New Advertisements.

PROCLAMATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several Courts of Common Pleas, General Quarter Sessions of the peace, and Orphans' Court, Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, in and for the county of Northumberland, to commence at the Court House, in the borough of Sunbury, at 10 o'clock, A. M. on Monday, the 2d day of November next, and will continue ONE WEEK.

The coroner, Justices of the Peace and constables in and for the county of Northumberland, are requested to be then and there in their proper persons, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, and other remembrances, to do those things to their several offices appertaining to be done. And all witnesses prosecuting in behalf of the Commonwealth against any prisoner are also requested and commanded to be then and there attending in their proper persons to prosecute against him, as shall be just—and not to depart without leave at their peril. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance, at the time appointed agreeable to their notices.

Given under my hand at Sunbury, the 18th day of Sept. in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two—and the Independence of the United States of America the 76th.

WILLIAM B. KIPP, Sheriff.

God save the Commonwealth.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL.

THE Subscriber having leased the Public House, formerly known as the American House, No. 18 S. Sixth Street, between Market and Chestnut Streets, has changed the name of the same to

THE COMMERCIAL HOTEL,

Begs leave to inform his friends and the public, that the house has undergone a through remodelling, repairing, repainting and repapering, from attic to basement. An entire new outfit of furniture, bedding, &c., &c., has been procured from the most celebrated Manufacturers in this city.

From the central location, and its close proximity to the Railroad Depots, Steamboat Landings Places of Amusement, Fashionable Thoroughfares and Public Squares, it offers inducements to the Merchant visiting the city on business, or the Traveller seeking pleasure. To families and females visiting the city, every facility will be offered, and every comfort regarded to make their visit agreeable and pleasant.

A share of the public patronage respectfully solicited.

JACOB G. LEBO, Superintendent. JARED IRVIN, Proprietor.

Philadelphia, Sept. 4, 1852.—6m.

J. M. HEYBERGER & BROTHER,

No. 47 North Second Street,

PHILADELPHIA.

IMPORTERS of every description of Fish, Hooks and Fishing Tackle. Toys, German Fancy Goods, Guns and Sporting Apparatus.—Wholesale and Retail.

Aug. 28, 1852.—2m.

Bounty Land Warrants.

THOSE having bounty land warrants in their possession and wishing to dispose of them can find a ready sale by applying at the residence of the subscriber near Shamokin Dam, Union county Pa. He will also attend to the obtaining of bounty land warrants from the Department at a reasonable recompense.

L. R. HUMMEL.

Sunbury, August 14, 1852.—3m.

Cheap Watches & Jewelry.

WHOLESALE and Retail, at the "Philadelphia Watch and Jewelry Store," No. 96 North Second Street, corner of Quarry, Philadelphia.

Gold Lever Watches, full jeweled, 18 carat cases,			$28,00
Silver do. full jeweled,	$12	Gold Spectacles,	7,00
Silver Lepine, jewels,	10	Fine Silver do.	1,50
do do do.	9	Gold Bracelets,	3,00
Superior Quartiers,	7	Ladies' Gold Pencils,	1,00
Imitation do.	5	Silver Tea spoons, set,	5,00
Gold Pens, with Pencil and Silver Holder,			1,00

Gold Finger Rings, 37½ cents to $80; Watch Glasses, plain, 12½ cents; Patent, 18¾; Lunet, 25; other articles in proportion. All goods warranted to be what they are sold for.

STAUFFER & HARLEY,
Successors to O. Conrad.

On hand, some Gold and Silver Levers and Lepines, still lower than the above prices.

August 28, 1852.—1y.

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Cane Seat Chair Manufactory,

No. 131 North Sixth Street, above Race Street.

MANUFACTURES, and has constantly on hand an ELEGANT and FASHIONABLE stock of CANE SEAT, RUSH SEAT, and WINDSOR CHAIRS, ARM CHAIRS, Large and small ROCKING CHAIRS, SETTEES, CANE LOUNGES, STORE STOOLS, SHIP STOOLS, &c

To Housekeepers, Hotel, Hall, and Steamboat Proprietors, and Dealers in Chairs and Furniture, this establishment offers the greatest inducements to purchase.

