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The War.

There is no war news of importance to publish this week. It is reported that the Confederates have made another raid, capturing Winchester Va., and compelling the Federal forces to fall back to Harpers Ferry. Col. Mulligan, and Gen Kelley are reported among the killed. Up to this writing (Thursday evening) we have no news of their crossing the Potomac. There is nothing from Grant's Army.

Why do we not have Peace?

It is a well known adage, yet none the less truthful for being so, "that experience teaches a dear lesson." For forty long months have sacrifices in blood, enormous taxation, and suffering and want, and misery been teaching the masses of the people of the North, what history, a proper idea of our own governmental theories and common sense should have impressed upon their understanding. For forty months have they been furnishing the means to carry on a war, unparalelled in extravagance, atrocity and wickedness, for the simple purpose of finding out at last that Abolitionism is not patriotism, that puritan fanatics are not fit to administer the affairs of a Republic, and that niggers are not white men and the people of the Southern States a pack of cowardly braggarts. Had they of listened, four years since to the dictates of reason, had they heeded the warnings of patriots and Statesmen, had they looked but for a moment at the danger of the hour and cast aside the bigotry and prejudice that urged them on, Abraham Lincoln would not have been elected president, Abolitionism would not have succeeded in disrupting the American Union and civil war with its blood, its horrors and crimes would never have been felt by us as a people.

But it was not so. Taxes and trouble were left to teach what truth and intelligence should have taught, and now, after a war of three years, after murdering millions of our citizens and fastening a debt upon us which never, never can be paid, after desolating the Republic that was built upon the bones of our own sires, after bringing sorrow and distress to every fireside and death and destruction to every part of our country, *we have but learned that which common sense told us at the beginning; that war is no way to preserve a Union of the States, or to settle difficulties between members of a common family.*

Is not this the lesson that the experience of the last four years has taught? Why then are we kept in the same ruinous path? Why is not the war brought to a close and peace restored to our bleeding, broken country? It cannot be because the people of the North are not willing to settle our difficulties peaceably, for from every quarter comes the same cry, "*give us peace, peace upon any terms* rather than this brutal, barbarous butchery of men shall be continued. It cannot be because the people of the South are not willing for they have offered time and again to compromise on terms that would be alike honorable to both sections—they were anxious to accept the Crittenden proposition—they asked for a general Convention of all the States and it was refused them; they called the peace convention of Virginia, and life long disunionists, like *Davy* Wilmont of Pennsylvania, were sent to spit and spurn upon their propositions; they sent commissioners to Washington to effect a settlement, and Abraham Lincoln refused to receive them; they made propositions of peace officially through their vice President, Alexander H. Stevens and he was not permitted to come through the lines of the Federal Army; their Congress passed resolutions declaring that they were willing to make peace, *at any time*, that the Washington authorities desired to do so, and they were answered with a sneer; they sent well known politicians to Niagara Falls, only two weeks since, to effect a settlement and they were answered, that the war must go on until "slavery is wiped out;" and at all times, and under all circumstances have they shown the same desire to stop this carnage—to allay the mad spirit that is driving both sections of our country to irretrievable ruin; their offers have been thrown back into their faces and their appeals like those from the masses of the people at the North, have been spurned, by the infamous wretches at Washington who say there shall be no peace—no compromise, until *their* ends are accomplished. This is why the war has not ceased, this is why this fiendish work is continued.—It is NOT because an honorable settlement cannot be made, it is NOT because the South will not accede to terms, that would be honorable *to* both parties—but because puritan fanaticism has not wreaked its revenge—because contractors have not grown wealthy enough at the expense of a tax-ridden people—because Abolitionism has not succeeded in turning loose to pillage and plunder, the negroes of the South, and because Abraham Lincoln has not been fastened upon the people as their King or Emperor.

Congress.

Mr. *Editor*: The Democratic county Convention will soon assemble to select its candidates for the coming campaign. The most important nomination to be made this fall, is that for Congress, as we have been chiselded out of a Congressman for several years. Now I think it is high time that the Democratic party will unite and select a good and reliable man for this important office. It appears by all accounts, that our Congress halls have become very corrupt, and have become little better than mere gambling hells, where all kinds of corruptions, intrigue, and villiany are unblushingly practiced, in consequence of the carelessness of the people in selecting their Representatives.

