

and brother, ADAM C. BERT, who fell upon a bloody field of Fredericksburg, while nobly leading the honored flag of his country; therefore, beloved. That while we, the Officers and Teachers of the Lutheran S. S., deeply deplore and lament the sudden departure from us, cutting off the vigor of health and in the youth of life, a course of usefulness in society, in the school and in the home, we would, nevertheless, bow with humble submission to the will of Him "who doeth all things well."

And, that we, the officers and fellow teachers, whose death have been deprived of a useful co-worker, and of a kind, amiable and beloved comrade, whose memory we cherish with the fondest recollection.

Resolved, That we, as a school, heartily sympathize with his relatives, who have been so unexpectedly called to mourn the loss of one so worthy of affection.

Resolved, That these resolutions be read to the school, accompanied with some appropriate remarks by the president, at his earliest convenience.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolutions be published in the GreenCastle Patriot, and a copy of the same be sent to the family of the deceased.

Rev. E. BRIDENBAUGH, Pres.

W. G. GRETZ, Sec'y.

Completion of the Lake Providence Canal.

Louis, March 19.—A dispatch from the New Orleans Picayune, dated the 11th inst., says that the Lake Providence canal is completed, and the water will be let in in about a week.

The Rebel gun-boat Webb is lying close to shore, near Vicksburg, and is supposed to be in a sinking condition.

Port Check to the Yazoo Pass Expedition.

Memphis, March 19.—A special Memphis dispatch to the Tribune, dated yesterday, says; intelligence from the Yazoo Pass expedition to-day morning last, has been received. The expedition consisted of the gun-boat Chillicothe, De Witt, five small gun-boats of the Mosquito fleet, ten transports. The Chillicothe being in advance, came upon a Rebel battery of five guns, at Greenwood, at the confluence of the Yallahatchie and Yallahatchie rivers. The Rebels, at dark, this battery and the Chillicothe being engaged all Friday. The Chillicothe fired sixty-four shots, one entering her port killing three and wounding fourteen per cent.

On Saturday morning a few shots were fired; the Chillicothe it is said, was short of ammunition. Besides the Greenwood battery the Rebels are said to be strongly fortified at City and Manchester. The fleet, at the accounts, was three miles above the junction of the rivers, 200 miles from Helena, and 100 miles from Yazoo City.

THE ALTAR.

MARRIED.—In Chambersburg, on the 17th inst., by Rev. R. Sewell, Mr. Robert McCrory to Miss Margaret Wise, both of Hagerstown, Md. GreenCastle papers please copy.

THE TOMB.

ED.—In this place, March 18th, 1863, Mr. W. M. in his 70th year.

At this place, March 19th, 1863, Mrs. Mary of Mr. John S. Singer, aged 28 years and 11 days.

At this place, March 18th, 1863, H. Bushey, of Mt. Lebanon, in his 4th year.

At this place, at the residence of Mr. Simon P. March, the 22d, 1863, Mr. James G. Edmeston, aged 24 years, died on Tuesday, (24th inst.) at 10 o'clock A. M.

At this place, March 22d, 1863, wife of Mr. Edmeston, died on Tuesday, (24th inst.) at 10 o'clock A. M.

Markets.

GREENCASTLE, Monday March 23, 1863.

White... \$7.00 @ 6. Peaches... \$2 @ \$4.00

Red... 6.50 Apples... 1.00

White... 1.50 Potatoes... .89

Red... 1.40 Onions... 1.00

Meal... 1.00 Hams... 12

Wheat... 80 Sides & Shoulders... 7

70 Beef... 10

55 Chicken... 15

50 Butter... 18

5 Eggs... 15

2.00 Lard... 8

3.00 Yellow... 9

New Advertisements.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, doing business under the name and title of T. S. Riley & Co., dissolved by mutual consent on the 12th day of Feb., 1863. All persons knowing themselves indebted to the above firm, are requested to make immediate settlement. The books are in the hands of H. H. Riley, by whom the business will still be conducted in all its branches.