Having extensive facilities for manufacturing, we can sell the same assortment ten per cent cheaper than heretofore, and by having all work made under our own supervision we can guarantee a superior article.

CANE SEAT CHAIRS of the best finish and material, from $16½ to $10 per dozen.

"Small Profits and Quick Sales."

N. F. WOOD.

Chair Factory, No 131 North 6th St., opposite Franklin Square, Philadelphia.

September 11, 1852.—3m.

Notice to the Heirs of JOHN STEPP, Dec'd.

NOTICE is hereby given to Mary (widow,) Sebastian, Jacob, John, Benjamin, Michael, Peter, Elias, Elizabeth and Isaac Stepp, heirs of John Stepp, dec'd., (the last four of whom have for their Guardian, Abraham Blasser,) that an inquisition will be held at 10 o'clock, A. M., on the 11th day of October next, upon the premises of the Real Estate of said dec'd., in Lower Mahonoy township, Northumberland county, at which time and place you are hereby warned to be and appear if you think proper.

WM. B. KIPP, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Sunbury, Sept. 4, 1852.—6t.

NEW

Tobacco, Snuff, & Segar WAREHOUSE.

THE subscribers respectfully inform Country Merchants that we have now on hand a general assortment of the best

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Cavendish 5s. Lump 8s. Lump 6s. Plug, &c., at the Manufacturers lowest prices. Also a fine assortment of Foreign and Domestic Segars, Snuff, Smoking Tobacco, Pipes, Pipe Heads, &c., which we will sell at the lowest prices.

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September 4, 1852.—3m.

REMOVAL.

THE old established POCKET BOOK and MOROCCO CASE MANUFACTORY, located at somewhere Chestnut Street for the past

TWENTY-ONE YEARS,

has been removed to No. 205 ARCH STREET, first door below 6th street, where can be found the largest and best assortment of the following articles, viz:

Pocket Books, Port Folios, Dressing Cases, Writing Cases, Bankers' Cases, Bank Book Holders, Bill Books, Money Belts, Cigar Cases, Razor Strops, Porte Monnaies, Work Cases, Card Cases, Needle Cases.

F. H. SMITH, thankful for past favors, hopes by attention, and with a determination to sell the best quality of goods at the lowest prices, to receive a share of patronage. The Trade are requested to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

N. B.—Repairing done with neatness and dispatch.

F. H. SMITH,
205 Arch Street, Philadelphia.

September 4, 1852.—3m.

TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY.

FELLOW CITIZENS:—Encouraged by many of my numerous friends, I respectfully offer myself as a candidate for the Office of

Register & Recorder,

at the ensuing election. Should I be elected, I promise to discharge the duties of said office with fidelity and impartiality.

JOHN P. PURSEL.

Sunbury, July 31, 1852.—tc.

OYSTER CANS.—A lot of empty Oyster Cans, suitible for putting up fruit, for sale by WM. H. THOMPSON.

GENERAL ELECTION

PROCLAMATION.

PURSUANT to an act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act relating to the election of this Commonwealth," approved the second day of July, Anno Domino, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, I, WILLIAM B. KIPP, High Sheriff of the county of Northumberland, Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county aforesaid, that a general election will be held in said county of Northumberland on the SECOND TUESDAY (12th) of OCTOBER, 1852, at which time State and County Officers, as follows, are to be elected:

One person as Canal Commissioner of the Commonwealth.

One person as Judge of the Supreme Court of this Commonwealth.

One person as Member of the House of Representatives to represent the county of Northumberland.

One person as Register and Recorder and Clerk of the Orphans' Court for the County of Northumberland.

One person as Commission for the county of Northumberland.

One person as Coroner for the county of Northumberland.

One person as Auditor for the county of Northumberland.

