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The Hardships of Coal Miners in the Pennsylvania Coal Region.

We are happy to know that the men who mine coal in the vicinity of Wheeling have never yet experienced the hardships of those who are employed in the anthracite regions of Pennsylvania.

There was one man in the crowd, an Irishman, whom I addressed. He is employed in the Continental Mine of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, and is a laborer.

It cannot be charged that the employers of this man can afford to pay him better wages. They have earned no dividends for many months, and have recently borrowed a large amount of money.

The trouble is that, under an artificial system, coal mining has been overdone. Too much capital has been put into it, too many mines have been opened, and too many miners have been collected in the Pennsylvania coal region.

A London Paper on the Presbyterians. In contrast to the harsh criticisms of the London Examiner on the recent Presbyterian Council, are the views of another leading and influential English journal, the Spectator.

nothing could be more astonishing than the unanimity, the deference, the mutual respect exhibited in the deliberations of the assembly. Indeed, it might be objected that affairs were conducted too serenely.

Practically, continues this journal, the Alliance will prove useful as a means of removing injurious rivalry from the department of missionary labor; but doctrinally, it will not be successful.

The Spectator, in conclusion, expresses its disbelief in the realization of "the dream of organic union among all the Presbyterian Churches of the world," and quotes a part of a letter from Dr. Dorrer, of Berlin, who recently visited this country, and who, in apologizing for his absence from the Assembly, wrote: "The learned theologian will possibly be glad to hear that, in the Spectator's opinion, his remark is, to a certain extent, true."

The Antonelli Scandal.

The Antonelli Scandal in Rome assumes a somewhat new complexion in the latter revelations (or fabrications, as it may prove) of the plaintiff in court, the Countess Lauretta (or Loreta) Lambrini.

Such might be the case without any such knowledge or design on the part of those who gathered them up, as they were strewn promiscuously over the fields and through the forests.

About half a mile from the town of a small cemetery. Over the gateway is written: "Confederate Dead." There are head-bones for about two hundred and forty graves.

The Secret History of a Strike. The New York Post is informed on good authority that the question whether the workmen on the Erie Railway should or should not join in the recent strike was decided not upon grounds of expediency, but by mere chance; not by the deliberate determination of the leaders that to join in the strike was wise, but by the determination of pure accident.

This is the way in which the matter was determined: Seven men who in some way had influence enough to bring the strike about or to prevent it discussed the question in a bar-room, by the light of a tallow candle.

They were not convinced that they ought to bring all these evils upon themselves and others, but instead of deciding the question as sensible men should have done, instead of weighing the arguments on each side, and then submitting the matter to their better judgments, they chose to substitute the feeble flicker of the tallow candle for the light of reason, and they agreed that they would cast the die on the floor, and abide by the decision of mere chance.

Letter from Rev. Frank Ball, MANASSAS, VA., August 1877. In the course of my travels I find myself at last on the sacred soil of the Old Dominion, and am as you see at present treading on historic ground.

What Painters Say About the Lead. We the undersigned, do hereby certify that we have used "Frost's" White Lead, and find it to be the best in the market. It is whiter, ground finer, covers more surface, and is more body than any we have ever used.

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Maryland. Take all these together, they certainly make up a strange medley.

An intelligent lady at Manassas told me that after the first battle, from some cause, the burying of the Federal soldiers was suspended for about two weeks. When it was resumed the stench from the dead bodies was so great and putrefaction was so far advanced, that the bodies could not be handled.

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NOTICE—My wife Maria, having left my bed and board, without just cause or provocation, notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted either through, by or for her on my account.

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BASE BALL—BUCKEYES, of Columbus, vs. STANDARDS, at the Fair Grounds, MONDAY and TUESDAY, August 6th and 7th, commencing at 3.30 P. M. Admission 25 cents.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. District of West Virginia, ss: George Bahrs, Steamboat "Bottle Gilbert." Attachment.

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GENERAL NOTICES.

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA. In the Municipal Court of Wheeling, I, S. Jordan, Administrator of the estate of Conrad Cotts, deceased, vs. George Harsh, et al. In Chancery.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. To the creditors of Conrad Cotts, deceased.

EDUCATIONAL. PITTSBURGH FEMALE COLLEGE. Elegant Buildings. Eight departments. Twenty-two teachers—devoted to the

STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS. A meeting of the State Board of Examiners for the purpose of examining candidates for Professional Certificates will be held at MARTINSBURG, Berkeley county, the 25th, 26th and 30th of August, during the session of the State Teachers Association, appointed at that place.

OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY. DELAWARE, OHIO. REV. C. M. PAYNE, D.D., LL.D., President.

FOR SALE. ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE. The undersigned will sell, from the front door of the Court House of Ohio county, W. Va., on SATURDAY, AUG. 11, 1877, at 10 A. M., 1 SHELDON'S IMPROVED STAIN FEATHER EXTRACTOR, together with the exclusive right to manufacture, use and sell machines of the same pattern as the one for sale.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY. State of West Virginia. In the County Court of Ohio county: Virginia H. Wheat et al. In Chancery.

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