

a much greater influence with his fellow members than most of those whose names were daily in the newspapers.

On my return to Congress in December 1834, having been absent between three and four years, I still found Mr. Muhlenberg in the House; and with a reputation greatly increased and an influence greatly extended.

Respected by all, Mr. Muhlenberg continued ably and faithfully to represent his district in Congress until February 1835, when he was appointed our first Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Austria.

It was to have been expected that the friends of Mr. Shunk, who are justly and devotedly attached to him, would experience temporary mortification and regret at their disappointment.

Not have the friends of Mr. Shunk any reason to regard Mr. Muhlenberg with a jealous eye. From my intimate knowledge of the man, I shall hazard the assertion that he will bury in oblivion all that has occurred adverse to himself before and at the 4th of March Convention; and should he be elected, in his selections for office, will only enquire, "Is he honest—is he capable?"

Believing in the eminent qualifications of Mr. Muhlenberg, to meet the present crisis in our State affairs, in his known and acknowledged integrity, and in his genuine Democracy, I shall give him my most cheerful and cordial support.

I remain your friend, JAMES BUCHANAN.

WILLIAM NICHOLS, Esq.

Augusta Democratic Meeting.

A gathering of the Democrats of Augusta township, took place at the Public House of Geo. Conrad, on the 15th inst. Major SAMUEL LANTZ was called upon to preside, and PETER VANDLING, GEO. SAVIDGE, JOHN D. CONRAD, DR. JOHN REAKER, JOEL YORDY, GEO. KEYSER, JOHN FOX, and JOHN SHIRMER, were appointed Vice Presidents, and John Yordy, Esq. and Abraham Shipman Secretaries.

The object of the meeting having been stated, on motion of Gideon Leisenring, the following committee was appointed to draft resolutions, viz: Gideon Leisenring, Aaron Kelly, Daniel Zimmerman, George Conrad, Abraham Yeager, Daniel Keyser, Benjamin Geiger, Jacob Griner, Jacob Yontey and Jacob Reeser.

Resolved, That the Democratic party, of Pennsylvania, is efficient in numbers and capable of triumphing over the combined forces of whiggery and antismasonry, and a glorious victory awaits us in the approaching Presidential and gubernatorial contests, if we organize our forces, put on our armor, and battle manfully for our cherished principles.

Resolved, That we will accord our cheerful support to the nominations of the Convention about to assemble in Baltimore, for the nomination of Democratic candidates for President and Vice President. Let the Convention be guided by the approved maxim, "EVERY THING FOR THE CAUSE, NOTHING FOR MEN," and the Democracy will respond to the nominations, at the polls, by overwhelming majorities.

Resolved, That the Democracy of Augusta respond with united voices to the nomination of HENRY A. MUHLENBERG, as the Democratic candidate for Governor, and we pledge him our old fashioned Democratic majority of 250 Firm and unwavering in every emergency—onward and steadfast in principle—able and honest—the Republican son of Republican and Revolutionary ancestors—he is justly the favorite of the Democratic Party of the State, as well as of Old Berks. He is faithfully and honestly discharged every trust reposed in him, whether at home or abroad, and the Democratic freemen of the Keystone State will confide the Government in his hands with implicit confidence,—that it will be administered with an enlightened and faithful regard to their interests and happiness.

Resolved, That the efforts of Gov. PORTER, to reduce the expenses of the public printing, and to ferret out the frauds and plunder of the Treasury, by a dishonest combination of Printers, at Harrisburg, meets with our hearty approbation; and the late patriotic stand which he took to preserve the Constitution against the encroachments of the Legislature, entitles him to the respect and confidence of every friend of our institutions and laws.

Resolved, That we heartily approve of the course of EDWARD Y. BRIGHT, Esq., our Representative in the last Legislature. He has faithfully and honestly discharged his duty, and deserves the approbation of every citizen.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be published in the Democratic papers of the county.

