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VOLUME 16.

Right; Fearless in Opposing Wrong.

WHOLE NUMBER, 818

RAILROADS. Maintenance bought by steward..... Harry Johnson, Ann Wright's boy, PERKIOMEN RAILROAD. Passenger trains leave Collegeville Station as follows: Samuel Mench, Christiana Auman, Debora Engle, Board of children as per act of Assem-FOR PHILADELPHIA AND POINTS SOUTH. Henry Badman's far Sabina Mattis, FOR ALLENTOWN AND POINTS NORTH AND WEST. Margaret Graham, Mail......7.39 a. m. Market. 3.20 p. m. Accommodation 6.47 p. m. Sabilla Shuly's fami SUNDAYS-SOUTH. Accommodation 9.38 a. m. Milk 5.32 p. m. PHILADELPHIA AND READING R. R. SHORT AND DIRECT ROUTE TO PHILADELPHIA NEW YORK, NEW ENGLAND, THE SOUTH AND WEST. On and after Nov. 16, 1890, TRAINS LEAVE COLLEGEVILLE (Via. Perkiomen R. R., connecting at Perkiomen Junction) as follows: FOR PHILADELPHIA—week days, 6.36, 8.02, a. m., 1.10, 4.16, p. m. Sundays, 6.36, a. m., 4.20, p. m. FOR NEW YORK-weeks days, 6.36, 8.02, a m., 1.10, 4.16, p. m. Sunday, 6.36, a. m. FOR PHOENIXVILLE, POTTSTOWN AND READ ING-week days, 8.02, a. m., 4.16, p. m. Sun-Trains for Baltimore, Washington, the South and West, via. B. &. O. R. R., leave Girard Avenue Station (P. & R. R. R.,) at 4.16, 8.01, 11.27, a. m., 1 34, 4.24, 5.55, 7.23, p. m. Sundays, 4.16, 8.01, 11.27, a. m., 4.24, 5.55, 7.23, p. m. ATLANTIC CITY DIVISION. Leave Philadelphia, Chestnut Street Wharf and South Street Wharf, FOR ATLANTIC CITY. Week days—Express, 9.00, a. m., 2.00, 4.00, p. m. Accommodation, 8.00 a. m., 5.00 p. m. Sundays—Express, 9.00 a. m. Accommodation, 8.00 a. m., and 4.30 p. m. RETURNING, LEAVE ATLANTIC CITY Depot, corner of Atlantic and Arkansas Ave-Week days—Express, 7.30, 9.00, a. m., 4.00, p. m. Accommodation, 8.05 a. m., and 4.30 p. m. Sundays—Express, 4.00, p. m. Accommodation, 7.00 a.m. dation, 7.30 a. m., and 4.30 p. m. C. G. HANCOCK, A. A. McLEOD, Pres. and Gen. Manager. MONTGOMERY COUNTY ALMS FOR THE YEAR 1890. The Annual Account of the Directors of the Poor and House of Employment of Montgomery County, for the year ending December 31st, 1890. The Directors have received from different ources and paid to the County Treasurer during the year as follows, viz : For Indenture fees from D. H. Ross.. "Sale of old machine...." Board of R. Heffletrager... Board of Bucks County Paupers. Board of Carbon County Paupers. " Discount on Cattle........... Out-door relief returned........ " Rough fat..... Lard..... Eggs Freight refunded..... Repairs of Black Rock Bridge.... Tomatoes..... Potatoes..... Cider and vinegar..... Dinners and horse feed..... Hay scales.... Burial of Edward Lawler..... Thomas Miller's estate...... Adam Frick's estate..... " Charles Zepp's estate " Jacob Levengood's estate. " John Myers' estate. Total amt. paid to County Treasurer. 1,215 77 CR. The Directors have expended for the maintenance of Almshouse, out-door relief, out-door medical attendance, out-door burials, etc., for SALARIES AND WAGES.

William G. Wright, director.....\$ 250 00

Morris Y. Johnson, "Henderson Supplee, "David H. Ross, clerk.
Dr. J. Warren Royer, physician.

Norris Finley, engineer.....

Jerry Kolb, shoemaker..... Frederick Geigenhimer, tailor.....

Carrie Ernest, chamber maid......

Gustavus Franks, nurse.....

Thomas Murray,
Daniel Cannon, nurse...
Benjamin T. Kyser, assistant nurse...

William S. Mattis, laborer.....

Christion Nuss, feeding poultry.....
William C. Weber, " "

rederick Greenwald, feeding hogs ..

George Chester,
James McFarland, bed maker.....
Samuel Housekeeper, day watchman

Edward Miller, supt. washhouse....

John R. Williamson, mail carrier....

John Keeler, "Samuel Case, Carpenter. Mrs. Jacob Heffner, washing. Mary Dotts, midwifery.

Total for salaries and wages.....

ALMSHOUSE EXPENSES, Etc.

William Carr's family, William Oak's family,

Magdalina Seasholtz,

David Seasholtz,

Farus Whartman,

Elizabeth Denner,

5443 65 Mrs. Fred. Denner

2317 85 | Abraham Freeby,

Charles Bassforb's family,

Dr. M. Y. Weber.

Dr. E. E. Johnson, Pottstown.

Dr. J. D. Weaver, Norristown.

Dr. J. R. Care, Worcester.

Dr. Jonathan Faust, Zieglersville.

