## LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

A NORMAL SCHOOL.—The subject of education in Centre county, is beginning to attract a deserved attention, and we are glad to observe that the expectations of those who have given the cause so much attention, are fast being realized. A Normal school, for teaching the higher branches, and for fitting teachers for duty, is now being agitated, and the prospects are that such an establishment will be permanently located and successfully conducted in this county. It will be seen by the following letter, that the Superintendent gives the subject his hearty support. His views and suggestions are worth great consideration:

The teachers of Centre county have, doubtless, been looking forward to some arrangements being made by which they may have the advantage of some Normal establishment within the bounds of the county. Such an arrangement has been effected with Prof. J. J. Burnell, Principal of the Aaronsburg Academy; in consequence of which, he is about to open a Normal Department on the 16th of the present month, for the express accommodation of teachers, and those who may desire to qualify themselves for the profession. These arrangements are as complete as the time and means at command would admit of. The citizens of Aaronsburg and vicinity have entered with spirit into the matter, and are about erecting additional buildings which will be pressed forward to completion with the least possible delay; and in the mean time, suitable temporary accommodations have been procured.

That special preparation is necessary for the important and influential profession of teaching is now almost universally admitted. Mere knowledge is not sufficient, but right methods and facility in communicating knowledge are also needed. Yet there is a vast deficiency in literary attainments, to be supplied among a majority of the teachers of Centre county, and a still greater deficiency in regard to modes of instruction. We look to, and would encourage all our Academies and High Schools, as the means of elevating the standard of education in our primary and district schools. Academies, properly conducted, are designed to aid those who desire to qualify themselves for the employment of teaching; as well as to accommodate those parents who may wish to give their sons a more thorough education than is ordinarily attainable in the Common Schools. Such aid is furnished in various ways. First, the course of instruction pursued will carry them to a more advanced stage of scholastic attainments than most of them had hitherto reached. Secondly, the system of instruction pursued will usually furnish a good exemplification of what teaching ought to be, and thus exhibit to teachers a model worthy of their study and imitation. Thirdly, this one is designed, besides the ordinary purposes of an Academy, to afford direct and specific instruction in the art and science of teaching, and be not only a model school, but a Normal school.

If any teachers can make it convenient to attend the large Normal establishment conducted by Prof. J. Stoddard in Lancaster county, we most heartily commend it to their regards, as eminently adapted to the end proposed. Or if some of the teachers of our county, find it more convenient to spend the summer months at Pine Grove Academy, as being more convenient to their residences, the Principal of the Academy, J. E. Thomas, has assured me he will give them the advantage of a Normal department. That a majority of the teachers employed this year, must use some means, and make some special efforts to improve their literary attainments, and obtain additional knowledge in the art and science of teaching, before they enter upon another school year, is perfectly evident; and I will add, indispensable, if they would obtain certificates. The scarcity of qualified teachers, and the pressing necessity of the schools cannot longer be permitted to compel the issuing of certificates to manifestly unqualified teachers—teachers who are radically deficient in any or all of the branches to be taught. The design is, to elevate the occupation of teaching to a distinct profession, not resorted to as a mere means of temporary livelihood. He that would enter it as a life-long employment, must prepare for it, as the lawyer for the bar, and the minister for the pulpit. Temporary teachers, that is, those who resort to the occupation for a few months as a matter of expediency, and to replenish exhausted funds, are only to be endured as a necessary evil, till a better class of professional teachers can be prepared. WM J GIBSON, Supt.

Walker, April 16, 1856

LEWISBURG, CENTRE AND BEECH CREEK RAIL ROAD COMPANY.—The vigor with which this important improvement is being pushed forward, is commendable to those who have that work in hands, and cheering to the people of the country which the road will traverse. Immediate efforts are to be made for its gradation—and as all the supplements have been passed and approved, it will only require the energy of the Directors, and the liberality of the people along the line, to secure its speedy completion. One of these supplements extends the time for finishing the road at three years, and the other gives the Company power to issue $300,000 in bonds to aid in its construction. We congratulate our friends in that section, and trust that they will seriously join in an improvement which promises to develope the great resources and beauty of that part of Centre county.

BURGLARY.—On Tuesday night or Wednesday morning, the post office was entered, by forcing open the front window, and a package of letters for Philadelphia, eighteen in number, taken. The package contained nothing of any value to the thief. This has been the second time, within the last few months, that the office has been entered and robbed, and yet it is impossible to conjecture by whom. No blame can be attached to the obliging post master, Mr Cook, as he takes every precaution to the safety and speedy transmission of the mails. Whoever the thief is, he may attempt an entrance again at his own loss.

