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DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET

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Jefferson and the Republicans.

The Black Republicans, says the Boston Post, have the impudence to invoke the great name of Jefferson to their aid. The inglorious combination which has for its Seward philosophy that the free States and slave States of this Republic cannot live in peace and the know Nothing doctrine that the foreign born even after naturalization should not enjoy equal rights with the party that wars on the South, and wars on the alien in both put forth the claim to be the true exponents of the grand old Jeffersonian creed! Was there ever such unparalleled audacity? Were there ever pretensions more false?

We defy the whole Black Republican and Americans to cite a single passage from Jefferson's writings that supports the distinctive basis of their party alliances. The Republicans base their party on war on slavery; where is there a sentence in Jefferson's writings that justifies such a basis for a general political party? Are not these writings full of warning against agitation for such a sectional purpose? The Americans base their party on proscription of the foreign born, requiring such, for instance to live 21 years in the States ere they can vote before they can even be naturalized, the native born are required to live only 5 years. Where is there a sentence in Jefferson's writings that justifies such proscription? Are not his writings full of warning against the creation of such narrow tests? And yet the American Republican party, which was born in the South and now has a good share of foreigners on their banners have the audacity to summon to their base aid the name of the Sage of Monticello! What a profanation!

Take as an illustration this absurdity the doctrine that has been thrust down the throats of the people, that Congress has the right to prohibit by legislative enactment slavery in the territories. Where since the Federal Constitution was adopted, can these Republicans find a passage in Jefferson's works that supports their peculiar views? Nowhere: and both his actions and his sentiments are point blank against this doctrine of prohibition. Did Jefferson when President, recommend a prohibition of slavery to be inserted in territorial acts? Certainly not. Nor was such prohibitions inserted in any of the acts of Congress passed during his administration. On the contrary Congress passed an act in 1804 putting a portion of the Louisiana purchase under the authorities of the Indiana territory; and a special act March 3, 1805 provides for the government of this territory the ordinance of 1787, *save those clauses providing slavery*, WHICH IS EXPRESSLY EXCEPTED, and Jefferson signed this act!

If these facts be not enough to show what Jefferson thought of the policy of prohibition, take a few other facts. All through Jefferson's administration the Northwestern Ordinance was treated as a nullity. Indiana territory during this whole period recognized, by special legislation slavery, and protected it. Did President Jefferson once during his eight years term interfere with this local party? Illinois subsequently did the same thing: *both acting directly in the face* of the 1787 prohibition! To come down to later days. Who was more thoroughly opposed to the whole theory of Davis resolutions both as to the Slave and Territories, than 1819 20 21 than Jefferson? Does he not, again and again, say that he was in favor of allowing slavery to spread according to the law of climate and the wishes of local communities? What consummate impudence for a party with this presumptive shibboleth on its lips to claim the weight of Jefferson's name!

Now take the American branch of these sectional party; and let Jefferson's scorching denunciation of the spirit that upheld the alien and sedition laws, and his flat denial of the propriety of negro equality, tell how he would reject, with every expression of scorn and contempt, such a consitional amendment, as to foreigners, that two American Republican Legislatures have passed. Let this provision of constitution become valid, and a *negro* from another State will be a legal voter here a year before a *white* man will be if he happens to be a foreigner! Produce, if you can, a sentence from Thomas Jefferson that justifies such a monstrous policy as this!

Out upon this piece of impudence on the part of these sectional leaders and agitators They know they are profaning a great name, and deserve the rebuke of all who really cherish his memory.

From England, we have the announcement that Parliament would soon be dissolved, but previous to that event, Lord Derby was to make a statement of the actual position of England in her relations with the Great Powers of the Continent.—The adjournment, as a makeshift, in place of a resignation on the part of the Derby Ministry, was very severely criticised by the Opposition; and Mr Bright was out with an address to the electors of the Kingdom not to be deluded by it.

Jersey Shore Republican.

We clip the following extract from an article published in this true Democratic sheet, referring to the late Bogus Convention:

"But the crowning glory of the whole, the all-consoling reflection, is the assurance that we have still a Forney, who, when the blackness of darkness shrouds our political horizon, and the ship of State is tossed upon the troubled sea of discord, stands ready to take the helm and steer the shattered vessel safe into the harbor of Black Republicanism. Casting our eyes towards the Convention we do *not* find the representatives of the people, but a band of *political adventurers*, men who are *indebted* to the Democratic party for their influence and prominence, and *to the tax payers for their ill-gotten wealth; bores who have purged our* State Capital for years, endeavoring to corrupt the channels of justice, and in quest of infamous legislation; directors of huge corporations who seek to enrich themselves by impoverishing the people and depleting the treasury; projectors of the stupendous frauds which have tarnished the escutcheon and blasted the fair fame of our State, and who, but for the vast recuperative powers of our good old Commonwealth, would have driven her long since to bankruptcy and repudiation."

