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LOCAL MATTERS.

WEDNESDAY, May 3, 1871.

☞ Our friends throughout the county are earnestly requested to furnish us with all items of local interest transpiring in their immediate neighborhoods.

THE SINGER SEWING MACHINE.—This well known and popular Machine is still justly a favorite with the people. The Editor has used one for a twelve-month and his largest half declares it invaluable. The high standing of this Machine is best illustrated by the fact that The Singer Manufacturing Co., have sold 127,833 Machines, being 44,625 in excess of sales of any other Company in the United States.

Mr. Geo. E. Saddler, Travelling Agent for said company, is now at Bramble's Hotel, and proposes making a tour through our county, and his affable and courteous manners are already securing to him many friends in our midst.

TESTIMONIAL.—Passed by the Grand Inquest of the State, for the body of Dorchester County, at the close of their session, April 29th, 1871.

Resolved, That a vote of thanks be tendered our most worthy foreman for the able and dignified manner, and the dispatch with which he has performed the arduous duties of this Body, thereby saving much expense to the already over burdened tax payers of our County; that our kind wishes attend him for his future welfare and prosperity. And that we will ever remember with pleasure the harmony and good order which has attended our deliberations.

Also, Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be published, in the Democrat and News, and Chronicle.

W. W. Byrn, Esq.

☞ We were sorry to learn on Saturday last, that Charles W. Bennett, the popular proprietor of The Dorchester House, had made final arrangements with J. C. Norris, of Easton, to take The Brick Hotel at that place, and would remove on Monday to his new residence.

Mr. Bennett came to our town some ten or twelve years ago, a stranger, but from his enterprising character, his excellent management and obliging disposition and manners, he introduced a new era in the hotel business in our town, and has made hosts of friends who will regret his departure. He leaves here with our best wishes, and we have no doubt will meet with even greater success in Easton—we cordially commend him to our neighbors in Talbot.

Mr. Henry M. Bennett, will continue to conduct the "Dorchester House," in the name of Bennett Brothers.

☞ No one wishing to purchase Spring Goods of the latest styles, selected with taste and remarkable for combining quality and beauty with cheapness, should fail to examine the stocks of J. S. Simmons and Thomas W. Anderson & Son, on Main Street.

SODA FOUNTAIN.—A handsome Marble Soda Fountain has been imported by Mr. Wm. Thomas, and will add to the attractiveness of our town during the summer season.

WHAT'S THE USE.—Why pay more than is necessary? The goods are just as fine, the work just as carefully done, the fit just as perfect, and the prices many per cent, lower. Then, why not buy of Wanamaker & Brown.

The Rev. Mr. Williams has arrived in our midst and taken charge of the M. E. Church in this town. He has made a most favorable impression in his new field of duty and his friends, like the subscribers to our paper, are increasing daily.

Owing to crowded advertising columns and other circumstances, we are compelled to omit our report of Court proceedings, but they shall appear in our next issue.

MUTILATED CURRENCY.—A Tennessee Postmaster has enclosed to the United States Treasurer a slip cut from a recent North Carolina paper, setting forth that the Postmaster at Hillsboro, North Carolina, has been fined $2.90 for refusing to receive mutilated currency in payment for postage stamps, and says that since the appearance of this article in print his office has been flooded with mutilated currency, and he desires to know whether he is compelled to take or may refuse the money so presented.

Treasurer Spinner replies, stating that under the rules of the treasury department Postmasters are authorized to receive such currency for its full value in payment for postage stamps, even in cases of United States notes, when not more than one-twentieth of the note is missing, and in cases of fractional currency when not more than one-tenth is missing.—When such notes and fractional currency are mutilated beyond the standard referred to, no one is compelled to receive them for any part of their value, and the only place where such notes may be redeemed is at the United States Treasury.