I would therefore only say that James McManus, Esq., of Bellefonte, would be a very suitable and reliable candidate for the office of Congress, and as sound a Democrat as you can scare up in Centre county; the office of a Congressman is an important one, which we all should look to; let us have no more Hales or Childs as candidates for Congress—away with them, they are not to be trusted, we have had the trial of such and found them wanting; give us a man that is true to Democratic principles and doctrines. There is no doubt that Mr. McManus would be as good a member as we have had from our district for a number of years. I also hope that there will be no cliqueing going on this year in Bellefonte.

A Democratic voter of Centre County.

WE clip the above from our cotemporary the *Centre Berichter* and copy it, to endorse it, which we can heartily, with the exception of the ungentlemanly attack upon the political character of Mr. Childs. If the writer of the above feels badly over the vote he cast for James T. Hale, it is no reason that he should abuse and denounce a man who had the courage to stand up for *principle*, when "a democratic voter" himself, had forsaken the landmarks of our party and was supporting a foolish and suicidal "*policy*," only for the purpose of glorying over the regular nominee of the Abolition party. Mr. Childs stood up manfully for Democracy when a large majority of our party, "a Democratic voter of Centre County," no doubt among the rest, was running wild after Jas. T. Hale a known and avowed abolitionist, and why he should now be denounced for so doing, *when time has proven him right* we do not know? IF Centre county's claim in the next Congressional conference should be ignored, and our Candidate fail to receive the nomination, we should then be glad to see Mr. Childs chosen as the nominee and could support him with a good grace and a clear conscience.

——Lincoln seems very careless whether men enlist for one, two, or three years under his present call. In fact it makes no difference, for Grant will destroy an entire army in one year; and when a man is murdered it matters not whether his term of services had all but expired or just been entered upon. Those who enlist under the present programme might as well have the honor of going for *three* years, for before the end of the first their bodies will no doubt furnish food for Virginia buzzards.

——For announcing that it was necessary to sacrifice the lives of 200,000 more Frenchmen to successfully establish the Revolution, the tyrant MARAT had the poniard of that heroic girl, CHARLOTTE CORDAY sheathed in his heart. The monster at Washington admits his intention of destroying *five hundred thousand* more of our citizens in carrying out his horrible purposes.—Have we an American CHARLOTTE CORDAY?

——On the legal principles of "*self-defence*" has not any man about being driven to the slaughter pen by Lincoln's conscription, a right to take the life of the old tyrant, to save his own?

Parson Brownlow on Andy Johnson.

As Parson Brownlow is the leading supporter of the Administration in Tennessee, it may amuse and interest some of our readers to see what he thought of the Republican candidate for the Vice Presidency a few years ago. The redoubtable Parson held forth thus:

"He (Johnson) is a member of a numerous family of Johnsons, in North Carolina, who are generally thieves and liars, and though he is the best of the family I have ever met with, I unhesitatingly affirm to-night that there are better men than Andrew Johnson in our penitentiary!—His relatives in the Old North State have stood in the stocks for crimes they have committed. And his own born cousin, Madison Johnson, was hung at Raleigh for murder and robbery! * * * Is he not the last man living to talk about respectability on the part of any one? Certainly he is."

We don't think that anything could induce us to write thus about the family of any candidate for office, whatever we might think proper to say about himself. And though we hope we are a praying man, we don't believe that, while praying to God, we could pray *at* any poor mortal as the good Parson prayed at Andy Johnson, in his church at Knoxville, in the latter part of November, 1855. This was his ejaculation.

"To thy watchful providence, O! most merciful God, we are indebted for all our mercies, and not any work or merit of ours; for many of us entered the scrambe to elevate to the executive chair of the State the present incumbent (Andrew Johnson), with a perfect knowledge that he had abused thy Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, on the floor of the State Senate, as a swindler, advocating unlawful interest. We knew that he voted in Congress against offering prayers to Thee. We knew that he had opposed the temperance which is the cause of God and of all mankind. We knew that he had vilified the Protestant religion. * * * Yet such were the party ties, O! most mighty God, that we went into the support of our Infidel Governor blind."

Mercy on us! We cannot help fancying that some preachers can pray worse than others can curse. If the pious shepherd thinks proper now to make Andy a bellwether of his flock, he can say in his next prayer that he was mistaken in 1855, and beg the Lord not to remain deceived by what, in the holy and raging fervor of his soul, he stated at that time. The Parson will make it all right in his next prayer, we dare say.—*Louisville Journal*

Shall the Army Vote?

This is the question to be submitted to the people of Pennsylvania, in shape of a proposed amendment of the State Constitution on the 2d of August next.