I also hereby make known and give notice that the places of holding the aforesaid general election in the several boroughs and townships within the county of Northumberland are as follows:

The Sunbury District, composed of the borough of Sunbury, and Upper Augusta, at the County Court House.

The Augusta District, composed of the township of Lower Augusta, at the house of Elias Emerich, in said township.

The Northumberland District, composed of the borough of Northumberland, at the house of Augustus Houtz of the borough of Northumberland.

The Point District, at the house of Henry Hass, in the borough of Northumberland.

The Milton District, at the house of Frederick Sticker, in said borough.

The Turbut District, at the house occupied by Abraham Kissinger.

The Delaware District, at the house of Henry Reeder.

The Chillisquaque District at the house of Benjamin Fordsman.

The Lewis District, at the house occupied by Michael Reeder.

The Shamokin District, at the house of Charles Leisenring.

The Upper Mahonoy District, at the house of Daniel Heim.

The Little Mahonoy District, at the house of Frederick Baker.

The Lower Mahonoy District, at the house of Michael Spatz

The Rush District, at the Liberty Pole School House.

The Jackson District, at the house occupied by Peter Schwartz.

The Coal District, at the house of William M. Weaver, in the town of Shamokin.

SECTION 3. That all that part of Coal township, in the county of Northumberland, lying west of a line beginning at the line between Coal and Cameron townships, at a point two thousand feet west ward of where the said line crosses the west boundary of a tract of land surveyed to Alexander Hunter the twenty-seventh day of October, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four; thence north fourteen degrees west to the line between the townships of Coal and Shamokin, be, and is hereby erected into a separate school and election district, and the qualified voters residing within the said boundaries shall hereafter vote at the general elections at the public house of Henry B. Weaver, in the town of Trevorton.

The Cameron District, at the house of Jacob Haupt.

The election to open between the hours of 6 and 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall continue without interruption or adjournment until 7 o'clock in the evening, when the polls shall be closed.

The several Inspectors and Judges elected on the 3d Friday of March, 1852, in pursuance of the 3d Section of the act of the 24 of July, 1839, will hold the election on Tuesday the 12th day of October next.

"That every person except a Justice of the Peace, who shall hold any office or appointment of profit and trust under the government of the United States, or of this State, or of any city or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer or agent, who shall be employed under the legislative, executive or judiciary department of this State, or the United States, or of any city or incorporated district and also that every member Congress and of the State Legislature, and of the select and common council of any city, or commissioner of any incorporated district, is by law, incapable of holding or exercising the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector or Clerk, of any election of this commonwealth, and that no Inspector, Judge or any other officer of such election, shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for.

And the said Act of Assembly, entitled "an act relating to the elections of this Commonwealth,"—passed July the 2nd, 1832, further provides as follows, to wit:

"That the Inspectors and Judges chosen as aforesaid, shall meet at the respective places for holding the election in the district to which they respectfully belong before nine o'clock in the morning of the second Tuesday of October in each and every year, and each of said inspectors shall appoint one clerk, who shall be a qualified voter of such district.

I also hereby make known and give notice that by an act of Assembly passed on the 9th day of April, 1839, it shall be lawful for the qualified voters of Northumberland county, from and after the passage of said act, to vote for all the candidates for the various offices, to be filled at any election on one slip or ticket: Provided, That officer for which every candidate is voted for, shall be designated, as required by the existing laws of this Commonwealth.

SECTION 2. That any fraud committed by any person voting in the manner above prescribed, shall be punished as similar frauds are directed to be punished by the existing laws of this Commonwealth.

"In case the person who shall have received the second highest number of votes for Inspectors shall not attend on the day of any election, then the person who shall have received the second highest number of votes for Judge the next preceding election, shall act as an inspector in his place, and in case the person elected Judge shall not attend the Inspector who received the highest number of votes, shall appoint a Judge in his place; and if any vacancy shall continue in the board for the space of half an hour after the time fixed by lay for the opening of the election, the qualified voters of the township, ward or district, for which such officers shall have been elected, present at the place of elections, shall one of their number to fill such vacancy.