ODD FELLOWSHIP.—The Fifty Second Anniversary of American Odd Fellowship was celebrated by the members of Dorchester Lodge, No 19, I.O. O. F., on last Wednesday evening, the 26th, by meeting in their Hall, and listening to appropriate addresses upon the principles of the Order, which were delivered by Deputy Grand Master, Thos. N. Williams, and Past Grand Thomas H. Medford. The observance of the day, by the various Lodges throughout the country, was general, and reports show the Order to be in a most happy and prosperous condition.—*Democrat & News.*

THE REASON WHY.—The immediate cause of premature fading or blanching of the hair is an obstruction of the oil vessels which afford the coloring matter. The remote causes may be general ill health, trouble of mind, etc. Hence, in order to restore its natural color and beauty the oil vessels must be restored to their normal condition. It is on this principle that NATURES'S HAIR RESTORATIVE is compounded, and it has proved a *complete success*, wherever faithfully applied. It is not a poisonous dye, consequently the effect is gradual, and in severe cases two or three bottles are necessary to produce the desired result. See advertisement.

Love and Matrimony.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, if you wish to marry, address the undersigned, who will send you, valuable information, that will enable you to marry happily and speedily, irrespective of age, wealth or beauty. This information will cost you nothing, and if you wish to marry, I will cheerfully assist you. The desired information sent by return mail. Address, SARAH B. LAMBERT, Greenpoint, Kings County, N. Y. ap. 26—3m

To Consumptives.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the prescription will please address

Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON,
165 South 2d Street, Williamsburgh, N. Y.
Oct. 27, 1870.—1y

Errors of Youth.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and direction for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence,

JOHN B. OGDEN,
No. 42 Cedar street, New York.
Oct. 20, 1870.—1y

PHILA. ADVERTISMENS.

READY-MADE CLOTHING.

WANAMAKER AND BROWN'S OAK HALL.

In Boys' Wear we have every kind of material & every variety of style, suitable for Youth from 16 to 20, Boys from 9 to 16, and Children from 5 to 9 years, all durable & strong, made with special reference to rough usage. In this department our prices are astonishingly low. *Market and 6th.*

We have made our Establishment "THE HEAD-QUARTERS OF COUNTRY TRADE" in Clothing, and we can assure our friends from out of town that they need look no further than Oak Hall for satisfactory Clothing & satisfactory prices. Full stock all the year round. *Market and 6th.*

Our Custom Work is of the very best character. Easy rules for measurement, prices, &c., sent free to any part of America, and good fits guaranteed. *Market and 6th Streets,*

PHILADELPHIA.

Feb. 2, 1871.

☞ IF YOU CANNOT READ FROM THIS END

Boots and Shoes,
RUBBER GOODS,
Valises,
Trunks,
AND OF HATS AND
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods,
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OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS is complete.
Ready-made Clothing
His Assortment of

B. HAINEBACH

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B. HAINEBACH
KEEPS CHEAP, FASHIONABLE AND GOOD CLOTHING, I will repair to his store.

He went, bought and could not have come in a better time, for

(HERE PATSING FOR A FEW MINUTES, HE RESUMED)

But let me not despair, and trust to Providence,
I'll rise above the occasion, cheer up—and screw
My courage to the sticking place,—clothes I Must have, and as I have often heard
Man state about in new ones when means are short!
Than patch old ones with shreds and patches,
Fain would I be a fashionable, large, stylish man,
Must give money. There's the world's opinion
That puts us to so many inconveniences in life:
For who would bear the scoffs and jeers of a populace,
The street boys ridicule, the ladies sneer, the
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That patient modesty of the unworthy takes,
When he himself might his quietus make,
By the bare outlay of some paltry trash!
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To buy or not to buy, that is the question:
Whether 'tis more suitable to the body, to
suffer
The drenching and pelting of contending elements:
Or draw my straitened purse against a sea of troubles,
And by buying, end them? To shed—to dress anew!
No more;—and, by dressing anew, to say we gratify
The taste of man, and other necessities that flesh
is heir to—'tis a consummation devoutly to be wished.
To buy;—to sell;—to dress anew; perchance at the
Expense of other wants;—Ay, there's the rub:
For after this new outfit, what's next to come?
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