In discussing this question it should be borne in mind that it is not, as the Abolitionists put it, "SHALL THE SOLDIERS HAVE A RIGHT TO VOTE?" But it is "shall the RIGHT to vote be extended beyond the jurisdiction of the State?"

The right of the soldier to vote was never questioned. If he is a citizen, in the eyes of the law, and residing within the State, and for the time within his proper election district, his being a soldier, if any thing, should strengthen his right to the elective franchise. But the proposition here is to extend the polls hundreds, and perhaps thousands of miles beyond the limits and jurisdiction of our laws made for protecting the purity of the ballot-box, and for the punishment of frauds committed thereon.—This is the proposition, and one fraught with more danger to a free people was never submitted. WHY is it done now? Simply to prolong the present Lincoln dynasty. It has no other object. Suppose the situation of political parties were reversed, and the Democrats IN and the Abolitionists OUT of power; and suppose that such a proposition was made by the Democrats, how many of the Abolitionists, who now affect friendship for it, would give it their support? Not a single man of them. They would denounce it as an outrage without a parallel in the history of political parties. As it is therefore but a base scheme of an unholy party to perpetuate its power, in defiance of the fairly expressed popular will no man, not even the soldier himself—who does not want to prolong the present Jacobin reign, will give it his support.

Should the amendment be carried, and the farce of holding an election be extended to the different camps, none will have greater cause to complain than the honest and conscientious soldier, who properly values his right of suffrage. Such men, we repeat, would be the greatest sufferers; and no matter how great the wrong practiced upon them, being beyond the reach of law, they would have no redress.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs of *Venditioni Exponas*, and *Levari Facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House in the Borough of Bellefonte, on Monday the 22nd day of August, 1864, the following described property, to wit. A certain messuage tenement and tract of land situate in Snow Shoe Township, Centre County, bounded and described as follows: Begining at Stones, thence by land of William Baird. South one deg., West, 319 perches to Stones, thence by land of Wm. A. Thomas & Co. North 89 deg. West 40 perches to a post, thence North one deg., East 40 perches to the place of beginning, contain 79 acres, and 12 perches net measure, with the improvements and appurtenances. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Elisa Watson.

ALSO, A certain message, tenement and lot of ground, situate in the town of Stormstown, Centre County, in the South-western end of said town, on the South side of the Main Street of said town, and fronting thereon, feet and adjoining the Lot on which the Methodist Episcopal Church stands and extending back feet along the road leading from Stormstown to Gatesburg, thereon erected is a one and a half story dwelling House, with the improvements and appurtenances. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of William Gill.

ALSO, A certain Lot of ground situate in Jacksonville, Marion Township, Centre County, bounded on the North by lands of William Long, on the East by Lick Run Graveyard and land of S. Aby, on the South, by the public Road and on the West, by lands of Ertly and George Hoy, containing about three acres, thereon erected a large house known as Fairview Seminary, with the improvements and appurtenances. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of J. S. Weiz.

ALSO, All the right, title, and interest of John Sheets, in and to the real estate situate in Union Township, Centre County, bounded on the North by lands of Henry Gates and Andrew Thompson, on the West by lands of Caspor Peters, on the South by lands of George L. Peters, and on the East by lands of Jesse Parsons and others, containing one hundred and fifty acres, more or less, thereon erected a house with the improvements and appurtenances. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of John Sheets.

ALSO, A lot of Ground, situate in Rush Township, Centre County, known as lot No. 68 in the Town Plot of Phillipsburg, bounded on the North by lot of Wm. Breness, on the South by lot of Dr. Thomas Potter, on the East by street, and on the West by street, thereon erected a large frame House and other outbuildings, with the improvements and appurtenances.—Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John Morgan.

ALSO, All those certain messuages, tenements and tracts of land situate, lying, and being in Rush Township, Centre County, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: One thereof surveyed on a warrant in the name of John Hand, adjoining surveys in the warrantee, names, Joseph Hopkins, John Stoner and Christian Shank containing four hundred and thirty-three acres, or thereabouts.

Another thereof, surveyed on a warrant in the name of Christian Shank, adjoining the tract above mentioned. containing four hundred and thirty-three acres, or thereabouts.

Another thereof, surveyed on a warrant in the name of Michael Shank, adjoining the tract last above mentioned, containing four hundred and thirty-three acres, or thereabouts.

Another thereof, surveyed on a warrant in the name of Alexander Scott, adjoining the tract last above mentioned, containing two hundred and nineteen acres, or thereabouts.

