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ADVERTISEMENTS.

LAW-PARTNERSHIP.

Jas. Cooper & A. R. Stevenson, ATTORNEYS AT LAW...

THE business of the Subscriber will suffer no interruption...

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber, wishing to remove West, will sell, at Private Sale, a HOUSE & LOT...

Nov. 4. N. B.—All persons who know themselves indebted to the subscriber...

A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

THE subscriber, will sell at Private Sale, his farm of valuable land, consisting of 173 Acres...

A DOUBLE LOG HOUSE.

and double Log Barn, with two good wells of water...

GOOD ORCHARDS.

The above farm is situated in Lat... SAMUEL HOLLINGER...

ADAMS COUNTY TEMPERANCE CONVENTION.

THE various Temperance Societies of the County, will please to remember that the Convention will assemble...

TEMPERANCE.

A SEMI-ANNUAL Meeting of the Littlestown Temperance Society, will be held in the Church...

NOTICE.

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NEW GOODS.

D. H. SWOPE, returns his sincere thanks to the citizens of Gettysburg, and the public generally...

BRITISH, FRENCH, AND DOMESTIC FANCY AND STAPLE GOODS.

A SUPERIOR ASSORTMENT OF British, French, and Domestic Fancy and Staple Goods...

LOOK AT THIS! NEW GOODS.

Thos. J. Cooper, IS just receiving, and offers to the public a large and splendid assortment of goods...

NEW GOODS.

Hardware, Queensware, Groceries, &c.

all of which will be sold at the most reduced prices...

NEW GOODS.

P. S. Old Metal, Copper and Brass, taken in exchange for new Stoves or Goods...

INDIAN QUEEN HOTEL.

This Hotel is situated in South Fourth st. between Market & Chesnut sts. PHILADELPHIA.

DAVID MILLER.

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he has removed from the Western Hotel in Market street...

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DR. FRANKLIN J. SMITH.

RESPECTFULLY calls the attention of his friends and the public generally, to the important and interesting fact, that he is fully prepared and qualified to cure the most inveterate cases of rheumatism...

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LAW NOTICE.

C. BAKER, WILL practice Law in the several Courts of Adams county...

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THE GARLAND

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From the New-York Mirror. FABLES.

TRANSLATED FROM THE FRENCH. The young Wolf.—A young Wolf, who had run away from his post in action with the troops of Duke Leopold...

"That for me!" cried the culprit, and knelt down before him—"for me, whose father once saved thy crown and life in a perilous rebellion, and was raised to the highest rank in the realm for his good conduct."

"You are right," said King Lion, smiling, "the son of such a father deserves to be distinguished from other criminals; so let him have four and twenty blows, and lose both ears."

"There are different ideas of justice in both the human and brute kingdom."

The Dove and Fox.—The Dove once obtained the honorable and delicate post of historian to the animal kingdom, and her impartiality was generally praised.

"Have pity on me," exclaimed the poor Dove; "I never said any thing about you but the exact truth."

"That is the very reason, you fool! that is the very reason I am going to strangle you!"

The Little Girl and her Christmas Present.—A little girl once got, among her other Christmas presents, a whip—but it was a beautiful one, all worked with gold and red silk.

"Surely, so pretty a rod cannot hurt so much as others do," she made a plaything of it, and carried it about with her wherever she went.

The Sun and the Negroes.—"Really, good Sun, you are sometimes too fierce," cried the people of the warm region in Africa, "only look; we are fairly burning up."

"Don't let that put you out of temper, my friends," answered the God: "millions on millions of people, who live to the northward of you, freeze to death, if I was to take away any of my rays from you."

"We are overburdened with business," said Shah Akbar's servants.

"So much the better," answered he; "my extra labors enable millions of my subjects to rest in peace."

The Widow's Blighted Hope.

BY MRS. HELEN E. CUMMINGS. Would the dark curtain of the grave Could close around my weary head...

Darker, wilder, grows the night— Not a star sends quivering light Through the massy arch of shade...

Once, Nature's works had charms for me; The sun, with course so true; The songsters of the greenwood tree;...

Matthew Vassar, of Poughkeepsie, has, with a commendable liberality, built at an expense of \$20,000, a church for the Baptist society of that place.

A meeting has been held in York county for the purpose of constructing a Rail Road, to connect the Cumberland Valley Rail Road, with the York and Wrightsville Rail Road...

There are too many persons who begrudge the trifling sum asked for a year's subscription to a newspaper, and many indeed who think that it is money thrown away.

The Deaths in Baltimore for the week ending on the 19th were 53.

NEWSPAPERS.

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Even in the ordinary and hymenial notices, we find a fund to meditate upon.

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