That's a fact. "That's speaking out in meeting" Fellow Democrats of Lycoming, we respect and love you with a brotherly affection, from a satisfactory connection with you in times gone by. We desire to act with you upon former occasions against the common enemy, and we beseech you, be mindful of your duty as Democrats. Cease to cling to the fading, dying fortunes of a few profligate, selfish and aristocratic nabobs. Come out like men, like Democrats, and aspire to something worthy of your selves. The Democracy of "Old Centre" is determined to do its duty. It has effectually divorced itself from the mongrel crew. It plumes itself upon its immortal principles, and laughs to scorn the seductive arts of the Disorganizers. Be true to your principles your country and your God - support the "Jersey Shore Republican" as your organ and we shall still be together in spirit and principle.

The peaceful journals, both of Great Britain and this country, have, at length, come to the conclusion that war between France and Austria is imminent, and that, unless some unexpected diversion of the steady pressure towards actual hostilities turn up we may expect to hear of downright rupture and the exchange of shotted salvos that will shake the Continent, even by the mails of the next European steamer. Look upward as wishfully as we may, there is no whole-some vein of wind to be expected to drive it from the sky. It must burst ere the heavens can be purified, and healthy light return to earth. In this matter of Italian enfranchisement, Louis Napoleon has played the part of a resolute, able, and inexorable man. Step by step has he advanced his *parallels against Austrian presumption, since* the Crimean respite; and it is plain that he intends to throw against her for his crowning destiny, on the same field which won the Imperial prefix for his Uncle. In this contest the feelings of the American people will necessarily go with France. We sympathized with her glories when she was our friend, and the traditions of her greatness are so wound around our hearts, that we are under the thraldom of an almost involuntary nationality, that yearns to her with tenderness, and follows her with pride and enthusiasm in every material stride she makes.

The news from Nicaragua announces the completion of the treaty negotiated by Mr Lamar, and gives the assurance that it is a very good treaty after all, and in no essential feature different from the arrangements made with Sir Gore Ousley for Great Britain. The assent to the land grants in the Belly contract were still withheld by the Nicaraguan Legislature. The Paraguayan business seems to have been entirely closed up, and, as an evidence that it has been to some extent, effective we notice the reception at the State Department at Washington, of a Paraguayan draft of $10 000 as an indemnification to the family of the seaman who was killed on board the Water Witch, by a shot from a Paraguayan fort. In Japan the Ministers to this country had been selected, and were soon to be on their way to Washington. At last accounts, the cholera was prevailing to a fearful extent in Japan; and its visitation was attributed by the ignorant and superstitious masses, to the visitation and treaties of the Americans.

Our tax paying citizens, who were so anxious for the sale of the public works of the Commonwealth, will, doubtless, be gratified to learn, as they will do from the Appropriation bill, that the amount appropriated to the payment of interest on the public debt still remains at $2,000,000—the same as it was before the sale. Can any of them tell us why it is, if the debt be reduced ten or eleven millions by the transfer, as is alleged by some, there is not a corresponding decrease in the amount of appropriation required to pay the interest? Surely, it ought not require as much to pay the interest on thirty millions, as it did on forty or forty-one millions; and yet it would appear that it does!—We only ask for information.

The Philadelphia Deputy Postmaster of the *Black Republican Press* down town is wonderfully exercised, because we did not notice our friend Mr Macmanus, (spoken of as a candidate for Governor,) in a manner to suit *his* ideas. *If* we have been derelict in duty to a *Democrat*, what right has a *Black Republican* to chastise us for it? None at all. When the proper time arrives to select a candidate for Governor, we'll be found ready and willing to pitch in, but for the present other matters demand our attention. If the nincompoop of the Press is *really* a friend of Mr Macmanus *note*, and he is successful in getting the nomination, we'll bet old boot that he is traded off for *another "fifty-dollar board bill" before election day.*

The Packer, Lauman, Knox and Forney State Central Committee assembled at Altoona yesterday, to nominate a ticket to aid the Black Republicans. We have not heard the result of their deliberations.

A Mirror for the Disorganizers.

