yards before rise in prices, for sale at low figures. Lath, shingles, pickets, &c., always on hand. Call at upper or lower yards. A. H. BLAIR.
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HUMRICH always has them—spiced, pickled and fresh oysters, chow chow, cauliflower, olives, lemons, &c.

5,000 HAMS!

I am now in possession of two tons and a half of the very finest brands of canvassed sugar cured hams, which I offer for sale cheap for cash. Every ham guaranteed to be as represented. Also, dried beef and bologna constantly on hand at Hoffman's, Nos. 44 and 88 East Pomfret street.

N. B.—Hams weighed when sold.
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HUMRICH has it, fresh cheese, and is selling 100 pounds a week.

COMPINGS made into switches, chignons, curls, frizetts, &c., at Madame Rotes.

SPRING chickens and ducks at Humrich's.

CANNED GOODS!

Selling low at Hoffman's cheap grocery Nos. 44 and 88 East Pomfret street. Tomatoes, 3 pound cans at twenty cents. Winslow's corn at twenty-five cents. Peaches, 3 pound cans at twenty-eight cents. Pine apple thirty-five cents. Oysters, 2 pound cans at twenty-five cents, 1 pound cans at fifteen cents.
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ALL the year round, *Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders* should be given to horses that are "kept up." To horses and cattle that graze in summer they should only be given in winter and spring.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We are the sole agents in Carlisle for the sale of the Genuine Harris' seamless kid gloves. They are universally acknowledged to be the best and finest kid glove imported.

9ma724t MILLER & BUTTORFF.

OFFICERS and soldiers who served in the army, physicians, surgeons, and eminent men and women everywhere, join in recommending *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* to be the best internal and external family medicine ever invented. That's our experience.

ONE who has used it says, "shure and it makes the wather awful dirthy, and that without rubbing, does the "Dollar Reward Soap."

EVERY *one* that has used Pain Cure Oil are loud in their praises of its wonderful effects. They all say "there is nothing like it." Reader try it.

THE HOUSE AND HIS RIDER.—It was a happy day for horse and his rider when the *Mustang Liniment* was introduced as a cure for the external diseases and injuries of both. In the stable, the barn and the household this wonderful emollient is equally useful. If a horse is spavined, or foundered, or harness-galled, or afflicted with any other of the many stupefacial ills that equine flesh is heir to, the Liniment effects a speedy cure, and it is equally efficacious when applied to draught oxen or cows suffering from outward swellings, strains or hurts of any description. As an application for bruises, cuts, burns, rheumatism, stiff joints, sprains, neuralgia, earache and toothache, it takes precedence for all other topical remedies, and is therefore an article of prime necessity in families.

NEW MACKEREL!

Just received a large lot of fine new mackerel, at Hoffman's, Nos. 44 and 88 East Pomfret street.
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