MARBLE WORKS.—It will be seen by an advertisement in another column that William H Shearman has extensively engaged in the marble business, in the borough. We had the pleasure of examining specimens of his workmanship, and unhesitatingly pronounce them to be perfect in every particular. The design of some of the single stones for graves are beautiful specimens of art—while their general appearance equals, if not excels any work done in Philadelphia. Mr. S is a worthy, skilfull and industrious man, and we bespeak for him a large share of patronage.

THE WEATHER.—Saturday, Sunday and Monday were just such days as farmers and lumbermen dread. It rained in torrents, and we will not be astonished to hear of much destruction of property. Spring Creek was as high, if not higher, than during the great flood of 1847—and the accounts from the river, are far from being cheering. If the rain should continue, the loss must be great.

FAT CATTLE.—We call the attention of farmers and others interested in the raising of stock, to the advertisement of Messrs Gilliland & Cottle in another column. The cattle advertised are the same spoken of so highly in the *Watchman* a few weeks ago, as being intended for the State Fair Exhibition at Harrisburg. They were fed by Mr. Samuel Gilliland, whose efforts towards the improvement of farm stock, have met with their deserved success.

DESTRUCTION OF THE BEECH CREEK BRIDGE.—We learn that the bridge crossing Beech Creek, this side of Quiggle's Mill, near Florence Post office, was swept away by the present high water in that stream. The consequence has been to delay travel in that neighborhood. We also learn that the mails from Bald Eagle has been considerably retarded by the high water.

AMPUTATION.—We referred last week to the accident which happened to Miss Brate, living in Liberty township, since then we have learned that the injury was so severe, that amputation became necessary. The operation was performed by Drs. Bethrock, on Monday last. Considering the extent of the injury, and the suffering of the lady, she is doing as well as could be expected.

COL. JAMES MACMANUS.—This gentleman was confined to his room for several days, by severe illness, but we are happy to learn that he is able now to be in his office. Col Macmanus is too useful a man and too good a Democrat to be long spared by this community.

THE AGRICULTURAL BARNS.—Mr. McClain, the contractor for the erection of the Barns on the farm belonging to the Agricultural College, is pushing on the work with great vigor. He will be able to finish it in a very short time.

FIRE.—On Sunday last, a chimney belonging to the residence of Mrs. Barner, caught fire, but fortunately no damage was done, Another warning to be prudent for a large conflagration.

COURT WEEK.—Next Monday the regular April term of the Court of Common Pleas commences in this Borough. It will be seen by the issue and argument lists below, that the session will be both interesting and important. During the week, we anticipate seeing many old and more new friends, and when they do come, they will find a welcome in the *Watchman* office. It is not inappropriate to allude here, to the manner in which the Democracy of the county, particularly for the past two months, have been laboring to increase the the circulation of their organ, and we feel that those efforts will be unabated as long as there is a Democrat in Old Centre. It is with pride that we make this allusion—and we assure our friends, that they can never discourage us in getting up a good paper, and work hard to send out the largest edition in Central Pennsylvania.