The Democracy of the Union, says the Harrisburg Patriot, with scarcely an exception, whether sympathizing with Judge Douglas, or not, recognize the action of the bogus Democrats, who assembled here on the 13th inst., as a movement intended to disorganize the Democratic party, and sell this State to the Opposition. The affected purity and patriotism of these political desperadoes has not even deceived people at a distance. The Democracy everywhere feel and know the true character of the performers and the performance. But the most galling chastisement is done by the friends and supporters of Judge Douglas in other States. They repudiate, *without reserve*, the contaminating association of Forney's political congregation, and advise Douglas to disclaim fraternity with the treasonable gang. The Journal of Commerce, one of the most discreet and sincere supporters of Douglas in the Union, comments with deserved severity upon these disorganizers.—It commits the error, however, of ascribing infinitely more importance to Forney's movements than it deserves. The following extract will show in what estimation, they are held:

"But, however this may be, we suppose they have counted the cost, and have calculated the effect as well as the mortification of throwing their noble old State into the hands of the Opposition, and that opposition controlled by the most rabid of Republican agitators. If the leaders in the secession are satisfied with such a prospect, then course is before them but the less they profess then Democracy as a moving cause, the better for their sincerity.

"The leaders in the movement are no experienced in party drill and discipline to expect recognition at a National Convention. Their organization has not even the shadow of regularity, and their delegates can have no possible expectation of admission.—If they present themselves in that attitude, it can only be for the purpose of creating divisions there, and of *extending the Pennsylvania feud to some other parts of the Union.*

"The movement of the seceders in Pennsylvania is spoken of, in various quarters, as a Douglas movement. If this be so, Senator Douglas may well pray to be saved *from his friends. We do not believe he de*sires such support, and especially the indiscreet and offensive proclamation of friendship which is volunteered by this class of politicians. In his own State, the Douglas men have the regular and legitimate organization. The claim of the pretended friend, *of the Administration there, for admission* to the National Convention, would be as absurd as would that of the Forney men in Pennsylvania. If therefore Judge Douglas favors such undertakings as the latter are engaged in, his reputation for political sagacity far exceeds the reality. The truth is the friendship of a few such Conventions as that lately held at Harrisburg, would be the death of him politically; and were we his advisers we should urge upon him the importance of giving all such indiscreet friends a wide berth."

An Item for Douglas Men.

The followers of the Forney movement are sadly deceived when they suppose that Judge Douglas countenances it, or that it will advance his fortunes, says the Patriot and Union. The most reliable organs speaking his opinions, are eager to disclaim any connection or sympathy with the treasonable designs of the disorganizers in this State. Judge Douglas and his friends are shrewd enough to see that the weight of Forneyism would break *even his broad back.* While some of the friends of Douglas are upholding the disorganizers, under the mistaken notion that it is a Douglas movement, we hear the report from Washington that Douglas himself is conferring with some of the Democratic leaders for the purpose of setting differences, and agreeing upon some united plan of action for the future. Whether true or false, this indicates the prevalent belief that Mr Douglas does not contemplate future hostility to the Democratic party, and that those who do, may expect to stand outside.

No public man can countenance the Forney movement without destroying all his political prospects. Mr Douglas knows *and acts upon this.* He has emphatically disapproved of the attempt at disorganization, and turned the cold shoulder to the leaders. His friends, therefore, who sympathize with the movement, under the impression that it will advance the fortune of their favorite, will find themselves in a false position. Let them be warned before they are sold to the enemy.

From California, we have news to the 20th inst after an extraordinary run between San Francisco and this port, *via* Panama, of twenty days and four hours. By this arrival we have nearly two millions in treasure, and highly interesting accounts from Japan, Central America, and the South Pacific. General Walker, and Bruno Natzmer, his aid, had arrived in California, and it was generally thought that a new expedition to Sonora would be soon set on foot under their auspices.

The California papers assure us of the election of the Democratic candidate for Governor, whoever he may be, by 30,000 majority. Two Democrats will be returned to the House of Representatives. Messrs. McKibbin and Dudley will not claim seats under the informal election of last year, but will run again as independent candidates.—General Denver, late Governor of Kansas, and the Hon. C. L. Scott, are the probable Democratic nominees, and both are able and efficient men.

James W. Quiggle, Esq.

The President has appointed this gentleman consul to Antwerp. This is a good appointment. We have known Mr. Q. long and well, and can bear testimony to his good character both as a Democrat as well as a private citizen. His selection for so important a post is very gratifying to his old friends in this section of the State.

DAILY ARGUS, PHILADELPHIA.—This is one of the best papers published in the State, and those of our political friends desirous of taking a paper from Philadelphia we would recommend the Argus. It is always filled with choice matter, political as well as literary. The Weekly Argus is also a good family paper.

The Fugitive Slave Law.