Another thereof, surveyed on a warrant in the name of David Hare, adjoining the last two tracts above mentioned, containing four hundred and thirty-three acres, or thereabouts.

Another thereof, surveyed on a warrant in the name of Andrew Shank, adjoining the tract last above mentioned, containing four hundred and thirty-three acres, or thereabouts.

Another thereof, surveyed on a warrant in the name of Jacob Stake, adjoining the tract last above mentioned, containing two hundred and forty-seven acres, or thereabouts.

Another thereof, surveyed on a warrant in the name of Christian Hare, Jr., adjoining the tract last above mentioned, containing four hundred and twenty-six acres, or thereabouts.

Another thereof, surveyed on a warrant in the name of George Slough, adjoining the tract last above mentioned, containing one hundred and sixty-seven acres, or thereabouts.

Another thereof, surveyed on a warrant in the name of Christian Hare, adjoining the last two tracts, above mentioned, containing four hundred and ninety-two acres, or thereabouts.

Another thereof, surveyed on a warrant in the name of John Witmer, adjoining the tract last above mentioned, containing three hundred and eighty-three acres, or thereabouts.

Another thereof, surveyed on a warrant in the name of John Louden, adjoining the tract last above mentioned, containing four hundred and thirty-seven acres, or thereabouts.

Another thereof, surveyed on a warrant in the name of John Brackbill, adjoining the tract, last above mentioned, containing four hundred and fifty-six acres, or thereabouts, on which are erected a store, a dwelling, and other buildings.

And the other thereof, surveyed in the name of James Ramsey, and also known as the Clara Campbell, or Joseph North tract, adjoining the tract last above mentioned, containing four hundred and thirty acres or thereabouts, on which are erected a Steam Saw Mill, tenant houses, a stable, and other outbuildings.

All the land above mentioned being known as the Beaver Mills property, with the improvements and appurtenances, Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of William Underwood.

1. Also the one undivided half part of all that certain tract or piece of land situate in Spring and Walker Township, Centre County, beginning at a Rock Oak corner of McKinney's purchase in 1832, thence North 3o, West 17 perches to stones, thence South 9? dg, West 176 perches to Rock Oak, thence North 46 dg, West 23 perches to White Oak, thence South 45 dg. West 160 perches to a stone, thence North 45 dg, West 8 perches to stones, thence South 44 dg, West 97 perches to a stone, thence North 29 dg, West 37 perches to a post thence South 42½ dg, West 382 perches to a chestnut oak, thence South 27 dg, East 100 perches to a pine stump, thence North 27, dg, West 135 perches to a pine, thence South 57dg, West 175 perches to a post, thence South 40 dg, East 233 perches to a post, thence North 50, dg, East 26 perches to a stone, thence South 40 dg, East 260 perches to a chestnut oak, thence North 50 dg, East 55 perches to a pine, thence South 37 dg, East 21 perches to a gum, thence North 50 dg, East 140 perches to corner of line of Robert Pennington deceased, thence North 37 dg, West 125 perches to a pine. thence by lands sold by James Gorden to Robert Pennington, Northwardly about 80 perches to Hemlock, thence North 55 dg, East by land of said Pennington 360 perches to a white pine, thence by same, South 30 dg, East 24 perches to a maple, thence by same, North 50 dg, East 100 perches to a yellow pine, thence North 38 dg, West 260 perches to a post, thence South 60 dg, West 208 perches to the place of beginning, supposed to contain about 2,000 acres, (except a tract of one hundred acres, and one hundred and forty-five perches, lying at the Western end of said tract, sold and conveyed by James Gorden to Abm. Floy). It being the same undivided half part which James Gordon and wife conveyed to Moses Thompson by deed dated January 11th 1862, and recorded in Centre County, in deed book H. page 318, and by the said Moses Thompson sold to the said James Irwin.

2. A tract of land situate in Patton Township, Centre County, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at stone, thence by land of David Boal, North 58dg, East 46 perches to stones and pine-knot, thence by land of Linn & McCoy, North 36 dg, West 179 3-10ths, perches to stones, thence by land of Philip Carper, South 55dg, West 45 8-10ths perches to small black oak, thence by land of Moses Thompson. South 36 dg, East 175 perches to the place of beginning, and containing 50 acres and 138 perches.

