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DO RIGHT FOR THE SAKE OF RIGHT

Volume 18.

Collegeville, Pa., Thursday, February 9, 1893.

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A NNUAL STATEMENT OF THE DIRECTORS of the POOR and House of Employment of Montgomery County for Year Ending December 31, A. D., 1892.

THE SAID DIRECTORS CHARGE THEMSELVES WITH ALL MONEY RECEIVED BY THEM AND PAID TO COUNTY TREASURER AS FOLLOWS:

DR.

TO CASH RECEIVED FROM Edw. F. Kane, indenture fees, Board, M Heffeitrager. Chester County, Philadelphia County, A Ulrich, Mary Wright, Salie Parker, Henry Wise, George Brown, Bessie Ward, Lizzie O'Neill, Lying-in Expenses, Sales of Hide and Fat, Butter, " Hay,
" Cream and milk, Poultry, " Lard,
" Slush fat, " Cattle, " Calves,

Total amount received. E SAID DIRECTORS CREDIT THEMSELVES WITH ALL PAYMENTS MADE ON THEIR ACCOUNT AS 50.d, 250 quarts milk sold. THE SAID DIRECTORS CREDIT THEMSELVES WITH

FOLLOWS: CR.

Pigs, Sundry mdse,

Dambly Est. for overpayment,

Hire of hay scales, Dinners and feed furnished,

SALARIES AND WAGES PAID Henderson Supplee, Director, Edw. F. Kane, Clerk and Solicitor,
Dr. J. W. Royer, Physician,
Dr. J. Y. Bechtel,
Dr. G. W. Stein,
Charles U. Bean, Steward, Mrs. Chas. U. Bean, Matron, Michael Nevins, Engineer, Matthew Kelter, Watchman, Benjamin Weaver, Farmer, Michael Hessler, Jr., Assistant Farmer, Jacob Heffner, Baker, Jerry Kolb, Shoemaker, Leonard Sweed, Tailor, Gustavus Frank, Nurse, Micbael Conway, Fireman, Wm. Brunner and wife, Cooks, John O'Conner, Cook, Richard Young, Maggie Kay, Harriet Smith, Carrie Ernest, Domestic, Carrie Funk, "Bridget Maxwell, Nurse, Mary Malloy, "Michael Hessler, Sr., Laborer,

John Bradley, Blacksmith, Mr- O. Johnson, Delia Boyle, M. A. Young, Total amount paid, ALMSHOUSE SUPPLIES, ETC. Paid for Flour, feed and grinding, Hops and malt, Coal, Maintenance of children, Washing Machine, Gravel, Scales, State Ass'n Assessment, Nursing, Carpet Weaving, 8 00 33 64 Spread, Milk cans, etc., Veterinary services. Advertising and Printing, Hardware, fittings and repairs, 468 05
Telephone use, 78 65
Cows and caives, 2207 50 Blacksmith and smithwork, Stamps and stationery,

Traveling expenses, etc., Total amount paid, OUT-DOOR RELIEF FURNISHED. Paid for out-door relief, Upper District \$1118 70 4056 10 284 43 Lower Dis. Total amount paid, OUT-DOOR MEDICAL ATTENDANCE.

Butter worker and box.

Sundry Mdse. bought, etc.,

Paid Dr. J. E. Bauman, Jno P. Hillegass, N. Y. N. iman Jno. D. Weaver, J. E. Blanck, A. Hatzfield, H. Mann, S. A. Kuipe, H. H. Whiteomb, D. K. Bechtel, G. A. Weida, G. N. Hi bley, J. O. Knipe, J. Y. Bechtel, Charles Wauge, H. R. Loux, I. L. Cooper, E. E. Johnson, G. C. Herman, W. H. Eck, S. C. Seipe,
H. W. Ritter,
J. N. Hunsberger,
O. C. Heffner, Jonathan Faust, Total amount paid, OUT-DOOR BURIALS.

Paid Undertaker T. J. Carroll, Samuel Hess, Chas. Y. Smith, T. O Gorman, Levi Jones, Wm. Fox, Moore & Collins, Chas. J. Comfort, W. H. Maxwell, \$390 00 SUMMARY.

FROM WHICH DEDUCT .

Salaries and wages. Out door Med. attendance, 1645 50 ut door burisls, 390 00
Lotal amount of orders issued, -\$26015 21 Out door burials, \$ 3625 86 'Cash received,

Out-door Med. attendance, rinting and advertising. Maintenance of children,

Permanent improvements, Net expenses at almshouse, STOCK ON FARM DECEMBER 31, 1892.

LIVE STOCK : 6 horses, 3 yoke oxen, 44 cows, 1 bull, 13 fat hogs, 24 pigs, 300 chickens, 9 turkeys, 12 ducks, 2 peacocks, 5 pea fowls.

FARM PRODUCE 79 four-horse loads hay, 43 four-horse loads cornfodder, 4000 bushels corn, 480 bushels wheat, 100 bushels rye, 550 bushels oats, 700 bushels potatoes, 50 bushels apples, 780 gallons cider, 100 baskets tomatoes, 75 baskets lima beans, 35 baskets canteloupes, 60 bushels sweet corn, 20 baskets peas, 5 bushels string beans, 20 baskets cucumbers, 1 barrel pickels, 200 stalks celery, 2300 heads cabbage, 50 dozens asparagus, 40 dozens rhubarb, 2 dozens peppers, 7 bushels onions, 3 bushels seed onions, 2 bushels soup beans, 1 hogshead sour krout, 200 bushels turnips, 2 bushels beets, 345 ox cart loads and 71 tour horse loads manure, 21361 pounds beef, 1895 pounds veal, 14781 pounds pork, 180 pounds mutton, 1200 pounds hand and 58 barries of the control of the

rels soft soap. In Almshouse: 215 men's shirts, 39 dresses, 5 petticoats, 10 chemies, 18 aprons, 17 pairs drawers, 12 undershirts, 36 sheets, 10 bolster cases, 122 pillow cases, 21 baby slips, 6 night dresses, 138 towels, 2 under bodies, 6 baby petii coats, 13 children's dresses, 8 bonnets, 7 sacques, 53 men's coats, 213 pairs pants, 106 vests, 20 pairs sustenders, 60 pairs mittens, 11/2 pairs boots, 771/2 pairs shoes.

IN CREAMERY:

INMATES WHO DIED DURING YEAR: William Leyden, Michael L. ahy, Peter Keelor, William Leyden, Michael L. ahy, Peter Keelor, Frank Morley, George Menks, Margaret Murphy, Salie Parker, Henry Weise, Peggy Fox, Harriet Giu (col.), Orvan Harrity, John Cavanaugh, Michael Buckley, Peter Hymer (col.), William Mackert, George Herman, Lizzie Henry, Christian Ream, Elizabeth Moore, John Frater (col.), Catharine Davidson, George Brown, Angeline Aldinger, William ritchard, John Hammond, Joseph McNully, John Whiteeraft, Eliza Jones, Christian Hartman, Peter Banks, John Bucon, Betsy Gibson.

BIRTHS DURING YEAR : Thomas Leamy, Mabel Viola De Walt, Peter Hymen (col.), Rachael Corman, Lizzie Henry. AVERAGE NUMBER OF INMATES IN ALMSHOUSE AT END OF EACH QUARTER DURING YEAR. 1st quarter ending March 31,

September 30, December 31, TRAMPS SUPPLIED DURING YEAR : Lodgings furnished males, 125; females, 15 Meals furnished males, 150; females, 15. STATEMENTS FOR 1891 AND 1892 COMPARED. 1891 cash received, \$ 2806 55 Gain in receipts for year,

1891 salaries and wages paid, 5094 03 Excess of salaries and wages paid for year, 1891 almshouse supplies, Reduction in almshouse expenses for year, 1891 out door relief furnished, 6394 48

Reduction in out door relief furnished for year, 1891 out-door med attendance 2645 15 Reduction in out-door medical attendance for year, 1891 out door burials, -- 997 65 Excess of outdoor burials for year, Reduction in all departments

during 1892 as compared All of which is respectfully submitted. HENDERSON SUPPLEE, Directors. FRANCIS KILE, REUBEN MUMBAUER, ATTEST :-- EDW. F. KANE, Clerk.

BECKY'S REVELATION.