*Issue List for April Term, 1856.*

David Barr vs Geo. Jack et al. feigned issue.
Edward McGarvey vs Henry Hoy, appeal.
J. M. Smith vs Kline Quigley, case.
Fred. Frantz vs Daniel Frantz, eject.
Jane Baird vs William Ross, Executor, debt.
Robert C. Henderson et al vs Jas. Hunter, eject.
Hugh McGonigle vs Wm. Iddings, debt.
Daniel C. Shaffer vs William L. Musser, debt
Wm. Stratton et al vs Mary Biddle, eject.
Samuel Morrison vs Henry S. Ehrenfeld, appeal.
George B. Engles vs James Antes and Samuel Vidders, eject.
Thomas Farrell vs Steward and Miller, debt.
William Harding vs James Gordon, appeal
William McDowell, Administrator vs Samuel C. Brown, sci fa.
Caleb Straley, use of vs Samuel C Brown, sci fa.
Robert Kendall vs Jacob Houser, replevin.
William Shaw vs John Ansbaugh, sci fa.
William F. Reynolds & Co. vs Benner & Callahan, sci fa.
George Welsh vs Dunlap & Treaster, eject.
John H. Barnhart vs Wm. Riddle, debt.
Edward Purdue, Ex'r. vs Dr. John Purdue, Executor, debt.
John Williamson vs Wilson & Vantires, case.
Matthew Riddle vs Stewart & Miller, case.
Northumberland Bank vs P. Benner, Administrator et al, sci fa.
Centre county vs D. C. Boal et al, debt.
Charles M. Tangler et al vs Stewart & Miller, trespass.
Thompson & Reed vs John Hoy, debt.
Wm. H. Witmer vs Wm. Bear, Administrator, appeal.
P. B. D. Gray vs John Jarrett, sci fa.
John M. Hale vs Henry McLaughlin, sci fa.
Elizabeth Meek vs Jacob Reigard et al, covenant
John D. Packer vs Robert Mann, sci fa. (Three suits)
Jacob and Michael Kawk vs John Hoy, Jr., debt.
Edward C. Humes & Brother vs Robert Rothrock, debt.
James Uzzell vs James Taylor, case
William Confer vs Smith, Rhoades & Smith, appeal.
Daniel Trump vs Smith, Rhoades & Smith, appeal
Casper Peters use of vs Jno. Adams & Co., sci fa.
John Lucas vs Hocklins & Co, trespass.
Thomas Benner by his Guardian vs Wm. F. Reynolds et al, eject.
Anselman Loeb vs Samuel Wilson, appeal.
Witmer Harper vs Elias Sourbeck, sci fa.
Henry Ammerman et ux vs. William and David Campbell, debt.
Robert Elder vs Jesse Richards, eject.
Henry J Curtin vs James Irvin & Co, trespass
same vs Moses Thompson, do.
Franklin Reese vs Thompson McCoy & Co, trespass
R. C Gregg et al vs John Weaver and Robert Cook, eject.
Valentine Reese vs Samuel Cook, appeal.
McAllister and Gordan use of vs Clem Beckwith, sci fa. Three suits.
Robert Elder vs R. and A. Richards, eject.
James Cowher vs. James Dixon et al, eject.
Philip Williams et al vs James Irvin et al, eject.
Mis M'Gwin vs James Alexander, Administrator, sci fa.
George W Tate vs J S McMurray et al, debt
Daniel Richards vs Reynolds and Morris, trespass
John Bowes vs Darby Glenn, eject.
Jacob Roan vs Austin Curtin et al, sci fa
Michael Roan, Administrator vs Austin Curtin et al, sci fa
Anspach, Bro & Co, Evidences &c vs Hays Hartsock, debt
John Neal vs C Knorr, debt.
John Sankey vs Jacob Haller, eject.
George Coleman vs Borough of Bellefonte, appeal
C. W. Lambert & Brother vs William Hays & George W. Tate, sci fa.
Thomas Hughes vs A. S. Tipton, debt.
George Gates use of vs D. M. Bilger, debt

*Argument List.*

Samuel Morrison vs Henry Brockerhoff
Spring Township vs Borough of Bellefonte
Wm F Reynolds vs Edward and George Graham
Austin Lucas vs William Wengart.
James Johnston vs Franklin Stevenson
John P. Packer use of vs Fairview Seminary
John K Smith et al vs John Mulholand.
Wm. Stone vs Wm Myers.
Irvin, Hyman & Greeg vs Thomas Farrell
James H McCormick vs W A. McCalmont
Jacob Houser, Plaintiff in Error vs George Ottenkirk
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania vs Adam Hoy.

## MARRIED.

On the 8th inst, by the Rev. J. T Williams, Mr. SAMUEL EMBRICH to Miss SARAH CATHERMAN, all of Potter township, Centre county.

On the 17th inst, by the same, Mr GEO W. NEFF, of Auburn, Iowa, to Miss SUSAN HARPSTER, of Centre Hall, Centre county.

On the 3d inst, by Rev. A. R. Barlow, Mr. WILSON WILLIAMS and Miss ELLEN ARDY, both of Worth tp.

## DIED.

In Milesburg, on the 14th inst, Mr. SAMUEL M. HANN, aged about 28 years.

On Sunday evening 16th inst, JAMES JOHNSTON, aged about 68 years, late of Luthersburg, Clearfield county, Pa.

On the 15th inst, in Millheim, Mr. JOHN GOLDMAN, in the 53d year of his age.

☞ WHISKERS, BEARD AND MUSTACHIOS force to grow in six weeks by Dr. LAPOIT'S CAPILARY COMPOUND. Warranted not to stain or injure the skin. Price $1.00 per Package, or three for $2.00. Sent to any part of the country, by mail, on receipt of a remittance. Address SWEITZER & Co., Box 739 Post Office, Baltimore, Maryland.

MODERN INVENTIONS.—We know of no invention of modern times that deserves or is destined to occupy a higher niche in the temple of fame, than the discovery or invention of the Vegetable Epileptic Pills for curing Epilepsy, or Falling Fits, Spasms, Cramps, and all the various modifications of nervous disease. Dr. Seth S. Hance, of 108 Baltimore Street, Baltimore, Md., the inventor, is certainly entitled to the best wishes of all the benevolent portion of mankind, who experience a pleasure by the alleviation of human suffering. When Dr. Hance first prepared these Pills, he intended them solely for Fits, Cramps and Spasms; but subsequent experience satisfactorily proved to him, that in addition to their remarkable sanative properties in this class of diseases, they exerted a perfect control over the entire nervous system. He was then induced to try them in cases of Neuralgia, Tic-Doloreaux, Nervous Headache, Palpitation of the Heart, Incipient Paralysis, Hysteria, Muscular Debility, and a host of minor diseases, springing from a lack of nervous energy, in all of which his anticipation were crowned with the most sanguine success. Persons at a distance, by writing and sending a remittance to Dr. Hance, can have the medicine forwarded by mail to their post office address, he paying the postage. The prices are for a single box, $5; two boxes, $5; or $24 per dozen. We have given his address above.

