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LETTER FROM SHEPHERD. SHEPHERD, MARSHALL CO., W. VA., February 24, 1876. Editors of the Intelligencer: Thinking that perhaps a few items from our community might interest some of the readers of your excellent paper...

THE UNEMPLOYED. The Boston Commercial Bulletin prints the following table showing the number of men employed in the principal trades in that city in the years 1873, 1874 and 1875, as compared with 1872.

A Suggestion to the Nervous. Robust people who have, all their lives, eaten, digested and slept well, can scarcely be expected to appreciate the blessing of strong nerves as well as those who, having undergone all the misery...

DIED. ALTMAYER. On Thursday morning, February 24, 1876, at 8 o'clock, of a long illness, of the late Mrs. LUCY F. ALTMAYER, aged 54 years.

OBITUARY. JOSEPH JEFFERS was born in Washington City, D. C., October 17, 1807. He moved with his parents to Wheeling, W. Va., in the year 1825, was converted the following year, and became an active member of the M. E. Church.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE. ARRIVAL OF TRAINS. R. & O. R. R. 8:00 a. m. 9:00 a. m. 3:40 p. m.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS. RIVER AGENTS. 10:00 Wells and Steubenville. 10:00 Columbus. 10:00 Wheeling to W. Va. way.

SPECIAL NOTICES. Cox's and Nelson's Redford Gelatine. Choice Sherry and Madeira Wines. Imported from the most celebrated vineyards.

FOR MARDI GRAS AT CINCINNATI. In order to accommodate Mardi Gras in Cincinnati, the Steamer "Wm. M. Lutz, Master, CHARLES D. Lutz, Clerk, will issue round trip tickets for The Dollars, leaving Wheeling on Monday, February 27, at 10 o'clock P. M., positively, giving excursionists ample opportunity of witnessing the Grand Carnival of the West.

SILVER WARE. A large stock of Solid Silver and Silver Plated Ware, such as Tea Sets, Coffee Sets, and Spoons, can be found at 1109 Main Street. Our Triple Plated goods are superior to any other.

DRAWING MATERIALS. Sager's Tracing Paper, Whatman Papers, Roll Drawing Paper, Manila Paper by the yard, Drawing Pencils, etc. M. LURE HOUSE, 127 STORE, E. L. NICOLL.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. WHEELING MUSICAL INSTITUTE. SOIREE AT WISSEL HALL. MONDAY EVENING, February 25, commencing at 8 o'clock. Admission 50c. Each member, with one lady, admitted on presentation of membership ticket.

MILLINERY GOODS AT AUCTION. The stock of Millinery Goods, Show Cases and other fixtures in the store room on Main street opposite the Grant House, occupied by Mrs. N. J. Cline, will be sold at auction on MONDAY, the 28th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M. J. C. HERVEY, Auctioneer.

OYSTER LUNCH. Having purchased the stand of David Kupper, 104 1/2 Main street, will set a FREE OYSTER LUNCH, on Saturday Morning at 9 1/2 o'clock, and continue all day, to which all my friends and patrons are invited. J. FRAZIER.

VERY LOW CARPETS, CARPETS. G. MENDEL, BOOTH & CO'S. BRACES FOR LADIES, GENTS AND CHILDREN. On hand and made to order at the GLOVE, SUSPENDER AND SHOULDER BRACE MANUFACTORY. No. 112 MARKET STREET, below Postoffice.

LOOKING GLASSES. French, German and American Plates. ALL STYLES AND SIZES. Old Plates for refilling Old Frames. R. H. MOOREHEAD & CO., Furniture and Carpet Rooms, Market St., Opposite Opera House.

P. L. A. O. M. G. A Regular Meeting will be held TO-NIGHT, AT THE CASTLE. Every Subject Commanded to be Present. Business of special importance. Fail not, that the members of the Society. Fines will be imposed on absentees. REX.

HAMILTON OPERA HOUSE. ONE NIGHT ONLY. FRIDAY, March 3, 1876. BLIND TOM! The Musical Phenomenon of the Age, renowned throughout the world as the Greatest Natural Pianist Living.

PROCLAMATION. CITY OF WHEELING, Mayor's Office, February 26, 1876. Do you notice the first visit of the King of the Carnival and his Mystic Krewes to this city on Tuesday, the 29th inst., has been received at this office.

