Democratic Watchman

PRINTED AND PUBLISHED BY S. S. SEELY & J. J. BARNHART.

BELLEFONTE, CENTRE COUNTY, PENN'A., THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 1859.

TERMS — $1 50 IN ADVANCE. VOLUME 4. NUMBER 34.

Terms of Publication.

TERMS.—$1 50 cts if paid within three months; $2 00 if delayed six months and $2 50 if not paid within the year. These terms will be rigidly adhered to.

ADVERTISEMENTS and Business Notices inserted at the usual rates, and every description of

JOB PRINTING

EXECUTED in the neatest manner, at the lowest prices, and with the utmost despatch. Having purchased a large collection of type, we are prepared to satisfy the orders of our friends.

Business Directory.

J. J. HOCKMAN, SURVEYOR AND CONVEYANCER.

M'ALLISTER & BEAVER, ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

WILLIAM H. BLAIR, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office in the Arcade.

UNITED STATES BOUNTY ... WILLIAM POTTER.

SAMUEL H. ... Office, ... Post Office.

L. J. CRANS, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Sep 30-'59.

CHARLES D. HALE, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office with the Hon. ... Hale. Nov 25, 1858.

DR. JAMES F. HUTCHINSON, PHYSICIAN & SURGEON. Successor to Dr. Wm. ... tenders his professional services ... POTTER'S MILLS, ... Eutaw House.

J. G. IRVIN, PRACTICAL SURVEYOR. Will attend to surveying ... applications addressed to Boalsburg ... will receive prompt attention. Feb. 10 '59.

LINN & WILSON, ATTORNEYS AT LAW. Office on Allegheny street, in the building formerly occupied by Humes, McAllister, Hale & Co. Bankers. August 19 '58 1year.

D. G. BUSH, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Will attend to all professional business entrusted to his care. Particular attention paid to ... Office in the Arcade ... Col. Wm. H. Blair. January 13 '59 tf.

IRA C. MITCHELL, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Will continue the ... the office heretofore ... attend promptly and faithfully ... entrusted to him. Dec. 23, 1858.

WM. P. MACMANUS, ATTORNEY AT LAW, BELLEFONTE, PA. Professional business will receive prompt attention. Collections made in Centre, ... & Clearfield counties. Office on Allegheny street, in the building formerly occupied by Linn & Wilson. Bellefonte, June 30 '59.

J. D. WINGATE, RESIDENT DENTIST. Office and residence on the North ... of the Diamond, near the Court House. ☞ Will be found at his office except two weeks in each month, commencing on the first Monday of the month when he will be away fitting professional duties.

DR. G. L. POTTER, PHYSICIAN & SURGEON, BELLEFONTE, CENTRE CO. PA. Office on High Street (old office). Will attend to professional calls as heretofore, and respectfully offers his services to his friends ... Oct. 28 '58 tf.

DR. J. B. MITCHELL, PHYSICIAN & SURGEON, BELLEFONTE, CENTRE CO. PA. Will attend to professional calls as heretofore, and respectfully offers his services to his friends and the public. Office next door to his residence on Spring street. Oct. 25 '58.

ADAM HOY, ATTORNEY AT LAW, BELLEFONTE, PENN'A. Will attend promptly to all legal business intrusted to him. Special attention will be given to the Orphans' Court Practice and Scrivening. His office is with the Hon. Jam's T. Hale, where he can always be consulted in the English and German languages.

DEPOSIT BANK, OF HUMES, McALLISTER, HALE & CO. BELLEFONTE, CENTRE CO. PA. (E. C. HUMES, H. N. M'ALLISTER, J. T. HALE, A. G. CURTIN.) Deposits Received—Bills of Exchange and Notes Discounted—Interest Paid on Special Deposits—Collections Made, and Proceeds Remitted Promptly—Exchange on the East constantly on hand. June 2nd, 1859.

J. H. STOVER, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW. BELLEFONTE, PENN'A. Will practice his profession in the several Courts of Centre County. All business intrusted to him will be faithfully attended to. Particular attention paid to collections, and all monies promptly remitted. Can be consulted in the German as well as in the English language. Office on High st., formerly occupied by Judge Burnside and D. C. Boal, Esq.

BANKING HOUSE, —OF— WM. F. REYNOLDS & CO., BELLEFONTE, CENTRE CO., PA. Bills of exchange and Notes discounted. Collections made and proceeds promptly remitted. Interest paid on special deposits. Exchange in the eastern cities constantly on hand for sale. Deposits received. April 7th, 1859.

F. P. GREEN, —DRUGGIST. BELLEFONTE, PA. Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Drugs, Medicines, Perfumery, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Dye-Stuffs, Toilet Soaps, Brushes, Hair and Tooth Brushes, Fancy and Toilet Articles, Trusses and Shoulder Braces, Garden Seeds. Customers will find my stock complete and fresh, and all sold at moderate prices. ☞ Farmers and Physicians ... the country are invited to examine my stock.

NEW AGRICULTURAL SETTLEMENT.

TO ALL WANTING FARMS ... SOUTHERN NEW JERSEY ...