## THE MARKETS.

REPORTED WEEKLY FOR THE DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN, BY WM. J. KEALSH.

BELLEFONTE, April 23.

There has been but little doing in grain for the week except to prepare for shipment. Flour has declined in the eastern market. An article appeared in a New York paper congratulating the country on being able to quote common to good flour at below $6 per bbl., and stating that no one ever heard of low prices of provisions being anything but a general benefit—however much some few individuals may loose by a reduction.

Flour, $4 per 100 lbs.
Wheat, $1 to $1.40 per bushel.
Rye, 60 to 65cts.
Corn, 40 to 45cts.
Oats, 28 to 30 cts.
Pork, none offering.
Potatoes 50 to 62½ cts.
Butter is not plenty at 20 to 25 cts. per lb.
Eggs 12½ cts. per dozen.

PHILADELPHIA, April 19.

Flour $5 50 to $5 75 for common to good brands, extra family $3 00 to $3 75. Pennsylvania and white Wheat $1 60 to $1 65. Rye, 80c. Corn 57 Oats 37½.

☞ Democratic Association.—The next stated meeting of the Association will take place at the Reading Room, on SATURDAY EVENING, April 26th. JOHN D. BIEBER, Pres't
W. J. KEALSH, Sec'y. ap26-1t

☞ Attention, Centre Cavalry!—A drill meeting of the troops will take place in the Borough of Bellefonte, on the first Monday of May. A full attendance is requested. By order of the Captain.
ap16 A. CARNER, O. S.

☞ Centre County Agricultural Society. A stated meeting of the Society will be held in Bellefonte, on TUESDAY EVENING of the April Court. The Committee to audit and settle the accounts of the Treasurer will present their report. The subject of discussion will be "SHEEP—THEIR BREEDING—WINTER AND SUMMER MANAGEMENT OF SHEEP." GEO. BUCHANAN,
ap16 Secretary.

☞ Notice.—By an Act of the General Assembly, passed last winter,

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| Thomas Huston, | Jacob Stuble, |
| William Smith, Jr., | H. P. Pontius, |
| Anthony Carnor, | M. T Milligan, |
| John Garner, | Roland Curtin, |
| John Swartz, | George Valentine, |
| Henry McEwen, | James Irvin, |
| Thomas McKean, | Jno. J. Gregg, |
| James Gordon, | Conrad Struble, |
| George Shaffer, | H. N. McAllister, |
| James T. Hale, | Edmund Blanchard, |

Are appointed Commissioners to open Books, receive subscriptions, and organize the Company by the name, style, and title of the "BELLEFONTE AND JUNCTION TURNPIKE ROAD COMPANY," with power to construct a Turnpike road from the Junction House, Clinton County, to Bellefonte, Centre county.

☞ A meeting of the above named Commissioners will be held in the Borough of Bellefonte, on SATURDAY, the 3d day of May, (Court week,) at 2 o'clock P. M, for the purpose of organizing said Company. A full attendence is requested.
JAMES IRVIN,
JAMES T. HALE,
ap23-3t EDMUND BLANCHARD.

☞ Notice.—An Act of the General Assembly was passed on the 9th instant, by which

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| WM UNDERWOOD, | JESSE UNDERWOOD, |
| ISAAC HICKLIN | H W. RUSSEL, |
| BENJ RICH, | JAMES BURNSIDE, |
| WILLIAM HICKLIN, | JAMES T HALE, |
| A. G. CURTIN, | EDWARD BLANCHARD, |
| JOHN ADAMS, | DANIEL IRVIN, |
| NATHAN GRIEST, | JAMES IRVIN, |
| CHAS C. PRICE, | |

Are incorporated into a body politic under the name, style and title of the "BALD EAGLE LUMBER MANUFACTURING COMPANY OF CENTRE COUNTY," and are authorized to open Books and receive subscriptions to the Stock of the same.

☞ A meeting of the above named Incorporators will be held at the house of Geo Taylor, in UNIONVILLE, on SATURDAY, the 29th instant, for the purpose of opening Books, and receiving subscriptions as aforesaid. WM UNDERWOOD,
WM HICKLIN,
ap16-3t ISAAC HICKLIN,

☞ Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the subscriber, having disposed of his entire stock of goods, &c, in Howardville, Centre county, wishes to settle up his accounts. All persons knowing themselves indebted will please call and make immediate payment, and those having claims against him will present them for settlement.