Jacob Leminger 13 50 Daniel Rushong's family, 2 50

14 00

8 50-36 50

| Tinware | Sabilla Shuly's family, 10 00 Sallie Smith's family, 20 00—30 00 |
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| Hose | Dr. J. Elmer Porter, Pottstown. Adam Schwenk. 13 00 |
| Ice 199 68 Telephone 57 10 Binder 136 00 | Mrs. Max Bachman, 12 00—25 00 |
| Binder | Dr. D. K. Bechtel, Kulpsville. Kate Hallman, 7 00 |
| Mason-work | Catherine Campbell, 14 00—21 00 |
| Steam trap 81 65 Harness 29 74 | Dr. S. A. Knipe, New Hanover. |
| Bricks | Abraham Updegrove, 16 00 Andrew Gephart, 4 50—20 50 |
| Cutter 50 00 Shoulders 753 18 | Dr. P. O. Wickert, Pottstown. Elizabeth Zuik. 4 50 |
| Phosphate | Elizabeth Zuik, 4 50 Henry Kohr, 14 50—18 50 |
| State Asso. Directors of the Poor 15 00 Steam pipes &c 341 88 | Dr. E. M. Furey, Norristown. Kate Moore, 14 00—14 00 |
| Gloves | Dr. H. H. Witcomb, Norristown. |
| Pipes and attachments | Susan Hollenbach 7 00—7 00 |
| Oil cloth | Dr. E. B. Rossiter, Pottstown. Debora Engle, 7 00—7 00 |
| Nursing of Morris Snyder | Dr. Oscar Leedom, Plymouth. |
| Seeds and Trees 36 68 Potatoes 38 00 | Sarah Crocket, 7 00—7 00 |
| Alcohol | Dr. B. K. Johnson, Norristown. Mrs. Daniel Devlin, 6 00—6 00 |
| Brass valves | Dr. S. M. Landis, Perkasia. |
| Cement 3 70 Ploughing 8 75 | Milton Brigg's family, 4 00—4 00 |
| Sash and door. 9 50 Stamps. 18 00 | Total for out-door medical attendance 1729 50 OUT-DOOR BURIALS. |
| Air cushion 2 25 Paint and Painting 8 73 Drill 80 00 | Chas. Y. Smith, Norristown. |
| Drill 80 00 Chester county tax on wood lot 1 00 Plows 24 70 | Alexander Watkin's child, 5 00 Ellsworth Davis' child, 5 00 |
| Steam damper 20 00 Hedge 123 83 | Frances Gotwales, 10 00 Peter Schraeder, 10 00 John Allison's child, 5 00 |
| Water closet and fittings | Tohn Voomis shild |
| Board of Ida Jones 10 00 Paris green 8 50 | Thos. Munroe's child, 5 00 |
| Carpets | Thos. Munroe's child, 5 00 John Kearn's child, 5 00 |
| Extension Table 11 90 Steam Fixtures 28 95 | Henry Kearn's child, 5 00 Mrs. William Griffith, 10 00 |
| Notions | Clara Jones' child, 5 00 |
| Total 15,563 55 OUT DOOR RELIEF. | Charles Bassford, 10 00 Annie Thomas, 10 00—110 00 |
| Upper District, Morris Y. Johnson 1349 00 | D. Y. Mowday, Norristown. |
| Middle District, William G. Wright 3232 47 Lower District, Henderson Supplee 2045 57 | Wm. Steiner's child, 5 00 |
| Total out-door relief, 6627 04 | Ellsworth Davis' child, 5 00 Maggie McGill's child, 5 00 William Robert's child, 5 00 Mrs. Fil Irlan |
| OUT DOOR MEDICAL RELIEF. Dr. B. K. Johnson, Norristown, for attending | Ellen Davis |
| all indigent cases in Norristown and Bridgeport, as per contract \$400 00 | Thomas Slavin, 10 00 Robert Basch, 10 00 |
| Dr. H. Y. Neiman, Pottstown. | Patrick McGittigan's child, 5 00—70 00 T. O. Gorman, Norristown. |
| Christiana Auman, 31 50 Samuel Bilger, 34 50. | 35 0 3 |
| Christiana Auman, 31 50 Samuel Bilger, 34 50, Hambleton Eagle, 56 00 Jesse Haines' family, 19 50 John B. Reifsnyder's family, 35 00 League Haffield, 7 00 | Mary Graham, 10 00 Mrs. Michael Walters, 10 00 Kate Burns, 5 00 |
| Isaac Hameru, | Joseph Elmo's child, 5 00 Arthur Proverins, 5 00—35 00 |
| William Overdorf | J. Montgomery Fellman, Pottstown. |
| Betty Parms, 5 50—206 50 Drs. Geo. A. Blank & Son, Sumneytown. | William R. Johnson's child, William H. Doyle's child, Isaac Hatfield, Cornelius Rinker, 5 00 5 00 10 00 30 00 |
| THE 1 41 D | |
| Elizabeth Renninger, 9 00 Julian Erb, 6 50 Margaret Bealer, 6 00 Catherine Wampole, 5 00 Mary Drage 11 50 11 50 | Levi Jones, Green Lane. Mary Drace, 10 00 |
| | Sanders Barksdale, 10 00—20 00 |
| George Bray, 6 00 Christianna Wampole, 4 50 Sanders Barksdale, 5 00 John Swager's family, 10 00 Christiania Barnhart, 7 00—79 50 | C. W. Lewis, Plymouth. Martha Rodenbaugh, 10 00 Lizzie Overdorf's child, 5 00—15 00 |
| John Swager's family, Christiania Barnhart, 10 00 7 00—79 50 | Lizzie Overdorf's child, 5 00-15 00 C. R. Goshen, Barren Hill. |
| Dr. George N. Highley, Conshohocken. | Mrs. William Davidson, 10 00—10 00 |
| Mary J. Smith, 7 00 Charles Baker, 13 50 John Morrow. 6 00 | William H. Sellers, Tylersport. |
| Charles Baker, | Nathan Koppleberger, 10 00—10 00 J. O. Crouthamel, Line Lexington. |
| Amelia Burtleson, 7 00 Ephrain Parvin, 14 00 | Lewis A. Crowell's son, 10 00—10 00 |
| Thomas Platt, 1 50 Esther Gallagher, 7 00—72 00 | Thomas J. Carroll, Conshohocken. |
| Dr. R. L. Cooper, Ogontz. | John Meyer's children, 10 00—10 0 William A. Ruddach, Norristown. |
| Mary Ann Bennett, 49 00 John Sperry, 14 00 | Sarah Godshall, 10 00—10 0 |
| James Owens, 7 00—76 00 Dr. O. C. Heffner, Sassamansville. | Washington Daub, Telford. Catherine Musselman, 10 00—10 0 |
| and of the contractives | Joseph McGonegal, Conshohocken. |
| Mary Styer, 42 00 Esther Bauman, 14 00 Catharine Erb, 2 00 Ellen Kolb, 6 00 64 00 | James Brady's child, 5 00— 5 0 |
| Dr. L. L. Cope, Hatfield. | John T. Ferry, Norristown. William Collin's child, 5 00— 5 0 |
| J. W. Jordan's family, 56 00 Sabilla Sherley's family, 7 00—63 00 | Total for burials 350 0 |
| Dr. C. Alvin Youm, Pottstown. | SUMMARY: |
| Sarah Arnolds, 28 00 | Salaries and wages. 5,443 6 |
| Drs. Groff & Keeler, Harleysville. | Out-door relief, 6,627 0 Out-door medical attendance, 1,729 5 |
| Henry Keeler's family, 3 50 Catherine Musselman, 26 50 | Out-door burials, 350 0 |
| Leah Gerhart, 30 00—60 00 Dr. M. F. Acker, Tylersport. | Total amount of orders issued, \$29,713 7 STOCK ON FARM DECEMBER 31, 1890. |
| Tobias Kooker's family, 4 50 | 6 horses, 2 mules, 3 yoke of oxen, 45 cows, |
| Nathan Koppleberger, 2 00 Henry Race's family, 3 00 | bull, 35 hogs, 86 pigs, 5 pea fowls, 5 ducks, 1 turkeys, 195 pairs of chickens. |
| William Spare's family, 13 00 George Pfleiger's family, 7 00 Mary Pfleiger, 2 00 | PRODUCE OF FARM. |
| Charles Wampole, 29 00—57 50 | 111 four-horse loads of hay, 29 four-horse load of cornfodder, 2930 bushels of corn, 479 bushel of wheat, 120 bushels of rye, 485 bushels of oate |
| Dr. C. H. Mann, Bridgeport. Jonathan Griffith, 3 00 | 1265 bushels of potatoes, 15 bushels of winter apples, 411 gallons of cider, 144 baskets of toms |
| Daniel Daviney, 3 00 Vitu Vizulino's family, 28 00 | toes, 30 baskets lima beans, 32 baskets cantellopes, 17 bushels of sweet corn, 14 baskets of |
| Ida Watson, | peas, 116 bushels of string beans, 25 baskets of cucumbers, 2 barrels of pickels, 600 stalks of |
| Dr. E. T. Cooper, Hatfield. | celery, 6500 heads of cabbage, 41 dozen asparague 30 dozen rhubarb, 125 dozen peppers, 34 bushel |
| Lewis Cowell's family, 28 00 | 0 40 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 |
| John Coleman, 21 00—49 00 | of parsnips, 15 bushels of onions, 1 bushels of onions, 10 bushels of soup beans, 8 hogsheads of saurkraut, 756 bushels of turnips, 75 bushels of |

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| Persistent in the Right; Fearless in Opposing | | |
| OLLEGEVI | LLE, PENN'A, FEBR | 2 |
| | | |
| lisenberg, Norristown. | 5 Edward Lawler 25 Maggie Thomas " 6 Julius Schneider 26 Phillip Jacoby | 0 8 |
| 15 50—33 50 | O Tamas Cilbant 90 Chan Panah (ahild) | a |
| H. Eck, Pottstown. | 10 Arthur St. Clair 30 Jonathan Griffith | t |
| 5 00 50 | 11 Adam Frick 32 George Ramage 13 Rose Fred'ick(child)33 Augustus Buck | S |
| mily, 9 50 14 00—32 50 | 15 sames Dummican 55 I milip Arcamer | b |
| eiple, Centre Square. | 16 Phillip Harr 36 Daniel Cannon 17 William Kelley 37 Jacob Levengood 18 John Chomo (child) 38 Charles Repp | 1 |
| 6 50—31 00 | 19 Conrad Bemallel 39 John Moyer | r |
| Herman, Lansdale. | | t |
| y, 20 00—30 00 er Porter, Pottstown. | at the end of each quarter during the year. | e |
| 13 00 12 00—25 00 | 1st quarter ending March 31, 1890, 231½ 2d quarter ending June 30, 1890, 17623 3d quarter ending Sept. 30, 1890, 17423 | j |
| Bechtel, Kulpsville. | 3d quarter ending Sept. 30, 1890, 174% 5th quarter ending Dec. 31, 1890, 192 Monthly average 1941/3 | t |
| 7 00 14 00—21 00 | Tramps supplied with board and lodging. | r |
| Knipe, New Hanover. | Males. Fem's. Meals. 1st quar., Jan. 1 to Apr. 1, '90, 60 5 82 2d "Apr. 1 to July 1, "65 9 148 | 8 |
| 4 50—20 50 | 2d Apr. 1 to Oct. 1, "16 2 37 4th "Oct. 1 to Jan 1, "16 28 | C |
| Wickert, Pottstown. | 11 10 2/11 157 16 295 | 0 |
| 14 50—18 50 Furey, Norristown. | NET EXPENSES OF INSTITUTION. | 3 |
| 14 00—14 00 | Total amount of orders drawn, \$29,713 74 From which deduct the following, viz: | 1 |
| Witcomb, Norristown. | Income from institution, 1215 77 Out-door relief, 6627 04 | 707 |
| Rossiter, Pottstown. | Out-door medical attendance, 1729 50 Out-door burials, 350 00 | 00 |
| 7 00—7 00 Leedom, Plymouth. | Printing and advertising, 488 04 Board of childred per Act of Assembly, 765 59 | 1 |
| 7 00—7 00 | Transient board of paupers outside, 29 00 | l |
| Johnson, Norristown. | Permanent improvements, 1455 38 | 1 |
| . Landis, Perkasia. | Net expenses of keeping institution $\frac{$12,660 \ 82}{$17,052 \ 92}$ | i |
| ily, 4 00—4 00 | Net expense of keeping each inmate | 1 |
| nedical attendance 1729 50 OOR BURIALS. | All of which is respetfully submitted. | 2 |
| Smith, Norristown. | WILLIAM G. WRIGHT, MORRIS Y. JOHNSON, HENDERSON SUPPLEE, | 1 |
| s child, 5 00 10 00 10 00 | Attest: David H. Ross, Clerk. | |
| 10 00 10 00 5 00 | COTTING ? | |
| id, 5 00 5 00 | · "QUITS." | 1 |
| 5 00 11d, 5 00 5 00 | When one is fluffy-haired, cheery- | 5, |
| d, 5 00 tth, 10 00 | tempered, and 23 years of age-and | P. |
| nildren, 10 00 5 00 | little Lady Loveday was all three—one does not regard with unmixed | 1 |
| 10 00 10 00—110 00 | rapture the prospect of a whole week | |
| owday, Norristown. , 5 00 | with the British Association for the Advancement of Science. But Sir | - |
| d, 5 00 hild, 5 00 5 00 5 00 | James had been elected president for | |
| hild, 5 00 hild, 5 00 10 00 | the year, and his wife, as in duty bound, was obliged to accompany him. | 100 |
| 10 00 | The town of Mudchester, with its | - |
| 10 00 5 00—70 00 | forests of tall chimneys and its per- petual gloomy pall, may possibly rep- | 13 |
| orman, Norristown. 10 00 | resent the sinews and strength of Eng- | 3 |
| ers, 10 00 5 00 | land, but it is not exactly an ideal place in which to spend the gloomy | 100 |
| d, 5 00 5 00—35 00 | days of September. Elsewhere there | 2.500 |
| ery Fellman, Pottstown. n's child, 5 00 | are blue skies, heater-clad moors, and grouse on the wing, but Mudchester, | |
| 5 00 10 00 10 00—30 00 | for some inscrutable reason, preserves | 13 |
| ones, Green Lane. | the same gray and depressed appearance year in and year out. Sir James | 1 |
| 10 00 10 00—20 00 | Loveday, however, full of the tempor- | 3 |
| Lewis, Plymouth. | ary importance which attaches to the eminent scientist who is president of | |
| hild, 5 00—15 00 | the year, was delighted with the whole | 0 000 |
| dson, Barren Hill. | thing, and especially proud of showing off his pretty, young wife to his scien- | 1 |
| H. Sellers, Tylersport. | tific colleagues, whose spouses, though | |
| ger, 10 00—10 00 hamel, Line Lexington. | uniting in their persons the manifold virtues of the British matrons, could | |
| s son, 10 00—10 00 | hardly lay claim to either epithet. He | |
| Carroll, Conshohocken. dren, 10 00—10 00 | had only been married a year. They had met on a homeward-bound Cunar- | - |
| . Ruddach, Norristown. 10 00—10 00 | der, and though this particular ship | 1 |
| on Daub, Telford. | had beaten the record, there had been time enough for Sir James to become | |
| nan, 10 00—10 00 Fonegal, Conshohocken. | enamored of Miss Lena Gardner, who, | |
| ld, 5 00— 5 00 | finding no one younger to her taste on board, had smiled on the elderly scien- | |
| Ferry, Norristown. | tist until he had offered her his name | |
| als 350 00 | and his fortune. She was a sensible young woman, with a nice appreciation | - |
| SUMMARY: | of the good things of this life, and in | 1 |
| es, etc. 5,443 65 15,563 55 6 697 04 | six weeks' time from their landing at Liverpool they were quietly married | 1 |
| attendance, 6,627 04 1,729 50 350 00 | in London. | - |