THE LAST PLEA.—A wag tells a funny story, also a slightly tinged with hyperbole, of a case recently brought before the Recorder. A fellow was charged with stealing a piece of cloth from a dry good store, when his lawyer put in, as a plea, that his client did not see it. "Not see it?" said the Recorder.

"He did not see it, sir," responded the lawyer.

"What do you mean?" queried the Recorder.

"Why, I mean, sir, that the individual charged with stealing that cloth did not see it, sir—he could not see it, sir—it's an invisible green."

BALTIMORE MARKET.

Office of the BALTIMORE AMERICAN, May 20.

FLOUR.—Sales of Susquehanna Flour on Saturday and today at \$4.50.

GRAIN.—We hear of no Maryland Wheat at market for a day or two past. We quote good to prime at 95 a 100 cts. The receipts of Pennsylvania wheats have been very large. The sales on Saturday were about 10,000 bushels red at 100 a 102 cents for prime, and at 95 cents for smutty parcels. Nearly the same quantity was sold today, though at a fraction less, the price obtained for prime being 97 a 100 cts. Sales of yellow Corn at 43 a 44 cents, and of white at 40 a 41 cts. We quote Oats at 27 a 28 cents.

WHISKEY.—The demand is very moderate. Small sales of hds. at 2 1/2 a 2 3/4 cts, and of bbls at 22 1/2 a 23 cents.

TO THE PUBLIC.—The unprecedented success which has resulted from the adoption of Brandreth's Pills, during a period of upwards of ninety years; the numerous and extraordinary cures which they have performed upon hundreds of individuals whom they have rescued from almost inevitable death, after they had been pronounced incurable by the most eminent of the faculty—justify Dr. Benjamin Brandreth, the proprietor of this Vegetable Universal Medicine, in warmly and conscientiously recommending it to the especial notice of the public.

These Pills do indeed "assist nature" to all she can do for the purification of the human body; yet there are numbers whose cases are so bad, and whose bodies are so much debilitated, that all that can reasonably be expected, is temporary relief; nevertheless, some who have commenced using these Pills under the most trying circumstances of bodily affliction, when almost every other remedy had been altogether unavailable, have been restored to health and happiness by their use. Dr. Brandreth has to return thanks to a generous and enlightened public for the patronage they have bestowed on him; and he hopes, by preparing the medicine as he has ever done, to merit a continuation of favors.

Purchase of H. B. Masser, Sunbury, or of the agents, published in another part of this paper.

MARRIED.

On Thursday, the 9th inst., by the Rev. A. BRITAIN, MR. ELIAS C. HORN, to MISS ELIZABETH PARKY, both of Columbia co.

On Thursday the 16th inst., by the same, MR. PETER YOCUM, to MISS ELIZA GILGER, both of Shamokin tp.

PRICE CURRENT.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Pork, Flaxseed, Butter, Beans, Peas, Potatoes, Apples, Peaches, Eggs.

Come and See.

New Goods. Cheap for Cash or Country Produce. H. B. MASSER has just received an assortment of New Goods, which he will sell at the lowest prices, for cash or Country Produce.

Persons are invited to call and judge for themselves. Best Rio Coffee for 12 1/2 cents. Good do. for 10, and other articles in proportion. Sunbury, May 25, 1844.

Caution.

All persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing a promissory note of forty five dollars, dated May 9, 1844, payable to George Miller, Jr., three months after date, and signed by the subscribers, who not having received value therefor, are determined not to pay the same unless compelled by law. SILAS WOOLVERTON, SAMUEL SAVIDGE. Augusta, May 25, 1844.—3t.

HERR'S HOTEL, FORMERLY TREMONT HOUSE, No. 116 Chesnut Street, PHILADELPHIA.

THE SUBSCRIBER, recently of Reading, Pa., would inform the public that he has fitted up the above, capital and convenient establishment, and will always be ready to entertain visitors. His established reputation in the line, it is hoped, will afford full assurance, that his guests will be supplied with every comfort and accommodation; whilst his house will be conducted under such arrangements as will secure a character for the first responsibility, and satisfactory entertainment for individuals and families.