A group of girls stood at the foot 702 88 of a flight of wide markle steps that led up to a plain brick house. Suddenly, amid their noisy chatter, the tall-485 25 est girl said:

> "Don't look around, but yonder comes Addie Lister. It is nearly half an hour before the school-bell will she's waving her hand for us. Of course I must pretend not to see her until you decide what to do."

others. "We'll get our things off be- without your assistance. fore she comes, then we'll go down to Miss Patterson's room and stay until the bell rings. She'll never think of she did so: looking there for us."

flock of frightened birds, and when, a about." few minutes later, Addie Lister en-173 00 | tered the dressing-room, she found it | ing that when the hour of dismissal | to their children and have so impressed | with the chrysanthemum in his buttondeserted. The well-known hats and came she did not pass out with the it on their minds that they only come hole, just after one of that apparent 21 00 wraps on their accustomed hooks, how- other girls, but remained behind under to school for fear. This is the way I lik had got off the car with much show

"where those girls have gone. It does her broom at her very best speed. fancy that they do not like the teacher of a cool breeze one day this fall. The 150 00 seem as if Millicent Gray must have Becky was a great favorite with the or something else. seen me when I waved my hand; yet schoolgirls, and they had allowed her The Indians here are a poor and for- who had spoken thus oraculary with I had no sooner done it than they to treat them with a familiarity that saken race. From what I can learn, the query; "Why?" fairly scrambled up the steps. It often overstepped the bounds of strict they are about the last of the Indians "Well" he replied, "I had an experiseemed as if they are trying to run decorum. Addie had had, hitherto, that are to be civilized and there has ence with one of them that changed of figures and mathematical problems a stick in order to enable him to feel away from me, and it isn't the first bestowed not even a glance upon her; nothing been done for this tribe before my opinion of the genus mightily. I will not undertake to show or prove. a plump, well-fed, brown animal, had time they have acted that way, either. but she now said, sharply: It is very plain they don't like me. I wonder why it is? I am always kind the dust like that while I am in the the other Indian reservations, and other fools, and that the man whose threes, has prepared statistics on the was, apparently, in a hurry to do busiand pleasant to them. I give them room?" 7 00 fruit and flowers and help them with

me. She had by this time reached the the swellin' out." schoolroom door. She at once dis-80 00 covered that, though her classmates ed to reply for a moment; then she sional Indian, and oftentimes not that; street with one of them as a companion 000 people at a time when English was If the door was one on which was were not there, one of the teachers | said, meekly: was telling another one of some prizes 10 00 offered for the best poems on certain head isn't swollen;" and she put her thing is wild here; well, that is so should put himself to the effort of were living when the revolution broke subjects. Without a moment's hesi- hands to her head and face. 15 00 tation she stepped forward to where they sat.

5 00 dress to which the poems must be Then she gave a ringing laugh. sent?" she asked, with her loftiest

Miss Jones looked at her intently a regain her breath. "Well, thin, to put heads will soon come out from under a about him. moment, while some girls turned away the case a little easier for your com heap of old rubbage, and they will "We bore down on the West street pire, by 40,000,000 in Belgium and by looking around at his companion, and, with covert sneers.

dress," was the answer, "but remem- what ails ye-jist the plain, old-fashion- away. This is not only the case out into our path. Another car cut off persons in the United States and Can- that man, the actions of a dog go for ber, experienced writers will enter the ed consate."

competition, and unless you have had age.

left the room with a reddening cheek.

two little girls came out of the primary room.

"Oh," said one, "Miss Patterson always does make such pretty things !" "Yes," replied the other, "but this is

the prettiest thing she ever made." changing her course she went into the the exquisite piece of work a few moments she said, graciously:

"Indeed, that is very pretty. I believe I'll make one just like it." "Why! do you embroider?" asked

Millicent Gray. "I never have," was the answer.

handsome as yours."

of art embroidery ?"

have higher aspirations."

which Addie said:

the paper !"

and assign all the star parts to you."

ed, slipped out of the room.

are jealous of me."

away at her "Cæsar." of these constructions correct."

hand for the book.

much practice in the art of verse- The armor of self-complacency which invariably runs off and hides if he sees move. The motor man turned both is spoken by the 38,000,000 inhabiwriting you will only waste your post- the well-bred derision of her equals me coming, as though I was a dan- cranks as quick as thought, but it was tants of France, by 2,500,000 people had failed to pierce was completely gerous person and would do him of no use. The car had no fender of Belgium, by 200,000 in Alsace Lor-"Oh! I can write as well as some shattered by the impertinence of an harm. The Indians here are not by and I closed my eyes, expecting to raine, by 600,000 in Switzerland, by people who have famous names," was | ignorant servant, and, for a moment, any means self-supporting, and the | feel the shock as we struck and to feel | 1,500,000 in the United States and the supercilious answer; and, as Miss Addie Lister was overwhelmed with Government will have to supply them the car jolt as we plowed over her, but Canada, by 600,000 in Hayti and 1,-Jones smiled incredulously, Addie the humiliation of the attack. She with something more every year, as no such thing happened. hurried from the room, and was absent their farms are being washed out by When she reached the lower hall from school for several days. When the rivers and the land is still getting believe it, that dude had seen the only 000,000. she returned she was a changed girl; and I heard of her the other day as a | that the less a man has the less he acted upon it. He had sprung forward | the British Isles, by probably 57,000,-"great favorite" among the pupils of wants; this is very near true with the and, kneeling on the platform, had 000 of the 65,000,000 inhabitants of Miss Carr's school.

able to account for the transformation; it is to want; although if he can begin | must have been something fearful, in tralia, by 3,700,000 West Indians, and Addie's curiosity was aroused; and Becky forgot her saucy words al- to talk a little English and has made a his position, but he pluckily held on till by 1,000,000 in India and other Britmost as soon as she had said them. few trips to the railroad and has seen the car stopped. Then he arose, led ish colonies, bringing the total of the primary room. To her great surprise | Even had she remembered them, she some of the ways of the white man, he | the woman to the sidewalk, with an | English speaking race to over 100,there stood the classmates to whom probably would not have traced any soon asks for something; and if you apology for his familiarity, and got on 000,000. she had beckoned. They were gather- connection between a few disagreeable give him one thing, he will still keep the car again. He brushed the dust ed about Miss Patterson, who was dis- words and the radical change of a on asking for everything he can see; playing to them a handsomely em- whole character. Becky, by her "rev- give him nothing and he will do with chief as if saving women from the broidered table scarf. Addie at once elation," builded better than she knew. nothing-because he knows no better. joined the group, and after surveying | —Clara J. Denton, in Demorest's Maga- But commence to give him, and you

Letter From Arizona.

FORT APACHE, ARIZ., JAN'Y 25, '93. Friend Moser: - In reading the papers from the East I think you must "Then I would advise you to begin | be having a very cold winter, but here on something more simple. This pat- it is the other way. Not for a moment tern is very difficult," said its maker. | must you think I am in sunshine and "But I can do it," was the ready re- flowers, but it is very pleasant here. ply. "You will find mine quite as It has not snowed any at the Post all winter, but the mountains to the north This brought incredulous smiles to and east are white most of the time. the faces of the girls, while Millicent | The coldest it was here I think was about 10 degrees above zero and that "Why didn't you set up as a teacher only one morning. It only freezes a and hid in an openin between some little now at night; in the morning large bowlders that closed a space on "Thank you," returned Addie, "I the thermometer ranges near 20, and three sides but was open at the top, by 3 p. m., it is generally about 60 or where a man could stand comfortable Suppressed giggles greeted this as- | 70 in the shade on the north side of | 'thout bein seen. sertion, and Addie began to look un- the building, about 6 feet from the comfortable. Miss Patterson, hoping ground. We have had no rain here openin, laid my gun on the ground an to introduce a less personal subject, of any account for nine months, but as listened till toward daybreak I heard no vegetation grows or any farming the turkeys fly down from the roost. "Do you know, girls, Miss Carr has done in this territory except by irri- I called to 'em two or three times in a decided to give a dramatic entertain- gation, why we do not mind it very way I know. With the second call ment just after Easter? She intends much, although the stream of water come answers, an I heard the turkeys to have one of Howe's farces played." that supplies the Post is getting low. There was a chorus of delight, after | It has its head far up in the mountains and as they are covered with snow I "I'm so glad, for I just love to act! suppose water will be more plentiful I always have the leading part assign- by and by, when the snow melts. On ed to me; and when I played last sum- Sunday, January 22, I took a ride up mer they gave me just lovely puffs in the river and found one Indian who had sowed some barley and was plow-"Well," said one of the girls, "I'll | ing it in-pretty early, is it not? The speak to Miss Carr about it, and tell Indians here in sowing barley or wheat her she should have six farces played, always sow it on the ground and plow it in; it is thought by that means the A loud peal of laughter followed grain gets down deep and the ground this, and, Addie, somewhat disconcert- will hold the moisture better, and so it is with the corn they plant. They "I begin to understand the matter," will start to plow around a small piece she said to herself as she made her of ground and about every four or five way back to the schoolroom. "They furrows they will go along and drop in an picked up my gun and started for the corn and keep on plowing that way As she went to her desk she passed until the whole piece is plowed and one of her classmates who was digging | planted; they do not care about the | for breakfast, an expectin to get the rows being straight, so the corn can pick o' the turkeys when he see me. "To-day's lesson is brain-racking," be cultivated, as the only way they do I ain't ashamed to own I was flusshe said, looking up at Addie. "It any cultivating is by letting on the trated." seems almost impossible to get some water and drawing it around the hills of corn with their hoes. The plowing | couldn't have shot a turkey if one had "Why," said Addie, with her most is done with one horse mostly, a man run up and bit me. But I laid for trunk. When you go to look for the facture of manteiga, and there are still superior air, "I thought to-day's lesson or boy to lead and one to drive, the that wildcat till I got him; leastways an especially easy one. I translated woman or squaw to plow, and some- I took it for him, although I own I ring; shall we wait for her? There, it on the first reading. Let me render times two or more to drop the corn in didn't stop long enough that first it for you;" and she reached out her the furrows. From what I can learn sight o' the creeter to examine him this is the way they have always over partic'lar. It's allus been an un-"No, thank you," was the cold re- farmed. On this part of the reserva- settled pi'nt in my mind which was "Let's hurry in," said one of the ply, "I shall be able to get through tion there are about 1700 Indians, who scart the worst, the cat or me." can neither read, write or talk Eng-At this moment the bell rang and lish. They have no books of any kind Addie passed to her seat, thinking as of their language (if such it may be called), so it is hard and slow to do HE SAVES A WOMAN FROM BEING CRUSHED "Another jealous one. Well, I be- very much with them. They are They fluttered up the steps like a gin to think they are not worth caring strenuously opposed to education in any way or shape, and the heads of the