ondon. and a notable craning of masculine and were waiting their turn to go be, he had loved her too well! He necks greeted Lady Loveday as she down Lena was not sure that she want- must be pretending, just to look as if made her appearance in the town hall ed to engage in such a perilous ex- he were indifferent. of Mudchester on the night of the open- periment. ing address. It was her first intro-213 men's shirts, 55 dresses, 15 petticoats, 44 chimeses, 80 aprons, 38 pairs of women's drawers, 31 undershirts, 8 pairs of men's drawers, 111 sheets, 17 chaff beds, 15 bolster cases, 17 infant slips, 15 infant petticoats, 14 infant chemises, 12 nightgowns, 6 sunbonnets, 127 pillow cases, 60 towels, 3 sacques, 10 night caps, 65 men's coats, 266 pairs of pantaloons, 119 vests, 31 pairs of susing of hair and wearing of gold. And say tender. penders, 90 1-2 pairs of men's shoes, 1 pair of boots, 24 pairs of women's shoes, 4 pairs of chil-NAMES OF INMATES WHO DIED IN THE alone, for Sir James was already in his him somehow," and with another turn proceeds the opening address. 7 00—35 00 4 Thomas Miller 24 Martha Coper(child)

beets, broom corn for 240 brooms, 65 four-horse loads of manure, 432 ox cart loads, 32,775 lbs. of beef, 5395 lbs. of veal, 12,679 lbs. of pork, 1,263 lbs. hard soap, 52 lbs. of soft soap.

MANUFACTURED IN THE INSTITUTION.

INSTITUTION DURING THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1890.

Henry Collenbach 21 Arthur Bagley 2 Margaret Schaffer 22 Wm. Johnson col'd 23 Joseph Northey

"By Jove!" said a bronzed young recognized at once, struck a match, paper are devoting a great deal of at- New York Evening Sun.

man to himself-a young man who had stocped his head, and lighted a cigarstrolled in late, and now found himself | ette. at the very back of the vast hall-"if that isn't Lena! Odd that I should and just then he turned and saw her. see her the first week I arrive in England! What the deuce is she doing she went on hurridly, as he stood gazhere? Wonder if she has forgotten? ing at her. Well, it's three years ago."

PENN'A, FEBRUARY 19, 1891.

The opening address was an enormous success, as it always is. During the week the popular enthusiasm, cooled by many scientific lectures, may abate; but on the opening night no judge on the bench is surer of a laugh than the eminent scientist who opens the meeting. The mildest jokelets are received with rapture, the feeblest similies get a round of applause. Lady Loveday was surrounded by admiring chemists, biologists, and botanists by the time the large audience was filing

"You'll come with our expedition Thursday, Lady Loveday, won't you?' urged a thin young professor from a Scotch University, whose appearance suggested the suspicion that he had recently came out of an eye-hospital.

Lady Loveday smiled and made up her mind to the inevitable. After all he was only a little worse than the rest. All the young men at the meeting wore turn-down collars and coats which apparently had been made for somebody else.

"I should be delighted," she said in her most cordial tone. "Where are you going, and what are you going to do to improve me ?"

man eagerly.

"Not at all, if you will insure the

rope not breaking." But all the same when Thursday

arrived and Lena found herself alone I, was obliged to accompany him. -she felt somewhat depressed at the she firmly believed, as ever. town of Mudchester, with its prospects before her. There was a When they at length got back to s of tall chimneys and its per- large and somewhat weird-looking bottom of the shaft there was not a I gloomy pall, may possibly rep- crowd on the platform. A slight driz- soul to be seen. The awful truth bet the sinews and strength of Eng. | zle was falling, and the ladies of the but it is not exactly an ideal party had unanimously elected to ap- been left behind. How easily that in which to spend the gloomy pear in bag-like watterproof garments, might be, with the 500 or 600 people of September. Elsewhere there though, to be sure, their mail kind ran who had come with the excursion, they lue skies, heater-clad moors, and them hard in the matter of curious both saw at a glance. What was to be e on the wing, but Mudchester, raiment. Most of the travelers had done? Nothing-absolutely nothing. ome inscrutable reason, preserves invested in paper-bags full of Bath buns, Lady Loveday turned greenish-white ame gray and depressed appear- for an expedition with the British as she leaned against the rock. year in and year out. Sir James Association is generally fraught with importance which attaches to the weak-eyed young man was in a state of dog in a hole." ent scientist who is president of excitement bordering on delirium. , and especially proud of showing over the mass of pushing, perspiring, great friend of yours?" is pretty, young wife to his scien- be mackintoshed human being on the

colleagues, whose spouses, though | platform. met on a homeward-bound Cunar- and then, as her eye caught the square not see him smile. and though this particular ship shouldered back of a check-coated man

beaten the record, there had been | in the distance, she added mentally : intil he had offered her his name Dick."

But directly after the train steamed out of the station and Lady Loveday's | 1y. "I'll forgive you anything-as

Only about quarter of the trainful of 4 o'clock before the whir of the basket a bottle. You've lost, old man.' duction to the scientific world, and people could be accommodated under was heard coming to their relief. An men of science, much like other men, the shed which covered the shaft; the explanation of Capt. Bramwell's equaare ant to appreciate good looks. In rest were waiting outside. Finally, nimity with regard to their marriage her white brocade mantle, a boa of however, she was jammed with some was afforded Lady Loveday on their ostrich feathers encircling her pretty seven or eight other people, including arrival at the top of the shaft. Hurrythroat, and some diamond arrows her scientific admirer, in the baize- ing toward the pit's mouth was then thrust through her blonde hair, she covered bucket, and was emptied out, seen Sir James accompanied by a looked a radiant vision of youth and after an uncanny descent through pretty girl in blue, a girl whose naive beauty in the crowd of ill-dressed, black void, into the brown-walled delight at seeing Capt. Bramwell was gawky women who made up the femi- cavern at the bottom. The mine had obvious to all bystanders. "And who nine portion of the audience. Devo- been decorated with thousands of _who is the exuberant young woman tion to the toilet forms no part of the candles in honor of the event, and each in blue?" queried Lena, with not quite programme of the ladies who attend visitor was provided with a tallow dip a pretty smile. meetings of the British Association, stuck into a wooden handle. Down in "That, dear Lady Loveday," said the advancement of science being more the depths of the mine the Scotch Dick quietly, as he handed his comimportant in their eyes than the plait- Professor waxed confidential, not to panion out on to terra firma, "that-

so Lena was able to make her little "This man is getting a bore," thought sensation. She entered the large hall Lady Loveday: "I must really evade place on the platform, and was even of the party-the young man whose giving the preliminary cough which back she had seen on the platform-

"I thought you were in-Afghanistan,"

longer than I thought. And you?"

Lady Loveday blushed and looked down. Here was an adventure after had ever known, and he-well, she was quired .- Chicago News. quite aware that he had worshiped the very ground she trod on. But all that was three years ago, and in three years there are many changes.

"I saw you the other night," he continued presently; "you came in an awfully fetchiag cloak, with a white fluffy thing around your neck. I've been trying to find you out ever since, but nobody that I asked could tell me any thing about Miss Gardner."