The fugitive slave law now in force, though amended in 1850, was passed in 1793 by the men who framed the Constitution of the United States. The history of its passage is thus given by a New York paper:

In December 1792, the Senate appointed a committee, consisting of Mr. Cabot of Mass., chairman, Mr. Read of Del., and Mr Johnson of N. C., "to draft a *fugitive slave bill*," as they style it. Soon afterward Mr. Cabot reported such a bill to the Senate: and on the *18th of January*, 1793, it passed that body unanimously, it is fair to presume, as the yeas and nays were not ordered. On the 20th of the same month it was sent to the House of Representatives, where it was referred to a committee consisting of Mr. Sedgwick, chairman, and Bourne of Mass and Mr White of Va., who, on the 4th of February, reported it to the House where it was passed the next day, by *56 Northern and 22 Southern votes.* On the 12th of the same month it received the approval of the President, and thus became a law of the land—66 years ago last month.

The President who signed that law was George Washington, and among the members of Congress who voted for it were some of the very members of the Convention that framed the Constitution, viz: Nicholas Gilman, Roger Sherman, Jonathan Dayton, Thomas Fitzsimons and Robert Morris—all Northern men. The Black Republican leaders now declare this law to be in direct violation of the Constitution thus virtually declaring that the men who framed the Constitution did not know what it meant!

A Clergyman and his Wife murdered by their own Son.

The telegraph announced several days ago the murder of Rev Jonathan Ford and wife, by their own son, at Harris, Marquette county, Wisconsin. The Oxford Express gives the following particulars:

The son was chopping wood at the door. His father went out to the wood pile and stooped to pick up some wood, when the son struck him a foul blow upon the back of the head, near the neck, sinking the entire bit of the axe into the head. He then struck him on the temple, breaking the cranial bone. The mother, upon hearing or seeing the occurrence, ran out, and, when within a few feet of where the father lay, was met by the son who struck her a heavy blow, sinking the blade into her forehead, laying her head open from the nose to the vortex. A second blow was struck, opening the head from the outer angle of the crown to the eye, and scattering the bones of the head, and the brain. A person who lived twenty miles distant, *saw the son* chopping wood at the door that morning.—Some two hours afterwards the bodies were discovered, and the alarm given. On entering the house, the son was found in his chamber. He was cool, and not excited at the sight of his murdered parents. Blood was found upon his person, and the axe was found to be the one he used.

The Hickman Platform.

The letter writer of the Ledger, of the 14th, says:

The Convention held here yesterday, of Democrats opposed to the regular Democratic organization, was not as large as was anticipated. Several hundred persons, at the most were present, to participate in the proceedings, John Hickman, of West Chester, made a speech, which was carefully prepared and most intensely bitter against the President and Democratic party. The most remarkable feature in the address was the substantial endorsement of the Rochester speech of Mr Seward by the speaker. He maintained the eternal conflict between freedom and slavery in nearly the same language as that used by Mr Seward. The declaration grated harshly upon many sympathizing with the main objects of the Convention, the position of Mr Seward being in advance of the opinions entertained by the mass of the Republican organization in this State. What this movement will amount to remains to be seen. The Convention repudiated the State ticket nominated by the Democratic Convention, but did not place in nomination separate and distinct candidates.

The Body of Samuel Yeager, the Missing Easton Merchant Found.

EASTON, April 29.—Great excitement prevails here, caused by the announcement that the body of Mr. Samuel Yeager, the missing merchant of this place, had been found in the Ohio river, at East Liverpool, forty-five miles below Pittsburgh.

The body was found on the 16th inst, and it is supposed to have been in the water some two weeks or more. The verdict of the Coroner's jury, was accidental drowning. Nearly $400 in money was found upon the body. His memorandum book, keys, and some papers, were also found. The remains have been sent for and will be brought on here for re-interment.

SINGULAR FREAKS.—The well known Ned Buntline arrived in Troy, N. Y., a few days since, and amused the passengers by his singular conduct. He bought out the orange dealers and maple sugar peddlers on the cars, and divided the things freely among his fellow travelers. On his arrival in Troy he collected a crowd of over a hundred boys and marshalled them about the streets in the vicinity of the depot, to the amusement of the citizens. He made them a patriotic speech, fed them with apples, and gave three cheers for Washington. Ned finally jumped into a carriage, and was seen no more. He afterwards made love to a pretty dutch girl whom he had never seen before, who was tending bar in a lager beer saloon, and insisted upon marrying her immediately to which she agreed, and the twain were made one flesh.