ever, told of the recent presence of pretense of putting her desk in order. suppose it is with many white persons, of affectation, and the motorman had While thus busy, Becky, the janitress, as the children are often left stay at winked to the rest who were enjoying "It is very strange," she thought, came into the room and began playing home if they have any little whim or the salubrity of a ride into the teeth in the way of education. The Govern- used to think, till one day last week, A Frenchman, who likes to bury him- on a sort of harness, to which a stout "What do you mean by stirring up ment has established schools on all of that they were to be classed with all self in a labyrinth of ones, two and cord was attached from his back. He everywhere where there was Indians, few thoughts run to clothes and the languages of the world, and their uses. "Oh, go way wid ye!" was the quick and I think they will also here in a condition of the weather in London He finds that at about the time of steps he would look around at his mastheir lessons-whenever they will let retort. "Betther go home and put a little time. Everything here is wild. as affecting his trouser buttons, sort Shakespeare and Milton the language ter in the most intelligent way, as if to mustart plaster on your head to take After leaving the Post you will have of led the procession for insanity. My in which they wrote was in use by less discover whether he was coming along to ride 25 miles the one way before conversion happened thus: Addie stood transfixed, too bewilder- you will see anyone except an occaand probably 75 miles either of the and the motorman as the other. I spoken by less than 16,000,000 and 50,- posted the sign, "The other door," the "What do you mean? I am sure my other ways south or east. I said every- thought it was strange that the dude 000,000 of French speaking people man would try the knob, and, as soon Becky dropped her broom and, clap- when I ride out among them I will see when I rather pride myself on my sea ping her hands on her hips, she looked a tent or tee-pee off a little distance legs, and you know an electric car the English language equaled the Ger- stand exactly how to transact busi-

will ride up to it and see no one except | developing one's balance.

It was a dreadful truth, cruelly told. Post and a boy is playing around, he scared so much that she could not who use the German language. French poorer every year. It is often said possible way to save her life, and had English is spoken by 37,000,000 in Indian, as he has nothing and noth- thrown his arms about the woman and the United States, by 4,000,000 per-Her companions have never been ing to get, so he does not know what lifted her from the track. The strain sons in Canada, by 3,000,000 in Auswill have to keep it up to keep him alive. Yours very respectfully,

JOHN H. CASSELBERRY.

A Hunter Hunted.

An old huntsman was returning one evening from a neighbor's when he heard a flock of wild turkeys in a clump of pines. They were going to roost, and he at once resolved to be on hand in the morning and shoot some of them. How he succeeded is best told in his own language:

"The next mornin' afore daybreak," says the hunter, "I was on the ground

"I set down at the mouth o' the

"I was gittin my gun ready when I heard a queer noise like some animal and saw the biggest kind of a wildcat, | go Tribune. with mouth wide open an eyes like two full moons, just ready to jump on my

throwed my arms over my head an give a yell that would have scared a

in a hurry, an stood a few minutes feelin trembly like. Then I went back home, feelin like a sheep killin dog.

"You see the wildcat was out lookin

"Did I get any turkeys? No; I

A Plucky Dude.

BY A CAR.

"You wont catch me making fun of Her heart was so full of this feel- families and chiefs have been talking dudes any more," remarked the man Journal man turned to the gentleman

even unto the Indian, for many times keeping his feet on the front platform out in 1789. "Will you kindly give me the ad- for a moment at the bewildered girl. with a few children playing around. I is fully equal to a cracky yacht for man in the number of those who spoke ness. He would pilot his master

cent," she said, as soon as she could if I stay and talk a few minutes the ty well and I soon stopped thinking persons in the Austro-Hungarian Em- and "Good day" was said, the animal

from his knees with his silk handkerwith him and he got off at Milk street.

I took occasion to congratulate him on his nerve and he blushed like a girl

wedge of pie. "That's right."

"And you would do any kind of it was itself hatched out. honorable work, I presume?"

"I am an inventor, mum

"An inventor?

He Knew too Late.

"Scart? I sprang to my feet an LACKING THE INFORMATION HE HAD BEEN SCOOPED IN RIGHT ALONG.

"The cat went one way and I went from you?" asked a farmer-like-looking matter of the eggs to the surface from another. I got out o' my hidin place man at the Northwestern Station this which it is skimmed off. This, when

> "Yes sir," replied the officer. "Well, I want to know how these confidence men work?" "In various ways. Sometimes they

check on a bank." "They do, eh?" gasped the man, oil.

with a sudden start. money and turn over a check for a were destroyed every year in the manu-

trunk it is not to be found." "By George!" muttered the man.

bond, or borrow money on it." "Sakes alive!"

tims to boss a mill or factory some- many enemies lie in wait for it the mowhere, and then borrow money to pay a freight bill." "Yes."

been taken in on every one of 'em in a where I can drop in and won't never come to the surface again with my man, has visibly diminished their numdough-filled head."-Chicago Post.

Growth of the English Tongue.

OVER 100,000,000 COMPRISES THE TOTAL OF THE ENGLISH SPEAKING RACE.

than 6,000,000 people. French was safely. "I was riding down Washington the mother tongue of at least 30,000-

it, and now the latter is left far behind. straight to the office, in the back or "Bless me sowl! but ye're an inner- an old woman or probably a man; but "He seemed to manage himself pret- German is now spoken by 10,000,000 pire, by 46,000,000 in the German Em- would lead the way out again, often prehenshun, ye nade something to come out and then run off and hide for crossing at a good pace, and just as we about 2,000,000 in Switzerland. Gerbe sure to start off and try the next "Of course I will give you the ad- take the consate out o' ye. That's fear they will be caught up and taken reached it we saw a woman dash right man is also spoken by about 2,000,000 door. If the animal was not fond of on the hills, but if I walk around the her advance and she seemed to be ada, giving a total of about 60,000,000 nothing.—Baltimore American,

500,000 in Algiers, India, the West "I opened my eyes and, if you'll Indians and Africa, in all about 45,-

Turtle-Egg Butter.

electric car was a common occurence INGENIOUS WAY IN WHICH IT IS PRE-PARED ALONG THE AMAZON.

Another thing which the Governas he rplied that he had done nothing | ment now wisely regulates is the turbut what any man could do. He cer- tle-egg harvest, which otherwise would tainly did more than I could."—Boston | soon become extinct. Everybody has heard of the famous tartaruga, or Amazonian turtle, which abounds by His Specialty not in Demand. | millions all along the river and its affluents, and of the manteiga da tar-"You have been walking about this taruga (turtle-egg butter)-a substance great city for six weeks and haven't peculiar to this quarter of the globe. found work?" said the kind woman, At certain seasons of the year they come ashore and deposit their eggs in "Yes'm" replied the seedy man in the sand, says a correspondent of the the kitchen, his mouth closing over a Philadelphia Record. Then the stream will be fairly speckled with them, each "You are willing to work, I dare paddling clumsily up to its native sandbar, for it is positively asserted Willing mum? I'd work my laigs off | by those well up in turtle lore, that ef I could git a chance. Jest a leetle not one of them will lay an egg anymore cream in the cawfy. Thanky." where except on the very spot where

It is said that the noise of their "Yes'm any thing thats in my line. shells striking against one another in b'leeve in every man stickin' to his the rush and scramble to shore may be heard a great distance. Each lays "May I ask what your profession from 80 to 120 eggs every other year. Their work commences at dusk and ends with the following dawn, when they again scramble back into the "Yes'm," said the seedy man, reach- water. During the daytime the naing for a doughnut, "inventor of a new tives collect the eggs and pile them in process fur curin' sunstrokes." - Oktoa- great heaps, sometimes 20 feet in diameter and of corresponding height, as cannon balls are piled in a navy yard. While yet fresh the eggs are thrown into wooden troughs, broken with sticks and stamped fine with the feet. Water is then thrown on and the mass is exposed to the rays of the "Could I get a little information sun. The intense heat brings the oily clarified over a gentle fire, resembles melted butter, and is the manteiga of commerce. It is conveyed to market packed in earthen pots, and the Indians and lower classes generally prize borrow money and give a worthless it very highly for seasoning their food, though it retains a strong flavor of fish

It is estimated that in earlier times "Yes; or perhaps they borrow as many as 250,000,000 turtle eggs extensive beaches, notably in Marajo, which have yielded every year as "Then again they sell you a bogus many as 2,000 pots of oil, each pot containing five gallons, the product of about 2,500 eggs. The wonder is how And they sometimes hire their vic- any turtle can come to maturity, so ment it emerges from the shell and makes its way to the water. Alligators are waiting to swallow it, jaguars "And I'll be hanged if I haven't to feed on it, buzzards, eagles and woodibises to pounce upon and devour ride of a hundred miles! Say, come it, and if it escapes all these and down and show me the river-the reaches the water, ravenous fishes are deepest spot in the river—the place awaiting to seize upon it in the stream. But so prodigiously prolific are they that only their most powerful enemy.

A Blind Man's Dog.

A blind man, piloted about the centre of the city yesterday by a dog, attracted a good deal of attention. The man was neatly dressed, and carried a satchel containing articles to sell There is no telling what a man fond swung over his shoulder. He carried ness, for he tugged at the cord vigorously as he went along. Every few

As soon as he got to a door he stopped and looked up at his master. as the dog saw that his master could not go in, he would immediately move on to the next door. When a door Between forty and fifty years ago was opened the dog appeared to underfront part of the house, stop, and look when the street was reached, he would

Collegeville, Montg. Co., Pa.

E. S. MOSER. Editor and Proprietor.

Thursday, Feb'y 9, 1893.

THE Hawaiian commissioners arrived at Washington last week. They are ant particulars. The proposed changes pleading for Governmental protection include a better defined provision for and for annexation of the Islands to the United States.