The firm most respectfully return their thanks to the public for past patronage, and solicit for the future a continuance of the same.

T. S. RILEY & CO.

GREENCASTLE SELECT SCHOOL.

MISS M. G. BURGESS, (a graduate of the highest New England Seminary), will teach a school for young ladies in GreenCastle, on Tuesday, March 25th, 1863.

Length of Session.

Summer Term commences, March 25th.

Winter Term commences, October 1st.

Terms:—

Common English Branches, \$ 8.00 per session.

with Latin, 9.00

French English Branches, 10.00

with French, 12.00

One-half of the tuition to be paid upon entrance, remainder at the close of the session.

Local Music taught daily.

GreenCastle, 17, 1863-St.

PARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have become Partners under the style and name of DEITZ & M-DOWELL in the Forwarding and Commission, Produce, Coal and Lumber business at Chambersburg and Greencastle.

GEO. A. DEITZ, TENCH M-DOWELL.

Feb. 17, '63 4t.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, doing business under the name and title of Keller and Plum, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of September, 1862. John F. Keller has purchased the entire interest of John S. Plum. The Books and Papers are in the hands of John S. Plum for collection. Settlement must be made before the 1st day of April next.

JOHN F. KELLER, JOHN S. PLUM.

The manufacture of Grain Drills and Agricultural Implements, carried on by the above named firm, will be carried on by JOHN F. KELLER, Greencastle, Pa.

Greencastle, Feb. 3, 1863.-1t.

THE MAGIC TIME OBSERVER, The Perfection of Machinery,

BEING a hunting and Open Case, or Lady's or Gentleman's Watch Combined.

One of the prettiest, most convenient, and decidedly the best and cheapest timepiece for general and reliable use, ever offered. It has within it and connected with its machinery, its own winding attachment, rendering a key entirely unnecessary.

The cases of this Watch are composed of two metals, the outer one being fine 16 carat gold. It has the improved ratchet action lever movement, and is warranted an accurate timepiece. Price, superbly engraved, per case of a half dozen, \$204.00. Sample Watches, in neat morocco boxes, for those proposing to buy at wholesale, \$38, sent by express, with bill payable on delivery. Soldiers must remit payment in advance, as we cannot collect from those in the Army. Address—

HUBBARD BROS. & CO., Sole Importers, Cor. Nassau & John Sts., New-York.

Feb. 10, 1863-6t.

Important Arrival!

S. H. PRATHER & CO. HAVE just received a large assortment of NEW

GOODS,

which they will take pleasure in showing to their numerous customers and others. In

Ladies' Dress Goods,

they have

Lustres, Black Silks, Delaines, Cashmeres, Wool Delaines, Plaid Mohair, Lavellas, French Merinos, Coburgs, Debeiges.

CLOTHES FOR LADIES' CLOAKS, Shawls, Nubias, Hoods, Sontags, Hoop Skirts, Balmoral Skirts, Embroideries, Kid Gloves, Gauntlets, Collars, White Goods, Black Crape Veils, Mourning do., Chenille and Fancy Head Nets, Lambs Wool Hose, (cheap), Merino and Cotton Hosiery, Ladies' Congress Gaiters, Morocco Boots and Gum Shoes.

MENS' WEAR!

Black, Blue and Brown Broadcloths, Beaver Overcoating, Peterham do., Cassimeres, Wash do., Velvet Cord, Kentucky Jeans, Satinets, Undershirts and Drawers, Soldier Shirts, Hats, Caps, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Cravats, Burnside Ties, Domestic Goods, and

BOOTS & SHOES!

FLOOR OIL CLOTH.

WALL PAPER.

SCHOOL BOOKS AND STATIONARY

They are selling

HARDWARE!

AT

COST!

in order to close out the stock.

GROCERIES!

White Sugar, Coffee, Brown Sugar, Prepared Coffee, Syrups, N. O. Molasses, Imperial Tea, Black Tea.

Chewing Tobacco, Cigars, Pipes and Smoking Tobacco. Also, an excellent stock of

QUEENSWARE.