Lady Loveday smiled. He did not know of her married then? The caprice took her not to tell him just yet; she wanted, woman-like, to see if he had remained faithful all these years.

"Oh, I am such an insignificant person in the midst of all these bigwisg." Dick smiled back at her-he had a charming smile-and they wandered along together, each with a tallow dip flickering and spluttering and fitfully "Oh, it's an expedition down a salt lighting their handsome young faces. mine. We shall have to take you They had not altered one bit, he said down in a bucket. You won't mind, and she declared he was as brown as a will you?" urged the weak-eyed young | Hindoo, and would have to be scraped white. Time flies when old lovers meet and nearly an hour had gone before Dick had told her that he had come down to the association to read a paper in the geographical section. at the railway station-for Sir James | Would she come and hear it? Of s had been elected president for had a committee meeting that morning course, of course she would. Poor old rear, and his wife, as in duty and could only join her late in the day Dick! Why, he was just as hard hit,

gan to dawn upon them that they had

"Sir James," she moaned-"Sir day, however, full of the tempor- peril in the matter of supplies. The James would never let me die like a

"Sir James?" said Dick, surprised. ear, was delighted with the whole Lady Loveday sighed as her eyes ran "You mean the president? Is she a

"He is-O my poor Dick!-my husband !" she faltered, not daring to "There isn't a soul here that I want look at him now. Capt. Bramwell es of the British matrons, could to speak to," she thought, settling into gave a little whistle, and turned away. ly lay claim to either epithet. He the comfortable corner-place which the What a farce, and how like Lena the only been married a year. They youthful professor had secured for her; whole thing was! Lady Loveday did

"Forgive me," she murmured, stepping nearer to him, and laying a caress-That looks like a nice man. His ing hand on his arm. She was very pored of Miss Lena Gardner, who, hair is cut beautifully short, and he's fond of the drama, and that was alng no one younger to her taste on got a brown neck and a properly iron- ways what they said in plays when the had smiled on the elderly scien- ed collar. He reminds me of poor old lover came back from India and found the heroine faithless.

"My poor child," he answered grave-

reminiscences came to an end. She long as we get out of this infernal pit." reeks' time from their landing at had to make conversation with her Lena could hardly conceal her disrpool they were quietly married cicerone for the day and a whole carri- appointment. Was it possible-actuageful of other people. By the time ally possible—that he did not care, Quite a little murmur of admiration they had arrived at the pit's mouth that he did not remember? It couldn't

They waited a long time, and it was

is my wife !"-London World.

Paper Horseshoes.

stopped, and, with action which she horses for military work. The German received. The motion was carried -

tention to the discussion which is now going on in the military world as to "Why, it is Dick!" she murmured, the advisability of substituting compressed paper for iron in horseshoes for the German cavalry and artillery. After many experiments under all manner of conditions it has been found "So I have been for the last two that the shoe which appears to be the years. That frontier business took most worthy of adoption is made up of sheets of parchment paper cemented together with a special cement composed of turpentine, Spanish white, her own heart. She was a curious lac and boiled linceed oil. The separmixture of practical worldliness and ate pieces are stamped out, cemented theoretical sentimentality. She had and pressed together in a hydraulic liked him-handsome, penniless Capt. press. When dry the shoe thus form-Bramwell-more than any man she ed is into the exact form and size re-

He Knew Wines.

AN OLD BIBBER WHO HAD AN EDUCATED TASTE FOR MADEIRAS.

It was at the club. They had been talking of wine connoisseurs. Old Mr. Ante Bellum had heard them out patiently. When they had all finished he raised his hand in his well known way. This meant that he was going to add his experience to the others, and as usual they gathered around him.

"Well, gentlemen," he said, slowly, those are good stories and do show remarkable ability in detecting various vintages of wine. I once knew a man who possessed the power himself in a most remarkable way. The story I shall tell you occurred in Charleston, way back in the fifties. You know that Charleston was famous than for its Madeiras. There is not much of that wine drunk nowadays, but then every gourment prided himself on his collection of fine old Madeira vin-

"Old Mr. Ashley had not only a fine cellar, but he used to say that he could make no mistake in the matter of vintage, importation, or owner, even.

"Some of the young men determined to test the old gentleman's ability in this direction.

"So one day, when the conversation drifted to this subject, one of the young fellows offered to wager a large sum, \$5,000 I think it was, that Mr. Ashley could not sit at the table and pass on as many Madeiras as he could bring

"Ashley promptly accepted the wager, and the test was appointed for the next afternoon at 4 o'clock.

"At that time Ashley walked in and seated himself at a table along which stood eight or ten glasses of Madeira, each from the cellar of a different

"He started at the glass on the left. 'That,' said he, 'is the vintage of '37, and is from the cellar of Mr. Cooper. This next is of the date of '28, and comes from my own collection.'

"And so he passed down the row till only one glass was left.

"The gentleman who had made the bet was perfectly unconcerned, and smiled grimly when old Ashley took up the last glass.

"The old gentleman lifted it to his lips and instead of merely tasting it as he had done the others, he emptied the glass and put it down with a sigh of

"'That sherry,' he exclaimed, 'is the best yet, and there is none finer. It was imported before we began to take records, I should say about 1795, or thereabouts. It is from the cellar of old Mr. Butler.'

"The gentlemen present gave a roar of laughter at this, and young Lane, who had made the bet, said : 'Why, Ashley, we sent down to the corner grocery for that and it costs fifty cents

"'Not so fast,' answered Ashley; 'I will double the bet, if you wish, that I am right. Where was it bought?'

"They got the name of the storekeeper, and appointed several gentlemen a committee to look the matter up. The grocer admitted to these gentlemen that he had bought the wine from a sailor, and further inquiry developed the fact that Mr. Butler's cellars had been robbed some time before; the wine was compared with his, and acknowledged by all to be the same.

"Young Lane acknowledged the defeat and paid the bet.

"No more attempts were made to trip the old gentleman up, either."

"A silence fell on the ground when Ante Bellum finished this story, and was unbroken till some one suggested It seems not unlikely that a change an adjournment to the cafe to test is imminent in the method of shoeing some new whisky the club had just PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY.

COLLEGEVILLE, MONTG. CO., PA. E. S. MOSER, Editor and Proprietor.

Thursday, February 19, 1891.

In the firm opinion of General Miles it would cost less to feed the Indians than to fight them. But if the Indians manage to get rich? That's a ques- which the money is composed."

ADMIRAL DAVID D PORTER died suddenly of heart disease at Washington Friday morning, aged 71 years. Deceased was the son of the most distinguished of the naval heroes of the nation in the war of 1812, and the son possessed the more prominent traits of the father, and won distinction by superior operations during the civil

THE death of General William Tecumseh Sherman, at New York, Saturday, removes probably the most beloved of all the northern Generals as a patriot, a leader and a military formed. There was naught of the autocrat in his composition; he was great as a general yet unassuming in the discharge of duty; rugged and independent, sometimes hot tempered, yet unselfish and loyal-a man of the people.

SENATOR QUAY, in open Senate at Washington, Monday, replied to the charges brought against him by newspapers and private individuals during the late campaign in this State. The Senator denied the charges one and all, branding them as falsehoods. If Sir Quay spake truths in making his denials there is quite a horde of liars somewhere in Pennsylvania. If Sir Quay meant simply to plead "not quietly" just for effect, he certainly did some tall pleading. However, the charges must either be proven true or else the Senator must be regarded as a very much abused politician.

Ex-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has caused another storm of comment by his recent utterances in opposition to the free silver coinage scheme, and some of the members of the Democratic party who happen to favor free coin. Senate are a failure because of the nonage are hastily endeavoring to seal Mr. Cleveland's political fate forever. The however is with the Ex President who several States. has the courage of his honest as well as intelligent convictions. Cleveland's record as a courageous statesmen will shine long after the time-servers and spirited debate in the House this week policy strategists of his party are dead and forgotten. More than this, Cleveland will be the next President of the United States-if the next Presi- Mr. Harrison has sent all the corresis a Democrat.

THE important statement is made in a letter from Washington to a Boston journal that the Government medical authorities, following up the line of Professor Koch's researches, believe they have found a cure for diphtheria. The investigations are being conducted by Dr. William Gray, bacteriologist of the Army Medical Museum, and Dr-Schweinitz, of the Department of Agriculture. The correspondent states that "so far they merely know that they can produce immunity from the disease, just as small-pox may be rendered impossible by vaccination." The claim that Dr. Koch had discovered not merely a specific, but a principle, was believed from the first by many medical men. The partial success already attained on the Koch lines, if verified by later results, will not only lend confirmation to this belief, but lend confirmation to this belief, but health, notwithstanding her ninety-interest. There are 2,326 school diswill also indicate the probability of a nine years of life. Mrs. Matthews tricts in the State, and 22,365 schools, far broader application of the principle. -Phila. Record.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our regular correspondent, WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13, 1891.

Senator Stanford, who is credited by many people with being willing to become the Presidential candidate of the Farmers Alliance, gave some of his gold loving republican colleagues a practical lesson in finance a day or two since that nonplussed them and amused him. He tendered in payment for his at the home, its father and a friend lunch in the Senate restuarant an Eng- | went to Allentown to collect the insur- | Joke. lish gold sovereign, and the waiter ance money. They received the money after taking it to the cashier brought it back and politely informed the Sena- had to be borrowed to pay the expenses tor that he could not take it. "But of the funeral. it's all right," said Mr. Stanford : "it's good gold, what more do you want?" Once more the waiter took the coin to the cashier, but he came back with the others are badly cracked in paying the same story, and the Senator paid his who make them have some right to

chanced upon a group of republican Senators who believe that all currency must be based upon gold. He smiled as he told them his story. "You say that gold is the only true standard; that it will buy anything in any civilized country. Why is it that here at the capital of the nation-in the Capitol itself-I cannot pay for a sandwich with good gold?