Charge for boarding \$1 per day. DANIEL HERR. Philadelphia, May 25, 1844.—4t.

NOTICE

TO MERCHANTS & MILLINERS. WM. M. & JOS. E. MAULL, MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC SPRAW GOODS. No. 30, North Second Street, (opposite the Madison House,) PHILADELPHIA.

WHERE will be found a general assortment of Florence Braids, Albers, Rutlands, Peddles, Willow Plait, Rice Straw, and the much admired Neapolitan Lace, and Fancy Bonnets, manufactured by us, and for sale at the lowest manufacture prices. Merchants and Milliners are invited to give us a call upon visiting the City.

To Country Merchants. Boots, Shoes, Bonnets, Leghorn and Palm Leaf Hats. G. W. & L. B. TAYLOR, at the S. E. corner of Market and Fifth Sts., PHILADELPHIA.

OFFER for sale an extensive assortment of the above articles, all of which they sell at unusually low prices, and particularly invite the attention of buyers visiting the city, to an examination of their stock. G. W. & L. B. TAYLOR. Philadelphia, May 25, 1844.

TO LEASE.

The Celebrated GAP VEINS AT SHAMOKIN.

THE Coal Veins and Fixtures at Shamokin Gap, in complete order to do a large business, can be leased on reasonable terms, together with Drift Wagons, Tools, &c., also 30 Rail Road Wagons and a Wharf at Sunbury. Terms made known on application to J. H. PURDY, or A. JORDAN. Sunbury, May 18, 1844.—3t.

NOTICE

IS hereby given that the subscriber purchased, at Private Sale, on the 13th day of May, 1844, of Abraham Rimer, which he will leave in the possession of said Rimer, until he sees proper to take it away, the following property, viz: Two Mares, 1 Colt, 1 Three-horn Machine, 1 Wagon and Body, 1 Plow, 1 Cow, 1 Heifer, 1 lot Horse Gear, 1 Iron Kettle, 1 Corner Cupboard, 1 Clock, 1 Table, 1 Work Stand, 1 Chest, 20 yards Carpet. ELIAH KOCHER. May 18th, 1844.—3t.

Notice.

THOSE persons having demands against the Commonwealth for labor performed, or materials furnished for the repairs of the

North Branch Canal, prior to the 9th day of January, 1844, who have not handed to the subscriber an account of the same, are requested to do so at the earliest possible moment, in order that they may be put in form for settlement, as soon as the fund appropriated for the payment of old debts can be obtained. Those living at a distance are requested to forward by mail or otherwise. W. R. MAFFETT, Wilkesbarre, May 11, 1844.—4t.

CENTRE TURNPIKE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an election for officers of the "Centre Turnpike Road Compy." will be held at the house of Elizabeth Weitzel in the borough of Sunbury, on Monday the 3d day of June next. The election will be open at 2 o'clock, P. M., and close at 4 P. M. The books and accounts of the Company will be exhibited to the stockholders present at the same time and place. JOHN B. BOYD, Northumberland, May 11, 1844.—4t. Sec'y.

DAVID EVANS'

Patent Fire and Thief Proof Iron Chests, Slate lined Refrigerators, with Filters attached when required. EVANS & WATSON, No. 76 South Third St., opposite the Exchange, PHILADELPHIA.

MANUFACTURE and keep for sale DAVID EVANS' celebrated Water and Provision Cisterns, and Patent Refrigerators, and Patent Fire and Thief Proof Iron Chests, for preserving Groceries, Papers, Books, Jewels, Gold, Silver, &c., &c., made of Bell's Iron, (and not over Plank as many-five out of every one hundred now in use, and for sale made) with first rate Locks and David Evans' Patent Keyhole Covers, similar to the one exhibited at the Philadelphia Exchange, for three months in the summer of 1842, when all the Keys were at liberty to be used, and the Chest not opened, although the experiment was tried by at least 1500 persons. One of the same Locks was tried by Robbers, at the Delaware Coal Office, in Walnut street, above Third, but did not succeed.