We respectfully invite all persons wishing to purchase goods as cheap as the times will admit, to call and examine our new and elegant assortment. We have bought our goods for CASH, and we are enabled to sell them upon the same terms, at but a

SLIGHT ADVANCE on wholesale rates. Remember the place is on the South-west corner of the Public Square, next door to Hollar's Hotel.

S. H. PRATHER & CO. Greencastle- Dec. 9, 1862-ly

CLOTHING FOR THE MILLION!

HAUS & BRADLEY

Have just received a new and elegant stock of Spring and Summer Goods,

for Men and Boys' wear, consisting in part of, BLACK FRENCH CLOTHS.

of the best qualities, Fancy Cloths, a choice selection of Summer Cassimeres, Black Doekin Cassimeres, Boys Cassimeres, (cheap), Wash Cassimeres, Linen Costing, Linen and Cotton Pant Stuff, Jeans, Curds, Drillings, &c.

Gents' Furnishing Goods

Hose, Gloves, Suspenders, Pocket Handkerchiefs, Cravats, Neck Ties, Shirts, Collars, &c.

Goods made up at short notice. None but the best of workmen are employed. Custom work taken in as by any other tailor, and made up substantially and neatly. Persons wishing to get any other tailor to make up their goods, can buy them from us, as cheap and as reasonable as at any other establishment in the county.

Cutting done at all times. Fashions regularly received. Terms,

Cash or short time to prompt paying customers.

HAUS & BRADLEY.

P. S. We have also a LIVERY Establishment, and are prepared to hire, at all times

HORSES, BUGGIES and WAGONS.

Good Drivers furnished when desired. Terms for hire, CASH.

H. & B. Greencastle, April 29, 1862.

PURCHASERS OF DRY GOODS!!

WE are receiving goods every day from the eastern cities, and have ready for sale, the following list of articles, which we can sell cheaper than sold elsewhere:

- Bleached Muslins, White Flannels, Colored do, Kentucky Jeans, Corset do, Satinets, Velvet Cords, Cotton Table Diaper, do do Cloths, Hickory, Crash Towelings, Bed Checks, Counterpanes, Shirting Checks, Linen Table Diaper, Linen Table Cloths, and everything in the Domestic line of all qualities and prices.

MENS' WEAR.

- Cloths, Gloves, Boys Undershirts, Vestings, Cravats, Suspenders, Cassimeres, Handk'fs, Scarfs, Undershirts, Collars, Boys Drawers, Shirt Fronts, Drawers, Neck Ties, Satin Stocks, Hosiery, Kid Gloves.

In this branch we have everything of all styles and prices.

Ladies Department.

- Black Silks, Fancy Silks, Plain Silks, Grenadines, Tissues, Bereges, Challis, Delaines, Lawns, Gingham, Brilliants, Calicos, Traveling Goods, Lustrres, Mohair and Lavella Cloths, Ducals, Plaids, Poplins, Chintzes, &c.

and everything to be found among the numerous textures, styles and qualities, from a ten cent Calico to the most expensive silk.

SHAWLS.

Everything new and desirable.

WHITE GOODS!

- Cambrics, Swisses, Linens, Brilliants, Dimitys, Checks, Stripes.

EMBROIDERIES, &c.

- French Muslins, Cambric Linens, Book Muslins, Victoria Lawns, Bobbinets, Mulls, Blonds, Skirtings, Linings, Fringes.

Laces, Swiss Edgings, Cambric Edgings, Swiss Insertings, Cambric Insertings, Swiss and Cambric Flouncings, French Worked Handkerchiefs, French Worked Collars and Sleeves, Infant Bodies, Dimitys, &c., &c., &c.

We are satisfied that in the above Goods we have everything to meet the demands of any customer.

GLOVES, HOSIERY, GAUNTLETS, VEILS, UMBRELLAS, PARASOLS, and everything in the Notion Line.

SKELETON SKIRTS.

A superior article always on hands.

KID GLOVES,

The best article of manufactured, for Ladies and Gentlemen.