"Your coin is not a legal tender," said one of the Senators.

"That's it exactly," retorted Mr. Stanford. "It's the stamp that makes are really fed how will the agents the money, and not the material of

It will be little short of a miracle if

the free coinage bill gets through the House, although it will be reported from the committee on Coinage next week. But it is expected to be rewell nigh impossible for it to be called up in the House. That is, it will be accompanied by a recommendation from a majority of that committee against any further silver legislation, which will prevent its going upon the calender and will also prevent its being called up in the House without the consent of a majority of the committee. Several things have helped to bring about this condition of things. Mr. Harrison greatly strengthened the of the Great Rebellion. His qualities republican opponents of the bill by giving it out unofficially that he would moved. A three mile tunnel has been strategist have never been disputed not sign any sort of silver bill until the by those in a position to be best in- present silver law had been given a fair trial, and Mr. Cleveland did the coward, or of the ostentatious military same thing for the democratic oppo- methods. And now comes a project nents by his outspoken letter on the to unite Newark and New York by a

> the silver pool investigating committee, has officially denied that his committee failed to use its utmost endeavor to get all that Owenby knew when he was before it last week, but that hasn't changed the opinions of the unprejudiced people, who were present at the hearing. Representative Dorsey says Owenby is an infamous liar if he referred to him when he stated in a recent Chicago interview that a Nebraska Congressman had offered him a bribe of \$2,500. The committee isn't finding out very much these days, and it isn't believed that it will at any

> Congress has got to do some very lively hustling to avoid the necessity for an extra session. The House will pass the last of the appropriation bills by the middle of next week, but as every appropriation bill that has yet been taken up by the Senate has had numerous amendments attached they will all have to go back to the House again for its action upon the amend-

> The Senate has amended to death the International Copyright and eight our bills and it is extremely doubtful if either of them are heard of again this session. The night sessions of the attendance of a quorum.

The State Department has sent certified copies of the new apportiondeliberate judgment of the country ment law to the governors of the

The killing of Gen. Burrandia and the action of Secretary Tracy in reprimanding naval Commander Reiter for his non-action, was the cause of a very between Representative Dalzel, of Pennsylvania, who is Reiter's friend. and Representative Lodge of Massachusetts, who stood by the secretary, pondence in the matter to the Senate, and it has been referred to the Naval

Hon. Henry Watterson would not feel complimented if he could hear some of the Congressional comments upon his letter to Gov. Hill, made public this week.

Secretary Blaine has scored another similar to the one recently made with positively deny having written a letter | the place. to any person in Canada or elsewhere concerning Canadian reciprocity, except the one recently made public by Representative Baker, of New York.

Died Cutting Her Teeth.

THIRD SET OF MOLARS.

ASBURY STATION, Feb. 15-Mrs. Mary Bigler Matthews, of Asbury Station, until she cut her third set of teeth two weeks ago, was in good succumbed to the pain of teeth cutting of which 11,750 are graded. There death, some forty years ago. Although her eyesight was nearly gone, her hearing was excellent and her appetite

In Instance of Depravity,

A child died the other day at Emaus, Lehigh county. It was insured in a company having its office in Allentown. While the little one lay cold in death and spent it all for whiskey, so that they returned home penniless. Money

Sixty per cent. of the wills contested in this country are broken and the lawyers for proving that the people bill with United States silver. Going please themselves as to what they do ceiving her about some little matter or up to the republican cloak room he with their own money.

Matron and Mayor.

Mrs. Salter, a nervous looking and timid little woman, who bosses a big husband, looks after six children and does her own house-work, is the Mayor of Argonia, Lan., and when any of the Aldermen get to be sassy or obstructive she just walked up to them, asked f they "considered themselves gentlemen" and threatened to tell their wives about their carryings on. She'd like to see them attempt to override one of her vetoes.

Misfortune Covers Him Over.

From Phillipsburg Journal. A gentleman residing near Woodland Clearfield county, has had misfortune heaped upon him of late, according to a story related to us on Saturday evening. He had lost \$4,000 by the recent bank failure at Clearfield; the mind of his wife then became somewhat affected, and having \$3,000 in ported in such a way as to make it government bonds in the house which he feared she might destroy he took them out to the corn-crib and secreted them what he supposed was a safe "nook." Imagine his deep chagrin the other day when he went out to take a look at the bonds to find that the rats had totally demolished them.

Tunnels.

The railway tunnel under the St. Clair River, between Michigan and Canada, was formed by driving an iron cylinder into the earth under the riverbed and pushing it forward as fast as the excavated earth could be reconstructed in London on a similar plan, which is said to have cost less and to have been finished in less time than would have been required by old subject, which was published here on fifteen-mile tunnel, in which electricity is to be the sole motive power. Tun-Representative Dingley, chairman of nels will undoubtedly play a prominent part in the system of transportation in all large cities.

> Makes Cleveland Solid With the People. From the Erie Herald.

There is no reason why Mr. Cleveland's friends should doubt his adherance to the sound position taken by him on the money question at the beginning of his administration, yet it was proper that he should speak at this time and aid in checking the softmoney craze that has swept over the West and raised an issue which too many time-serving politicians in the East are disposed to dodge. Mr. Cleveland's position is in striking contrast with that of Governor Hill, who, in his eager desire to secure the Presidential nomination of his party, has assumed an attitude that means nothing or anything, as his interests may require. Mr. Cleveland's letter will have a tremendous influence in shaping the course of his party. It will prevent the Democracy from committing the foolbardy act of declaring in favor of free coinage and will assure the people that the success of the Democratic party in 1892 will be a guarantee of the maintenance of an honest financial system. Grover Cleveland would rather be right than be President. The most conspicuous trait of his character, illustrated throughout the whole of his official career—as chief executive of the city of Buffao, of the State of New York and of the United States—is courage. He has shown a readiness to do and to say at all times what he believes to be right and let the consequences take care of themselves. This trait has made Mr. Cleveland uique among American statesmen. It startled the people at first, being something they were unused to, but it paints, &c. has secured for the ex-President the respect of every lover of honesty

Interesting State Items.

Mrs. William Houk, of New Castle, 31 years old, is the mother of eleven hit by concluding the negotiation of a children, ten of whom are living, all reciprocity treaty with Venezuela, bright and intelligent. The mother is said to be one of the handsomest. Brazil. He has also taken occasion to merriest and best-humored women in

A Luzerne county woman recently had a startling experience. While sitting in her sleigh in front of a store, the entire mass of snow on the large building slid from the roof, burying her nearly to the neck. The snow AN OLD LADY, AGE 99, EXPIRES OVER HER about her and the horse that it took considerable time to dig them out. The lady escaped uninjured.

The annual report of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, just published, contains considerable of interest. There are 2,326 school disand died to-day. Her husband was are 8,372 male and 16,111 female teach-William Matthews, with whom she ers in the State. The average salaries lived on another farm on the mountain, of the male teachers are \$39.86 and of and for a while at Washington, re- the female teachers \$30.54. The irturning to the old homestead after his crease in school districts over 1889 was nine, and of schools 476.

> A wealthy banker meets a tramp in an issolated place. Tramp. "Help a poor man with a

dollar-you will save a human life." Banker (haughtily). "Your life is not worth a dollar.'

Tramp (swinging a club). "But yours is. Tramp gets his dollar. - German

Married Man. "Why don't you get married, Miss Jones? You are getting to look like a 'back number'-will soon be an old maid."

please as your wife was I would have been married long ago."—Siftings.

Friend, "How do you know their oneymoon is over?" Ex-Best Man. "She's caught him deother."-Chicago Globe.

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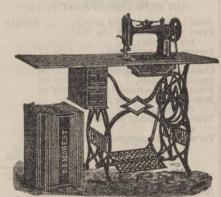
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-The membership of the Farmers' Alliance of Limerick numbers 78, and is in a prosperous condition.

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property advertised in this issue.

-Dr. S. B. Horning, of Evansburg, is still on the sick list and confined to his room. We hope he will soon fully

Royersford, places a new adver., in this issue. Read it.

-Says an exchange: "A shabby coat may contain an editor, while the man wearing a high-toned plug hat and supporting a dude cane may be a delinquent subscriber."

-Just received at the Collegeville Furniture Warerooms a nice assortment of Brussels and Ingrain floor and Brussels and Ingrain stair carpets.

-Abraham K. Anders, deceased, of Worcester, was a member of the School Board 21 years, and its Secretary for 15 years. John C. Morgan, of Fairview village, bas been elected his successor in the latter position.

-Among the cattle shipped from Centre Hall, Centre county, to the Philadelphia market last week was a pounds. He measured 14 feet 6 inches body.

Matrimonial Bliss.

February 14, at the residence of the bride's parents by Rev. J. H. Hendricks, Mr. Jacob D. Kinsey, of Norriton, and Miss Mary Ella daughter of Montgomery county,

S. S. Entertainment.

The M. E. Sunday School, of Evansburg, will give an entertainment on Saturday evening, February 21. The program will include readings, recitations and good music; there will also be a harrel opening. Everybody wel-

Pulpit Exchange.

Rev. C. B. Brodhead of the Lower Rev. S. C. Dare, of the Lower Providence Baptist church, exchanged pultendance at both churches, and the ant positions of a financial character. services were highly appreciated by all present.

