# THE DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN.

BELLEFONTE, JULY 2, 1857.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

SUDDEN DEATH.—While wandering through our beautiful Cemetery, on Sabbath last, we overheard a thoughtless young lady remark that she would like to pass away suddenly, from the full enjoyment of life, to death.—We have before heard this remark, and we find also a clergyman using the same idea. It appears to us there is a lack of true philosophy in the thought. Whatever may be our state or preparation, we feel that the associations of life, its business, and its intercourse, tend to soil our garments, to distract our mind, and lead it off from the great object of human consideration; the lengthened death sickness enables us to remedy the evil, and set our household in order, to look upon what we are leaving with that proper estimate of its uses, which enables us rightly to dispose of it, and to consider the relations and tendency of those whom we leave, so that we may properly direct their steps.

To rest on the "Mountain of Beaulah," and to look beyond the flood, was the privilege of those who had sojourned long and carefully in the right road, according to Bunyan, and the rash foot that splashed aside the water of the divided stream, was not firm when the current set strong.

He who had contemplated long and profitably the slow approach of death, said, imploringly;

"Gently, most gently, on thy victim's head,
Consumption lay thy hand"

And life itself is little else than a consumption, by which we slide downward from the cradle to the grave. Yet a deeper slope and a greater angle, in the descending grade, admonish us that we approach the close of our journey, and give intimation for special preparation. He who is conscious (but who is?) of no imperfection may wish to start upwards, like the perfect prophet, with "the Chariot of Israel, and the horsemen thereof." But in these latter day-times, betwixt the flush of life and quenching of its brightness, moments, at least to say, "receive my spirit," would be cheaply purchased by a martyr's pangs

THE FOURTH OF JULY AND THE FANTASTICS—As our neighbors, in their issues of last week, announced that nothing would transpire in this place on the Fourth, and as we have heard persons say the Fantastic Programme is a hoax, that nothing of the kind will be seen, &c., we again announce that the Fantastics will appear in their most ridiculous and amusing character, on that day. In addition to the Programme, as announced in our paper last week, and on the posters, we have the pleasure of announcing that the "Owl Hollow Rangers," commanded by Captain ROCKIBACCODUNDERWOOLISLAGENBLITZENGROSSENMEYERHONS, who will parade in Milesburg on the Fourth, intend accompanying the Band to town, on their return from that place. The "Rangers" are well drilled and fully equipped for parade, and are determined to make such an array as will redound to the credit of "Owl Hollow." Then, come along, all ye lovers of real, genuine, number one sport, and we will insure you as hearty a laugh as you ever experienced. We trust our neighbors, who are evidently uninitiated, will not again contradict the announcement.

PISTOLS.—These instruments may be of use, and no doubt are when in the hands of proper persons, and properly used, but we cannot, for the life of us, see their practical utility in the hands of boys aged from seven to twelve years We are led to these remarks from the free use the children of our borough make of pistols. A few days since one little fellow concluded there was no use shooting unless he had something at which to shoot. Accordingly, he pulled off his coat, hung it up, and put several shots through it—*merely for sport!* Another, perhaps nine years of age, discharged his pistol so incessantly that it soon became heated, and, in pouring in the powder it exploded, the boy's eyes narrowly escaping. On other occasions we have known them to put on caps and crack them at each other, How easy it might be to have some of their brains blown out in this way. Parents cannot be too careful in watching their children, and if they do their duty no boy will again be seen flourishing a pistol 'round our streets, to the infinite danger of the whole community.

A gentleman came to town a few days since, fell in with a traveling cobbler—a regular sharper—and, getting familiar, both became generally "*merry.*" A short time after they had "hitched traces," the gentleman missed his friend, the cobbler, and his pocket book containing upwards of one hundred dollars. Search was made for both but neither could be found. The money and the cobbler have not since been heard from. This is purchasing friendship rather dearly, and, we think, should serve as a warning not to be too fast in making the acquaintance of strangers, lest, in turn, as in this case, they prove to be "fast" men, and make free with your money.

ASHES, &c., IN THE STREET.—It would be a very good idea for the borough authorities to pass an ordinance compelling tenants to keep a box in which to empty all ashes and dirt which accumulate on their premises; and make an appropriation by which the Street Commissioner could have the same carted away, at least once a week, or oftner, if necessary. Thus the streets would be kept free from all garbage, and present a clean appearance.