PLANTATION, FLOR DE ALMA, REINA VICTORIA, CAJANAS, KEY WEST, FOR DEL FUMAS, &c., and CIGARETTES. At SULLIVAN'S, 1618 BROOK'S BLOCK, 1509 MARKET ST. Martin's Capital Restaurant.

CHOICE SINGING BIRDS. Bird Cage Awings, Talking Parrots, Gold Fish, Aquariums, Sea Shells, &c., for sale at GENTHER'S BIRD STORE—Market St. NEW STYLE CLOCKS. Both one and eight day, in Black Walnut Cases, received this day and for sale at LOWER PRICES THAN EVER, at TURNER & DILLON'S, 1223 Market St.

JOSEPH KLAPHECK, PRACTICAL UPHOLSTERER. No. 72 Twelfth St., Odd Fellows' Hall. Feather Beds, Pillows & Bolsters made to order cheaper than any other house.

CHAIRS—Cane & Wood Seat in Great Variety OLD FASHION RECANED. A. R. MOREHEAD & CO., 103 No. 1324 MARKET ST. OPERA GLASSES. A large invoice of the celebrated LEMAIRE OPERA GLASSES, Just received and for sale at Low Prices by TURNER & DILLON, 1223 Market Street.

UNDERTAKING. COFFINS. Best Hearse and Hacks furnished. Furniture and Carpet Rooms, North and South Wheeling Markets. IMPORTANT TO ALL WHO USE THE GERMAN STUDY LAMP. Improvement in the Oil Reservoir. Call and see, at F. W. PAULL & BRO'S. CLEAN AND WHOLESOME TEA. V. B. HALL & SON—1209 Market St. JUST RECEIVED. BRITANNIA TEA SETS, BRITANNIA TOBACCO, BRITANNIA SOAP, BRITANNIA CIGARETTES.

AT LOW PRICES, at A. W. PAULL & BRO'S, 1142 Main Street. VALENTINES—AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. Diaries and Almanacs for 1876, at C. H. QUIMBY'S, 1414 Market St. HIGGINS, PHOTOGRAPHER, 342 TWELFTH STREET.

GEORGE R. TAYLOR & CO.'S COLUMN. GEO. R. TAYLOR & CO. Cheap Counters! STILL GREATER INDUCEMENTS OFFERED. We Will Make IMPORTANT ADDITIONS To Our CHEAP COUNTER STOCK On MONDAY MORNING, the 21st, AND DAILY THEREAFTER DURING THE WEEK. All are invited to call and see The Bargains We Offer. GEO. R. TAYLOR & CO. CIGARS. BRENTLINGER'S SARSAPARILLA. Dandelion Extract! FOR THE CURE OF Scrofula, Cutaneous Eruptions, Erythema, Pimples on the Face, Blotches, Boils, Chronic Sores, Eyes, Tetter, Scald Head, Salt Rheum, Pains of the Joints, Dyspepsia, and all forms of Diseases arising from an impure State of the Blood.

TESTIMONIALS. Doctor Brentlinger, Wheeling, Va.: My Dear Friend—I got now in this city a bottle of Brentlinger's Fluid Extract of Sarsaparilla, and have used it for some time with the most beneficial results. Do not let the kindness of getting an Agent here to sell the Sarsaparilla and Dandelion. I am sure I can make sale of 1,000 bottles per year for you, if you will get an Agent here. You can find out by thus seeing some good house. J. B. Hill is one of the best houses in the city. He sells more to the planters than all the rest. Now, Doctor, write me as soon as you get an agent here. Truly yours, D. C. CRAWFORD, Philadelphia, Va.

TESTIMONIALS. Doctor Brentlinger, Wheeling, Va.: My Dear Friend—I wrote to you some time since for a bottle of Brentlinger's Fluid Extract of Sarsaparilla, and must say that it has acted upon me like a charm. I have been afflicted for many years with Dyspepsia, two-thirds of the time I remained for one to three times a day. I had given up the idea of ever getting well, and indeed my friends had given up all hopes of my ever getting well again. Added to this, I suffered with Scrofula very much. Since last September one side of my neck was one entire sore. The use of one bottle has much improved me, my stomach is apparently relieved, my neck has improved beyond my most sanguine expectations. I feel much encouraged, and think by the use of one or two bottles more I shall be relieved entirely. You will please send me two bottles. I want to give it a fair trial. Send by express, respectively, J. W. HORNER, T. H. Logan, Va.

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