THE news reached this country, by a political party to secure a place Tuesday, that Algeron Charles Sar- on the official ballot from three to one toris, the husband of Nellie Grant, had per cent. for State officers; increasing died in Capri, Italy, February 3. The the signers for nomination papers from end of this unhappy marriage union one-half to one per cent., but not rewill not be regretted by anybody, for quiring more than 1,000 signatures; it has been generally known for years reducing the time for filing certificates to a poor widow, then hired a colored that Sartoris was a husband and of nomination and nomination papers man to steal it and return it to him, father in name only.

MRS. WHITNEY, the wife of Ex-Sec- cers, Congressmen and Legislators. retary of the Navy W. C. Whitney, and for county and municipal officers died of heart trouble at her home in from 42 and 35 days to 28 and 21 New York city Sunday morning, aged days; requiring a cross to be placed 43 years. She was a most charming opposite every candidate voted for, and estimable woman. Her dis- except in the case of Presidential into line with the pious cranks in the tinguished husband who mourns her | Electors; providing that the booths | effort to have the Columbian Expodeparture has received telegrams and shall be fitted up with curtains to sition kept closed Sundays. A thouletters of condolence from all sections shield the voters from observation, of the country.

in the United States-Arizona, New five. The amendments proposed are Mexico, Oklohoma and Utah. The wise and it is to be hoped the bill Republican Senatorial caucus recently | will be passed. decided to admit New Mexico, Oklohoma and Utah, but rejected Arizona. It is believed the next Congress will From our Regular Correspondent. admit all the Territories. Arizona, being the most strongly Democratic of the lot there is no reason to assume that it will be left out. Admit all, or

INCESSANT rain for several days has caused floods throughout Queensland, Australia. Many towns are under water and much property has been destroyed. The inhabitants have deserted the houses, and those who have not fled to the higher land have taken refuge in trees or on the tops of the highest buildings. All domestic animals and hundreds of cattle have been drowned. A large loss of human life is reported, but nothing definite can near future Canada would take simibe ascertained as to the total number.

PRESIDENT HARRISON made a courageous move when he nominated Howell E. Jackson, of Tennessee, to the vacancy in the Supreme Court of the United States caused by the death different times have taken away unget word not to print 'em? The order of Justice Lamar. Judge Jackson is official assurances that whenever Can- is countermanded. Quick as the boss a Democrat, and though eminently ada applies for admission her applica- saw that girl's card he rushed off and qualified for the position to which he tion would be favorably received. has been nominated, the action or the President has aroused the ire of many what will be done with the application of the Republican leaders, and sweeping of Hawaii for annexation, which will denunciations are being heaped upon be formally presented by the Com- women in this city favorable to a conall the Democrats are delighted with it will be something that makes Ameri- the right of suffrage. The committee the nomination.

ported from Harrisburg that the pros- and while there is a difference of wanna. The speakers will be Rev. of pective appropriations will largely ex- opinion in Congress as to what should Annie Shaw and Matilda Hindman. ceed the State revenues. The Auditor be the first step there is practical un-General has furnished the appropria- animity in the opinion that it must be tion committee an estimate of the reve- something that will make it impossible nues for the next two years, which for any European power to obtain con- Kuenzel's two-pound baby girl, born aggregate under existing laws \$19, trol of Hawaii, and this opinion has two weeks ago, is growing finely and 000,000. The appropriation bills albeen greatly strengthened by the rumor 13 inches in length, and takes its ready introduced, when added to the that Great Britain would protest nourishment from a doll's nursing amount which must be covered by the against this country assuming control bottle with relish. It lies in an incugeneral appropriation bill not yet re- of Hawaii. ported, swell the aggregate sum asked | It appears that the Nicaragua canal for to \$21,645,575. There need be no bill is not to get through the Senate birth $3\frac{1}{2}$ pounds. occasion for alarm, however, on this without a struggle. When Senator score. It is much easier to introduce | Sherman attempted to secure for the an appropriation bill than to secure its | bill the right of way left vacant by passage through the House and Senate, the passage of the anti-option bill he Then there is Governor Pattison with was antagonized by Senator Vest, who

recently introduced to the House at the time of the Senate should be taken replied: "That may be your brother's Harrisburg: The medical examiners' up in the discussion of a measure that Union soldier whose body I helped to bill; providing for the establishment it was an open secret could not pass bury after one of the engagements in of soldiers' orphans' industrial schools; at this session. It is significant that the civil war, over twenty-six years prohibiting the sale or gift of eigar- Mr. Sherman's motion was voted ago," Norville had no difficulty in ettes to persons under 21 years of age; down. appropriating \$250,000 for the care of Should a Senator vote according to for the battle-field. indigent insane; increasing the salaries his own belief in what is right and of judges of the courts of the state; proper, or according to instructions of for the granting of licenses for the sale the legislature of his State? When of liquor in public parks; prohibiting the final vote on the anti-option bill THE OLD HAYSEED WAS NOT TO BE FOOLED the employment of railroad telegraph was taken in the Senate a number of operators under the age of 20 years; Senators voted contrary to resolutions From the Cleveland Plaindealer. providing for arbitration of disputes which had been adopted by their On board a Baltimore train pulling between labor and capital; for the bet- State legislatures. Some made ex- into Parkersburg was a man whose ter protection of persons addicted to planations among them Vest, of Misprotracted drunkenness; to abolish souri, who said that notwithstanding that he was matter-or act an the day the office of mercantile appraiser and such instructions to vote for the bill with or in the every-day affairs of this attach the duties thereof to the asses- he took pleasure in voting against it, busy old life. sors of the several districts of the even if his constituents regarded such commonwealth, and divert the funds action as sufficient reason for retiring get into Parkersburg to the respective county treasuries. him to private life.

THE report of the Secretary of In- now in the hands of its friends in the train on West?" ternal Affairs for 1892 embraces much interesting statistical information. The their intention to fillibuster against it, total value of real estate is placed at when it comes up in the House for of \$287,416,684. Several counties ments, and rush it through. show a falling off. The value of real vote on the anti-option bill in the estate taxable is \$7,308,767,431, an in- Senate. The 40 votes in favor of the make it all right." crease of \$216,130,384. The aggregate | bill were cast by 2 populists, 11 democounty tax assessed was \$18,826,680. crats and 27 republicans, while the 78. Money at interest runs up to opposition which mustered 29 votes, \$590,882,560. Secretary Stewart recom- democrats. mends the repeal of the taxes on stages, omnibuses and hacks because gate the Whiskey trust, of which Rep- conductor, an' know all the stations, the act in this respect is evidently sentative Bynum is chairman, express an' the spotters, an' how to knock ignored. The total return is only 627,179. The State tax assessed ex- range of possibility to do so. clusive of State tax paid by railroad and other corporations direct into the the democrats in Congress to support "But the time changes an hour at State treasury, was \$2,365,989.61. the bill for the repeal of the Sherman the river." Total county debt is \$63,602,602.43. House Thursday and Friday of next San Francisco, I'll get there some Sixteen counties have no debt of any week. Friends of Mr. Cleveland say time last week, I guess I'll get off kind, They are Bradford, Centre, that he has made up his mind to call and wait till I catch up with myself.

Erie, Franklin, Fulton, Greene, Law- an immediate extra session of Conrence, Lenigh, Luzerne, Northumber- gress if this bill is not passed this ses- From the New York Press. land, Pike, Sulivan, Susquehanna, Ve- sion and that to make sure of the extra nango, Washington and Wyoming. The total amount collected in fifty- There is now a possibility that the eight counties for licenses was \$3,533,- | bill may get through the House, but 657.26, and the approximate amount of there it will have to stop. tax collected in the State for all purposes is placed at \$47,962,361.

from 56 and 49 days to 35 and 28 days

respectively in the case of State offi-

WASHINGTON LETTER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3, 1893.

ton asking that their country be taken

under the protection of the United

States, but he also favors the annex-

ation of Canada, and from what Hon.

Don M. Dickinson, who is in his con-

lar steps to those now being taken by

Canada whenever it has had an oppor-

It has not been dennitely decided

Ex-Secretary Thompson is expected here to-morrow to testify before the House committee that is investing the charges of bribery and corruption in SENATOR BAKER, of Delaware county | connection with the American end of the Pannama canal company. has introduced a bill amending the Thompson was American president of existing ballot law in several import-

If both House and Senate do not get a rush on it will be almost impossible to prevent an extra session, by reason the assistance of voters unable from of the failure of Appropriation bills. any cause to prepare their own baliots; Only two of these bills have passed reducing the vote required to be polled both House and Senate, and only four weeks of the session remains.

THE MEANEST MAN.

A town in Southern Georgia claims to have the meanest man in the country. He recently gave a load of wood and then had the colored man arrested for theft and sentenced to two years'

THEY KNOW WHAT THEY WANT.

From the St. Paul Globe. There are no flies on the saloonkeepers of Chicago. They are falling sand or two of them have signed petitions to the President and Conand reducing the number of compartgress asking that it be kept closed on ments from one to every fifty voters, the Lord's Day. What a bonanza THERE are only four Territories left as at present, to one for every seventy- Sundays would be for the saloonkeepers with the great show closed.

NO NEED OF IT.

From Judge.

Husband. "I wish you would try to clean those white neckties of mine," Wife. "All right. I'll try some chalk and water on them.

Husband. "Do you want me to get President-elect Cleveland is an anthe chalk down-town?" nexationist. He not only favors the Wife. "Oh, no; I'll put out an extra annexation of Hawaii, the commis- milk ticket in the morning." sioners of which are now in Washing-

POLITICS MAKE THE MAN.

