

V. B. PALMER Esq. of Philadelphia at his Real Estate and Coal Office...

FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER.

JAMES M. POWER, OF MERCER COUNTY.

FOR CONGRESS.

ANDREW STEWART, OF FAYETTE COUNTY.

THE TAX ON MUSLIN.

"Mr. Weyand views the Tariff law of 1842 as very unequal in its operation, unjust and oppressive to the people generally."

The above are Mr. Weyand's views of the Tariff of 1842, in so far as relates to the "TAX" upon muslin...

The duty which the Tariff of 1842 imposed upon muslins, was upon the FOREIGN ARTICLE ALONE, which, in consequence of that duty, has been driven from the American market...

Since the above was written we called on one of our merchants, who has just returned from the East with a heavy stock of goods...

Rather Mysterious.

About the latter part of June a stray mare was seen running at large in the neighborhood of the clay pike, a mile or two from Centerville.

Mare—roan, 14 1/2 hands high, 11 or 12 years old, a little stiff in the neck, and on the hoof of the left fore-foot the marks of a wound, which has grown up.

The Charleston Evening News of 29th ult. says:—

Col. F. H. Elmore is nominated in the Mercury of this morning as Senator from this State to the Senate of the United States...

JOSEPH H. KUHN, ESQ.

The gentleman whose name stands at the head of this paragraph has been nominated by the friends of protection to American Industry in the district composed of the counties of Bedford, Cambria and Westmoreland...

"WOOL-PULING."

As we perceive efforts making in sundry quarters to mislead the public in regard to the duty on wool, as imposed by the Tariff of 1842...

Under the Act of 1842, the duty on wool not exceeding 7 cents per pound in value, is 5 per cent. and on all wool rated above 7 cents, it is 30 per cent. and 3 cents additional on each and every pound.

At 25 cts. a pound, 4 lbs. will cost \$1 00; the duty on which, at 30 per cent and 3 cts. a pound additional will be 42 cents.

At 15 cts it requires 6 1/2 lbs. to make \$1 00; which at 30 per cent. and 3 cts a pound, is 50 "

At 7 1/2 cts, 13 1/2 lbs. are worth \$1 00; the duty on which amounts to 70 "

Average duty per lb. 54 per cent.

Thus it is seen that while under the Act of 1846 the duty on wool of all descriptions is 30 per cent., that which was imposed by the Act of 1842 ranges from 42 to 70 per cent., except the coarse article, as already mentioned, and which does not come in competition with American wool...

But, while on this subject of wool, we may as well notice another fact, namely, the effects of the abandonment of the specific duty of 3 cts. per pound. Before the passage of the Act of 1846, wool sold here at 25 cts; at present it is selling at less than 20 cts, and by December, when the new Act goes into operation, it will probably be lower still.

Cost of 100 lbs wool at 25 cts. \$25 00 Amount of duty at 30 per cent. \$7 50 Add 3 cts. per lb. specific: 3 00—10 50

Value of 100 lbs. with the duty of 1842 added to the cost: \$35 50

Cost of 100 lbs. at 20 cts \$20 00 Duty on same, 30 per cent. per act of 1846: 6 00

Value of 100 lbs with the duty of 1846 added: 26 00 Loss to the Farmer, \$5 00 Do, to the Revenue, 4 50

Difference in favor of the Tariff of 1842, 9 50

The Administration has not suggested any plan by which to make up the loss of \$5 00 to the Farmer, but it proposes to supply the falling off of \$4 50 in the revenue by increased importations. This is its argument—Increase the revenue by reducing the duty.

There articles it will be perceived, embrace the luxuries of the rich, and many of those things most essential to the comfort of the poor; and yet as the special friends of the latter, they tax Wines 40 per cent., and Brandy, Rum, Gin, Whiskey &c., 100! Spices are taxed at 40 per cent., and Cosmetics and Perfumes 30 only! Silks are taxed 25 per cent., and Woolens 30! Watches 10 per cent., and Blacksmith's tools, Molasses, Pepper Sugar and Coal 30!

under that Act the wool of the American farmer was empty protected against foreign competition.

ALLEGANY SYNOD.

We learn that at the recent convention of the Allegany Ev. Lutheran Synod of Pennsylvania in Schellsburg on the 3d inst, the following gentlemen were chosen officers for the ensuing year, viz:

Rev. P. RIZER, of Somerset, President. Rev. J. WINECOFF, of Williamsburg, Secretary.

Rev. WILLIAM G. LEITZLE, of Martinsburg, Treasurer.

An extra session of this body, is to be held in Somerset, sometime next spring, for the purpose of revising and amending the Synodical constitution, and of adopting a general discipline for the government of the churches within its bounds.