Hoisting Machines, Iron Doors, superior Locks, and all kinds of Iron Railways, Seal and Copying Presses, and Smithwork generally, on hand or manufactured at the shortest notice. CAUTION.—I do hereby caution all persons against making, using, selling, or causing to be sold, any Keyhole Covers for Fire Proof Chests, or Doors, of any kind similar in principle to my Patent, of 10th July, 1841, and also against using Refrigerators with Slate, for which my Patent is dated 26th March, 1844, as any infringement will be dealt with according to law. DAVID EVANS. Philadelphia, April 13, 1844.—1y.

A CANAL BOAT, capable of carrying 20 tons, about half worn, will be sold cheap, and on reasonable terms. Enquire at this office. April 27th, 1844.

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY Treasurer's Sale.

AGREEABLY to an act of the general assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, passed the 13th of March, 1815, and the supplement thereto, entitled an act directing the mode of selling unencumbered lands for taxes and other purposes, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House in the Borough of Sunbury, on the second Tuesday in June next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following described tracts of land, for arrearages of taxes due, and the costs accrued on each tract respectively, unless previously discharged, to wit:

AUGUSTA TOWNSHIP.

Table with 3 columns: Warrantee Names, Acres, Tax. Lists names like Dering Frederick, Dering Frederick, Donnel Charles, etc.

CHILISQUAKE POINT and TURBUT TOWNSHIPS.

Table with 3 columns: Warrantee Names, Acres, Tax. Lists names like Betterton Benjamin, Berron John Jr., Bradle William, etc.

COAL TOWNSHIP.

Table with 3 columns: Warrantee Names, Acres, Tax. Lists names like Antis Frederick, Antis Henry, Adams William, etc.

SHAMOKIN TOWNSHIP.

Table with 3 columns: Warrantee Names, Acres, Tax. Lists names like Kinley Catherine, Lake Richard, Reed John, etc.

LITTLE MAHONNY TOWNSHIP.

Table with 3 columns: Warrantee Names, Acres, Tax. Lists names like Blain John, Gadsden William P, Hunter James, etc.

UPPER MAHONNY TOWNSHIP.

Table with 3 columns: Warrantee Names, Acres, Tax. Lists names like Betterton Benjamin, Beisel Samuel, Beisel Daniel, etc.

REMOVAL.

DOCTOR J. B. MASSER, RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Sunbury and its vicinity, that he has removed his office to the white building in Market Square, east of Ira T. Clement's store, and immediately opposite the post office, where he will be happy to receive calls in the line of his profession. Sunbury, May 4th, 1844.

Henry S. Haulman, BLACKSMITH,

BEGS leave to inform the citizens of Sunbury and its vicinity, that he has commenced the BLACKSMITHING BUSINESS, in the shop formerly occupied by Daniel Yarrick, in Market street, Sunbury, east of Ira T. Clement's store, and directly opposite the post office, where he intends to carry on the business in all its various branches. Orders will be promptly and punctually attended to, and work done cheap, for cash or country produce. Sunbury, April 27th, 1844.—1y.

A CARD.

MRS FOLLMER respectfully informs her friends and the public generally, that she will open, on Monday the 24th inst., a new assortment of Fancy Dry Goods and Spring Millinery of the latest fashions. Straw Bonnets bleached and altered to the newest fashions, upon very moderate terms. April 13th, 1844.

Boot & Shoe MAKING.