Viewing the Turnpike.

The Commission appointed by the Reading Turnpike for the purpose of determining whether the same shall be made free or not, and if declared free to assess damages to stockholders of the Company, met Tuesday at this place, and went over the road. At this writing we are not informed as to the decision of the Commission.

Religious.

Episcopal services at St. James' church, Evansburg, one mile from Collegeville, every Sunday at 101 a. m., 7.15 p. m. Rev. A. J. Barrow, rector.

Preaching at St. Luke's every evening this week and next (D. V.,) by visiting clergy. Special male gospel singing; preaching by the pastor Sunday a. m., at 10 30. Subject; "Washington's Birthday"; at 7.15 p. m.; Subject: "A Basket of Summer Fruit." All welcome.

Tenth Anniversary. The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of Trinity Reformed church, this place, will specially in the exercises; declamation by Miss Lillie Preston. A large attendance and an interesting event are anticipated.

Society will render an interesting proposition of this week, Feb. 20. The regular order of exerties will be observed.

A farm of 145 acres, near Collegeville, known as the Zimmerman Farm. Will be sold as a whole or in tracts to suit. For further particulars apply to 1 jan.

JAMES G. DETWILER.

Lutheran Lyceum.

The regular monthly meeting of the will begin at 8 o'clock. Business meet- elocutionist of Boston, will give a ing at 7 o'clock. All are cordially in- series of humorous and dramatic readvited to attend.

Entertainment.

The Chestnut Hall Grammar School will give an entertainment in Chestnut Hall school house, near Trappe, on Saturday evening next, February 21. The teacher and pupils are preparing an interesting program. Admission 10 cents. Proceeds to be used in purchasing a school library.

Agricultural Machinery Shipped Abroad.

The Roberts Machine Company, this entertainment. place, have shipped to General Agent Neidig at Reading, a two-horse power, thresher and cleaner, with strawstacker and a one-horse power, thresher and cleaner. The machines have all been ordered by Berks county parties.

Barn Burned.

The barn on the farm recently owned by the late Henry Hunsburger, in Limerick township was totally destroyed by fire Saturday evening. The building contained only about 5 tons -A meeting of the stockholders of of hay. The origin of the fire is unknown. A Mr. Miller intended to take sized the importance of the day in its Company will be held at Gross' Hall possession of the place about the first bearings upon all interested. At the

The Work of an Artist.

adorned the west end of his new barn upon the 5th verse of the 7th chapter with a painted picture of Maud S., of the 2d book of Chronicles, and drew under full stride, with driver and sulky suggestive comparisons between the -Read all the sales of personal artistic effects produced, reveal the services of God. At the conclusion of

Public Sale of Stocks, &c. Yerkes, authorizes us to say that he man of the Building Committee, F. G. will hold a public sale of a variety of Hobson, Esq., presented a detailed -E. L. Markley, of the Grand Depot, stocks and bonds at Royersford about statement, showing the cost of all the the middle of next month. Persons repairs and changes made and the total who have securities of any kind to amount subscribed towards liquidating dispose of are requested to promptly the same. Cost, \$3,064.00; amount communicate with Mr. Fetterolf, so as subscribed, \$2,708.00. The figures to enable him to catalogue and suf- show a small debt, which was curtailed ficiently advertise the same.

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stitutions will be closed to the public, and when such demonstrations of acter and well rendered. * * * The

The Martha Washington Tea.

short-horn bull that weighed 2,452 Washington Tea will be an unqualified is a statement in brief of the improvesuccess. 250 tickets have been dis- ments effected, which will doubtless be aker and friend, from Muhle and assortment. Arrangements have ence room have been beautifully fresbeen made to have some very choice coed. The room has been furnished Isaac Y. Cassel, of Worcester, both of will secure the bearer admission both been wainscotted. The pews and wood afternoon and evening.

County Treasurer Isaac W. Fegley died of heart disease at Pottstown Tuesday morning, aged 65 years. He had been ill for several weeks and his death was anticipated. The deceased was elected County Treasurer last fall a year ago, and that office is now vacant. The Commissioners have the Bomberger, D. D., LL. D.; one by the appointing power, and it is probable Providence Presbyterian church, and they will name Edwin S. Stahlnecker, who was Mr. Fegley's competitor. Mr. Fegley was a wealthy and prominent pits last Sunday morning. Large and citizen of Pottstown, and at the time attractive congregations were in at- of his death held a number of import-

The Real Estate Market.

It is reported that John Beeler, of Evansburg, has purchased the Wismer property, near this place, in Lower Court to view the Perkiomen and Providence township, now occupied by Frank Treidler.

> of J. B. Smoyer a house and six acres of land, at Trappe, formerly the property of James Levengood. The house was some time ago remodeled in fine style by Mr. Smoyer, and the new owner of the place, Mr. Shuler, is making preparations to erect a barn of modern design, thus effecting another attractive improvement to the premises. Mr. Shuler has leased the property to teaching in her stead. his successor in the undertaking business Mr. Mauger, who will take possession of the same in a few weeks.

home of Isaac Mester, Lower Provi dence, was visited by thieves. Mr. Mester was aroused by a noise on the porch below and hastily proceeded down stairs with shot gun in hand. As he opened the rear door a man Luke's Reformed church, Trappe, scaled the front fence and ran towards preached a consecration sermon pre-Constable J. C. Johnsons place. The fleeing burglar met his partner a short distance down the road. Mr. Mester commemorate the tenth anniversary of discharged the contents of his gun at 27, 23: "Whose I am, whom I serve." the National Society of Christian En- the disappearing forms, but without Mr. Hibshman's grand effort indicates deavor this (Thursday) evening, at apparent effect beyond causing a sense | that "he will magnify his office." 7:30. Invitations have been extended of chilliness to steal over the more to all the neighboring Societies to be timid inhabitants of that section who present. The leading address will be heard the report of the exploding delivered by Rev. A. J. Henry, of powder. The affair has caused an Norristown; addresses will also be appreciation in the value of fire-arms made by Rev. Dr. Williard and Rev. and one of the citizens of the Level-Geo. Stibitz, and Rev. J. H. Hendricks | who can see a ghost or a shadow on the and F. G. Hobson, Esq., will take part opposite side of a brick wall-now

Lutheran Lyceum will be beld on Literary Society of Ursinus College, Thursday evening, Feb. 19. Exercises Miss Lizzie Gleason, a prominent ings and recitations in Ursinus College Chapel next Wednesday evening, February 25, Miss Gleason is reputed to be a young lady of superior attainments and an elocutionist of rare attractive power. The music will be furnished by the Ursinus Glee Club Stauffer, daughter of the late Frank an organization so popular by reason H. Stauffer of Schwenksville. The its efficiency that comment in anticipating this part of the evening's program is uncalled for. The young ladies of Ursinus, who compose the relatives of the contracting parties and Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Olevian Society, fully deserve unstint- other invited guests. The wedding ed encouragement in bringing to a successful issue their coming annual performed by Mr. Wm. M. Binder, entertainment.

Trinity Reformed Church Reopened.

Last Sunday marked a prominent epoch in the history of Trinity (Reformed) church, this place. The reopening of the auditorium after a lapse of several months, during which period radical improvements were effected, furnished an occasion freighted with Ironbridge. interest to all the members and friends of the church; and the various exercises in the presence of large audimorning service, Rev. H. A. Bomberger, of York, Pa., and Rev. Prof. R. P. Baldwin, proprietor of the Williard, who delivered the sermon. confined to his home with an attack of Lower Providence Driving Park, has Dr. Williard based his observations sickness.

in place. The picture, its background, grandeur of Solomon's ancient temple the blending of colors, and general and modern edifices dedicated to the skill only possessed by natural artists. the sermon, the pastor, Rev. J. H. Hendricks, made a few general remarks in relation to the improvements made Auctioneer John G. Fetterolf, of and how the work begun. The Chair-

furnished with chairs.

derman's school.

From Limerick.

ter end of March for the benefit of the

nition, "always be on time."

paratory to the revival meetings, last

Sunday, based on one of the sayings of

Saul, the hero of the Bible, from Acts

The Reformed Mission of Royers-

ford was favored with a beautiful and

elegant discourse last Sunday evening

by the pastor of St. Luke's Reformed

church, Trappe, on "Night seasons of

The Young People's Social Literary

life."

fondest expectations of the ladies may lar pews. The pews are in two blocks be realized. As stated last week the with a central and two side aisles. A Tea will be held at Gross' Hall on Sat- handsome pulpit graces the rostrum urday afternoon and evening, the 21st and balustrades encircle the chancel inst. Admission 10 cents. One ticket and choir. The sides of the room have County Treasurer Isaac W. Fegley | quality, covers the entire floor and Dead.

Daniel Shuler recently purchased

Visited by Thieves.

Wednesday night of last week, the

Olevian Entertainment.