ANSWER.—A lady correspondent sends us the following answer to last week's "rebus:"—"By a minute calculation, I find it would take about ten minutes to open the gutter on the North side of the Diamond." As our correspondent is evidently good on a re-*buss*, we would ask her how much labor will be necessary to repair our *hole*-y pavements?

LADIES DRESSES.—This is a delicate subject. We are almost sorry we meddled with it. One might as well rub against a hornet's nest, as to brush fault-findingly against anything which the dear creatures please to wear and call a dress—with this vast difference, however: the stings of one are always grievous, while the resentments of the other are as often agreeable as otherwise. Three weeks since we ventured a few remarks—very gently we thought then—exceedingly indiscreet we think now—in relation to crinolines, alias hoops. Quick as the mail could go to Wisconsin and return, we have in hand, from the hand, and in the pretty handwriting of a handsome female, a regular *dressing*. We do not absolutely know that our observations elicited this rejoinder. But we feel "sort o' guilty;" the coat seems to fit us, and so we put it on. We have not room for the whole article: but to give our readers a sample of the way and style we have got *hooped* for interfering with crinoline, as well as to show the spirit of the fair indignant, we give a few extracts.

"*Those hoops again I do declare!*"

O dear' what a fuss do the gentlemen make,
Of women's apparel forever they prate
Yet they shave off their beards the women to ape,
Howe'er it may hurt them so smootly to scrape
And a shawl 'round their shoulders they closely do draw,
Like the old woolen blankets once worn by the squaw
They *may* wear them, tis right, I don't care a straw,
Though so often in *our* dress they're picking some flaw.

They sometimes imagine her clothes are too tight,
And that her hooped skirts are a terrible fright,
Her dress is too long, and, if short, 'tis not right,
And they say her nice pants are a horrible sight

If she puts on a costume her health to refresh,
And, to save cash and cloth, adopts the short dress,
So convenient, the merchants express
*Their* fears by the scribblings they send to the press.

Enough. We are conscious that our Wisconsin friend has the best of the argument, so we do the handsome thing by owning up. We do this, however, be it *especially* understood, in behalf of our sex. For ourselves, "individually and collectively," we do *not* shave our beards off—*entirely!* we *never* wear shawls; we rather like a "reasonably" short dress; and, as for costumes, we are in love with anything that pleases the fancy of the fair sex. We make it a principle to love all who are fair, our wife and our sweetheart more particularly; and we make it our interest to love all they possess.

We are informed that some villanous rascal entered the house of Mr. H H Weaver, of Haines township one day last week, and took from the bureau drawer his pocket book containing one hundred and forty dollars. Mr. Weaver, we believe, as yet, has received no clue to the thief or money. As these instances are becoming frequent, we advise our citizens to be on the look out.

YOUNG AMERICA.—The juveniles, in the exuberance of their patriotism have already commenced exploding fire-crackers. They should wait until the Fourth, when they will be allowed the "largest *liberty*" for indulgence in pyrotechnic sports, and other patriotic demonstrations incident to Independence Day.

MARRIAGES AND DEATHS are published in the Watchman, gratuitously, if handed in; but we wish it *distinctly* understood that we are not going to *run after* such items. Let this be remembered.

All communications recommending persons for office will be charged at our regular advertising rates, and no such communication will be inserted unless accompanied by the cash.

ORGAN GRINDERS.—One of these patient people discoursed music through our streets on Monday last, with his usual accompaniment—a train of dirty children.

PROF. WOOD'S Hair Restorative is said to be the only sure cure for baldness and gray hair. It removes all scurf, dandruff and scrofulous eruptions from the scalp, and in a few days restores gray hair to its original color and beauty. This preparation contains no coloring matter, but resuscitates the hair by invigorating and restoring perfect health to the scalp, thus imparting new life and vigor to the roots, and by them causing healthy fluid to flow into each separate hair Louisville Times. July 2-28 2t.

DUYALL'S GALVANIC OIL will check and eventually cure more aches and pains than any other remedy known Ask those that have used it Sold by A Brittain, Bellefonte; Johnston & Weller Boalsburg, A Sample & Co, Pine Grove; Brew & Bailey, Stormstown, C J Ryman, Milesburg; Wm. Allison, Jacksonville, J R Burkert, Nittany, and others

HELMBOLD'S HIGHLY CONCENTRATED EXTRACT BUCHU, is prepared directly according to the rules of Pharmacy and Chemistry, and is the best and most active preparation which can be made for the cure of diseases of the bladder, kidneys, gravel, dropsy, weaknesses, &c Read the advertisement in another column, headed "A revolution is certain. Victory is ours.