Particular attention is paid to each different branch of our business; and we hope by strict attention and reasonable profits, to merit our heretofore liberal patronage, and greatly enlarge our business.

P. S. RILEY & CO. Greencastle, Dec 2, 1862-ly.

DR. LA CROIX'S Private Medical Treatise on the Physiological View of Marriage.

250 PAGES and 180 ENGRAVINGS—Price only twenty-five cents. Sent free of postage to all parts of the Union. On the infirmities of youth and maturity, disclosing the secret follies of both sexes of all ages, causing debility, nervousness, depression of spirits, palpitation of the heart, suicidal imaginings, involuntary emissions, bluishings, defective memory, indigestion and lassitude, with confessions of thrilling interest of a Boarding School Miss, a College Student, and a Young Married Lady, &c. &c. It is a truthful adviser to the married and those contemplating marriage, who entertain secret doubts of their physical condition, and who are conscious of having hazarded the health, happiness and privileges to which every human being is entitled.

YOUNG MEN who are troubled with weakness, generally caused by a bad habit in youth the effects of which are dizziness, pains, forgetfulness, sometimes a ringing in the ears, weak eyes, weakness of the back and lower extremities, confusion of ideas, loss of memory, with melancholy, may be cured by the author's NEW PARIS AND LONDON TREATISEMENT.

We have, recently devoted much of our time in VISITING THE EUROPEAN HOSPITAL, L., availing ourselves of the knowledge and researches of the most skilled physicians and surgeons in Europe and the continent. Those who place themselves under our care will have the full benefit of the many NEW AND EFFICACIOUS REMEDIES which we are enabled to introduce into our practice, and the public may rest assured if the same real, assiduity, care and attention being paid to their cases, which has so successfully distinguished us heretofore, as a Physician in our Peculiar department of professional Practice, for the past twenty-five years.

French Female Pills.—Ladies who wish for Medicines the efficacy of which has been tested in thousands of cases, and never failed to effect speedy cures without any bad results, will use none but Dr. LaCroy's Female Periodical Pills. The only precaution necessary to be observed is, ladies should not take them if they have reason to believe they are in certain situations (the particulars of which will be found in the wrapper accompanying each box), though always safe and healthy, so gentle, yet so active are they.

Price \$1 per box. They can be mailed to any part of the United States or Canada. TO THE LADIES.—Who need a confidential medical adviser with regard to any of those interesting complaints to which their delicate organization renders them liable, are particularly invited to consult us. The "Alcebro-Galvanic Protective"—For married ladies whose health will not admit, or who have no desire to increase their families, may be obtained as above. It is a perfectly safe preventive to conception, and has been extensively used during the last 20 years. Price reduced to \$10.

The Secrets of Youth Unveiled.

A Treatise on the cause of Premature Decay.—A solemn warning. Just published, a book showing the insidious progress and prevalence among schools, [both male and female] of this fatal habit, pointing out the fatality which invariably attends its victims, and developing the whole progress of the disease, from the commencement to the end. It will be sent by Mail on receipt of two [8] cents stamps.

Attendance daily, from 8 in the morning till 9 at night, and on Sundays from 2 till 6 P. M.

Medicines with full directions sent to any part of the United States or Canada, by patients communicating their symptoms by letter.

Dr. L's Office is still located as established under the name of DR. LA CROIX, at No. 81 Maiden Lane, Albany, N. Y. Oct. 7, 62-ly

VINELAND. TO ALL WANTING FARMS. A REMEDY FOR HARD TIMES.

A Rare Opportunity in the Best Market, and Most Delightful and Healthy Climate in the Union. Only thirty miles South of Philadelphia, on a Railroad; being a Rich, Heavy Soil, and Highly Productive Wheat Land; Amongst the Best in the Garden State of New Jersey.

It consists of 20,000 acres of GOOD land, divided into Farms of different sizes to suit the purchaser—from 20 acres AN UPWARDS—and is sold at the rate of from \$15 to \$20 per acre for the farm land, payable one-fourth cash, and the balance by quarterly installments, with legal interest, within the term of four years.