Under the auspices of the Olevian

ences, morning and evening, empha-Peters, of Ursinus, assisted Rev. Dr.

by the collections Sunday, amounting to about one hundred dollars. In the evening, services were opened by prayer by Rev. J. H. Hendricks. Ad-February 22, this year, will be due dresses were made by Revs. H. T. next Sunday. Being one of the red Spangler, S. O. Perry, H. A. Bom- rapidly filling up, and many more letter days, and commemorative of the berger and Charles Wehler. The could be had; but the boys are not birth of the illustrious Washington, Reverends appeared to be in their best the "Father of his Country," Monday moods and did some interesting talk- their studies. following will be observed as the holi- ing. The music, morning and evening, day, when banks and other public in- under the leadership of A. H. Henpatriotism as may be effected will be in interior of Trinity church since the completion of the work of repairs is decidedly attractive, sufficiently so we should think for the most æsthetic and The indications are that the Martha fastidious worshippers. The following vocal music. It is hoped that the with handsome and comfortable circu-

from the end of the nose to the tip of posed of, and the contributions to the of general interest to our readers :- lege; Mr. Laras and Rev. H. A. Bomthe tail and over 9 feet around the table are growing in quantity, beauty The walls and ceiling of the main audiberger. Rev. Yost, '76. work are principally ash trimmed with walnut. Ingrain carpet, of extra vestibule. The old windows and blinds

have been removed and replaced with stained glass windows. One window furnished by the church is in memory of Rev. Abraham Hunsicker, founder had plain, easy sailing into the harbor of success. The figures will best explain the result:

Will be sold at public sale, on THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1891, on the farm of Andrew Saylor, and the residence of the subscriber, situated one mile west of the village of Fairview, on the Gerof the church; one window by the students and professors of Ursinus College in memory of Rev. J. H. A. Sunday school and one by the Ladies' H. H. Fetterolf, Aid Society. The old carpet of the

main room has been put in the Sunday school room. This room has also been frescoed. The prayer meeting room INSPECTORS ; has been divided, the Sunday school

John O. Yocum, r Samuel Hallman, d larger part handsomely papered, the floor covered with Brussels carpet and JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

Robert A. Grover, r James R. Weikel, r Henry M. Slotterer, of Trappe, is

teaching the unexpired term at Lin-SUPERVISORS: Jacob Williams, r Isaac Kratz, r Henry Wismer, d Our Literary Society contemplates giving a special entertainment the lat-

Ambrose Ashenfelter, d AUDITOR:

Samuel Poley, d Miss Roberts, teacher of Barlow's school has been confined to her home Caleb Cresson, r at Norristown, during last week by an attack of "La Grippe." Her sister is Jesse Stearly, d

The school lots to which we referred Wm. Schwenk, r J. I. Bradford, d last week were sold at Limerick Centre last Saturday at 2 p. m. No. 1, ad-SCHOOL DIRECTORS: joining John Yorgey's property, was Joseph S. Griffin, r sold to Mr. Yorgey for seven dollars. No. 2, known as "Kern's," was pur-Davis Raudenbush, r C. H. Oberholtzer, d chased by H. H. Slichter for ten dol-Jonathan Hoyer, d

lars. Several buyers arrived too late and missed the sale. Another admo-In Lower Providence E. M. Cleaver was re-elected Supervisor; John C. Rev. E. C. Hibshmann, pastor of St. Johnson Tax Collector, and the balance of the Republican ticket.

> Edwin S. Stuart, Republican, was elected Mayor of Philadelphia by about 40,000 majority. Dr. John Todd, Democrat, was defeated for Burgess of Pottstown by C. O. Guldin, Republican, by 166 maj.

LOR SALE!

\$100 Reward. \$100.

perity or increase of wealth has a The readers of the INDEPENDENT will be favorable influence on the morals of a pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a consti-A happy wedding event transpired tutional disease, requires a constitutional treatat the residence of the bride's uncle ment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous sur on Tuesday, when Dr. Charles H. Detfaces of the system, thereby destroying the wiler, of Ironbridge, was united in the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient bonds of wedlock to Miss Alice strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, ceremony was performed at high noon that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any by Rev. N. F. Schmidt, of Schwenkscase that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., ville, in the presence of the immediate For sale at Culbert's Drug Store, Collegeville, march - Wagner's Tannhauser - was

> FOR GOOD, HONEST, RELIABLE CLOTHING,

Bauman, of Telford, and Mr. Edgar T. Miller, of Limerick. The wedding sell their own Home-made Garments at rock sell their own Home-made Garments at rock banquet was an elaborate affair, and bottom prices. Bloch & Co., Phenixville's Leading Clothiers. the gifts numerous, valuable and use-

JOHN SPITLER.
J. G. Fetterolf, auct. C. U. Bean, clerk.

FRESH COWS.

Will be sold at public sale, on SATURDAY, FEB. 28, 1891, at Smoyer's hotel, Trappe, one car load of fresh cows and springers direct from Western Penna, where I have selected them myself for this market. This will be an extra lot of fine cows, and it will be to the interest of purchasers to attend this sale. Also one nice Holstein Strok Rull Sale et 2 geleck page 1872.

Stock Bull. Sale at 2 o'clock, p. m. Condi-

Personal Property!

Will be sold at public sale, on THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1891, at the residence of the subscriber, in Worcester township, Montgomery

ing purposes; cart (4-inch tread), all in good order; 2 sets hay ladders, all complete; 2 sets

manure boards, hay rope and pins; three-spring market wagon with pole and shafts, good as new; sleigh, express sled; six plow single trees, 3 clevices, lot of short single trees for hoe harrows,; spring-tooth harrow, 3 spike harrows,

crab harrow, 4 hoe harrows-2 iron Farmers

Favorite; roller, 2 grain drills—one Champion; fertilizer with 9 hoes; corn planter, hay tedder, 2 horse rakes—one new self-dumping; Buckeye reaper and binder, low down; Buckeye mower,

Buckwalter's make; 2 threshers and cleaners

one shut cylinder, one open cylinder; 1 thresher clover and timothy huller, Union feed cutter

o'clock, sharp. Conditions: A credit of 90 days on all sums exceeding \$20, by giving note with

Personal Property!

mantown turnpike 5 miles from Norristown, in Worcester township, Montgomery county, Pa.,

cultivator (new), 2 plows, 1 Syracuse, bag truck, bushel measure, 2 grain cradles, scythes and sneathes, 2 hay hooks, rope and pulleys, lot of empty bags, ditching and stubb hoes, lot of vinegar barrels, one tierce, forks, rakes, shovels,

cow and other chains, single and double trees, flails, gambrels, corn cutters, shaving horse

(spring seat), axe, &c. Harness: 2 sets stage harness, one set lead harness, one set market harness, cart harness, one set double light har-

namess, cart harness, one set double light harness, one set single light harness, collars, blind and headhalters, fly nets, double and single lines; 300 bushels corn in the cob, oats by the bushel. Dairy Fixtures: 4 milk churns, cream cans, 3 dozen milk pans, butter cooler, &c. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock, sharp. Conditions made known on day of sale.

Sam'l R. Shupe, auct. John R. Weikel, clerk.

Eyes Examined Free

E. H. CASSELBERRY.

D. G. Fetterolf, auct. John Weikel, clerk.

B. F. Tyson, Receiving Clerk.

DUBLIC SALE OF

DAVID ROBERTS.

W. M. Pearson, auct. C. U. Bean, clerk

PUBLIC SALE OF

J. S. FREDERICK, Agent.

Will be sold at public sale, on SATURDAY

TOUBLIC SALE OF

tour to Niagara Falls, Toronto and St. Thomas, Ontario, and other places. FRESH COWS!

PUBLIC SALE OF

Jottings from Ursinus. We are sorry to say that an error crept into our notes of last week. There was no money received from F and M. College, as was stated.

The bride and groom left during

the afternoon on an extended wedding

Upon their return they will reside at

for debate is: Resolved, "That pros-

Wedding Bells.

Mr. A. T. Miller, near Limerick Square,

town. The ushers were Mr. J. Warren

ful.

Dr. Super has, we are glad to say, taken up his classes again after being

The history class of '93 will begin reading, this week, the Theses which they have prepared on various subjects they have gone over this term.

Prof. Baliet has been under the doctor's care. He had some trouble with his teeth. He is improving.

The Boarding Club was represented at the sale. They are laying in a supply of needful articles.

The Prohibition League and Ebrard Society held their meetings last week. The Olevians have arranged to entertain us with some excellent elocutionary effort. Their reader comes well recommended.

furnish music at the special services at at St. Luke's, Trappe.

well recommended.

A quartette of the students will furnish music at the special services at at St. Luke's, Trappe.

The schedule of the B. B. Club is rapidly filling up, and many more could be had; but the boys are not willing to encroach so seriously upon their studies.

The officers elected by the Schaff willing to encroach so seriously upon

The officers elected by the Schaff Society, last Friday night, are: Pres. Smith, '91; V. P., Isenberg, '93 Rec. Sec., Fogel, '94; Cor. Sec., Leidy, '94; Chap., Francis, '91; Editor, Scholl, '94; Critic, Williams, '91; Treas., Walters, '95: Organist, Barndt,

Among the visitors were Mr. Long-

Among the graduates of Ursinus at the dedication were: Rev. H. T. Spangler, Prof. Peters, 74; Rev. H. A. Bomberger, '84; Rev. Wehler, '88;

ELECTION FIGURES.

Tuesday was a quiet election day in Upper Providence and the sinews of war were slightly taxed. The entire Republican ticket was elected. There was a show of a contest on Supervisor and Tax Collector, but the old guards were sustained. There being no opposition in the field to Esquires Zimmerman and Grover, those gentlemen

JUDGE OF ELECTIONS:

U. D. L. D. nas been divided, the Sunday school | Wm. S. Mattes, r room occupying one portion, and the J. G. T. Miller, d

J. Milton Zimmerman, r

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

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ASSISTANT ASSESSORS TOWN CLERK.

Independent District: David H. Allebach, 106; D. M. Fulmer, 95; Francis Zollers, 61.