From the Boston Transcript. First Partisan, "They say that Shadie is an unmitigated scoundrel." Second Ditto. "That can't be. He fidence, said to members of Congress always votes our ticket.

"So? But I hear he has been arhere this week, he expects to see Canrested for picking pockets." ada annexed during his administration. "Yes; but there must be mitigating Mr. Dickinson intimated that he had circumstances."

positive and authoritative information "No doubt you are right. I didn't know he belonged to our party." which led him to expect that in the

ORDER COUNTERMANDED. Hawaii. It is known here that the From the New York Weekly,

present administration has quietly en-Foreman (job office), "What are you

couraged the annexation sentiment in working at now? Boy. "Runnin' off some business Canada whenever it has had an opportunity to do so, and that many prominent Canadians who have been here at reference to the cards of a young woman who wants to do mending for gents and families."

Foreman. "Gee whizz! Didn't you married her,"

THE SUFFRAGE FOR WOMEN.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 4.—Arrangements missioners to-morrow, further than that stitutional amendment giving females can control of Hawaii certain, whether of arrangements is composed of Agnes it be annexation or a protectorate. enburg, Philadelphia; Ellen W. E. Though early in the season it is re- There is no politics in the question, Pria and Patience W. Kent, of Lacka- for Autumn and Winter, including eight grades

A TWO-POUND GIRL. WALTHAM, Mass., Feb. 2. - Mrs. has gained eight ounces. It measures Diagonal, Cords, Dots, Mixtures. bator, rolled in cotton, with the temperature at 80 degrees. Another child, now as large as others, weighed at

HIS BROTHER'S WATCH.

From the Portland Oregonian J. W. Norville, of La Grande, ob his veto axe sharpened to a keen edge. said that it was far more important pulled out his watch suddenly exserving a stranger at the depot as he that the "Cherokee outlet" bill should claimed: "That is my brother's watch. Following are among the measures be considered and passed than that Where did you get it?" The stranger indentifying the watch as the one his brother had worn when he left home

A LIKELY STORY.

BY A CONDUCTOR. .

demeanor conveyed the impression

"Mr. Conductor, what time do we "Ten-twenty," replied the official

politely. The fate of the anti-option bill is "Yes. Well, what time can I get a

'Nine-twenty.

House. If they are shrewd they can

outwit the men who have announced

The House sub-committe to investi

'To-night.' "Conductor, don't take me for a fool \$2,543,567,934, an estimated increase concurrence in the Senate amend- because my beard grows the wrong way and my clo'es suggest whip-poor-Party lines were wiped out in the wills and pennyroyal. I'm serious." So am I, good friend, You can

> "W-a-ll, now, how?" "Just keep your seat."

was made up of 9 republicans and 20 get into it?" 'That's the idea, my good friend-"Look h'yer. You may be a good their intention to get to the bottom of down 40 per gent. o' the receipts, but

"And leave town an hour before I

the whole busines, if it is within the when you claim to have a reversin' lever on the sun, you're off decidedly A last attempt is being made to get off.

A VERY SMALL THING.

"An apple is a very small thing, session passing it he will make no apisn't it ? pointments to office until it does.

"Well, it isn't very large, especially one that's at the bottom of the barrel.' "And yet if Eve hadn't eaten that forbidden one there wouldn't be a fashion plate in the world to-day; a man wouldn't be exposed to the danger and misery of treading on a woman's

THE SILVER STATUS.

From the New York Tribune. No compromise is likely to deceive

who clamor for free coinage and really want unlimited issues of paper not practically redeemable at all because redeemable in silver only, cannot be Hoslery, Crashes, Table Linen expected to assent to any plan whatever for enlarging the use of silver in servative business men of all parties and in all parts of the country feel that it is not safe any longer to drive gold out of the United States by thrusting into circulation a paper that is liable to become indefinitely depreciated.



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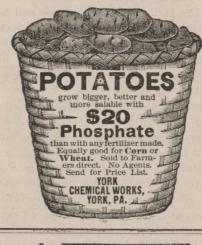
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- IT IS AS EASY TO -

Home Flashes and Sparks From Abroad.

-Did we hear somebody say that somebody else had "signed both peti- live fowls, 111 @ 12c.; dressed, 11 @ succeed Messrs. Fenton and Wilson.

-What of it?

-Hasn't a man the right to be accommodating, and neighborly?

-Rather than overlook the matter we hasten to observe that

-We incline to think so.

-Brother Dambly, editor of the at Harrisburg,

—Did not permit his exacting duties as editor and statesman to obliterate all thought in relation to the ground-

-Not a bit of it.

landscape, but saw nary a sign of the weather-prognosticating animal.

-Then he promptly concluded that the ground-hog would hardly see his shadow, and to afford his mind a change he tackled a geological ques-

the first page.

-Read the new advertisements of Druggist Culbert, Kulp & Wagner, H. L. Sayior and J. D. Sallade.

-Read the public sales of live stock and personal property advertised in framed a ticket, as follows; Judge, J. this issue.

-A stereopticon exhibition will be given in the College chapel, by Pro- Jesse S. Krieble; supervisors, Samuel fessor Schade and Mr. Howard Johnson, next Tuesday evening. Admis-

-The Altoona Tribune says: "If Jacob H. Grater. half of the energy that is given toward circulating malicious and untruthful stories about men and women were devoted to making the world better the on record, the medium temperature millenium glory would soon illuminate being 8 degrees below the normal, or

-There is a deal of truth in the above, but

for the want of something better.

-The full name of the Populist Governor of Kansas is Loraine Demosthenes Lewelling. He doesn't wear it all at once except in very cold weather, says an exchange.

-Samuel Yates, aged 30 years, employed by Frank Cottman, of Jenkintown, was struck by train No. 339 at that amputation will be necessary.

a prominent citizen of Upper Merion, died of lockjaw Saturday evening. his nose, resulting from a fall a week vote for the ladies named. previous to his death.

-L. H. Ingram authorizes us to say

-Thomas Scott, aged 43 years, died Friday morning at his home in Port Kennedy, from injuries received at

-A \$500 St. Bernard dog which belonged to Manuel Patterson, killed CONTESTING APPLICANTS FOR THE COL-Daniel Loughan's billy goat at Port Kennedy. Mr. Loughan shot the dog, and was held in \$500 bail for court.

be so peculiar.

-A farmer, residing below Norristown, reports a hen that lays two eggs a day. That hen deserves extra rations and a warm roosting place.

-"Pray," inquired one minister of another, "seeing so many ladies attend your church, why do you invariably address your congregation as 'dear

"Oh, the reason is easily given," he plied; "the brethren embrace the sisters."-London Tit-Bits.

RELIGIOUS.

M. E. church, Evansburg. Sabbath school at 9.30 a. m., every Sabbath. Preaching, 10.45 a. m., and every Sabbath evening at 7.30.

Episcopal service at St. James' Evansburg every Sunday at 10:30 a.m., year. Deceased leaves a wife and five Sunday School, 2 p. m. Also a ser- children, three daughters and two sons. vice at Royersford at 7 p. m. Rev. Funeral to-day (Thursday) at 10 a. m. A. J. Barrow, Rector.

ing at Augustus Lutheran church, moved from Philadelphia to Upper Trappe, at 10 o'clock. German service | Providence many years ago. He was on Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. The an intelligent and upright citizen and Pastor's Aid Society will hold its enjoyed the esteem and confidence of regular monthly meeting on Saturday his neighbors and acquaintances. afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Preaching at St. Luke's Sunday at 10.30 a. m. Subject : Paul at Lystra and Derbe. This is the third sermon in the series on Paul's Missionary Tours. Catechetical lectures Saturday at 2 p. m. Monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of St. Luke's Saturday at 3 p. m. Special program. No preaching at St. Luke's in the evening. Christian Endeavor Sunday at 6.15 p. m.

country than all other diseases put together, delphia Bridge Works of Cofrode & and until the last few years was supposed to be Saylor, in which his brother, Joseph incurable. For a great many years doctors pro- H. Cofrode, is largely interested, and nounced it a local disease, and prescribed local semedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitu tional disease, and therefore requires constitu-tional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manu factured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio,

LONG EARS.

Mr. Amos Moyer, tenant on the inches respectively.

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS.

Winter bran, \$19 @ \$19.50; flour, $78\frac{1}{8}$ to $81\frac{1}{4}$; corn, $53\frac{1}{2}$; cats, 42c.; cwt.; straw, 65 to 75c.

A NEW DEPUTY TREASURER.

County Treasurer Effrig has appointed B. F. Leister, of New Hanover, as his deputy, to succeed Elias H. Gilbert who will retire next month to succeed his father in the hotel business at Transcript, and one of the lawmakers | Pottstown. We have to say that Mr. Gilbert is an excellent official.

WHERE THE GENERAL WAS BORN.

Heirs of the late General John F. Hartranft are negotiating for the purchase of the farm owned by Joseph Rhoads, east of Boyertown, near -From Capitol Hill he surveyed the Fagleysville, Montgomery county, where the General was born. The farm will be handsomely improved after it has changed hands.

TYPHOID FEVER.

persons have died of typhoid fever in died from the effects of the disease. Bristol, Bucks county. At a citizens | Three more children of the same family -An interesting letter from our meeting the general opinion expressed are seriously afflicted, with but slight friend John H. Casselberry, of Fort was that the epidemic is the result of hopes of recovery of two of the num-Apache, Arizona, will be found on the impure water supply, and the ber. Within the past week two childtheory is supported by most of the ren of William and Mary Wilson, of physicians, who have at present about Conshohocken, died of the same dis-ary, are inseparable. Billy always ap-lect Reading, entitled, "The Three

WORCESTER NOMINATIONS.