DOUGLAS' WASHINGTON ORGAN.—The States, of Tuesday, contains the following very pointed and decided language:

"It is plain to our apprehension that the movement, of which Mr. Forney is the leader, is *a premeditated and irreparable revolt against the Democratic organization.* It is equally obvious that, no matter what may be the present intentions of these persons, *they will fall by irresistable gravitation into the bosom of the Black Republican party.*"

AMERICAN HOTEL, PHILADELPHIA.—This Hotel is situated on Chestnut street between fifth and sixth streets, opposite Independence Hall. Those of our friends visiting Philadelphia would do well to patronize this Hotel, kept by Messrs Wyatt & Heulings. They are gentlemen of the "first water" and keep one of the best Hotels in the City. They have a farm in connection with the House from which they are supplied daily with pure milk, cream, Butter and vegetables.—We refer to Messrs Blair & Bush for the truth of what we say. Give them a call, and if you have cause to regret it come to the Watchman Office and we will refund *your money.*

PEN PASTE & SCISSORS.

☞ Pleasant—The Weather.

☞ Coming—Rivers & Derious' circus.

☞ In town—Plenty of fighting whiskey.

☞ Looks well in his new Rig—Sheriff M'Coy.

☞ Encamped Some Gipsies near Lewistown.

☞ Go to Burnsides for cheap saddlery, Harness, &c.

☞ A. M. Coe is appointed Postmaster at Lock Haven, vice T. M. Caller.

☞ Fine Sermon—That preached by Rev. E B Snyder on Sunday morning last.

☞ Look out for rain—The Fencibles are ordered out for parade on the 20th of May.

☞ What prevents a cook from swallowing her apron? It goes against her stomach.

☞ What is that which dies high, lies low, has no feet, and wears shoes? Dust.

☞ Gen. Jno. Potter, formerly of Lewistown, has been elected Mayor of Fon du Lac, Wisconsin.

☞ Pappy Pottsgrove has been in town during the last two weeks, *Courting.*—Clever fellow.

☞ About the only person we ever heard of, that wasn't spoiled by being lionized, was a Jew named Daniel.

☞ Punch truly says that in the shadow of a small waist may be seen a large doctor's bill and the outside of a coffin.

☞ A negro once gave this toast "De late Gubernor ob de State—he come in wid berry little opposition, him go out wid none at all."

☞ An editor down South reports himself sun struck, and says he is recovering, though the blow was a heavy one—an *eleven pounder.*

☞ From all parts of the country we hear the most cheering accounts of the grain crops. The fruit also promises well, if it escapes the frost.

☞ Our citizens are constantly bragging about having the best town clock in the country, but are never heard bragging about it keeping correct time.

☞ If you would know how a bull looks when his tail is twisted, just ask a *stuckup gent* for "that little bill he owes you," when he is talking to a gal.

☞ Few and far between. The Democratic papers that approve of the action of Forney's bogus Convention. Wouldn't make a Corporal's guard altogether.

☞ A Rush—There was quite a rush to the Banking House of Humes, McAllister, Hale & Co., last week. Doing a heavy business. Right. Clever fellows.

☞ The act authorizing the Courts of Common Pleas to change the names of persons, has been signed by the Governor since the adjournment of the Legislature.

☞ Awful. The style in which the Hollidaysburg Standard dissects the political carcases of some of the participants in Forney's little Wheel barrow Convention. Sock it into the traitors.

☞ The Lycoming Gazette is the only Democratic paper on the West Branch that refuses to hoist the names of Wright and Rowe to the head of their paper. This reminds us of the nigger's spotted pig which he said always went in a drove by itself.

☞ Some of the bogus Democratic papers take great delight in misrepresenting and abusing Arnold Plummer because he acted as President of the Democratic State Convention, and in discharging his duty refused to compromise a wrong. Their puny attacks don't amount to much.

[For the Watchman.]

The Farmers High School.

On Saturday last (April 30th,) we, in company with several friends, paid a short visit to the Farm School. The location of this Institution, appearance &c., have been so often commented upon in our Bellefonte papers, that anything further on the subject would be almost superfluous- especially from our pen. Suffice it to say, however, 'tis pleasantly situated in the upper end of Nittany Valley, a short distance above Centre Furnace, and but a little way from the road leading directly to Pinegrove. The building, although but one wing is completed, presents a magnificent appearance, and bids fair to withstand the shocks and tempests for two centuries to come. The view from the top or roof is really grand. Hand some cottages as well as fine substantial looking farms deck the landscape as far as the eye can reach. With this prospect combines a sight of the rugged though picturesque mountains on either side—the Muncy on the East with Tussey mountain on the West, and you have some idea of the beauty of its location.