### THE MARKETS.

| BELLEFONTE, July 2, 1857. | | | |
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| Flour, | $9,00 | Clover seed, | $6,50 |
| Wheat, | 2,00 | Timothy, cleaned, | — |
| Rye, | 1,00 | Flax seed, | 1,00 |
| Corn, | 100 | Potatoes, | 1,25 |
| Oats, | 50 | Butter, | 12 |
| Barley, | 87 | Eggs, | 12½ |
| Buckwheat, | 100 | Tallow, | 12½ |
| Bacon, | 16 | Lard, | 12½ |

Sheriff.—We are authorized to announce the name of H. H. WEAVER, of Haines tp as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, at the coming election, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS! NOTICE! The undersigned would respectfully inform his old customers and the public in general that he has removed his shop from Stormstown to Bellefonte, in the shop formerly occupied by Barney McClain, where he is prepared to repair and make all kinds of Threshing Machines at the shortest notice and on the most liberal terms. All work insured. Shop on Logan street South of Bishop. Residence at R. D Cummings' Hotel.

New Machines always on hand to be seen.

July 2-28-6m. JOHN M'ALARNEY,

NOTICE.—THE SUBSCRIBERS TO the Capital stock of the Tyrone and Lock Haven Rail Road are hereby informed that an instalment of ten dollars per share is required to be paid to the Treasurer, on or before the 28th of July next, in time for the estimate due on the 1st of August. As a large force is now at work, it becomes absolutely necessary to provide funds to pay them.

By Order of the Board.

EDMUND BLANCHARD, Treasurer.

July 2, 1857

# By Authority.

## RESOLUTION

PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE Constitution of the Commonwealth.—*Resolved, By the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met,* That the following amendments are proposed to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, in accordance with the provisions of the tenth article thereof:

FIRST AMENDMENT.

There shall be an additional article to said Constitution to be designated as article eleven, as follows

ARTICLE XI.

OF PUBLIC DEBTS.

SECTION 1.- The State may contract debts, to supply casual deficits or failures in revenues, or to meet expenses not otherwise provided for; but the aggregate amount of such debts, direct and contingent, whether contracted by virtue of one or more acts of the General Assembly, or at different periods of time, shall never exceed seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and the money arising from the creation of such debts shall be applied to the purpose for which it was obtained, or to repay the debt so contracted, and to no other purpose whatever.

SECTION 2. In addition to the above limited power the State may contract debts to repel invasion, suppress insurrection, defend the State in War, or to redeem the present outstanding indebtedness of the State, but the money arising from the contracting of such debts, shall be applied to the purpose for which it was raised or to repay such debts, and to no other purpose whatever

SECTION 3 Except the debts above specified, in sections one and two of this article, no debt whatever shall be created by, or on the behalf of the State

SECTION 4 To provide for the payment of the present debt, and any additional debt contracted as aforesaid, the legislature shall, at its first session, after the adoption of this amendment, create a sinking fund, which shall be sufficient to pay the accruing interest on such debt, and annually to reduce the principal thereof by a sum not less than two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, which sinking fund shall consist of the net annual income of the public works, from time to time owned by the State, or the proceeds of the sale of the same, or any part thereof, and of the income or proceeds of sale of stocks owned by the State, together with other funds or resources, that may be designated by law The said sinking fund may be increased, from time to time by assigning to it any part of the taxes, or other revenues of the State, not required for the ordinary and current expenses of government, and unless in case of war invasion or insurrection, no part of the said sinking fund shall be used or applied otherwise than in extinguishment of the public debt, until the amount of such debt is reduced below the sum of five millions of dollars.

SECTION 5 The credit of the Commonwealth shall not in any manner, or event, be pledged, or loaned to any individual, company, corporation, or association, nor shall the commonwealth hereafter become a joint owner, or stockholder, in any company, association, or corporation

SECTION 6 The Commonwealth shall not assume the debt or any part thereof, of any county, city, borough or township, or of any corporation, or association, unless such debt shall have been contracted to enable the State to repel invasion, suppress domestic insurrection defend itself in time of war or to assist the State in the discharge of any portion of its present indebtedness

SECTION 7 The Legislature shall not authorize any county, city borough township or incorporated district, by virtue of a vote of its citizens, or otherwise, to become a stockholder in any company, association or corporation or to obtain money for or loan its credit to any corporation, association, institution or party

SECOND AMENDMENT

There shall be an additional article to said Constitution, to be designated as article XII, as follows.