3. A tract of land situate in Patton Township, aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at stones, thence North 58°, East by land of David Boal, 40 perches to stones, and pine knot, thence by lands of Linn & McCoy, North 36°. West 187 7-10ths perches to stones, thence by Centre Furnace lands, South 57 1-14th° West 35 perches to stones, thence by land of Philip Carper, South 55°, West 5 perches to pine, thence South 36°, East 186 6-10ths perches to the place of beginning, containing 46 acres and 112 perches.

4. A tract of land situate in Patton Township aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at stone and pine knot, thence by land of David Boal, North 58°. East 40 perches to stone, thence by lands of Moses Thompson, North 36°, West 189 2-10th, perches to stones, thence by Centre Furnace lands, South 57 1-14°, West 40 perches to pine stump, thence by lands of Linn & McCoy, South 36°, East 188½ perches to the place of beginning, containing 47 acres and 16 perches.

5. A tract of land situate in Patton Township, aforesaid, bound and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at stones, thence by lands of W. R. Mills, North 56½°. East 39 perches to stones, thence by lands of Linn & McCoy, North 36°, West 134½ perches to pine-knot, thence by Centre Furnace lands, South 57½°, West 39 perches to small chestnut, thence by lands of William Thompson, South 36°, East 135 perches to the place of beginning, and containing 32 acres, and 131 perches.

6. The undivided ten twenty-fourths part of all that certain message, tenement and tract of land situated in Gregg Township, Centre County, aforesaid, containing about 16 hundred acres, and allowance be the same, more or less, including the 4 tracts in the warrantee names of Daniel Musser. William Mansett, Robert Baker and John Baker Jr., also including parts of the five tracts in the warrantee names of John Mercer Robert, Job Packer, James Packer Jr., and Daniel Johnson; the Southern line of the said tracts of land being the summit of the second ridge from the Brush Valley farm, and the same being bounded on the other three sides by the lands of Mt. Heckla Furnace Company, said tract of land being six hundred perches, by four hundred and forty perches.

ALSO, The undivided 10-24ths part of the following messuages and tracts of land situate in Centre County, aforesaid:

One situate in Walker Township, containing fifty acres with a Furnace, Rolling Mill and other buildings thereon, erected and known as Mt. Heckla Furnace tract.

Another thereof, situate in Walker Township, containing fifty acres, with an iron ore bank, and sundry buildings thereon erected, bounded *by lands of Henry Dunkle, lands late of Isaac* McKinney, and others, known as the ore bank tract.

Another thereof, situate in Walker Township, containing fifty-eight acres, bounded by lands of James Gordon, and others, and known as the Gordon tract.

Another thereof, situate in Walker Township, containing five thousand and six hundred acres, bounded by lands of James Gordon on the West lands late of John G. Lowrey, on the East, by lands of David McKinney and others, on the North, and on the South by Brush Valley.

Another thereof, situate in Walker and Gregg Townships, containing 2,600 acres, bounded by lands late of John G. Lowrie, on the West, by Brush Valley, on the South by lands of John and Adam Shafer, on the East and on the North by lands late of W. W. Houston.

Another thereof, situate in Walker Township, containing eight acres more or less, bounded by lands of John Zimmerman, lands late of Isaac McKinney and others.

ALSO, The undivided 10 20-4ths part of the one undivided half part of 1½ acres of ore land, situate in Walker Township, aforesaid bounded by lands of the Howard Furnace Company, and lands late of W. W. Houston.

ALSO, The undivided 10-24ths part of the ore privilege belonging to the present owners of Heckla Furnace, on eight hundred acres of land of McKinney, the whole of the above described premises (under No. 6) belonging to or appurtenant to the Heckla Furnace property.

7th. ALSO, the ten twenty-fourths part of two tracts of land situate in the township of Boggs, Centre county aforesaid, one thereof containing 95½ acres, being part of the same tract of land which was surveyed for Christopher Reigart on application No 1105, dated the 3d day of April, 1769.

The other thereof containing 96 acres, being the same tract of land which was granted to Matthew Dill, by patent dated the 1st day of Nov. 1783.

ALSO, the undivided ten twenty-fourths part of a tract of land situate in Boggs township aforesaid containing 150 acres and allowance for roads, &c., being the same tract of land surveyed for Geo Hoover.

ALSO, the undivided ten twenty-fourths part of four certain tracts of land situate in Boggs township aforesaid, one thereof surveyed in the name of Evan Miles, containing acres and the usual allowance.

Another thereof adjoining the foregoing tract and surveyed in the name of Nathanial Davis, containing 401½ acres and allowance.