RECK & BROSIUS WOULD inform their friends and the public generally, that they have commenced the above business in all its various branches, in the shop lately occupied by Xavier Eggert as a watch-maker shop, east of the Red Lion Hotel, in Market street, Sunbury, where they are prepared to execute all orders in their line, with PROMPTNESS AND DESPATCH. They hope, by strict attention to business, moderate charges, and the durability of their work, to merit and receive a share of the public patronage. Sunbury, March 30th, 1844.—1y.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

25,000 POUNDS FEATHERS, for sale very low, in any quantity to suit purchasers, for cash, at prices from 10, 15, 25 and 30 cents per pound. Beds, Bolsters and Pillows, Curled Hair Mattresses, Moss do., and other kinds to suit any size Beds, always on hand. Curled Hair and new Orleans Moss by the bale or single pound. Also: Baskets, Marcellis Quills, Comfortables and Bedsteads of all descriptions. Country Merchants will find it to their advantage to call before purchasing. FINLEY & CO. S. E. corner of Second and Walnut sts. Philad. March 23d, 1844.—3m.

Public Sale.

9,000 Acres of Land. WILL be sold, at public auction, at the house of Daniel Herb, in Upper Mahonny township, Northumberland county, on the 1st Monday of June next, 9,000 acres of Timber Land, situated chiefly in Coal township, said county. The Mahonny creek passes through a considerable portion of the property, affording several excellent mill seats. The taxes have all been paid up, and an indisputable title, clear of all incumbrances, will be given to purchasers. The sale will be continued from day to day, until the whole is sold. The terms will be made known on the day of sale. Feb. 10, 1844.—H. WM. McCAY, Agent.

WOLBERT & JANNEY,

Importers and Dealers in SEGARS, BRANDIES, GIN, WINES, &c. No. 21 Commerce St., near Fifth St., PHILADELPHIA. C. J. WOLBERT, Jr., Wm. A. JANNEY, Jr. Sole Agents for the State of Pennsylvania and Danville in intelligence will continue the above until forbidden, and charge this office.

CITY FURNITURE AUCTION.

AND PRIVATE SALES ROOMS, Nos. 29 and 31 North Third Street, Near the City Hotel, PHILADELPHIA. C. C. MACKAY, Auctioneer, respectfully invites the attention of persons desirous of purchasing Furniture, to his extensive Sales Rooms, (both public and private) for every description of Household Furniture, where can be obtained, at all times, a large assortment of fashionable and well manufactured Cabinet Furniture, Beds, Mattresses, &c., at very reduced prices, for cash. Sales by Auction, twice a week. May 27th, 1843.—1y.

OAKLEY'S DEPURATIVE SYRUP.

THE valuable properties of Oakley's Depurative Syrup of Sarsaparilla, as a purifier of the blood, is so well known to the public generally, that it is unnecessary to occupy much space in setting forth the advantages to be derived from its use; wherever the medicine has once been introduced, it takes precedence over all others; every one that has taken it, has derived an almost beneficial result from it, that it is recommended by them with the utmost confidence. Physicians of the highest standing in the profession, prescribe it to patients under their care; containing nothing deleterious, but being composed of the most mild, yet efficacious vegetable materials, it is offered with confidence, as the cheapest and most efficient purifier of the blood now known. The use of a few bottles, especially in the spring months, will be attended with a most decided improvement in the general strength of the system, eradicating any seeds of disease that may have been generated, besides giving health and vigor to the body.—For the cure of Scrophulous, Kings Evil, Rheumatism, Tetter, Pimples or eruptions of the Skin, White Swelling, Fistula, Chronic Gonorrhoea, &c. The numerous confidences in the possession of the subscriber and his agents, from physicians and others, are sufficient to convince the most skeptical of its superiority over all preparations of Sarsaparilla.

Sold wholesale and retail, by the proprietor, GEORGE W. OAKLEY, North 5th street, Reading, Berks County, and to be had of the following persons:

In Northumberland County.—H. B. MASSER; Sunbury; Ireland & Mixel, McEwensville; D. Krauser, Milton.

In Union County.—J. Gearhart, Selusgrove; A. Gutelius, Millinburg.

In Columbia County.—R. W. McCay, Washington.

Reading, March 14, 1843.