ARTICLE XII

OF NEW COUNTIES

No county shall be divided by a line cutting off over one tenth of its population, (either to form a new county or otherwise) without the express assent of such county by a vote of the electors thereof nor shall any new county be established, containing less than four hundred square miles

THIRD AMENDMENT

From section two of the first article of the Constitution, strike out the words, "*of the city of Philadelphia and of each county respectively,*" from section five same article strike out the words "*of Philadelphia and of the several counties,*" from section seven same article strike out the words, "*neither the city of Philadelphia nor any,*" and insert in lieu thereof the words, "*and no*" and strike out section four same article, and in lieu thereof insert the following

"SECTION 4 In the year *one* thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and in every seventh year thereafter, representatives to the number of one hundred, shall be apportioned and distributed equally throughout the State by districts, in proportion to the number of taxable inhabitants in the several parts thereof except that any county containing at least three thousand five hundred taxables, may be allowed a separate representation, but no more than three counties shall be joined, and no county shall be divided, in the formation of a district Any city containing a sufficient number of taxables to entitle it to at least two representatives, shall have a separate representation assigned it and shall be divided into convenient districts of contiguous territory, of equal taxable population as near as may be, each of which districts shall elect one representative"

"At the end of section seven, same article, insert these words, "the city of Philadelphia shall be divided into single senatorial districts, of contiguous territory as nearly equal in taxable population as possible, but no ward shall be divided in the formation thereof"

The Legislature, at its first session after the adoption of this amendment, shall divide the city of Philadelphia into senatorial and representative districts in the manner above provided, such districts to remain unchanged until the apportionment in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four

FOURTH AMENDMENT

There shall be an additional section to the first article of said Constitution, which shall be numbered and read as follows

"SEC. 26 The Legislature shall have the power to alter, revoke, or annul, any charter of incorporation, hereafter conferred by, or under, any special, or general law, whenever in their opinion it may be injurious to the citizens of the Commonwealth; in such manner however, that no injustice shall be done to the corporators"

IN SENATE, *March*, 27, 1857

*Resolved* That this resolution pass On the first amendment Yeas 24, Nays 7, on the second amendment, yeas 23, nays 8, on the third amendment yeas 24 nays 4, on the fourth amendment, yeas 23, nays 8

[Extract from the Journal.]

GEO W HAMERSLEY, *Clerk*

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, *April* 20, 1857.

*Resolved*, That this resolution pass On the first amendment, yeas 78, nays 12, on the second amendment, yeas 57, nays 34, on the third amendment, yeas 72, nays 22, on the fourth amendment, yeas 83, nays 7

[Extract from the Journal.]

JACOB ZEIGLER, *Clerk.*

Filed in the Secretary's office, May 2, 1857.

A G. CURTIN,
*Secretary of the Commonwealth*

SECRETARY'S OFFICE, HARRISBURG, *June* 22, 1857.

*Pennsylvania, ss*

I do certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original "Resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth," with the vote in each branch of the legislature upon the final passage thereof as appears from the originals on file in this office

[L. S.] In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the seal of the Secretary's Office, the day and year above written

A G CURTIN,
*Secretary of the Commonwealth*

IN SENATE, *March* 27, 1857

The resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth being under consideration, on the question,

Will the Senate agree to the first amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz

Yeas—Messrs. Brewer, Brown, Coffey, Ely, Evans, Fetter, Fleniniken, Frazer, Ingram, Jordon, Killinger, Knox, Laubach, Lewis, Myer, Scofield, Sellers, Shuman, Steele, Straub, Welsh, Wilkins and Wright, *Speaker*—24.

Nays—Messrs Crabb, Crosswell, Finney, Gregg, Harris, Penrose and Souther—7.

So the question was determined in the affirmitive.

On the question:

Will the Senate agree to the second amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Brewer, Brown; Cresswell, Ely. Evans, Fetter, Finney, Fleniniken, Ingram, Jordon, Knox, Laubach, Lewis, Myer, Sellers, Shuman, Souther, Steele, Straub, Welsh, Wilkins, Wright and Taggart, *Speaker*—23

Nays—Messrs. Coffey, Crabb, Frazer, Gregg. Harris, Killinger, Penrose and Scofield—8.