THE FRAUD ADMITTED.

COAL, IRON, AND PENNSYLVANIA.—Most of our readers have already been informed that several of the leading locomotives of this State, who are in the confidence of the Administration, are, in the course of their electioneering tactics, making an effort to persuade the people that during the next session of Congress, the Tariff of '46 will be repealed, so far as relates to coal and iron.

"WE HAVE MADE UP OUR MIND TO STATE PLAINLY TO THOSE WHO WISH TO HOLD OUT INDUCEMENTS TO A PORTION OF THE PEOPLE OF PENNSYLVANIA, THAT THE NEXT CONGRESS WILL INCREASE THE DUTY ON COAL AND IRON, THAT NO SUCH THING WILL OCCUR. WE SAY TO PENNSYLVANIA, THAT THE NEXT CHANGE IN THE DUTY ON IRON WILL BE MADE IN THE DESCENDING, INSTEAD OF THE ASCENDING, SCALE."

Mark this! people of Pennsylvania. Pass it round, and circulate it among your neighbors.—Lan. Ex.

The New Tariff—The Rich and the Poor.

As the Administration party claim to have done so much for the laboring classes of the community, we have thought proper now that the great measure for their relief has finally passed and become a law, to make a few comparisons out of many, which may serve to show the difference between practice and profession.

Look on this picture—and then on THAT.

Table with 2 columns: 'FOR THE RICH' and 'FOR THE POOR'. Lists various goods and their prices for both social classes.

These articles it will be perceived, embrace the luxuries of the rich, and many of those things most essential to the comfort of the poor; and yet as the special friends of the latter, they tax Wines 40 per cent., and Brandy, Rum, Gin, Whiskey &c., 100! Spices are taxed at 40 per cent., and Cosmetics and Perfumes 30 only!

MARRIED.

On the 30th Dec. last, by Henry Landis, Esq., Mr. William Hite to Miss Susanna Fleck, all of Jenner tp.

On the 10th Feb. last, by the same, Mr. Samuel Boyer, to Miss Mary Ann Gallagher all of Jenner township.

On the 3d May last, by the same, Mr. Harman Umberger, of Jenner, to Miss Mary Pile, of Somerset tp.

On the 7th May last, by the same, Mr. Silas Mowry, to Miss Margaret Gallagher, all of Jenner township.

On the 13th August, by the same, Mr. Henry Smith, of Jenner township, to Miss Catharine Ling, of Quemahoning township.

On the 29th August, by the same, Mr. Jacob Horner of Quemahoning township, to Miss Rebecca Miller, of Somerset tp.

Orphans' Court Sale OF REAL ESTATE.

IN pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Somerset county there will be exposed to sale, by way of public outcry on the premises, on SATURDAY the 17th day of October, next the following valuable Real Estate, late the property of Peter Peterheim, dec'd viz:—a certain

Plantation and tract of land, situate in Stonycreek township, Somerset county, containing 134 acres and 35 perches and allowance, adjoining lands, of John Miller, Solomon Kirgler, Jacob Fritz, Abraham Landis and others, on which are erected a two-story

Dwelling House, large frame bank barn and other improvements; about sixty acres are cleared, a part of which is in meadow, and a good orchard on the premises;

Terms—One third of the purchase money to be secured on the premises for the use of Susanna Kemp, and late the widow of said Peter Peterheim, the interest whereof to be paid her annually during her natural life, and after her death the said third to be paid to the heirs and legal representatives of said deceased, one half of the residue in cash and the balance in three equal annual payments without interest to be secured by judgment bonds.

Attendance will be given by John Yoder, surviving Administrator of Peter Peterheim, deceased.

By the Court, W. H. PICKING, Clerk. Sept. 15, '46.

Public Sale.

THE subscriber will offer for sale, by way of public outcry, at his residence in Somerset township, on Friday the 9th of October next, the following personal property, viz:—

8 HEAD OF HORSES, 15 head of cattle, among them several milk cows, 25 head sheep, 3 hogs, a weaver's loom and gears, one cooking stove, a lot of hogsheads and barrels, 2 ploughs and 1 harrow, 1 cart and cart-gears, 3 sets of horse gears, and some new collars and bridles, 1 sleigh and 2 sets of harness, 1 threshing machine;

250 Bushels Wheat, 125 bushels rye, 300 bushels oats, 10 or 12 ton hay, and a variety of other articles, which will be exhibited on the day of sale.

Sale to commence at 9 o'clock, A. M., when the terms will be made known.