[illegible]

NEW BOOK STORE,

BISHOP STREET, BELLEFONTE, PA.

SAMUEL F. SCHWARTZ & CO.

[illegible] ... STATIONARY ... STEEL PENS ... holders, &c. &c.

The subscribers ... quality of Writing Paper ... and offer ... of the profession ... Orders from a distance promptly attended to. ... public support and patronage ... March 21 '59 tf.

NEW BAKERY.

CHARLES BROWN, Respectfully informs the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity that he has commenced the Baking business at his residence on Bishop street, where he will furnish families at all times with

BREAD, RUSK, POUND CAKE, SUGAR AND GINGER CAKES CRACKERS,

and everything usually kept at a regular Bakery. Having secured the services of a baker from the city of New York, he feels satisfied that he will be enabled to render general satisfaction. Call and examine for yourselves. Bellefonte, June 16 1859 tf.

NEW MILLINERY GOODS.

MRS. E. GRAFIUS

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity that she has just received from Philadelphia a splendid lot of

BONNETS, RIBBONS AND TRIMMINGS,

of all kinds, and a superior lot of

HOOPS!

to which she directs the attention of the ladies. May 19th, 1859 tf.

AMBROTYPES,

PHOTOGRAPHS & DAGUERREOTYPES, Taken daily (except Sunday) from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. BY J. S. BARNHART, In his splendid Saloon, in the Arcade Building, Bellefonte, Penn'a.

Miscellaneous.

Letter from Senator Bigler.

[illegible]

... *and not Congress*, shall "*go' to for the Territories*" in order that they may do what they please as to slavery, and other matters of domestic concern, through the agency of ... the United States ... with or without slavery, as they may determine when they form a ... And the Supreme Court having declared ... to be the ... of the Constitution to be, that a territory ... the ... from Congress ... and not a sovereignty—that Congress not being possessed of the authority to exclude slavery or slave property from the Territories cannot confer that authority upon a Territorial Legislature; and further that slaves are property ... the Territories belong to the States ... that the citizens of each and all the States have an equal right to the ... of such common domain ... possess, and enjoy property of every description, including that of slaves; there would seem to be little room for further controversy, either in Congress or in the States. As for a code of Congressional laws for the benefit of one species of property in the Territories not necessary for the rest, I am emphatically opposed to any such measure; and think the proposition as unpolitic as the effort, for it will prove vain and fruitless. For what end, then shall Congress legislate? Whose rights have been violated in any of the present Territories? Or where in have the people or the Legislature of any Territory attempted to nullify the Constitution as expounded by the Supreme Court, or in any other way transcended their legitimate authority? I have heard of no such case.— Even Kansas, factions and insubordinate as the spirit in that Territory at times has seemed to be, has done none of these things. Then are we to legislate on some speculative theory, in anticipation of wrongs which may never occur? But, even if these wrongs had already been committed, the proper remedy is with the Judiciary, and not with Congress. Whoever imagined himself ag-

... Your obedient ... W. B.

To Hon. ... Kelley and ...

PLEASING THE NEGRO. ... Cleveland (*Ohio*) *Herald*, a Black Republican paper, says:

"We acknowledge ... SEVEN ... LAND WHO BOW ... THE PORT OF ROME ARE NOT AS ... THE ... AFRICANS OF OUR STATE ... NOT INCLUDE THE PARTICIPANTS."

The ... doctrine ... is the doctrine of the Black Republican party.

"Every dog has its day," ... has its dog. The cheat, the ... the hypocrite, and the ... each the dogs of the day ... growl, or whine through it, and then ... ones with his tail between his legs ... of locomotion, sneaks quietly off into his kennel of obscurity.

SHORT AND TO THE POINT.—A pretty girl attended a ball ... all in ... The ... dies were shocked ... quietly remarked that if they would pull up their dresses about the neck, as they ought to do, their skirts would be as short as hers!

Did I understand you to say that I was lousy, sir? Oh no! I merely told my friend that when it rained lice in Egypt, I thought you must have been walking there without hat or umbrella—that's all.

The grand essentials to happiness in this life are something to do, something to love, and something to hope for.

What is that which every one can divide, but no one can see where it has been divided? Water.

... Fight Among the Chivalry?

[illegible]

Mons. Blondin's next Exhibition.

[illegible] ... The probability is that Mr. Blondin will not be allowed to perform what he announced he would do ... taking a ... with him to the ... die of ... and ... people on one side, which he will share with a few friends on the shore. We have every reason to believe ... what we have last stated will be performed.

The public may be assured that the incomparable Blondin will do something far more startling than have been the feats he has before exhibited. It is *surely possible* that he might be *excelled* in daring, but no one can exceed him, for the reason that he is *bold to the utmost degree*. Some may call him foolhardy; but any example of fearlessness is good for the man who are now inclined to cowardice; and we doubt not that M. *Blondin would be as bold in the prosecution of any other matter as he is in crossing Niagara river on a cable*.—*Buffalo Republic of the 6th inst.*

A MIDNIGHT FUNERAL.—One of the most solemn sights for a person to witness, says the Boston *Herald*, is a funeral at midnight. On Sunday afternoon Mr. Daniel H. Maine, a member of the Chelsea City Council, died at his residence on Central avenue. The disease which caused his death was of such a nature that his body had to be interred at midnight. While the clock was striking the hour of twelve, and the people had retired to their rest from the labors of the day, with everything still and calm beneath the broad canopy of heaven, two persons entered the house of mourning and removed the remains of a brother to its final resting place in the cemetery. It was a sad and mournful sight for the widow and children of the deceased, as no friends, relations or neighbors could be present to condole with them in the hour of affliction.