So the question was determined to the affirmative.

On the question.

Will the Senate agree to the third amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Brewer, Browne, Crabb, Cresswell, Ely, Evans, Fleniniken, Frazer, Ingram, Jordon, Killinger, Knox, Laubach, Lewis, Myer, Scofield, Sellers, Shuman, Souther, Steele, Straub, Welsh, Wilkins and Wright—24.

Nays—Messrs. Coffey, Gregg, Harris and Penrose—4.

So the question was determined in the affirmative

On the question,

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Nays—Messrs Crabb, Finney, Jordon, and Penrose—4

So the question was determined in the affirmitive.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, *April* 29, 1857

The resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth being under consideration,

On the question,

Will the House agree to the first amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken, agreably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz

Yeas—Messrs Anderson, Arthur, Backhouse, Ball, Beck Bishop, Bower, Browne, Calhoun, Campbell, Chase Cleaver, Crawford, Dickey, Ent, Exeter, Fausold, Foster, Gibbony, Gildea, Hamel, Harper, Heins, Hiestand, Hill, Hillegas, Hoffman, (Berks,) Imbric, Innes, Jacobs, Johnson, Kauffman, Kerr, Knight, Leisenring, Longaker, Lovett, Maneur, Maugle, McCalmont, Moorhead, Mumma, Musselman, Nichols Nicholson, Nunnemacher, Pearson, Peters, Petrikin, Pownall, Purcel, Ramsey, (Philadelphia) Ramsey, (York,) Reamer, Reed, Roberts, Rupp, Shaw, Sloan, Smith, (Cambria) Smith, (Centre,) Stevenson, Tolan, Vail, Vancoorhis, Vickers, Voeghley, Walter, Westbrook, Wharton, Williston, Witherow, Wright, Zimmerman and Getz, *Speaker*—78

Nays—Messrs Backus, Benson, Book, Hamilton Hancock, Hine, Hoffman, (Lebanon,) Lebo, Struthers, Thorn, Warner and Wintrode—13

So the question was determined in the affirmative

On the question,

Will the House agree to the second amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz

Yeas—Messrs Anderson, Backhouse, Ball, Beck, Bower, Calhoun Campbell, Carty, Ent Fausold, Foster, Gildea, Hamel, Harper, Heins, Hiestand Hillegas Hoffman, (Berks,) Housekeeper, Imbric, Innes, Jenkins, John Johnson, Kauffman, Knight Leisenring—Longaker, Lovett, Maneur Maugle McIlvain, Moorhead, Musselman, Nichols Nicholson Nunnemacher, Pearson, Peters Petrikin Pownall, Purcell, Ramsey, (Philadelphia) Ramsey (York) Reamer, Roberts, Rupp Shaw Sloan, Tolan Vail Voeghley Walter, Westbrook Wharton, Zimmerman and Getz, *Speaker*—57.

Nays—Messrs Arthur Augustine Backus, Benson Bishop Brown Chase Cleaver Crawford Eyster, Gibbony, Hamilton, Hancock Hill Hine Hoffman (Lebanon) Jacobs, Kerr Lebo McCalmont, Mumma Reed, Smith (Cambria) Smith, (Centre) Stevenson, Struthers, Thorn Vancoorhis Vickers Wagonseller, Warner, Wintrode, Witherow and Wright—34

So the question was determined in the affirmative

On the question

Will the House agree to the third amendment?

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Yeas—Messrs Brewer, Browne, Coffey, Cresswell, Ely, Evans, Fleniniken, Frazer, Ingram, Killinger, Knox, Laubach, Lewis, Myer, Scofield, Sellers, Shuman, Souther, Steele, Straub, Welsh, Wilkins and Wright—23

Nays—Messrs Crabb, Finney, Jordon, and Penrose—4

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Nays—Messrs Arthur, Augustine, Backus, Bishop, Carty Book Gildea, Hamilton, Hancock Hine, Jenkins Knight, Leisenring, McIlvain, Ramsey, (Philadelphia,) Roberts, Struthers Thorn, Walter, Warner, Wharton, and Wintrode—22

So the question was determined in the affirmative

On the question,

Will the House agree to the fourth amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follows, viz