—ALSO—

at the same time and place, 147 acres of land situate in Somerset township, adjoining lands of Absalom Casebeer, Widow Shauman, Joseph Smith and others, 80 or 90 acres clear, 10 in meadow, and more can be made, with two

Dwelling Houses and cabin barn and other buildings thereon erected, and a fine orchard on the premises.

Terms will be made reasonable. JOHN CASEBEER, September 15, 1846.

Orphans' Court Sale of REAL ESTATE.

THE subscribers, Trustees for the sale of the real estate of John Kuhn, deceased, will offer at public sale, in the Borough of Somerset, on Saturday the 17th day of October next, the following valuable property, late the estate of said deceased, viz:

A certain plantation or tract of land, situate in Somerset tp. Somerset county, containing about two hundred and ninety acres, more or less, adjoining lands of Christian Ankeny, Jr. Jacob Ankeny of C. John Maust, Jacob Shalls and others, with a weatherboarded dwelling house and bank barn thereon erected, and two sugar camps on the premises; about one hundred and fifty acres cleared, at least thirty acres of which are in excellent meadow. The property is well watered, there being springs of water in nearly all of the fields and there is also, a young orchard of fruit trees on the premises.

TERMS— One third of the purchase money to remain a lien on the premises, the interest thereof to be paid to the widow of said deceased during her natural life annually, and after her death the principal to be paid to the heirs and legal representatives of said deceased; one half of the balance in hand and the remainder in four equal annual payments without interest, to be secured by judgment bonds.

Attendance will be given by the subscribers. ADAM MOWRY, HENRY J. HEIPLE, Sept. 15, '46, Trustees.

ASSEMBLY.

GENTLE READER, I am before you as a candidate for the ASSEMBLY, and respectfully solicit your support.

WILLIAM GRAHAM, Somerset borough, Sept. 15, 1846.

SHERIFFALTY.

To the Electors of Somerset County: At the suggestion of numerous friends, I offer myself to your consideration as a candidate for SHERIFF, at the ensuing election, and respectfully solicit your votes for the same.

If elected I will perform the duties of the office with fidelity. JACOB NEFF, September 15, 1846.

Jayne's Carminative Balsam.

IT is well known that regular physicians are shy of endorsing the virtues of any of that class of remedies commonly called "Patent Medicines," but so conspicuous have been the curative powers of this preparation, in its wonderful effects, that some of the first physicians in Pennsylvania, Maryland, and other States, have voluntarily come forward, and furnished Dr. Jayne with certificates of its sensitive influence.

It is now extensively prescribed in medical practice, as a remedy for cholera, infantum, dysentery, cholie, dyspepsia, and all diseases proceeding from a disordered action of the stomach, liver, intestines, or nerves, whether in children, or persons of adult age. It acts directly upon the secretories, and purifies the blood, by purifying the elements of which it is composed.

HAMILTON, N. Y. Oct. 8, 1841. Mr J. J. F. F. Dear Sir—I cheerfully add my testimonial to the numerous recommendations of Dr. Jayne's Medicines, which have already been given. I have found his Carminative successful in my family in cases where all other means had failed.

I have the gratification of a personal acquaintance with Dr. Jayne. He is an exemplary member of society, and sustains a high reputation in Philadelphia as a regular and skilful physician.

J. S. MAGINNIS, Professor in the Hamilton Literary and Theological Seminary.

Sold by J. J. & H. F. Schell, Somerset Pa.

Also by Edward Bevin, Styestown Pa.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE heirs of Peter Huston late of Somerset Borough, Somerset county, deceased, will offer at public sale at the late residence of said deceased, on Saturday the 19th day of September next, the following real estate to wit:

No. 1. One lot of ground lying in the Borough of Somerset with a large two story frame dwelling house, Carpenter shop, board shed, stable and other buildings thereon erected.

No. 2. One square of ground also in said Borough, in good grass, adjoining lots of Judge Black, Daniel Weyand and others.

No. 3. One out lot near the Borough of Somerset, containing five acres, about one half of which is cleared, the balance well wooded.

The title to the above property is indisputable. Terms will be made known on the day of sale by the heirs. CHAMBERS HUSTON, Sept. 1, 1846.

THIS WAY!

HATS! HATS!

Cheap, Good and Fashionable.

THANKFUL for past favors, the subscriber would respectfully inform his old customers and the public generally, that he continues to carry on the HATING BUSINESS, in all its branches, at his old stand on main street, in the borough of Somerset, where he keeps constantly on hand a supply of HATS of his own manufacture, made of the best materials and in every variety of style—embracing,

Fur, Nutria, Russia, Cassimer AND WOOL HATS.