"It shall be the duty of said assessors respectively to attend at the place of holding every general, special, or township election, during the whole time said election is kept open, for the purpose of giving information to the Inspectors and Judge, when called on, in relation to the right of any person assessed by them to vote at such election, or such other matters in relation to the assessment of voters, as the said inspector or judge or either of them, shall from time to time require.

"No person shall be permitted to vote at any election as aforesaid, other than a white free man of twenty-one or more, who shall have resided in the state six months next year, and in the election district where he offers to vote at least ten days immediately preceeding the election, and within two years paid state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least ten days before the election. But a citizen of the United States who had previously been a qualified voter of this state, and removed therefrom and returned, and shall have resided in the election district, and paid tax as aforesaid, shall be entitled to vote after residing in this state six months, Provided, That the white freemen, citizens of the United States, between the age of twenty-one and twenty-two years, and in the election district ten days as aforesaid, shall be entitled to a vote, although they shall not have paid taxes.

No person shall be permitted to vote whose name is not contained in the list of taxable inhabitants furnished by the commissioners as aforesaid, unless, First: He produces a receipt for the payment, within two years, of a state or county tax assessed agreeably to the constitution, and gave satisfactory evidence either on his own oath or affirmation, or on the oath or affirmation of another, that he has paid such tax, or on failure to produce a receipt, shall make an oath to the payment thereof; or second, if he claim a right to vote by being an elector between the ages of twenty-one and twenty-two years, he shall depose on oath or affirmation, that he has resided in the state at least one year next before his application, and make such proof of residence in the district as is required by this act; and that he does verily believe from the account given him that he is of the age aforesaid, and give such other evidence as is required by this act, whereupon the name of the person so admitted to vote, shall be inserted in alphabetical list by the inspectors, and a note made opposite thereto by writing the word "tax," if he shall be permitted to vote by reason of having paid tax, or the word "age," if he shall be permitted to vote on account of his age, and in either case the reason of such voter shall be called out to the clerk, who shall make notes in the list of voters kept by them.

In all cases where the name of the person claiming to vote is not found on the list furnished by the Commissioners and Assessor, or his right to vote whether found thereon or not, is objected to by any qualified citizen, the Inspector shall examine such person on oath as to his qualifications, and if he claims to have resided in the state one year or more, his oath shall be a proof thereof, but he shall prove by at least one competent witness, who shall be a qualified elector, that he resided within the district at least ten days next immediately preceding the election, and shall also answer satisfactorily that his bona fide residence, in pursuance of lawful ruling is within the district, and that he did not remove into said district for the purpose of voting therein.

Every person qualified as aforesaid, and who shall make proof, if required, of resident and payment of taxes, as aforesaid, shall be admitted to vote in the township, ward or district in which he shall reside.

If any person not qualified to vote in this Commonwealth agreeably to law, (except the sons of qualified citizens) shall appear at any place of election for the purpose of issuing tickets, or influencing citizens qualified to vote, he shall, on conviction, forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding one hundred dollars for every one such offence, and be imprisoned for any term not exceeding three months.

It shall be the duty of every mayor, sheriff, alderman, justice of the peace, and constable or deputy constable, of every city, county, township or district within this commonwealth, whenever called upon by any officer of an election, or by any three qualified electors thereof, to clear any window or avenue to any window, to the place of general election, which shall be obstructed in such a way as to prevent voters from approaching the same, and on neglect or refusal to do so on such requision, said officer shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor in office and on conviction shall be fined in any sum not less than one hundred nor more than one thousand dollars; and it shall be the duty of the respective constable of each ward, district or township, of this commonwealth to be present in person or by deputy, at the place of holding such elections in said ward, district or township, for the purpose of preserving the peace as aforesaid.

It shall be the duty of every peace officer, as aforesaid, who shall be present at any such disturbances at an election as is describee in this act, to report the same to the next court of quarter sessions, and also the names of the witnesses who can prove the same.