We are able to Fit All Persons Properly ELSEWHERE. As we have a regular opticians' outfit and give all a thorough examination. We use the finest centred lenses and fit all frames properly to the face.

A large assortment of either Spectacles or Eyeglasses in gold, silver, nickel, steel or rubber. Oculists' orders filled at short notice. FRANK KLINE, Burgess Evans, Democrat, Norris-GRADUATE OPTICIAN, town, was defeated by Milton Kurtz, SPRING CITY, PA. Republican, by 324 votes.

A BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY!

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With R. H. Kline, Watchmaker & Jeweler

DUBLIC SALE OF

Personal Property!

Will be sold at public sale, on FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1891, at the residence of the subscriber, at Upper Providence Square Harness Shop, in Upper Providence township, the following personal property: Two horses; 5 cows; lot of chickens; 2 fallingtop carriages, one a side-bar; one-horse farm wagon, with bed and ladders; also all the contents of the harness shop, consisting of all kinds of harness, mountings, leather, tooks are Bondell arresting meaning. tools: one Randall creasing machine with all improvements, 1 fly strap cutter, 1 fly strap rounding machine, vise, 2 stitching horses; also soap, 75 gallons of machine and harness oils, caustic soda, lot of blankets, robes, six dozen whips, one 60-gallon oil tank, and everything belonging to the shop, as I intend to relinquish business. 1 dozen milk cans, 20 and 30 quart; 2 guns, gold watch and chain, and numerous articles not specified. Sale at 1 o'clock, sharp.

Conditions by JOHN G. DETWILER, Agent. W. M. Pearson, auct.

DUBLIC SALE OF

Personal Property!

Will be sold at public sale, on TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1891, at the residence of the subscriber, on the Ridge Turnpike, ¼ mile south of Collegeville, in Lower Providence township, the following personal property: Sorrel horse, years old, a good farm and tread-power horse Will be sold at public sale on FRIDAY, FEB. 20, 1891, at Smoyer's hotel, Trappe, 20 head of fresh cows and springers from Lebagar non and Lancaster counties. This is excellent stock, selected with care. Also 50 fine shoats for keeping over. Sale to commence at 2 o'clock, p. m. Conditions by JOHN SPITLER.

years old, a good farm and tread-power horse; Cow (½ Alderney) in profit; 10 pairs chickens; wheelbarrow, potato plow, Syracuse cultivator, all nearly new; drag harrow, single trees, cow and other chains, scythe and sneathe, broad axe, wood saw; grubbing hoe, new; forks, rakes, shovels, hoes, &c. 2 sets single harness, 1 set heavy lead harness, fly nets, collars, blind and head-halters; hen manure by the barrel, about 200 sheaves of cornfodder by the sheaf; feed troughs, lot of bean poles, &c. Household Goods: 2 tables, 1 cherry; churn and horse, sink, nearly new; walnut writing desk, Eclipse cook stove No. 7, in good order; Radlant Light parlor stove, No. 11; lot of screen doors, sausage cutter and stuffer, lard press, commode, sage cutter and stuffer, lard press, commodenearly new; butter scales and prints, fruit jars meat tubs, lantern, Yankee buckets; a general variety of crockery and tinware, and many other articles not here mentioned. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock. Conditions by FRANK K. TREIDLER.

Samuel R. Shupe, auct. DUBLIC SALE OF

Personal Property!

Will be sold at public sale, on MONDAY MARCH 9, 1891, at the residence of Benjamin Bean, in Upper Providence township, (form-erly Zimmerman's farm,) on road leading from erly Zimmerman's farm,) on road leading from Collegeville to Phœnixville, near the former place, the following personal property: 3 horses. No. 1, roan horse coming 7 years old, good worker and driver; No. 2, roan horse, 10 years old, good worker; No. 3, black horse, 12 years old, good worker; No. 3, black horse, 12 years old, good worker. 8 cows, in profit, one with calf by her side; 3 fat hogs, 4 shoats, 5 sucking pigs; 3 ducks. Hay wagon, bed and rope; farm wagon with bed, wagon bed, express wagon, carriage, 4 plows, one a Wiard; 2 harrows, reaper and binder, reaper, mower, grain cradle, thresher and cleaner, thresher and shaker, fodder cutter, horse spreader, feed cutter, cutting box, windmill, 3 grindstones, cow, timber, and other chains, harness cupboard, double and single harness, blind and headhalters, collars, single and double lines. Corn and

ters, collars, single and double lines. Corn and oats by the bushel; bran bin, crosscut saw, ogshead, manure boards, shovels, axe, chicken hogshead, manure boards, shovels, axe, chicken coops, iron kettle, broad axe, scoop shovel, spades, hoes, forks, rakes, &c. 21 acres of wheat in the ground; three 30-quart milk cans, large lot of sundries, including many articles not here stated. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, sharp. Conditions: A credit of 90 days on all sums of \$20 and upwards.

JOHN C. JOHNSON.
S. R. Shupe, audt. A. Weikel, clerk.

all in good order; 2 seythes and sneathes, 2 grain cradles; horse power (good as new), DUBLIC SALE OF

Personal Property!

clover and timothy huller, Union feed cutter, grain fan, 6 sets heavy harness, express harness, cart harness, collars and blindhalters, 4 sets fly straps, 2 sets double lines, 2 sets plow lines, check line, set of light harness, fork chain for 2 horses, one for one horse; 4 hay hooks, one harpoon, hay rope, 125 feet, and tackles. 50 tons of timothy and mixed hay, and numerous articles not herein stated. Sale to commence at 1 cles not herein stated. Sale to commence at 1 cles have a conditions: A credit of 90 days The subscriber about to relinquish the farming business at Trappe, Upper Providence township, Montgomery county, will sell without reserve, on SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 1891, all the personal effects, to-wit: Three good horses: No. 1 bay horse, 7 years old, good worker; No. 2, bay more 10 years old, good worker; No. 2, bay more 10 years old, good worker; No. 2, bay bay horse, 7 years old, good worker; No. 2, bay mare, 10 years old, good worker and driver; No. 3, bay horse coming 5 years old, fine worker and driver. 10 good milch cows; 25 pairs chickens. Farming Implements: Farm wagon, 2-horse market wagon, express wagon, 2 carts, fallingtop buggy, sleigh, grain Drill, Hench's 2-horse cultivator and corn planter, mower, reaper, horse power, thresher and cleaner, grain fan, horse rake, roller, spring-tooth harrow, 2 hoe harrows, 3 plows, fog and cow chains, lot of hoes, shovels, forks, rakes, rope and tackle, hay hook, 40 grain bags. Harness: 2 sets express hook, 40 grain bags. Harness: 2 sets express harness, 2 sets stage harness, 2 sets cart harness, set buggy harness, lines, collars, blind bridles, halters and traces. Dairy Fixtures: 15 milk cans, milk buckets, milk pans, strainers, cooling trough. 6 acres of grain in the ground, 30 bushels of rye, 70 bushels of oats, 100 bushels of corn, 30 tons of hay, 10 tons wheat straw, corn-fodder by the bundle, 40 bushel of potatoes. Household Goods: Beds and bedding, carpets, chairs, 2 stoves, apple butter, cupboards, dishes, wash tubs, washing machine, benches, sausage mantown turnpine 5 miles from Norristown, in Worcester township, Montgomery county, Pa., the following personal property, to-wit: Four Horses: No. 1, a bay coming 6 years old, a good stepper; No. 2, a bay horse coming 5 years old, broke double and single, both fearless of steam; No. 3, is a light bay horse 14 years old, fearless of steam, single line leader, good on tread power, and any lady can drive him; No. 4, is a gray, an excellent draught horse. 19 head of cows, some will be in profit by day of sale. 2 bulls, one stock and the other fat. 9 shoats. One farm wagon and bed, 2 market wagons, one three springs with pole and shafts and one heavy; one express wagon, one cart, 3-inch tread, hay ladders 16 feet (new), hay tedder, roller, grain drill, reaper and binder, truck, thresher and cleaner (Roberts'), cider mill, feed cutter (Freed's), corn chopper, one spring tooth harrow, spike harrow, 2 hoe harrows (1 Iron Age), Hench set the backle best the state of the stat cutter, lard press, bureau, lamps, lanterns, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

SAMUEL LONGSTRETH.
Sam'l Shupe, auct. I. P. Rhoads, clerk.

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new Deering mower, reversible sulky plow, Tiger hay rake with grass seeder attached, grain drill, spring tooth harrow on wheels, corn cultivator, shifting carriage pole, light double harness; bridles, collars and harness for 4 horses, 30-gallon farmers' boiler, large double heater, 75 bushels potatoes, 300 bushels corn on cob, hay by the ton, grain in the ground, and many other articles not specified. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, sharp. Conditions by

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MACHINE MILKING.

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The inventor claims that by this method the natural milking of the cow by the calf is imitated. So much for a description of the machine. The leading question is: Will it work satisfactorily? We have been told that the suction of the air-pump will draw blood from the udder if the vacuum pressure continues after the quarter has been emptied. To avoid this the stop cocks are turned before the milk is quite all drawn. It is useless to have one attendant for each machine, for then he might as well do the milking himself. Since the milk flow is not usually equal from the different quarters of the udder we cannot see how an attendant can always be on hand to turn the stop-cocks just at the right time. A single mistake now and then would bring more trouble than the whole system is worth. There have been many milking machines put on the market, and all have failed. Ingenious as is this Scotch device we fear it must go the way of all the others and hand-milking continue. Unfortunate it is, yet some processes in our agriculture seem incapable of being materially shortened by machinery .- Breeder's Gazette.

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