The subscriber will be found at the Perry House, one mile below Howardville, where he is now located. His friends in Clearfield and the public generally will bear in mind that it will be advantageous to them to call upon him when returning home from down the river.
ABR SUSSMAN,
feb20-'56 Perry House, Centre county

A CARD.—DR. E. C. GORGAS having now permanently located in Milesburg, offers his professional services to the citizens of that place and surrounding country. [ap23-6m

FAT CATTLE on EXHIBITION.—Some of the largest and fattest Cattle ever exhibited to the people of Centre county can be seen at the slaughter house of Gilliland & Cottle, on Court week. The cattle will be slaughtered on Thursday or Friday, and persons from the country wishing a cut of very superior Beef can get it.
ap23 2t GILLILAND & COTTLE.

FOR SALE—A HOUSE AND LOT, AND ONE HUNDRED ACRES OF LAND.

The undersigned is authorized to sell the House and Lot in the Borough of Bellefonte, situate on Allegheny street, adjoining lot of Wm Wolf on the south, and of J. B. Awl on the north.

ALSO—One Hundred Acres of timber and well timbered land, situate on Muncy Ridge, adjoining lands of the heirs of J. M. Benner, decd, and the heirs of Edward Purdue, decd.

Terms, &c, will be made known on application to
ap23-tf JAS. H. RANKIN, Agent

BOOT AND SHOE ESTABLISHMENT.—The subscriber would respectfully inform the public that he has purchased the large stock of Boots and Shoes belonging to T. F. Boalich, which he will offer to the public on fair and reasonable terms. He also intends manufacturing Boots and Shoes of all descriptions, on the shortest notice, and out of the best stock. The manufacturing department will be under the direction of T B Miller, as foreman whose long experience in the business will enable him to render satisfaction to the public. All work sold by us warranted not to rip, if so, it will be repaired without charge. Give us a call and examine for yourselves.
ap23 3t A AMMERMAN

BELLEFONTE MARBLE WORKS.—NEW ESTABLISHMENT.

*WM. H SHEARMAN*, late of Philadelphia, would most respectfully call the attention of the public to his large and well selected stock of Italian and American Marble, which he has selected with care. Being a practical workman, and having had the experience of putting up every kind of work in Philadelphia, the public can rest assured that they will not be imposed upon, by having their work done in an inferior manner. He invites the public to call and examine for themselves, and they will find that they can save from 25 to 50 per cent. Specimens of my work can be seen at all the cemeteries in Centre county.

All work contracted for by my agent, Mr. A. Jacob, will be executed with neatness and despatch. ap23-1y

THE FIRST OF THE SEASON.—MORE NEW GOODS AT *J. B. AWL & Co.'s CHEAP CASH STORE.*

We have now open for the inspection of the public, a large and well selected assortment of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

We respectfully invite all our friends, and the community generally, to give of a call. We have a beautiful and large assortment of

DRESS GOODS,

of all kinds, prices and figures, such as Black, Cross barred and Stripped Silks; Challies, Mous de Laine, Brilliants, Lawns, Ginghams, &c.

New Style of Parasols.
Embroideries, Undersleeves, Collars, Cuffs.
Ribbons, Laces, Fringes, &c.
Ladies' Dress Buttons and Trimmings.
Hosiery of all sizes, qualities and colors.
Gloves of every description, at low prices.

*READY MADE CLOTHING.*

Gentlemen's Goods will be found well assorted, fine in quality, and low in price.

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS AND CAPS.

Beautiful and new style patterns of

*OIL CLOTHS AND CARPETS.*

GROCERIES, FISH, SALT, &c., always on hand.

☞ All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for goods. Call and examine. No trouble to show goods. J. B. AWL & Co.,
ap23 Bellefonte.

## PHILADELPHIA ADVERTISEMENTS.

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BUCKER & DELL,
MANUFACTURERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN CLOTHING,
No. 154 North THIRD Street,
Jan30-3m Philadelphia.

CONRAD & WALTON,
IMPORTERS & WHOLESALE DEALERS IN CUTLERY, &c.,
225 MARKET STREET,
dec12-1y PHILADELPHIA.

J. D. SORVER. WM J. SMITH.
J. D. SORVER & Co.,
WHOLESALE DEALER IN TOBACCO, SNUFF AND SEGARS,
No. 6 North FIFTH Street, above Market Street,
dec19-1y PHILADELPHIA.