We had the pleasure of meeting there a couple of old friends—students of the Institution of course—besides the gratification of an introduction to several others; all jolly go ahead looking young men, and we think just the kind calculated to make good farmers, and build up the agricultural interests of our great and glorious Commonwealth.

We were shown through the building by our good looking young friend Mr. Monroe *Armor, of Bellefonte,* and were very favorably struck with the plan and beauty of the arrangements.

The weather being delightful we spent a couple of hours very pleasantly in and about the School, when we left for home, long to remember the many pleasant little incidents connected with our visit.

In conclusion it is but just to remark that the various departments of the Institution are presided over by men of the right stamp—men of experience, energy and ability.—And the farmers and tax payers of Pennsylvania would do well to give it all the encouragment in their power, if it would accomplish the object for which it was established.

BELLEFONTE, May 2nd, 1859. B.

MORMONS APOSTACIZING.—It is reported that Mr Kimball, eldest son of Heber C., and Jos. Young, son of Brigham, have apostacized, and are about leaving for the States with their first wives, leaving their "spirituals" behind. At least 5,000 apostate Mormons will leave for California early in the spring.

The person in the habit of stealing plank from Mr. Haupt, had better return them immediately or he will be waited upon by an officer. A hint to the wise we hope will be sufficient.

Adultery, Fratricide and Suicide.

The Vicksburg True Southren of April 15th, has the following account of a dreadful tragedy in Mississippi:

"A gentleman from Washington county has just informed us of one of the most shocking affairs, including fratricide and suicide, that has ever come to our knowledge. It appears that two brothers, named William Bogue Phaliab, in Washington county, for some time past. William Buford had a very pretty wife with whom the younger brother, Robert, became madly infatuated. A criminal intercourse between the two had been carried on for some time, but growing weary of the restraints imposed by the presence of the injured husband, the younger brother determined to add to his other crime the damning one of fratricide. On Wednesday evening of last week the outraged husband and brother was murdered, and on the Sunday following, the murderer committed suicide by taking strychnine. The misguided wife of the murdered man, with two children, are left the sole memorials of this chapter of horrors."

SUDDEN DEATH FROM A SINGULAR CAUSE.—We find the following in the Troy Times:

"On Tuesday of last week, a gentleman named Augustus Bedford, belonging in New York, and who was in this city on business, got shaved at one of our barber shops. On returning from it, to the store of a friend with whom he was visiting, he remarked that he believed that the barber had given him some disease, as a small pimple on his lip pained him very badly, and commenced swelling after he was shaved, presenting an angry and inflamed appearance. During the day this soreness grew worse, and he suffered so much from it he decided to return home, which he did on Wednesday night. His condition rapidly became more distressing—the pain extended through the body and to the vitals—and finally on Sunday morning, after suffering untold agony, he died. The deceased, as long as he remained sensible, attributed his sufferings to the inoculation of the pimple upon his lip with poison from the barber's razor."

Philadelphia Markets.

May 2, 1859.

WHEAT.—The market has been poorly supplied the arrivals being still very light—but the inquiry is fair and prices rather better: sales of 12 000 bus. Pennsylvania and Western are reported in lots at 120 at 160c for common and choice reds, and 155 at 170c for white including choice Kentucky at our highest rates. Rye is in better demand and 3600 bus. yellow at 87 at 89c. Corn is scarce and in fair request at a slight advance with sales of 18 000 bus. yellow at 86 at 89c for fair prime afloat, damaged lots at 75 at 85c, and white at 76 at 84c., as in quality. Oats are better with sales of 10,000 bus Southern and Penn'a at 50 at 55c. Barley is dull: a sale of Penn a at 65c, and New York at 80c. Malt ranges from 95c to $1, as in quality.

Many kinds of Tonic are advertised that we are assured will strengthen the hair, and prevent its falling out, but none that we have seen used does all that it promises: save that of Professor O. J. Wood. This we know is good from having tried it, and witnessed in several cases its truly beneficial effects. Dr Wood was kind enough to send us a couple of bottles, and after finding that it prevented our hair from falling out, we presented a bottle to a friend who had been bald for at least thirty years; it has restored his hair entirely and it is now as thick and glossy as when he was twenty-five. This we say in all sincerity, and we shall be glad to have our friends try it for themselves, as we believe it is just what it professes to be. *Lorain Co., Eagle, Ohio.*

Any of our readers afflicted with Scrofula or Scrofulous complaints, will do well to read the remarks in our advertising columns respecting it. But little of the nature of this disorder has been known by the people, and the clear exposition of it there given, will prove acceptable and useful. We have long admired the searching and able manner in which Dr Ayer treats every subject he touches, whatever has his attention at all, has a great deal of it, he masters what he undertakes, and no one who has a particle of feeling for his afflicted fellow man, can look with indifference upon his labors for the sick. Read what he says of Scrofula, and see in how few words and how clearly he tells us more than we all have known of this insidious and fatal malady.—*Sun, Philadelphia, Pa.*

Have you the Dyspepsia? the Asthma? the Liver Complaint, or General Debility? does your food distress you? Do you suffer from nervous irritation or *ennui?* Take the Oxygenated Bitters which cures all these.