The Soil is, in great part, a Rich Clay Loam, suitable for Wheat, Grass and Potatoes—also a dark and rich sandy loam, suitable for corn, sweet-potatoes, tobacco, all kinds of vegetables and root crops, and the finest varieties of fruit, such as Grapes, Peaches, Appricots, Nectarines, Blackberries, Melons and other fruits, best adapted to the Philadelphia and New York Markets. In respect to the soil and crops there can be no mistake, as visitors can examine both, and none are expected to buy before so doing, and finding these statements correct—under these circumstances, unless these statements were correct, there would be no use in their being made. It is considered the best Fruit soil in the Union.

[See Reports of Solon Robinson, Esq., of the New York Tribune, and the well-known agriculturist, William Parry, of Cinnaminson, New Jersey, which will be furnished inquirers.]

The Market.—By looking over a map the reader will perceive that it enjoys the best market in the Union, and has direct communication with New York and Philadelphia twice a day, using only thirty-two miles from the latter. Produce: this market brings double the price that it does in locations distant from the market. In this location it can be put into what the farmer sells he gets the highest price; whilst groceries and other articles he purchases he gets at the lowest price. In the West, what he sells brings him a pittance, but for what he buys he pays two prices. In locating here the settler has many other advantages. He is within a few hours, by railroad, of all the great cities of New England and the Middle States. He is near his old friends and associations. He has school for his children, divine service, and all the advantages of civilization, and he is near a large city.

The Climate is delightful; the winters being salubrious and open, whilst the summers are no warmer than in the North. The location is upon the line of trade with northern Virginia.

Persons Wanting a change of Climate for Health, would be much benefitted in Vineland. The mildness of the climate and its bracing influence, makes it excellent for all pulmonary affections, dyspepsia or general debility. Visitors will notice a difference in a few days. Chills and fevers are unknown.

Conveniences at Hand.—Building material is plenty. Fish and oysters are plenty and cheap.

Visitors must expect, however, to see a new place. Why the Property has not been Settled Before?—This question the reader naturally asks. It is because it has been held in large tracts by families not disposed to sell, and being without railroad facilities they had few inducements. The Railroad has just been opened through the property this season, for the first time.

Visitors are shown over the land in a carriage, free of expense, and afforded time and opportunity for thorough investigation. Those who come with a view to settle, should bring money to secure their purchases, as locations are not held upon refusal.

The Safest thing in Hard Times, where people have been thrown out of employment or business, and possess some little means or small incomes, is to start themselves a home. They can buy a piece of land at a small price, and earn more than wages in improving it, and when it is done it is a certain independence and happiness. A few acres in fruit trees will insure a comfortable living. The land is put down to hard times, and all improvements can be made at a cheaper rate than most any other time.

The whole tract, with six miles front on the railroad, is being laid out with fine and spacious avenues, with a town in the centre—five acre lots in the town set at from \$150 to \$200; two and a-half acre lots at from \$80 to \$120, and town lots 50 feet front by 150 feet deep, at \$100—payable one-half cash and the balance within a year. It is only upon farms of twenty acres, or more, that four years' time is given.

To Manufacturers, the town affords a fine opening for the shoe manufacturing business, and other articles, being near Philadelphia, and the surrounding country has a large population, which affords a good market.

This settlement, in the course of several years, will be one of the most beautiful places in the country, and most agreeable for a residence.

It is intended to make it a Vine and Fruit growing country, as this culture is the most profitable and best adapted to the market. Every advantage and convenience for settlers will be introduced which will insure the prosperity of the place. The hard times throughout the country will be an advantage to the settlement, as it compels people to resort to agriculture for a living.

Large numbers of people are purchasing, and the people who desire the best location should visit the place at once.

Improved Land is also for sale.

Timber.—Land can be bought with or without Timber. The Timber at market valuation.

The title is indisputable. Warrantee Deeds given clear of all incumbrances, when the money is paid.

Boarding conveniences at hand.

Letters promptly answered, and Reports of Solon Robinson and Wm. Parry sent, together with the "Vineland Rural."