CONRAD, ROBERTS & CO.,
Importers and Dealers in
HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GUNS, &c.,
No. 122 North THIRD Street, Philadelphia.
HARRY CONRAD, G. W. YARDLEY,
GEO. H. ROBERTS, J. R. SELTZER,
J. T. RANK. Jan30-6m

S. D. STRAUB,
WITH
R. & W. O. BIDDLE & Co.
Importers and Dealers in Foreign and Domestic *HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GUNS, AND HEAVY GOODS,*
No. 47 MARKET Street, and No. 22 and 24 JONES' Alley, PHILADELPHIA
ROBT. BIDDLE,
W. C. BIDDLE,
feb13-6m* W M GRISCOM

J. RUSSELL WINGATE,
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Importers and Wholesale Dealers in *ENGLISH, FRENCH & GERMAN GOODS*
Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, Pongee and Linen Hdkfs., Cravats, Ribbons, Lace and Embroideries, Merino Silk and Cotton Shirts and Drawers, Trimmings, &c., &c., &c., &c., &c. feb13-3m*

JEFFERSON FIRE INSURANCE CO., OF PHILADELPHIA.
*OFFICE*—
No. 180 N. FOURTH STREET, ABOVE CALLOWHILL.
Incorporated by the Legislature of Penna.—CHARTER PERPETUAL.
CAPITAL AUTHORIZED BY LAW, $500,000.
Make Insurance against loss or damage by Fire, on Public or Private Buildings, Furniture, Stocks of Goods and Merchandise of all kinds, on favorable [illegible]

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REMOVAL.—*DRUGS, GLASS, AND PAINTS.*

ROBERT SHOEMAKER & Co, thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon them, hereby give notice, that owing to the great increase in their business, they have been obliged to seek more room, and to secure it, have removed from their old old stand, (S. W. corner of Second and Green streets,) to their NEW and SPACIOUS STORE, N. E CORNER OF FOURTH and RACE Streets, where an entire new and greatly enlarged stock of DRUGS, PAINTS, GLASS, DYE-STUFFS, &c., they are now prepared to furnish all their old, as well as new customers, with any article in their line, at the lowest prices and on accommodating terms.

We shall use every means on our part to render satisfaction to all who may favor us with their custom. ☞ As to prices, we can compete with any other house, and the quality of our goods is unsurpassed. ROBERT SHOEMAKER & Co,
N E corner of FOURTH and RACE Sts,
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Dealers in all kinds of plain and fancy *WINDOW GLASS.*

Prices current sent on application by mail, and goods delivered at any of the Depots or Wharves free of expense to the purchaser. fel13-1y

AARONSBURG ACADEMY.—Aaronsburg, Centre county, Penna.—The Summer Session of this Institution will commence on Wednesday, the 16th of April, 1856.

Aaronsburg is beautifully situated in one of the most pleasant portions of Penn's Valley. Upon the south and west, the alternate hills and dales, beautifully cultivated fields, and majestic forests, present a sight, both pleasing and picturesque, whilst upon the north the eye feasts upon the most grand and romantic mountain scenery. The town is well watered, and cannot be surpassed in healthfulness. Commodious buildings have been procured for the accommodation of the students until the

NEW BUILDING

is completed. The school edifice in course of construction is sixty feet in length, and will contain all the modern improvements in school architecture.

THE COURSE OF INSTRUCTION

in the Academy embraces a thorough and solid English education, whilst those who desire to prepare for business, or for College, have every advantage for the acquisition of Mathematics, and of the Latin, Greek and German languages. It is the design of the Principal and Trustees of this Institution, to make it a school of a high order, and in every way worthy of public patronage.

PELTON'S OUTLINE MAPS

have been procured, and are found a very valuable auxiliary in the study of Geography, as well as in Geology and Meteorology.

JOHNSON'S PHILOSOPHICAL CHARTS

have also been added, by means of which the study of the Heavens will be rendered both easy and pleasant.

PHILOSOPHICAL & CHEMICAL APPARATUS will also be added as soon as the building is completed.

Arrangements have also been made by means of which a NORMAL DEPARTMENT will be opened, together with a Primary School, for the accommodation of those who wish to qualify themselves for Teachers.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT'S APPENDAGE.

"I hereby give notice to the Teachers of the County, and others who may wish to qualify themselves for the profession, that I have entered into arrangements with Prof. J. J. Burrell, of Aaronsburg Academy, by which he will open a Normal Department, in connection with a Primary School for practice, designed especially for the accommodation of Teachers. Assistance has already been procured, and will be increased as the numbers in attendance may render necessary. This department will be under my general supervision, and subject to my visitation and direction at all times. In the location, special regard has been given to the reasonableness and cheapness of the terms on which board may be obtained in the village and immediate vicinity; so that teachers may attend at the least possible expense to themselves. I need not say, that the location is as healthy as any other point in the county. The reputation of Prof Burrell as an experienced teacher, I trust, will commend this effort to the favorable regard of teachers and others. WM J GIBSON,
Supt. Centre co."

EXPENSES: Board can be procured for $1.50 to $2.00 per week, in boarding houses or private families.