Phonography taught without extra charge at the Iron City College, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Students paying for a Full Commercial Course at this institution, have the privilege of acquiring this art which, of itself, fully pays for the cost of the entire course.

The editor of a well known Magazine wears a long goatee. A wag noticing his habit of handling it while writing, suggested that he was milking his brains.

NOTICE FOR GENERAL APPEALS.—Appeals from the Assessments rof the year 1859 for the several boroughs and townships of Centre county, will be held at the usual places for holding elections, on the days following, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and 4 o'clock, P M., to wit:

Bellefonte boro'	May	23d
Spring township,	"	24th
Benner "	"	25th
Snowshoe "	"	26th
Burnside "	"	27th
Milesburg boro'	"	28th
Boggs township,	"	24th
Curtin "	"	31st
Howard "	June	1st
Liberty "	"	2nd
Marion "	"	3d
Walker "	"	4th
Miles "	"	6th
Haines "	"	7th
Penn "	"	8th
Gregg "	"	9th
Potter "	"	10th
Harris "	"	11th
Ferguson "	"	13th
Halfmoon "	"	14th
Patton "	"	15th
Taylor "	"	16th
Worth "	"	17th
Rush "	"	18th
Huston "	"	20th
Union "	"	21st

By order of the Commissioners.

JNO. T. JOHNSON, Clk.

Commissioners Office,
Bellefonte, May 5. '59-it.

NEW SPRING GOODS.

The subscribers have just received, and are now offering for sale a very large and well selected stock, consisting in part of

Challies, Bareges, De Beiges, Tanjou Cloth, Ginghams, Brilliants, Lawns, Lavellos, Lustres, Bared Book and Jaconet Muslins, Swiss, all wool, De Laines, Shawls, &c. Also a fine French and American Cloths, Cassimers, Sattinets, Janes, Tweeds, Habit Cloth, Drills, Checks, Stripes, &c. Also, a good assortment of Gents' Calf and Kip Boots, Congress Gaiters, Oxford Ties, Lasting Gaiters, Ladies Heeled Kid Hlf. Boots, Healed Gaiters, Fine Morocco Hlf Boots, Kid Slippers, Buskins Ties, &c, Misses Heeled Gaiters, and Hlf Boots, Childrens Shoes and Gaiters, of almost all kinds and sizes.

All of which we are offering at lower prices than the same quality of goods has ever been offered in this market before. D LEYDEN & Co.

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THE ATTENTION

Of the people of Bellefonte and Centre county is called to the large stock of fancy and staple goods just opened by

TONNER & STEEL.

It is selected with great care from the best goods to be found in the market, and for quality, color and assortment is one of the best lot of goods ever brought to this town. By calling at their store almost anything can be procurpd in quantities to suit purchasers. Their goods are bought not only to sell but to give satisfaction to the buyer. They have a

Challies, Barages, Delaines, Debeges, Poplins Silks, Tissues, Lawns, Crape Maretz, Tamjare Cloth, Lavella, Balzarine and a very large stock of Calicoes, Chintz, Ginghams, Domestic & French Muslins, also a large assortment of White goods such as Swiss, Jaconet, Mull, Cambric &c, Jaconet Cambric and Linen Edging, and Inserting and Lace Edging. Worked Collars, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, Gentlemen's Furnishing goods. They always keep the best makes of *Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, Summer Stuffs, Ticking, Denims and Kentucky Jeans, Carpets and Spring and Summer Shawls, Marseilles Bedding, Coburgs, Counterpanes, Cloth for travelling and stair carpets, Oil Cloth of Cotton and Linen drapery for towels and Table Cloths, Cassimeres, Drawers, Satinets and Fancy cassimeres for Men Aprons wear and a large stock of Summer Clothing &c.*

Particular attention is requested to the *large stock of*

HARDWARE

Ever brought to this country, and builders and carpenters will find it to their advantage to call and buy their building Hardware and tools as everything of the kind can be had at low prices. *Locks, Latches, Hinges, and Screws* can be had by the dozen or piece. They keep every kind of

COACH TRIMMINGS AND SADDLERY.