Mr. OAKLEY—I believe it the duty of every one to do whatever in their power, for the benefit of their fellow man, and having had positive proof in my own family, of the wonderful properties of your Depurative Syrup of Sarsaparilla, I most conscientiously recommend it to the afflicted. We had the misfortune to lose two of our children, by the breaking out of ulcers across that covered the face, head and neck, although we had some of the best scientific physicians to attend them, and had tried all the known remedies, including Swaim's Panacea, without avail. Another of my children was attacked in the same manner, her face and neck was completely covered; the discharge was so offensive, and the disease at such a height, that we despaired of her life. Seeing the wonderful effects of your Depurative Syrup of Sarsaparilla, we were induced to make trial of it, as the last resort; it acted like a charm; the ulcers commenced healing immediately, a few bottles entirely restored her to her health, which she has enjoyed uninterruptedly ever since. As a purifier of the blood, I verily believe it has not its equal.

JOHN MOYER, Tailor.

Walnut street, near Fourth, Reading.

Douglasville, April 19th, 1843.

Mr. OAKLEY.—My son Edmund Leaf, had the scrofula in the most dreadful and distressing manner for three years, during which time he was deprived of the use of his limbs; his head and neck were covered with ulcers. We tried all the different remedies, but to no effect, until recommended by Dr. Johnson of Norristown, and also Dr. Isaac Hiestor, of Reading, to use your Depurative Syrup of Sarsaparilla, of which I obtained several bottles, the use of which drove the disease entirely out of his system, the sore healed up, and the child was restored to perfect health, which he has enjoyed uninterruptedly ever since, to the astonishment of many persons who saw him during his affliction. I have thought it my duty, and send you this certificate that others who have a like affliction in the family may know where to obtain so valuable a medicine. Yours truly, AMELIA D. LEAF.

Sept. 16, 1843.—1y.

DR. P. E. VASTINE,

RESPECTFULLY informs the public that he has made Northumberland his place of residence, and is ready to attend to any calls in the line of his profession. He may at all times be found at Mr. James Lee's Hotel, Northumberland, Dec. 16th, 1843.—4t.

FORESTVILLE BRASS EIGHT DAY CLOCKS.

The subscriber has just received, for sale, a few of the above celebrated Eight Day Clocks, which will be sold at very reduced prices, for cash. Also, superior 30 hour Clocks, of the best make and quality, which will be sold for cash, at \$4.50. Also, superior Brass 30 hour Clocks, at \$8.00. Dec. 2, 1843. H. B. MASSER.

WILLIAM J. MARTIN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, SUNBURY, PA. OFFICE, in the second story of the building occupied by Dr. J. B. Masser, on Market street. Oct. 21st, 1843.

STONE WARE for sale.

25 Stone Jugs, from 1 quart to 3 gallons. 50 Stone Jars, from 2 to 6 gallons. For sale, cheap, by Geo. 14 H. B. MASSER.

THE SUBSCRIBER WILL SELL HIS STOCK OF BEAVER, RUSSIA and BRUSH HATS, of the best quality, at very reduced prices.

Sunbury, Aug. 5, 1843. H. B. MASSER

Cabinet-Making

(New Establishment.) WILLIAM HOOVER, RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Sunbury and vicinity, that he has recently commenced the

CABINET-MAKING BUSINESS,

in all its branches, in Market street, Sunbury, immediately below the post office, where he will be ready to receive a call, to execute all orders in the line of his business, with promptness and despatch, and in the best style and manner. His prices will be low, in accordance with the times. Lumber and Country Produce taken in Exchange. May 17th 1843.—6m.

C. C. MACKAY, Auctioneer,

respectfully invites the attention of persons desirous of purchasing Furniture, to his extensive Sales Rooms, (both public and private) for every description of Household Furniture, where can be obtained, at all times, a large assortment of fashionable and well manufactured Cabinet Furniture, Beds, Mattresses, &c., at very reduced prices, for cash. Sales by Auction, twice a week. May 27th, 1843.—1y.

Printer's Ink.

A few kegs for sale, at a small advance for cash. Dec. 9. H. B. MASSER.