The Republicans of Worcester have R. Weikle, Esq.; assessor, John W. Wanner; inspector, Wilson K. Anson; school directors, Wm. A. Schultz and Anson and Jonas J. Hunsburger; auditor, Abraham K. Dresher; tax St. Charles Borromeo, at Overbrook, collector, John R. Yocum; town clerk, took a holiday and were present as

THE COLDEST ON RECORD.

Last month was the coldest January about 2 degrees lower than any previous January in the history of the Weather Bureau. For 19 consecutive days, 4th to 23rd, the temperature re--Some minds feed on a certain diet, mained below freezing, the cold being most severe from the 10th to the 18th inclusive, with an average daily deficiency of 20 degrees. The total depth of snow was 19.7 inches.

HURRAH FOR THE WOMEN!

The Women's Suffrage Association of Montgomery county has nominated the following for School Directors for Norristown, to be voted for at the regesting character will add to the pro- I will cover it. If I don't produce the At this prosperous period the Jews J. G. Fetterolf, anct. J. M. Zimmerman, clerk. Jenkintown Station Monday morning ular election this month: Second gram, including a closing Consecra- discharges you will be the winner and were filled with envy, which emboldand had both legs so badly broken Ward, Mrs. Sarah S. Rex; Fifth Ward, tion meeting. All are invited to be I will be the loser, liar and blower; ened him and he turned to the Gen-Mrs. Tracy Cresson; Eighth Ward, present. Exercises commence prompt- the same stands good if you prove that tiles. Familiarity with the word of -Wallace Henderson, aged 65 years, Mrs. Mary S. Landis. We'll see how Mrs. Matilda Andrews; Ninth Ward, ly at 7.15 o'clock. many Norristown voters are progres-Tetanus was caused by an injury to sive enough, or courageous enough, to

AN EXTENSIVE ASSIGNMENT.

Francis Nace, a Norriton township that he will open a boot and shoe store farmer, owner of a 150 acre farm in in the room now occupied by Walter that township and of twenty-five George, the barber, within the next houses in Norristown, made an assignment at the county seat Friday morning to W. F. Solly and W. A. Evans. Judgments amounting to \$17,000 have been entered up against him. Years the iron furnace at that place, about ago Mr. Nace was reputed to be the wealthiest citizen of Norriton town-

LEGEVILLE POSTOFFICE.

the Collegeville postoffice have had -A most peculiar transposition will the opportunity to attach their signaoccur on March 4. The only living tures to one or the other or both of ex-President will become President the petitions in circulation favoring and the only living President will the appoinment of G. W. Yost and then become the only living ex-Presi- H. L. Saylor to the position of postmaster at this place—when a Demo--And a good many other trans- President Cleveland's coming cabinet. National Bank of Conshohocken sold ship was well represented by the positions will follow, but they won't If the office is removed from its pres- at \$205.25 per share; 1 share Mont- friends of the various candidates and appointed to succeed Druggist J. W. Culbert, whose efficiency cannot be successfully disputed, the changes must be made purely upon partisan applicants are Democrats. Mr. Yost storekeeper, held the office under a portion of Cleveland's administration. satisfied with the management of the Yet the question remains, who will be postmaster by and by?

Deaths.

After a lingering illness Jacob G. Kline died at his residence, near Trappe, Saturday morning, aged 71 Interment at Lutheran cemetery, Messrs, Middleton, Wagner, Harter and Royer.

Trappe. Undertaker Kepler will have 2. Trio. "Opus 48. Trappe. Undertaker Kepler will have 2. Trio. Divine service next Sunday morn- charge of the remains. Mr. Kline re-

Frederick Schneider, only son of 6, Trio, "Sel 7. Baritone Solo, George Schneider, residing near Creamery, died of dropsy, on Thursday of last week, age 34 years. He leaves, besides his aged arents, a wife and two children. Interment at Lutheran cemetery, Trappe.

conducted this extensive plant as superintendent.

Now Try This.

tional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cura on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to care. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by J. W. Culbert, Druggist, Collegeville, Pa., 75 cents.

It will cost you nothing and will snrely do you good, if you have a Cough, Cold, or any trouble with throat, Che tor Lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for your elf just how good a thing it is. Trial bottle free at Culbert's Drug Store. Large size 50c, and \$1.00.

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Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three hottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters cured him.

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SCHOOL DIRECTORS NOMINATED.

The voters of the Trappe Indepen-Stauffer farm, near Royersford, sent to dent school district met at J. R. Dor- Ringler will be gratified to hear that this office the other day three lengthy worth's hotel, Trappe, Friday evening, she is recovering from the very serious and Sunday. ears of corn, measuring 14, 13 and 13 to nominate candidates for the office of School Director. Captain D. M. subjected a short time ago. Fulmer presided and John Bartman and Milton Keelor acted as Secretaries. The candidates nominated are as follows: Charles Tyson, W. P. Fenton \$2.75 to \$4.60; rye flour, \$3.30; wheat, and John Kepler. Two Directors are to be elected at the coming election to 13c.; butter, 28 to 33c.; fat cattle $3\frac{1}{2}$ The meeting closed after a few reto $5\frac{3}{4}$; hay, timothy, \$1.20 to \$130 per marks by Messrs. Fulmer and H. H. Fetterolf.

THE SHERIFF INJURED.

owing to injuries he received in a runaway accident Monday afternoon. Mr. Simpson was on his way to Lower Merion to make a levy and was driving the River road near Swedeland when his horse shied and ran his carriage against a telegraph pole. Mr. Simpson was thrown violently out, striking his head and shoulder against the pole. The horse broke loose from the carriage but did not succeed in getting away. Mr. Simpson came home by

DIPHTHERIA.

This terrible disease is causing distress and death in many homes, in some instances almost wiping out the families afflicted. Since January 25th four children of Patrick Breen, resid-Within the past few weeks fifteen ing at Overbrook, this county, have alarming extent in Easton.

THE TAGGART CONTEST.

Talbot's House Committee on Elections having charge of the Baker-Taggart contest met Monday in Parlor C. of the Lafayette Hotel, Philawitnesses in answer to the regulation summons to appear and tell how they come to be citizens in the Ardmore district when supposed to reside elsewhere. Considerable testimony was day morning.

UNION CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETING.

meeting on Sunday evening next, at Trinity Church this place. The exercises promise to be unusually interesting. One of the officers of the State Union will be present and make the principal address. Special make the principal address are positive and the principal address and the principal address are positive and the principal address and the principal address are positive and the principal address and the principal address are positive and the principal address and principal

A FATHER'S AGONY.

outside of the borough. Harry Wright the thirteen-year-old son of Christian and Catharine Wright, living in the row along Plymouth Creek, went to play on the frozen ice, after returning from school. His father, watching him from the house, saw him fall through the ice. Rushing to the creek he saw his son struggling in the water. In his haste he stumbled and fell on his son, driving him under the ice.

Tuesday evening in Frog Hohow, Just outside of the borough. Harry Wright directly or indirectly authorized any-one to publish one word in regard to my military service. Now, go to work, I have given you plenty of territory. Come out like a thoroughbred; don't stand inside of the fence in the dark and bark like a cur; put up or shut through the ice. Rushing to the creek in his haste he stumbled and fell on his son, driving him under the ice.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, The agonized father quickly regained munity, and rum costs ten cents a his feet and wading in the water, drink. Yours, etc., which was up to his chin, got his son and brought him to the shore. All Within the past week the patrons of efforts to restore him to life failed .-Conshohocken Recorder.

BIG SALE OF STOCKS. At the recent administrators' sale of the personal effects of Garret Bean, dence seemed to be unusually interstocks were sold amounting to \$21,097. meeting at Black Rock, Saturday cratic Postmaster General gets into Thirty shares of stock of the First evening. Every section of the townent quarters, and a new postmaster is gomery National Bank, \$267; 15 shares the rooms of the old hotel were packed Two shares of the Montgomery Trust the ticket. J. R. Weikel presided grounds. Of course both of the Company of Norristown, sold at \$88.50 Secretaries : H. H. Fetterolf and B. each; 15 shares Home Water Co. of W. Weikel. J. M. Zimmerman, Esq., Royersford, \$32.50 each; 77 shares was nominated for Judge of Elections; Norristown Insurance and Water Co. Inspector, Samuel Starr; Registry Mr. Saylor is proprietor of the Col- \$89 and \$90 per share; 5 shares Assessor, Wayne Pierson; all without 8 shares Conshohocken Gas and Water Priest, chairman; C. W. Fryer and per share; 5 shares Spring Garden Horace Priest; Registry Assessor, Market, \$63.50 each.

GRAND MUSICALE.

sisted of the following features:

1. Quartette, "In the Silent Mead," Allegero Moderato Movement," Reissiger. C. A. Marks, J. A. Helffrich, E. A. Buchman.

3. Tenor Solo,
"Where the Sea Breaks on the Shore," Winters.
Mr. E. W. Middleton. "Ninth Concerto,"
Dr. J. A. Helffrich.

5, Octette, "Lizitte. 6. Trio, "Schlavanic Dances," "Honor and Arms," (Samson) Handel,
Mr. Otis Harter. "Le Carnival de Venice,"
Dr. J. A. Helffrich.

star of the evening, and his selections | ination the name of Captain Christian on the violin elicited well deserved Carmack. The other names presented Daniel R. Cofrode, President of the applause. All the other performers were Isaac Kratz, D. W. Wersler and Citizens' National Bank of Pottstown, did justice to the parts assigned to Abraham H. Hallman. One ballot dedied Friday, in his 53d year, after an them and are desirving of the highest cided the exciting issue of the evenillness of over three months. Mr. praise. The audience, although it was ing, as follows: Isaac Kratz, 126; Cofrode came to Pottstown 15 years not as large as might have been ex- Abraham H. Hallman, 68; D. W. There is more catarrh in this section of the ago and took charge of the Phila- pected was nevertheless a highly Wersler, 41; Christian Carmack, 43. appreciative one.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel. Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore op his leg of eight years' standing. Used three hottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., And it has come to pass that the large decree.