FINE FAMILY GROCERIES of all kinds.

LOVERING & GOLDEN SYRUP (The best in the market.) *White and Brown Sugar, Young Hyson and Black Tea*, also a fine lot of

HARDWARE AND QUEENSWARE.

Wall Paper, Window Blinds & Fixtures Straw Hats, Wool Hats, Oilcloths Spring Style of Silk, Dress Hats Bonnets, Ribbons, Flowers, Fans Also Fish, Salt, Cedar & Common Buckets & Tubs, Hall & Cookers, Japanned, Chamber Sets Hubs, Iron Axles & Hicks Fellows, Moss, Curled Hair, Shovels Rakes, Gardening Tools & Seeds of all kinds.

Together with numerous other articles all of which will be sold for Cash, country produce or on reasonable credit.

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THE GOOD TIME HAS COME BOYS!!

when you can have all you wish to eat, at very low rates. JOS R. MUFFLY & BRO., have just received a large supply of various articles of merchandize, to which they wish to direct the attention of the Buying Community. They intend to sell at very reasonable rates. So *low as not to be excelled by any other* establishment of the kind in the country. It would be well for people in the country to call and examine their stock before purchasing elsewhere.

FOR *MOLASSES, RIO and JAVA COFFEES, SUGAR, TEAS of all kinds and grades* go to the Cheap Cash Variety Store of JOS R. MUFFLY & BRO.

IF you want *SUGAR CURED or CANVASSED HAMS, DRIED BEEF, OR SHOULDER*, to go Jos R. Muffly & Bro.

IF you want *DRIED PEACHES APPLES, CHERRIES, PRUNES, CURRANTS or TAMMARINDS*, go to Jos R. Muffly & Bro.

IF you want *PRIME CHEESE, SALTRICE, CAVENDISH, CONGRESS PINE CUT, NATURAL LEAF, or SMOKING TOBACCO, of the best qualities*, go to Jos R. Muffly & Bro.

IF you want Regalia, Principe, Opera, Plantation Club, or Sixes cigars of the best brands go to Jos R. Muffly & Bro.

IF you want fresh Sicily Oranges, Lemons, Figs, Raisins, Dates, Nuts or other confections go to Jos R. Muffly & Bro.

IF you want Lemon and Vanilla Gumdrops, Mose, Jujube or Fig Paste, Jelly Cake Cocoa, Lozenges, French and English Secrets, Sugar Plums, Maple Sugar, or any other Fancy Candies—All of which can be had at Jos R. Muffly & Bro.

IF you want Ladies Boots, Slippers, Gaiters of all colors, sizes and shapes—cheaper than they can be bought elsewhere, go to Jos R. Muffly & Bro.

IF you want Gentlemen's *Fine French Calf* Boots, Gaiters, Oxford ties, Shoes or Fancy Toilet Slippers, go to Jos R. Muffly & Bro.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that letters of administration on the estate of *Jane Mock*, dec'd, late of *Ferguson* tp have been granted to the undersigned, residing in Ferguson tp, to whom all persons having accounts against said estate are requested to present them for settlement, and all persons indebted to make immediate payment.

GEO W. MEEK, Exe'r

May 5, '59

SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY VIRTUE OF A TESTATUM WRIT of Venditioni Exponas issued out of the District Court of Philadelphia, and to me directed there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Bellefonte on Saturday, the 14th day of May, 1859.

The following described TRACT OF LAND, (being unseated) situated in Spring towning, Centre county, surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to Frederick Kerker, containing 427 acres and 400 perches and allowance. Also,

A TRACT OF LAND, (being unseated,) situated in Spring township, said County, surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to John Wilson, containing 40 acres or thereabouts, and allowance. Also,

A TRACT OF LAND, (being unseated) situated in Potter township, said County, surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to James Talbis, containing 400 acres or thereabouts, and allowance. Also,

A TRACT OF LAND, (being unseated) situated in Ferguson township, said County, surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to Jacob Leightard, containing 420 acres or thereabouts and allowance—They being the same tracts of Land which, in pursuance of the various Acts of Assembly regulating the sale of Unseated Lands for the nonpayment of taxes were duly conveyed by the Treasurer of Centre county to the Commissioners thereof, the first three by three several Deeds, Poll dated the first day of November, A. D 1816, respectively, and the other thereof by Deed Poll dated the same day of January, A. D 1827, and which by one or more conveyances and assurances in Law, duly executed, proved and recorded became vested in Andrew Rhoads. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of the said Andrew Rhoads.

THO'S McCOY, Sheriff

Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, Pa.
April 28th, 1859.