And by the 4th section of the act of 16th of April, 1840, it is enacted, That the 15th section of the act, as passed July 2d 1839, entitled an act relating to the elections of this commonwealth, shall not be so constructed as to prevent any militia officer or borough officer, from serving as judge, inspector or clerk, at any general or special election in this commonwealth.

The Judges are to make their returns for the county of Northumberland, at the Court House, in Sunbury, on Friday, the 15th day of October, A. D. 1852.

WILLIAM B. KIPP, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Sunbury, Sept. 18, 1852.—4t.

GOD SAVE THE COMMONWEALTH

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Philadelphia, August 21, 1852.—1y.

A valuable Farm for Sale.

THE undersigned, will offer at public sale, on TUESDAY, the 5th of OCTOBER next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., of said day, at the Shamokin Dam Hotel, kept by Geo. Keene, in Penn township, Union county, a highly

IMPROVED FARM,

situated in said township, about half a mile below the Shamokin Dam, containing

One hundred and twenty-two Acres,

more or less; one hundred and ten acres of which are in a high state of cultivation, the balance being wood land; bounded on the east by the Susquehanna river and the Pennsylvania canal, on the south and west by land of John Hartman, and on the north by land of Henry Hartman, and upon which are erected a large and well finished two story

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of full growth, and one of recent setting out, embracing some choice fruit trees. There are also erected on said premises, immediately at the Pennsylvania canal, a large and well finished two story

Frame Dwelling and Kitchen,

with a well of excellent water at the door, together with convenient stabling, &c. There is a wharf running parallel with the canal and fronting said dwelling, eligibly situated for the prosecution of an extensive COAL and LUMBER business.

TERMS:—One half of the purchase money to be secured by bonds and mortgage on the premises with interest, in reasonable payments; $100 to be paid on the day of sale and the balance on delivery of the deed.—Title indisputable.

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Sunbury, Feb. 14, 1852.

PREMIUMS OF

The Agricultural Society.

The following are the premiums offered by the Northumberland County Agricultural Society, at the next annual exhibition which will be held at Northumberland, on Thursday and Friday the 7th and 8th days of October next.

HORSES.

Best stallion over 4 years old,	$5,00
Second " "	3,00
Best " under 4 years,	4,00
Second " "	2,00
Best mare with colt at her side,	3,00
Second " "	3,00

Diplomas will be awarded for all fine animals, not coming under these heads.

CATTLE.

DURHAMS OR SHORT HORNS.

Best bull, 2 years old and upwards,	5,00
Second " "	3,00
Best bull calf under 2 years & over 6m,	3,00
Second " "	2,00
Best bull calf under 6 months,	2,00
Second " "	1,00
Best cow over 3 years,	4,00
Second "	2,50
Best heifer between 2 & 3 years,	3,00
Second " "	2,00
Best heifer under 2 years,	3,00
Second " "	2,00

The same premiums will be awarded to Devons under their respective heads.

NATIVES.

Best bull 2 years and upwards,	3,00
Best bull calf under 2 yrs and over 6m,	2,00
Best " under 6 months,	1,00
Best cow, 3 years and upwards,	2,00
Best heifer between 2 and 3 years,	1,50
Best heifer under 2 years,	1,00
Best yoke of oxen,	4,00
Second "	2,00
Best fat bullock,	3,00
Second "	2,00
Best fat cow or heifer,	3,00
Second "	2,00

SHEEP.

Best ram over 1 year,	3,00
Best ewe,	2,00
Best lamb,	2,00

SWINE.

Best boar over 1 year,	3,00
Second " "	2,00
Best sow,	2,00
Second "	1 50
Best pair of shoats under 1 year old,	2,00
Second " "	1,50
Best fat hog,	2,00

POULTRY.