From Ironbridge.

The many friends of Mrs. Harry surgical operation to which she was

Miss Weber, teacher of the primary About forty persons enjoyed the Feb. 10 and 11, will be an important pleasant event.

I am glad to report that Mrs. Henry Rahn, who is suffering from a severe marks by Messrs. Fulmer and H. H. attack of pneumonia, is slightly better at this writing.

Ursinus College Notes.

The Zwinglian Literary Society at its meeting on Friday evening last had a miscellaneous program. Plank, '94, presided in the absence of President Welker.

ver's Home." He is not only of a ful Institute. social nature, but is always ready to perience in life enables him to do.

Culver, '95, was absent for a few days, and his chum Plank went around like a lost sheep. Now that Bert has the household.

Middleton and Smith, of the Semin-100 patients suffering from the disease. ease. Diphtheria still prevails to an pears gloomy while Elwood is absent. Stubblebine, '95, left College Friday and was home in Philadelphia until Monday morning. Though his stay

> spent with his many friends. Stauffer was absent from college on Monday for the first time since his and cheerful voice.

Still At It.

"LEW" SCORES "OBSERVER" AGAIN.

"Observer," you say your communitaken; the hearing was resumed Tues- cation had the effect of an emetic. I beg to differ. False assertions should make no one sick. Truth is what causes sickness and pain. "Observer," The Christian Endeavor Societies I think I know you. If I was sure of Rev. E. Clark Hibshman preached of St. Luke's Reformed Church it I could give you a dose that would St. Luke's church, Trappe, last Sun-Trappe and of Trinity Reformed act worse than an emetic. Since I am day, on Paul as a Missionary, from Church of this place will hold a union not sure I will not criticise from sup- Acts 13: 52. Paul at Perga, where meeting on Sunday evening next, at positious imaginations, incorrect rec- one of his company, John, surprised music has been prepared by both societies. Other exercises of an interand put \$20 in the Editor's hands, and consion and salvation through Him. I served as a substitute. I will not ac- God enables us to give a prompt ancept the Adjutant General's Report as swer. Here was established the first evidence, for if I am down on the Re- mission church, where many were or-The only drowning accident of the port as a substitute it is certainly a dained to eternal life. Persecution season, and one of the saddest that has mistake. "Observer," the \$20 will also drove him to Iconium, where he boldly happened in this vicinity, occurred on stand good if you can find one person spoke for the Lord. The persecuting Tuesday evening in Frog Hollow, just in America that will prove that I ever spirit prompted an assault with stones outside of the borough. Harry Wright the thirteen-year-old son of Christian one to publish one word in regard to Strange, but true, the bitterest perse-

TOWNSHIP POLITICS.

THE REPUBLICANS FORM A TICKET AT

BLACK ROCK. The Republicans of Upper Provideceased, of Skippack, bank and other ested and active at the nominating First National Bank, Norristown, with human freight. The voters of \$236.50 per share; 23 shares National the Trappe district were the first to Bank of Royersford, \$117 per share. organize and nominate their portion of legeville Marble Yard. We were Girard Avenue Market \$56 per share; opposition. Mingo district - Horace office before it was moved across the Co. \$56 per share; two \$300 six S. A. Rambo, Secretaries. Nominaway, and we are just as well satisfied mortgage bonds, \$300 apiece; 40 tions were made as follows: Judge of with it where it is now. And so forth. shares Lehigh Telegraph Co., 75 cents Elections, A. D. Bechtel; Inspector, Harry Keeley. Lower district, M. V. Detwiler, chairman; L. E. Griffin and Chester Spare, Secretaries. Nomina-The second annual musicale of the tions: Judge of Elections, Jos. W. Zwinglian Literary Society was held Thompson, Esq.; Inspector, S. Howon Tuesday evening in Bomberger and Yocum; Registry Assessor, R. A. Memorial Hall, The programme con-Grover. The meeting was then organized as a whole and the township Jan. 3, 1893. nominations were made. Captain H. Emerson. H, Fetterolf presided. C. F. Fryer and J. W. Thompson were chosen secretaries, and L. E. Griffin, John Taylor, M. V. Detwiler and W. Haganbothom, tellers. There being no opposition the following nominations were made by the secretary casting the vote: Tax Collector, James R. Weikel; Auditor, Dr. J. W. Royer; Wm Mettie: School Directors Horses.

Trappe, Pa., Jan. 19, 1893. the vote: Tax Collector, James R. Wm. Mattis; School Directors, Horace Priest and H. H. Quimby. The nomination of two persons for Supervisors involved a contest. J. W. Thompson, Esq., of the lower district, taxed his oratorical skill and drew upon his Dr. Helffrich, of course, was the granary of rhetoric in placing in nominvites continued patronage. Highest cash price A number of the lower district disci- paid for calves. ples voted for Carmack alone, doubtless with the with view of furthering S. H. Clifford, New Cassel. Wis., was troubled the chances of the gallant Captain, but

From Limerick.

a visitor in Limerick last Saturday William B. and Lillie H. Johnson

spent last Saturday in Philadelphia. The Teachers' Institute to be held school, gave a John Chinaman hat at Royersford, by Prof. Hoffecker, on party Tuesday evening of last week. Friday and Saturday of this week, event, by starting a new era in educational interests in that borough. Limerick is represented on the programme by a class drill in reading by Miss Louie E. Rambo, teacher of Fernwood school. Upper Providence by a class P. R. Keller is circulating a petition | drill in grammar by Miss Mame C. setting forth his claims to the post- Bean, teacher of Dismant's school. Sheriff A. D. Simpson is off duty mastership of this place. Some folks The programme promises to be very think he won't get the plum, and other folks think the other way. XXX. interesting. The exercises on Friday evening will be: Music by the Glee Club, contralto solo by Miss Rosella Bach; Lecture, The Secrets of a Successful Life, by Dr. Geo. W. Hull. On Saturday evening: Music by Glee Club, solo by Miss Evelyn Essick; Lecture, "Bound to Win," by Hon. Henry Houck, who is an entertaining speaker. The musical part of the The Schaff Society at its meeting debated the following question: Resolved, That vivisection is morally wrong. The question was decided in favor of the negative.

speaker. The musical part of the evening exercises will be directed by Prof. John L. Markley, and will be very fine. In view of the attractive features of this programme we bespeak for County Superintendent Hoffecker for County Superintendent Hoffecker sale to commence at 1 Sult is a general favorite at "Cul- and our Royersford friends a success-

The state of the weather on ground | J G. Fetterolf, auc. J. M. Zimmerman, clerk give wise advice which his varied ex- hog day settles that business beyond a doubt. Another opportunity is afforded us to test the veracity of this venerable weather prognosticator.

The Literary Society rendered the The Literary Society rendered the following programme last Friday evening: Reading of Minutes of previous meeting by the Secretary; Reading of the Scriptures by the Chaplain; Select Reading, entitled, "The Three Black Crows," by W. B. Johnson; Declamation, by Ralph L. Johnson; Select Reading, entitled, "A Canine Protector," by Louie E. Rambo; Paper by the editor, Ralph L. Johnson, son. The question, Resolved, That samiy carriage, cart (4 in. tread), buggy, boosled (good as new, set hay ladders, horse power returned there is peace once more in following programme last Friday even-That part of Chairman D. Smith was short, he had a pleasant time Paper by the editor, Ralph L. John. son. The question, Resolved, That men are more easily tempted than women," was discussed affirmatively by Ralph L. Johnson and Lillie H. delphia, and about all the students of arrival. We missed his smiling face Johnson; negatively by C. W. Johnson and Howard Johnson. The judges were Prof. Miller, Percival Williard and Charles Longacre, who decided in favor of the negative. A prominent feature of the programme was the excellent music rendered by Prof. John F. Miller and daughter of Pottstown, on the violin and organ, which was encored every time. The Society adjourned to meet on Friday evening, Feb. 17. Programme next week.

Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum. Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25c, per box. For sale by J. W. Culbert, Druggist, Collegerille, Po

ville, Pa.

NOTICE. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Collegeville Ice Manufacturing Company will be held on THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, at 330 p. m, at the office of M. O. Roberts. The regular routine business will be transacted and seven directors will be elected to serve for the ensuing year.

M. O. ROBERTS, Pres't.

E. A. KRUSEN, Secretary Notice! During the Session of the Legislature Henry W. Kratz, Esq., will be at my office in Collegeville every Wednesday, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., to attend to all matters relating to the Secretaryship of the Perkiomen Valley Mutual Fire Insurance Company.
A. D. FETTEROLF, Secretary.