TUITION PER QUARTER.

English branches, $4.00—Greek, Latin and German, each, $5.00—Mathematics, $5.00—Normal Department, $5.00—Primary School, $2.00—Music on Piano, $10.00—Music on Guitar, $8.00—Contingent expenses, 37½ cents—Use of Piano, $2.00.

J. J. BURRELL, Principal.
N.B.—Teachers can enter at any time during the term. ap16

JOHN McBRIDE,
SADDLE AND HARNESS MAKER,
Corner of BISHOP and ALLEGHANY Streets,
Bellefonte, Penna.

Having permanently located in this region, intends to engage extensively in the Saddlery and Harness business. He will keep constantly on hand and manufacture to order, in the latest style, and in the most workmanlike manner,

Saddles, Bridles, Collars, Halters,
Wagon and Carriage Harness,
Wagon and Driving Whips,
Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags, &c, &c.

In short, every thing usually manufactured by Saddlers. All work warranted good. Give him a call before purchasing elsewhere. ap9-tf

NOTICE TO MERCHANTS.

The subscriber having two Boats in Philadelphia, which will remain there some ten days. Merchants and others wishing to ship Goods for Bellefonte or any intermediate point, will apply to A. L. CATTELL & Co., No. 13 North Wharves, or FRIOT, HOFFMAN & Co., Philadelphia.
ap23-3t WM. UNDERWOOD.

SPRING GOODS AT ISAAC MAY'S STORE.—Having just in a stock of desirable goods for the Spring business, which will be disposed of at reasonable prices, making it a favorable opportunity for all to come immediately and secure good bargains. Among his stock they be found the best assortments of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS.

Shawls, Bonnets and Ribbons, that was ever offered to the Ladies of this section. Also, a splendid assortment of

MEN AND BOYS' CLOTHING,

Cloths, Cassimers, and Vestings, together with all kinds of staple and fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Carpets, Oil Cloths, and in fact every thing that is wanted by the community.

☞ Purchasers will find it to their interest to call and examine for themselves.
ap16 ISAAC MAY, Bellefonte.

PATENT AMBROTYPES.

The subscriber now offers to the public a new style of pictures for superior to the Daguerreotype, Crystalotype or Talbotype. They are termed AMBROTYPES. The process for which is patented in the United States Great Britain and France. These pictures are conceded to be the most beautiful and truthful ever produced by the Photographic Art; are not reversed as Daguerreotypes and may be seen in any light. They also possess the rare property of being IMPERISHABLE. The exceeding fineness, depth of light and shade, and richness of tone, is vastly superior to all others—they are without the glare of Daguerreotypes—they will last for ages unchanged.

Put up so as to show two sides, and beautifully colored—this kind of picture—for novelty and exceeding beauty, is far above all others by any process whatsoever!

These pictures are taken ON PLATE GLASS and hermetically sealed. They offer a inducement to those wishing to send pictures to any foreign country, as they are proof against the action of water acids, climate, or atmosphere, and may be laid in water for months with perfect safety.

The subscriber having control of the patent for Centre county, and having received instructions in the AMERICAN GALLERY OF PHOTOGRAPHY, 126 Tenth Street, Philadelphia, is now prepared at his Gallery in Unionville, Centre Co., to take AMBROTYPES. Hours of sitting from 10 o'clock A. M. to 4 P. M. The public are invited to call and judge for themselves.

N. B.—Any person or persons infringing on the above patent in Centre county, will be dealt with according to law in such cases.

THOS. J. TAYLOR, *Agent.*
Jun 26 *And Photographer.*

AMBROTYPE, CRYSTALLOGRAPH, and DAGUERREOTYPE ROOMS.

J S BARNHART respectfully informs the public that he has removed his picture gallery to a magnificent suit of rooms in the Arcade, where his attention will be wholly given to the practice of the Photographic arts, and the sciences and arts pertaining to Heliography.

THE IMPROVED AMBROTYPES

are taken upon plate glass, and are entirely free from the objection of light so objectionable to daguerreotypes. They are also utterly imperishable; the name being derived from the word AMBRO, which in the original language signifies durability. They are beyond all question far superior to the best results of daguerreotypes, and are fast superceding them wherever they have been introduced.

As the time of sitting requires only from one to ten seconds by this process, persons desirous to obtain the likenesses of QUITE SMALL CHILDREN will find the difficulty heretofore attending the old art almost entirely obviated.

All that has been said of the Ambrotype can fully be appropriated to the CRYSTALLOGRAPH, excepting the origin and application of names. They are a most beautiful style of pictures, and needs only a casual examination to establish the particulars, of which the limits of an advertisement is quite insufficient to contain.

DAGUERREOTYPES of various styles will be taken in the finest style of the art, when preferred.