Blondin at the Falls.

[illegible] ... Buffalo (N. Y.) ...

How a Soldier Feels in Battle

A young French officer thus writes of his first experience in battle:

"Our officers kept us back for we were not numerous enough to ... upon the enemy. This was, moreover ... for ... the ... did us but little harm. Our ... balls penetrated their dense masses, while those of the Austrians whistled past our ears and respected our persons. It was the first time I had faced fire, nor was I the only one ... I am satisfied with myself. True, I dodged the first balls; but Henry IV ... at the beginning of every battle ... will ..."

... Everybody who ... of human blood ... men from cowards to heroes ... the ... or ... who have ...

A Child's Sympathy.

... those clear wells of ... "beautiful! Full of hope, love and ... they meet your own. In poverty, how ... jest, in joy, how sparkling, in sympathy, how tender. The man who never tried the ... companionship of a little child has ... passed by one of the ... pleasures of life, as one passes a rare flower, without plucking it or knowing its value. A child cannot understand things of your religion, of your grief for the loss of a friend, of your love for some one you fear will not love in return. It will take, it is true, no measure or sounding of your thought; it will not judge how much you should believe whether your grief is rational in proportion to your loss—whether you are worthy or fit to attract the love which you seek; but its whole soul will incline to yours, and engraft itself, as it were, on the feeling for the hour.

Make good use of time, if thou lovest eternity; yesterday cannot be recalled; to-morrow cannot be secure—to-day only is thine, which lost, is lost forever.

So says somebody. "Make a note of it."

A drunken vagabond named Floyd is under arrest in Lunenburgh, Va., for shooting a boy who refused to pick up his hat for him. Forty-eight shots entered the boy's body.

It is strange, but every woman's husband is the very worst that ever lived, until he is attacked, and then, "dear fellow," he is the very best.

He who seldom thinks of heaven is not likely to get there; as the way to hit a mark is to keep the eye fixed upon it.

Many facts go to prove, or at least to render it probable, that there is nothing new which has once been old.

The Creed of the Spiritualists.

At a Spiritualists Convention held at Pl... ... of a National Gathering, the following creed was, we learn from the Post ... Wright was a member, ... by the Convention.

... [illegible] ... Spiritualists ... to all matters ... natural and destiny. ... The Declaration was adopted and the ... was then open for discussion.

A Curious Love Story

Says the Easton Argus: "First love, the world generally admits, is always the most ... An instance illustrating the truth of this, recently came to our knowledge, which is worth repeating. Forty-five years ago a young man named Peterson served his apprenticeship at the *printing business*, in the office of Christian Jacob Hutter, of this place. Whilst in his employ he became ... a young lady of our town, and ... He was accepted, but ... the match and broke ... After finishing his trade he went to ... Southern States, and married a sister of Hon. John M. Clayton, former United States Senator from Delaware. After ... two children, his wife died and ... a widower. He then emigrated to ... West where he became quite a ... and prominent man, and filled the office of County Recorder, a life appointment ... There he married a second time and became a second time a widower. Last summer he passed through Easton ... to Wilmington, where his ... at school, and whilst here ... *after the sweet heart of his* ... Ascertaining that she was a widow and residing at Philadelphia, he ... renewed his acquaintance and ... was accepted. ... suddenly sick ... with an attack of pleurisy and died after a short illness. A few days ... to the object of ... he was ... dying bed and never ... on earth."

The Ruins of Humanity.

Of all the ruins on which the eye of man can gaze, or on which his memory can dwell, none are more painfully sublime than the ruins of humanity. And what are they? Not the deep furrows which Time ploughs on the cheeks, or the silvery whiteness with which years covered the head, not the curved spine, which bows the face to the earth as if it looked for a grave to rest in; for the wrinkled cheek, and blanched head, and the stooping frame, are the appropriate accompaniments of old age, and as beautiful in the system of life as winter with its leafless trees and frozen streams in the system of the seasons. But the ruins of humanity are seen in wrinkles which time has not made—in a frame trembling with anxiety, shaked by sorrow, humbled by sin, withered by despair—when the beauty of youth is gone, and the beauty of age has not supplied its place. 'Tis as melancholy as snow in harvest.

FAREWELL.—Socrates observed that the Greek word, interpreted *to farewell*, was, in the Athenian language represented by another word *meaning to eat*; and that the *well* was added to denote that we should eat such food as would disorder neither mind nor body and such as would not be difficult to be procured; so that he applied *to fare well*, to those who fared temperately.

We may as well attempt to bring pleasure out of pain, as to unite indulgence in sin with the enjoyment of happiness.