Route to the Land.—Leave Walnut street wharf, Philadelphia, at 9 o'clock, A. M., and 4 P. M. (unless there should be a change of hour, for Vineland, on the Glassboro' and Millville Railroad. When you leave the cars at Vineland Station, just opened, inquire for

CHAS. K. LANDIS, Postmaster, Founder of the Colony, Vineland P. O., Cumberland Co., N. J.

P. S.—There is a change of cars of Glassboro'. Also beware of sharpers on the cars from New York and Philadelphia to Vineland, inquiring your business, destination, &c.

December 8, 1861-8mos.

PARLOR and Cook gas Burning Coal Stoves, the latest styles, at BARR & CO'S

Report of Solon Robinson, OF THE NEW YORK TRIBUNE, UPON THE VINELAND SETTLEMENT.

The following is an extract from the report of Solon Robinson, Esq., published in the New York Tribune, in reference to Vineland. All persons can read this report with interest.

Advantages of Farming near Home.—Vineland.—Remarks upon Marl—Soil, its great Fertility.—The Cause of Fertility.—Amount of Crops Produced.—Practical Evidence.

It is certainly one of the most extensive fertile tracts, in an almost level position, and suitable condition for pleasant farming that see know of this side of the western prairies. We found some of the oldest farms apparently just as profitable productive as when first cleared of forest fifty or a hundred years ago.

The geologist would soon discover the cause of this continued fertility. The whole country is a marine deposit, and all through the soil we found evidences of calcareous substances, generally in the form of indurated calcareous masses showing many distinct forms of ancient shells, of the tertiary formation; and this marly substance is scattered all through the soil, in a very comminuted form, and in the exact condition most easily assimilated by such plants as the farmer desires to cultivate.

Marl, in all its forms, has been used to fertilize crops in England, from the time it was occupied by the Romans; and in France and Germany a marl bed is counted on as a valuable bed of manure, that can be dug and carted and spread over the field.—How much more valuable then it must be, when found already mixed through the soil, where new particles will be turned up and exposed, and transformed to the owner's use every time he stirs the earth.

Having then satisfied our minds of the cause, they will not be excited with wonder at seeing indubitable evidence of fertility in a soil which in other situations, having the same general characteristics or at least appearances, is entirely unproductive except as its productiveness is promoted by artificial fertilization.

A few words about the quality and value of this land, for cultivation, of which we have some strong proof.

Our first visit was to William D. Wilson, Franklin township, Gloucester county, who purchased some eight miles north of Millville, about three years ago, for the purpose of establishing a steam mill, to work up the timber into lumber, to send off by the new railroad, as well as the firewood and coal, for which he built a branch track a mile and a half long. He also furnished sixteen miles of the road with ties, and has no doubt made the mill profitable, though his main object was to open a farming business, but he continued that the soil was valuable for cultivation. In this he has not been disappointed, as some of his crops prove. For instance, last year, the second time of cropping, 300 bushels of potatoes on one acre, worth 60 cents a bushel in the field. This year seven acres, without manure, produced 356 bushels of oats. In one field, the first crop was potatoes, planted among the rows, and yielded 75 bushels.—The potatoes were dug, and wheat sown, and yielded 16 bushels; and the stubble turned under and sown to buckwheat, which yielded 33 1/2 bushels; and then the ground was sown to clover and timothy, which gave as a first crop 2 1/2 tons per acre.

The fertilizers applied to these crops were first, ashes from clearings; second, 225 pounds of superphosphate of lime; third, 200 pounds Peruvian guano; then 50 bushels of slaked lime has been spread upon the clover since it was mowed, and turned in for wheat.

Mr. Wilson's growing crops, and the wheat stubble of the present season, all indicate his land as productive as any part of the State.

At Mary Barrow's, an old style Jersey woman farmer, several miles south of Mr. Wilson's, we were so particularly struck with the fine appearance of a field of corn, that we stopped to inquire of the hired man how it was produced.—We found that the land had been the year but one before in wheat, sown with clover, and this out one season, and last spring plowed once, with one "poor old nag," and planted with corn.