☞ Almost every variety of Ambrotype and Daguerreotype cases on hand.

☞ Instructions given in the foregoing branches on reasonable terms.

☞ Hours for operating, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. in summer, and from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. in winter.

ROOMS, SECOND FLOOR ARCADE, entrance on Allegheny street. Bellefonte, ap9

MEDICAL PARTNERSHIP.—DR. R. G. A. POTTER, having associated with him in the practice of medicine, Dr J B MITCHELL, they offer their professional services to the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity. When necessary, the unremitting attention of both will be given without additional charge.

☞ Dr Mitchell's residence at Mrs. Benner's, Bellefonte. dec12-tf

WM. P. MACMANUS, ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Attends to collections in Centre, Clinton and Clearfield counties.

Also, Deeds, Mortgages, &c., legally drawn—Terms, moderate. Office with James Macmanus, Esq., Bellefonte, Pa., jan16-tf

WILLIAM H. BLAIR,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
BELLEFONTE, PENN
Office with Hon James T Hale nov28

JAMES H. RANKIN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
BELLEFONTE, PA.,

NEW AND FASHIONABLE HAIR DRESSING AND SHAVING SALOON.—The undersigned respectfully announces to the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity, that he has opened a new and fashionable Hair Dressing and Shaving Saloon on Allegheny street, in the house occupied by Mr Turner, where, by strict attention to the business, he hopes to merit a liberal share of public patronage.

☞ RAZORS put in order.
mr26-1y J M DAUER

WANTED IMMEDIATELY A GOOD BOY of the age of 12 or 14 years with good reference, to learn the clothing business, at Beech Creek. A good chance will be given. For further particulars apply at the store of Martin Stone, opposite T F Boalich's Shoe Store, Allegheny street, Bellefonte, Pa.
ap9 JOS. G. STONE.

REMOVAL. The undersigned having removed from the Arcade Building to No. 5 BROCKERHOFF'S ROW, respectfully solicits a call from his old friends and customers.
ap2 WM J KEALSH, Agt.

DEPOSIT BANK, OF HUMES, McALLISTER, HALE & CO., BELLEFONTE, CENTRE Co., PA
DEPOSITS RECEIVED
BILLS OF EXCHANGE AND NOTES DISCOUNTED
COLLECTIONS MADE, AND PROCEEDS REMITTED PROMPTLY.
EXCHANGE ON THE EAST CONSTANTLY ON HAND jmr12-3m

TO THE PUBLIC.—The subscriber intends to occupy the store in ZION, lately kept by Amos Garver, where he will keep constantly on hand a splendid assortment of goods usually found in a country store. He respectfully invites the attention of all in want of goods to an examination of his stock.
ap2-tf B. SCHMELTZER

DENTISTRY.—J. D. WINGATE, SURGEON and MECHANICAL DENTIST, would inform his friends and patrons that he has permanently located in Bellefonte, and that he will be happy to attend to any who wish his professional services. All work done in the neatest style and warranted.

☞ Office and residence in the third house east of Mr. Scorbock's "Franklin House." ap2-1y

PLASTERING.—The undersigned, having made the most extensive arrangements, and having a large stock of material on hand, will be ready at a short notice to attend to all orders in his old line of business. He has employed none but the best workmen; and all work entrusted to his care, will be executed in a style which cannot be excelled. Whenever I furnish materials,

THE WORK WILL BE WARRANTED.

The men employed are none but the best, and in the absence of apprentices, builders can rely upon having their work done in such a manner as will give satisfaction.

☞ All orders addressed to Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa., will be promptly attended to.
feb27-tf C. W. LAMBERT.

LOCK HAVEN AHEAD AS FAR AS heard from.—The great bragadocia and gas house at Milesburg, who takes the liberty to call us marble speculators, know-nothings, &c. This beautiful specimen of old Johnny Bull must consider it vulgar to be born in America, yet he has the audacity to ask Americans to support him in business. He acknowledges with great frankness, that he has got the "steam up," and judging from appearances, and report, it has been up for some time. Perhaps the Maine Law would bring it down 250 degrees at least. He says it is blossoming like the rose; of course, referring to the blossom on the end of his proboscis. His brilliant discovery is "the first of the kind in the world," according to his statement. Oh, save us from land sharks, turkey-buzzards, and hot lava.
S. A. GIBSON,
mr19 Lock Haven Marble Works.

NEW HARDWARE STORE. M. T. REYNOLDS and J. G. FRANCINCUS have opened in LOCK HAVEN a complete assortment of HARDWARE, to which we invite the attention of all needing any thing in the line. Our stock has been selected with care, with the express desire to supply the community with such articles as belong EXCLUSIVELY to the Hardware business. The Building Material and Hardware used in the various mechanical branches, will receive our particular attention. Coachmakers, Saddlers