Yeas—Messrs Anderson, Arthur Backhouse, Backus Ball, Beck, Benson Bishop, Bower, Brown, Calhoun, Campbell, Carty Chase, Cleaver, Crawford, Dickey, Ent, Eyster Fausold, Foster, Gibbouey, Gildea, Hamel, Harper, Heins, Hiestand, Hill Hillegas, Hoffman (Berks) Hoffman (Lebanon,) Housekeeper Imbric Innes, Jacobs Jenkins Johns Johnson, Kauffman Kerr Lebo Leisenring, Longaker, Lovett, Maneur, Maugle, McCalmont McIlvain, Mumma Musselman Nichols Nicholson, Nunnemacher Pearson, Peters, Petrikin, Pownall, Purcell, Ramsey, (Philadelphia) Ramsey (York,) Reamer Reed, Roberts, Rupp, Shaw, Sloan, Smith (Cambria) Smith (Centre,) Stevenson, Tolan, Vail, Vancoorhis, Vickers Voeghley, Wagonseller, Walter, Warner, Westbrook, Wharton, Williston, Witherow, Zimmerman, and Getz *Speaker*—83

Nays—Messrs Dock, Hamilton Hancock, Struthers, Thorn, Wintrode, and Wright—7

So the question was determined in the affirmative

SECRETARY'S OFFICE HARRISBURG, *June* 22, 1857

*Pennsylvania, ss*

I do certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the "Yeas and Nays" taken on the resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth as the same appears on the Journals of the Houses of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth for the session of 1857

Witness my hand and the seal of said [L. S.] office, this twenty-second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven

A G. CURTIN,
*Secretary of the Commonwealth*

July 2-28-3m

FARMERS, LOOK TO YOUR INTERESTS!—IMPROVEMENT IN GRAIN PLANTERS—HUNT'S PATENT SEED AND GRAIN PLANTER!—MANUFACTURED BY G. K. BOWERS, OF LANCASTER, PA.—This Machine operates well on all kinds of land, and cannot be injured by rocks, roots, &c It will plant point rows, and all irregular shaped fields, without any double labor With two horses, it will plant with ease from 10 to 12 acres per day of Wheat, Rye, Barley, or other small grain It will save from 2 to 3 pecks of seed to the acre, and yield from 15 to 20 per cent, more than the broad-cast seeding, by distributing the seed uniformly at any desired depth The objection so common to Drills, of becoming choked, provided the seed is not perfectly cleaned, is entirely removed in this Drill, as white-caps and short straw will not prevent the regular distribution of the seed

A machine will be kept on hand for the inspection of the public, by the undersigned, who is the only authorized agent for Centre and adjoining counties. Those who wish the article should make known their wish in due season so that they may be ordered, and arrive in time

DANIEL DERR, Agt,
— for G K BOWERS

Bellefonte, July 2, 1857-2t-3m.

HIDES WANTED.—THE HIGHEST Market Price paid in cash for Hides, by the subscriber, at the Old McKean Tannery, in Milesburg J. S. PROUDFOOT

June 25-27-tf

IMPORTANT TO CARPENTERS.—FOR sale, a large assortment of Augurs, Planes, Hinges Screws, Files, Locks, Bolts, &c, &c, at a small advance on Phil's prices. WILSON & BRO'S.

BUGGY & RIDING-WHIPS.—A LARGE assortment of Wells Riddle & Co's fancy driving whips, for sale at WILSON & BRO'S.

A GOOD, NEW TWO HORSE WAGON for sale by WILSON & BRO'S.

MACKEREL.—JUST RECEIVED BY Capt. Ickoff's boat, a fresh supply of Mackerel in barrels and ½ barrels, at the Cheap Cash Store of WILSON & BRO'S.

## BANK NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, CITIZENS OF Centre county, intend to make application to the next Legislature of this Commonwealth for the incorporation of a Bank of issue, discount and deposit, to be located at Bellefonte, in the county aforesaid, to be called "The Farmers' and Manufacturers' Bank" of Centre County," with a capital of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars.