Country Dealers will be supplied with any quantity they may desire for retail, on short notice and at moderate prices; and customers can at all times either have a choice from among the stock on hand, or have their hats made to order, of any QUALITY OR STYLE.

From his long experience in the business and a determination to sell cheap, and at the same time also that his hats shall not be excelled by those of any other establishment here or elsewhere, the subscriber flatters himself with the hope that he shall continue to receive a liberal share of public patronage.

CAUTION.— The subscriber understands that some persons have been selling hats as having been manufactured by him, which are made elsewhere—and he therefore cautions the public against purchasing any as his make, which have not the words "John C. Kurtz, Main street, Somerset, Pa." on the top.

Furs and approved country produce taken in exchange for hats.

CHEAP FOR CASH. JOHN C. KURTZ, Sept. 8, 1846.

A CARD.

TO the voters of Somerset county: For reasons which I do not deem necessary to make public, I have withdrawn my name as a candidate for the Legislature. Respectfully, J. KNEPPER, September 8, 1846.

CAUTION.

WHEREAS my wife Meheleth having left my bed and board, without just cause or provocation, I hereby caution the public against trusting or harboring her on my account, as I am determined not to pay any debts of her contracting, unless compelled thereto by law. HENRY GLODFELTY, September 8, 1846.

Notice to Bridge Builders.

THE Commissioners of Somerset county will sell, on the 25th day of September next the building of a Bridge over Stonycreek, in Shanksville in said county; sale to take place on the ground at 11 o'clock of said day, where a plan of the bridge will be exhibited. By order of the Commrs. R. L. STEWART, Clerk, Sep. 8, '46.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of administration, de bonis non cum testamento annexo, on the estate of Shaphet Dwire, sen., dec'd, having been granted to the subscriber, residing in Turkeyfoot township, Somerset county, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment before the 17th day of October next; and those having claims, to present on or before said day, properly authenticated. SHAPHET DWIRE, September 8, 1846—6t Adm'r.

STRAY COWS.

THREE stray Cows came trespassing on the premises of Peter Bowman, in Quemahoning tp. Somerset county, formerly called whiteoak spring; one red cow with long slender horns, left ear split, under part cut off, about six years old;

One white cow with red round her legs, on each side of her body two small red spots, with middle size horns, and the above mentioned ear marks, between five and six years old.

And one red and white spotted cow, about five years old, with the same marks. The owner is requested to come forward prove property pay charges and take them away; otherwise they will be disposed of as the law directs.

GEORGE PETERSON, Sept. 8, '46. Tp. Clerk.

Orphans' Court Sale OF Real Estate.

IN pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Somerset county, there will be exposed to sale by way of public vendue or outcry on the premises, on Saturday the 3d day of October next, the following real estate, late the property of Joseph Coughenour, of Allegheny township, deceased, viz: a certain

TRACT OF LAND, situate in Allegheny township Somerset county, containing about one hundred and forty acres, more or less, from eighty to one hundred acres of clear land, with a two story log dwelling house, a double barn, and an orchard of excellent fruit trees on the premises, adjoining lands of Edward Dorsey, and Noah Tipton, and land late the property of Frederick Alfather, deceased, and others.

Terms: one third in hand, and the balance in three equal annual instalments, without interest, to be secured by judgment bonds.

Attendance will be given by Jacob Hoon, Esq., Trustee for the sale of said Real Estate. By the Court, W. H. PICKING, Clerk, Sept. 8, 1846.

Real Estate FOR SALE.

IN pursuance of the last Will and Testament of Jacob Will, Sr. late of Somerset township, Somerset county, deceased, will be sold the following described Real Estate, late the property of the said testator, viz:

ONE PLANTATION and tract of land, situate in Somerset county, on the Somerset and Bedford turnpike, 5 miles due east from Somerset, adjoining lands of David Yoder, Abraham Rhoads, Nicholas Shultz, Peter Loeber and others, containing 357 acres and allowance, about 180 acres cleared, 30 acres of which are in good meadow, and more can be made, the remainder is good wood land well timbered; on which is erected a good two story weatherboarded log house occupied for many years past as a tavern. Also two other one story dwelling houses thereon erected, a large barn and other stabling, and some fruit trees thereon, and a good coal bank. The place is well watered, a never failing well of excellent water and a running pump at the door.

—ALSO—

Another plantation adjoining the same, containing 148 acres, one two story dwelling house and a good stable thereon erected; about 70 acres clear, 15 acres in meadow a good orchard and well watered.

Sale to commence on Monday the 21st of September at 10 o'clock A. M., on the premises, when the terms will be made known. JACOB WILL, WILLIAM WILL, Executors, Sept. 1, 1846.