Best pair of turkeys,	1,00
Second "	50
Best pair of geese,	1,00
Second "	50
Best pair musk ducks,	1,00
Second "	50
Best pair puddle ducks,	1,00
Second "	50
Best p'r Shanghai or Cochin China fowls,	1,00
Second " "	50
Best pair Chittagongs,	1,00
Second "	50
Best pair Creole or Bolton greys,	1,00
Second "	50
Best pair Polish,	1,00
Second "	50
Best pair dorkings,	1,00
Second "	50
Best pair games,	1,00
Second "	50
Best pair *wild turkeys*,	2,00
Largest and best collection of fowls,	3,00
Next largest "	1,50

GRAIN AND POTATOES.

Best bushel white wheat,	2,00
Second "	1,00
Best bushel corn,	2,00
Second "	1,00
Best bushel oats,	1,00
Best bushel mercer potatoes,	1,50
Second "	1,00
Best bushel potatoes other varieties,	1,00
Best ½ bushel sweet potatoes,	1,00
Second "	50

VEGETABLES.

Best beets, not less than 6,	1,00
" carrots "	1,00
" ½ bushel onions,	1,00
" 6 heads cabbage,	1,00
" 3 squashes,	1,00
" 3 pumpkins,	1,00

Special premiums will be awarded to cauliflowers, tomatoes, and all other garden vegetables of extraordinary quality.

FRUIT.

Best ½ bushel of apples,	1,00
Second "	50
Best " quinces,	1,00
Second " "	50
Best " pears,	1,00
Second " "	50
Best grapes, not less than 6 bunches,	1,00
Second " "	50

IMPLEMENTS.

Best threshing machine,	4,00
" reaper,	3,00
" seed drill,	2,00
" corn planter,	2,00
" winnowing mill,	2,00
" corn sheller,	2,00
" plow,	2,00
" cultivator,	2,00
" roller,	2,00
" corn plow,	2,00
" straw cutter,	2,00
" farm wagon,	2,00
" sett of harness,	2,00
" horse rake,	1,00
" grain cradle,	1,00

DAIRY, &c.

Best butter not less than 5 pounds,	1,00
Second " "	50
Best 5 lbs. honey,	1,00
Second "	50
Best loaf of bread 4 lbs.	1,00
Second "	50
Best ham cured by exhibitor,	1,00
Second "	50
Best 6 lbs. home made soap,	1,00
Second "	50

DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES

Best quilt,	1,00
" counterpane,	1,00
" hearth rug,	1,00
" pair blankets,	1,00
" 20 yards carpet,	1,00
" home-made cloth 10 yds,	1,00
" " flannel 6 yds,	1,00
" pair knit woolen socks or stockings,	1,00
" " " gloves,	1,00
" home-made thread 1 lb. and up'wd,	1,00

MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

Under this head will be embraced, mechanical inventions, tools, furniture, and all other articles, not coming under any of the above heads. Prizes will be awarded, according to the means of the Society, and the merits of the articles offered.

PLOWING MATCH.

Best plowing,	5,00
Second "	4,00
Third "	3,00
Fourth "	2,00

The following Committees were then appointed:

ON HORSES.—A. E. Kapp, Joseph Nicely, Anthony Armstrong, Wm. B. Kipp, Jesse C. Horton, John Painter, J. B. Masser.

ON CATTLE.—Thomas Johnson, Robert M'Williams, Jesse Hensyl, James Forrester, Wm. G. Scott, John B. Heller, John Nesbit.

ON SHEEP.—Wm. L. Cook, Samuel I. Johnson, George Keller, Wm. D. Gearhart, Jas. Rynerson, M. B. Priestley, John Wheatley.

ON SWINE.—Joseph Vankirk, John Moore, Wm. H. Kase, J. Weimer Leighou, Philip W. Hilgert, George Eveterd, J. Boyd Smith.

ON POULTRY.—Dr. Joseph Priestley, Dr. Wm. McCleery, Henry Eckbert, Alexander Jordan, L. A. Bergstresser, Robert J. Wilson, C. B. Smith.

ON GRAIN AND POTATOES.—Samuel Hepburn, Benj. Gearhart, James Cameron, T. H. Watts, Elida John, Jacob Hilbish, John Maurer.

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