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| Edmund Blanchard, | Samuel Linn, |
| George Jack, | Wm Underwood, |
| George Boal, | Moses Thompson, |
| A S. Valentine, | J M McCoy, |
| John Irvin, jr., | H Brockerhoff, |
| Jos. Green, | Jacob Gray, |
| John Gilliland, | John Rishel, |
| Jared B Fisher, | Samuel Strohecker, |
| James Antis, | John Forster, |
| Joseph Green, | John P. Packer, |
| John T. Hoover, | Thomas Hughes, |
| Jacob Struble, | Robert Lipton, |
| Wm. C Duncan, | George Valentine |
| Potter Wilson | Jno Hanson, |
| A. R Barlow, | Robert Elder |
| Wm A. Thomas, | P Benner Waddle, |
| Harvey Mann, | P B Gray, |
| H Brockerhoff. | WM F Reynolds, |
| J. C. Mitchell. | |

Je25-27-6m

## WM. S. TRIPPLE
## MERCHANT TAILOR.

N. E. CORNER OF THE DIAMOND.

THE SUBSCRIBER RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity, that he has just returned from Philadelphia with a full assortment of

### Spring and Summer Goods,

which he is now opening at his old stand one door east of the Post office His stock consists in part of Black, Blue and Brown French Cloths, Silk mixed Coating, Cashmere and White Duck for Coats,

Black Doeskin and Fancy Summer Cassimeres, and Linin Drills for Pants,—

Black Satin Figured Silks and white and Figured Marsailles for Vestings

Which he will make up to order in styles to suit the taste of customers on short notice, and on the most reasonable terms Goods furnished by customers will be made up to order as heretofore

As he will employ none but

### EXPERIENCED WORKMEN,

persons may rely on getting their work well done at his shop

☞ Thankful for the patronage heretofore bestowed, he respectfully solicits a continuance of the same Wm S Tripple

Bellefonte, May 20-23-6mo

PUBLIC SALE.—WILL BE EXPOSED to Public Sale on the premises, on Monday the 13th, day of July next, a Tract of land situated in Potter township, Centre county, known as the MINDER PROPERTY, containing one hundred and forty acres, about thirty acres of which are cleared and a Log House and Barn thereon erected

TERMS—One half of the purchase money to be paid at the confirmation of the sale and the remainder thereof in one year thereafter, with interest to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises Sale to commence at 1 o'clock

GEO LIVINGSTON Admin'r
of GEO WELCH Dec'd

June 25-27

NOTICE—LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Martin Houser, late of Harris township, dec'd, have been granted to the subscribers who request all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement

JACOB HOUSER, Benner tp
JOS BAKER, Harris tp
Executors

June 18 26-6t

ICE CREAM SALOON.

GEO M PECK, PROPRIETOR would respectfully announce to his old friends, that he has opened for the coming season his

ICE-CREAM SALOON,

at his residence on Bishop street, one door west of the Temperance House He will be happy to see all who may favor him with a call

Bellefonte, June 11 2-3 tf

FASHIONABLE BARBER.—THE subscriber begs leave to inform the public that he is still busily engaged at his stand on Allegany street SHAVING AND SHAMPOOING customers in the latest cut and fashion

His scissors are sharp, his razors keen,
So be sure shave your face clean;
He'll brush your hair and serve you well,
Sweep your clothes and make you swell,

His motto is somewhat dissimular to 'man wants but little here below, but wants that little *long*,' and *ipso facto* his Razors and Scissors will always be found to cut *close* and *clean*

If you want to get into a *scrape* give him a call

June 4, 1857 MISSICK GRAHAM

PRIVATE SALE.—THE SUBSCRIBER offers, at private sale, a tract of land, situated in Snowshoe township, containing four hundred acres, upon which is a good Coal Bank in successful operation Also, two mules four wagons, (adapted to the bank) and a complete set of mining picks and shovels On the tract is erected a good dwelling two miners houses, a good barn, carriage house corn crib and other out-buildings

Nearly one hundred acres of the above land are cleared eighty of which are enclosed with a good fence The tract contains a good young bearing orchard, and four good springs of water The stock and crop will be sold with the property if desired

This is a very desirable property, and if any one desirous of a beautiful summer residence could not find a better locality,

For particulars, inquire of the subscriber on the place GEO GRAHAM

June 4 tf

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

CABINET AND UPHOLSTERING ESTABLISHMENT.—The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has commenced the Cabinet and Upholstering business in all its various branches, and will be prepared to furnish work that will compare with any made in the best shops in our larger cities Having had practical experience in every branch of business, persons entrusting work to him will be assured that it will be done in a satisfactory manner

☞ REPAIRING promptly attended to.