FIRE!--FIRE!--NOTICE! The members of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Montgomery County, are heresand Dollars of Ordinary Risks and the Rates fixed on Hazardous Risks, for which each mem-ber of said Company is insured, and that M. McGlathery, Treasurer of said Company, will attend at his office, No. 506 Swede street, in the Borough of Norristown, to receive said assess-

Extract of Charter, Section 6th .- "Any member failing to pay his or her Assessment or Tax within 40 days after the above publication shall forfeit and pay for such neglect double such The 40 days' time for payment of said tax

will date from January 3, 1893.
Persons sending money by mail must accompany the same with postage in order to receive a receipt therefor. M. McGLATHERY, jan5. Treasurer

Estate of George K. Plank, late of Upper Providence township, deceased. Letters testaroyldence township, deceased. Letters testa-mentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate pay-ment, and those having legal claims to present the same without delay

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Personal Property!

Will be sold at public sale on THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1893, on the Zimmerman Farm, near Collegeville the following described personal property: FIVE HORSES.

No. 1, a bay horse, 5 years old, sound and right, fearless of steam and a family beast. No. 2, a gray horse about 8 ily beast. No. 2, a gray horse about 8 years old, sound and a good stepper and worker. No. 3, an iron grey horse 5 years old, a good worker. No. 4, a gray mare 12 years old, a family beast. No. 5, a large bay horse, 13 years old, good worker and first-class on tread power. Black Colt, 3 years old, Morgan stock, an excellent stepper. Bay Colt, 3 years old, promising to make a good one. Pair of MULES, suitable for all kinds of work, single or double, hard to beat. 15 COWS, some in profit and some springers. Farming Implements: Broad wheel wagon in good order; set of hay ladders, hay wagon with bed, seat, and three locks. Good cart, express wagon, three-spring mill wagon, jump-seat carriage, fallingtop bugmill wagon, jump-seat carriage, fallingtop bug-gy, no-top buggy, carriage poles, Reed spring-tooth harrow and cultivator, good as new, only used a few times; Syracuse plow, Wiard plow, spike harrow, land roller, Mt. Joy cultivator, Johnston manure spreader, Walter A. Wood reaper and binder, Planet Jr., hand seed drill, Roberts two-horse thresher and cleaner, mountcles not mentioned. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, sharp. Conditions by

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Personal Property!

sled (good as new, set hay ladders, horse power and thresher (Ellis make). Fodder cutter (Freed's), Hench coltivator, Syracuse plow, spike harrow, 2 small cultivators piank roller, horse rake, Giant mowing machine, corn planter (Farmer's Favorite); Harness: 2 sets stage harness, set express harness, cart harness, collars, blind and headhalters, single and double lines; wheelbarrow, good as new; forks, rakes, havels here become a set of the set shovels, hoes, post spade, cow, timber and other chains, spear hay hook tackles and \$5ft. of rope, grindstone, scythe and sneathe, grain cradle, 4 turkeys, large feed chest, 160 bushels wheat, oats and corn by the bushel, 100 bags, 1½ tons long tensi n table, dinner table, centre table, settee, 18 window shades, kitchen cupboard, heater stove, parlor stove, cook stove, 80 yards ingrain carpet, 50 yards rag carpet, stair carpet and rods, 30 yards of new rag carpet (not cut), copper kettle; 50 pots apple butter, lard press, sausage stuffer, sausage cutter, 2-handle churn, butter tub, bucking tub, 2 butter hampers, 3

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Personal Property! Will be sold at public sale, on FRIDAY, FEB-RUARY 10, 1893, at George Smith's Restaur-ant, Collegeville, the following personal propant, Collegeville, the following personal property: Two Horses. No. 1 is a brown horse, 7 years old, sound, kind, and a good driver and worker. No. 2 is a roan mare, coming 8 years old, 16 hands high, sound and gentle and a good worker. Two fallingtop carriages in good condition, road cart, set of light double harness, new; set of light double harness, new; set of single harness, new—one set with hames and traces; 2 sets of second-hand single harness, new and second-hand horse blankets, six summer lap covers, six new whips, 50 Barrels of

summer lap covers, six new whips, 50 Barrels of Apples, choice varieties in first-class condition, such as Baldwins, Greenings, Kings, Spies and Russets. Household Goods: Sideboard, bedsteads, coal oil stove, lot of win kegs, meat tub, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Those wishing to sell goods at this sale will report not later than 12 o'clock on day of sale. Sale at 1 o'clock Conditions by

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Will be sold at public sale, on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1893, at the residence of M. P. Anderson, near Montgomery Almshouse, 20 Fresh Cows. This is a not of fine, shapely cows, extra baggers and big milkers. Also a lot of Shoats. Sale at 1 big milkers. Also a low o'clock. Conditions by REESER & BALSLEY. W. Pierson, auct. J. M. Zimmerman, clerk

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W. M. Pierson, auct. J. M. Zimmerman, clerk.

DUBLIC SALE OF

Iowa Horses!

Will be sold at public sale, on THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1893, at Perkiomen Bridge Hotel, Collegeville, Pa., 20 Horses direct from Iowa. The lot is made up of promising horses, ranging from 4 to 6 years old, of good size, well shaped—just the size, well shaped—just the kind for the farm, the road, and for draught purposes. Among the lot are several likely steppers. Here is an opportunity for all who are in the market for horses to buy the kind that will improve and grow in value, give owners satisfactory service and make dollars in the bargain. The horses will be at the hotel stables three days previous to the sale, where they can be seen and handled. Sale to commence at 1

o'clock. Conditions by
D. H. CASSELBERRY
Wayne Pierson, auct. J. M. Zimmerman, clerk.

DUBLIC SALE OF

IOWA HORSES!

I will sell at public sale, by order of H. E. McCullom, on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1893, at the Valley House, Skippack, 23 Iowa Horses. This will be the best lot ever Horses. This will be the best lot ever offered in Skippack, extra roadsters and fine workers having plenty of style, action, and bottom. The lot is made up of 21 bays, one sorrel, and a brown pacer—a good one. Farmers and horsemen don't miss this sale, don't let the opportunity to buy a good horse slip by unheeded. Sale at 1 o'clock. Conditions by W. C. ROSENBERRY.

DUBLIC SALE OF

West Virginia Horses!

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DUBLIC SALE OF

OHIO HORSES! Will be sold at public sale, on THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1893, at Gross' Hotel, Collegeville, 20 Horses, direct from Ohio. This a lot of superior horses ranging from 3 to 6 years old; horses selected with especial care to suit the farmer, the teamster, and the business man. They are not an aggregation of cullings picked up between here and Pittsburg, but fresh, straight stock. Among this lot of good workers and drivers is a brown horse, 15.3, 5 years old, sound and kind, that can pull two men in a burger a mile in three

that can pull two men in a buggy a mile in three minutes. The horses will be at the Collegeville stables three days prior to the sale, where they can be seen and handled. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock. Conditions by
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W. Pierson, auct. J. M. Zimmerman, clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF

REAL ESTATE! By virtue of an order of sale, (Breve de Partitionem Faciendi) issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Montgomery county, Pa., to me directed, will be sold at public sale on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1893, at 2 o'clock, p. m., on the premises, the following described real estate: All that certain messuage and tract of land situate in Skippack township, said county, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone in a public road leading from Grater's Ford to the Swamp road, and in line of land now or late of Isaac Landis, bounded by lands now or late of Isaac Landis, bounded by lands now or late of Isaac Landis. and in line of land now or late of Isaac Landis. bounded by lands now or late of Jacob J. Markley and said road, and lands now or late of Elias Grater, Abraham S. Landis, Abraham V. Grimley and another public road, and Christian Hunsberger, containing ninety-nine acres and one hundred and forty-five perches of land,

more or less. Being the same premises which Frederick Seitz and wife by deed dated April 4, 1884, recorded in Recorder's Office at Norristown in Deed Book No 279, page 418, &c., did grant and convey unto william G. Hiltebeitel and Charles F. Hiltebeitel in fee. The improvements consist of a two-story improvements consist of a two-story stone and log dwelling house, 42ft. 5 in. by 28ft. 5 in.; 6 rooms and stairway on first floor, 6 rooms on second floor, one room in attic, cellar; bake oven, cave, wash house, ice house, pig pen, chicken house, frame hay house 44 feet by 14 feet 6 in.; barn, stone stable high, 48 ft. 6 in. by 36 ft. 6 in., stabling for 8 horses and 25 course, overshoot, straw house ettached. and 25 cows; overshoot, straw house attached; frame wagon house attached to barn 36 ft. 6 in. by 24 ft. 6 in. Sold as the property of John H. Longacre, committee of the person and estate of Charles F. Hiltebeitel, a lunatic. Conditions,

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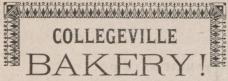
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POULTRY IN OLD TIMES.

In looking into the poultry question, A Full Stock of all Other Kinds it may interest us to know something of the earlier date which we have given us of the domestic fowl. When Julius Cæsar invaded Britain he found both the goose and the fowl in a state of domestication, and they seem to have been held in some kind of religious reverence, as they were forbidden to be eaten. It is common all over the world, and it is a singular AND GENERAL BUSINESS AGENT, fact that the common fowl, in every 508 SWEDE STREET, NORRISTOWN, PA. Farms bought and sold, or exchanged for city properties.

Way resembling that of our own country, was found domesticated among the South Sea Islanders when among the South Sea Islanders when first visited by the Europeans. The game cock we seem to owe the Romans. Several choice breeds were kept by the ancient Greeks, Medes and Persians. Surely we need not search farther than 2,000 years to show our claim to an interest in fowls, quite as legitimate as an Athenian king, although his interests were for pleasure and ours may be both for pleasure

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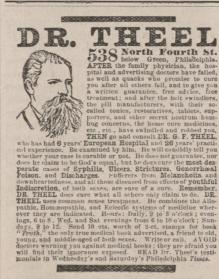
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