FREDERICK SMITH,

Allegheny street, Bellefonte, in the shop formerly occupied by Mr Rembold ap16

NOTICE.—LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Geo Y Meek, late of Ferguson tp dec'd have been granted to the subscribers residing in said tp, who requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

ROBT BARRON, } Ex'rs
WM MEEK }

may6-21-6t

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT books will be opened to receive subscriptions to the stock of the Allegheny and Bald Eagle Rail Road, Coal and Iron Company, at the Court House, in Bellefonte on the first day of July next, and said books will remain open until at least one thousand shares are subscribed.

A S Valentine,
A. G. Curtin,
S Linn,
H. N. McAllister,
Jas Irvin,
Jno. T. Hoover,
Commissioners

June 25-27

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION ON the Estate of P B D GREY, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all having claims against said estate will present them and those indebted thereto will make payment without delay, to the undersigned.

H J WALTERS, Adm'r.

Lewistown, June, 25-27-6t

NOTICE.—LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Wm. Furey dec'd, of Spring tp, have been granted to the undersigned residing in said township, who requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and all having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement

June 25-27-6t WM. HUREY, Jr.
Administrator.

## BY TELEGRAPH.—LATEST FROM KANSAS! GREAT EXCITEMENT!

### ISAAC MAY

Would respectfully inform his old friends and the public generally, that he has just received from the East a large and magnificent stock of

### Spring and Summer Goods,

which for beauty, extent and variety, far surpasses any other stock ever brought to this place He would call particular attention to his stock of

**Ladies Dress Goods,**

BLACK AND FANCY SILKS,

Challies, Boreges, Brilliants, Lawns, Delains, Chintzes, De Bages, Grape d Espang, Prints, Crape and Stilled Shawls, Mantillas, Bl'k Lace, Mits, Undersleeves, Gloves and Hosiery, Bonnets, Bonnet Ribbons, French, worked, and Bugle Collars, Linin Cambric Handkerchiefs, Parasols, Hooped Skirts, Skirting, French Flowers Kid Gloves, Gentlemen's Hosiery, &c

**FOR GENTLEMEN'S WEAR,**

Cloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings. Tweeds, Jeans, Cottonetts, Nankins, &c, &c, &c

HATS AND CAPS,

of every description—all styles and varieties His stock of

*SUMMER STUFFS FOR BOYS*

He has endeavored to suit his customers in this department.

### His Stock of Groceries

Is more extensive than ever, comprising Rio and Java Coffee Green and Black Teas, Powdered Crushed, Sand, New Orleans, and Orange Grove Sugars, Sugar House New Orleans and Trinidad Molasses, Rice, Vinegar, Sperm and Tallow Candles Mackarel, Herring, &c, &c, &c

*BOOTS AND SHOES*

He has a large assortment of Boots, shoes and Brogans, for men and boys Also an elegant assortment of Boots, Bootees, Shoes, Gaiters, and Slips for ladies and misses. Also, a large stock of children's shoes of all descriptions and sizes

*QUEENSWARE, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, &c*

The public are invited to call and see his stock in this line He has a great many articles necessary to persons about to begin housekeeping

TRUNKS VALISES MATTRASSES, &c

**READY-MADE CLOTHING.**

He has a large and elegant assortment of Ready-made Clothing

Call and see his stock and be satisfied that he sells cheaper than any other establishment in the county.

may 13-22-tf

## A DIALOGUE.—

*John*—Good morning How are you?

*Stranger*—Good morning, sir Can you tell me where I can find the cheapest READY MADE CLOTHING, and the best?

*John*—Yes sir We have a number of good clothing stores in Bellefonte, but ISAAC MAY in his elegant store has the best and cheapest

*Stranger*—Well, so every body says in the country I did not know but that we were mistaken, so I thought I would inquire of you town folks

*John*—What kind of Clothing do you wish to buy?

*Stranger*—Why, I should like to have a good Dress Coat Pants and Vest for myself and some clothing for my boys

*John*—Well Isaac May they say has some most excellent Dress Coats from $18 down to $5 (the latter Summer Coats) and everything else in proportion and lots of cheap clothing for boys

*Stranger*—What about Ladies Dress Goods?

*John*—Why May has the best assortment of Silks, De Laines, Lawns, Calicoes &c in short everything to fit out a lady in the best style, and at the cheapest prices

*Stranger*—Good That is the place for me Good bye I'm off to May's at once and thank you kindly for the information

☞ Persons