Another thereof adjoining the last above described tract and surveyed in the name of Wm Wistor and containing 401½ acres and allowance. And the other thereof situate on Bald Eagle creek and north side of Muncy Mountain and surveyed in the name of John Rice, containing 346½ acres and the usual allowance.

ALSO, the undivided 10-24ths part of 7 tracts of land situate in Boggs township aforesaid.

One thereof surveyed in the name of Samuel Miles and lying on the waters of Wallace's Run and containing 415 acres and allowance.

Another thereof adjoining the foregoing surveyed in the name of Wm Chancellor and containing 401½ acres and allowance.

Another thereof adjoining the foregoing and last described tract surveyed in the name of Simpson Davis and containing 401½ and allowance.

Another thereof adjoining Wm Chancellor surveyed in the name of George Asten and containing 401 acres and allowance.

Another thereof adjoining the last described tract and surveyed in the name of James Howland and containing three hundred and seventy nine acres and allowance.

Another thereof being all that part of a tract surveyed in the name of John Miles which does not interfere with a survey in the name of Jesse Brooks containing 93 acres and 63 perches with the usual allowance.

And the other thereof all that part of a certain tract of land surveyed in the name of Robert Shaw, which does not interfere with any survey in the name of Andrew Gregg, containing 83 acres and 142 perches and allowance.

And also the undivided 10-24ths part of all and any other lands, tenements and hereditaments belonging or appurtenant to the property known as the Milesburg Iron Works.

9th. The undivided one third part of all those several messuages, tenements, or tracts of land situate in Patton, Harris and Ferguson townships, Centre county aforesaid, including all the tracts contained within a survey made for the Centre Furnace company in February 1855, by Wm G Waring and now in possession of Moses Thompson and comprising all the lands included within the exterior line of survey and stained yellow in said draft, except 690 acres or thereabouts, including the Big Hollow Farm and the Stoid Spring Farm which have been sold and conveyed to Moses Thompson, the whole containing about 4,773 acres and allowance. The courses and distances of the exterior line of survey of said lands as shown by the draft aforesaid being as follows, to wit:

Beginning at stones at the corner of lands of P Carper; thence N 57½ deg, E 312 perches to a small pine, thence N 43 deg, E 92 8-10 perches to pine; thence S 36 deg, E 182 9-10 perches to caning pine stump, thence N 53½ deg, E 236½ perches to tall pine, thence N 40 deg, W 21 perches to stones, thence N 38½ deg, E 118 perches to stones thence S 40 deg, E 131 perches to stump, thence S 67 deg, E 178 3-10 perches to stones, thence N 23 deg, E 200 perches to stones, thence N 67 deg W 157 perches to stones, thence N 27½ deg, E 230 perches to stones, thence N 45½ deg, E 130 pches to stones, thence N 33½ deg, W 152 perches, thence S 53 deg, W 164 perches to stones, thence N 37½ deg, W 165 perches to stones, thence S 52½ deg, W 73 perches to stones, thence N 37½ deg, W 350 perches to stones, thence S 70½ deg, W 15½ perches to stones, thence S 63° W 53½ perches to corner of G. Creamer, thence S 63° W by G Creamer to Andrew Hunter's line, thence S 30½° E by land of Andrew Hunter about 70 perches to stones, thence by lands of same S 59½°, W 90 1-10 perches to stones, thence by land of same N 30½°, W 150 perches to Maple, thence S 63°, W 69 perches to White Oak, thence S 45°, W 71 4-10 perches to stones, thence S 35½°, E 171 perches to stones, thence S 44°, W about 201 perches to stones, thence N 34½°, W 172 perches to White Oak. thence S 45°, W 16½ perches to White Oak corner of Thomas Nicholson, thence by Thomas Nicholson S 30°, E 12 perches to stones, thence S 69°, W 10 perches by T. Nicholson, thence N 35°, W by same 10 perches, thence S 45°, West 29 4-10 perches to pine, thence S 48½°, West 17 perches to white oak, thence N 85½°, W. 76½ perches to stones, thence 17½°, E 79 2-10 perches to stones, thence 66½°, W 36 2-10 perches to stones, thence N 45½°, W 77 perches to stones, thence S 66½°, W 34 perches to stones, thence S 44½°, E 219 perches to stones, thence S 36½°, W 70½ perches to stones, thence S 3½°, E 88 perches to stones, thence S 45 deg, W 107 perches to stones, thence N 44½°, W 112 perches to stones, thence S 45½°, W 33 perches to stones corner of Abram Hicks, thence by land of Abram Hicks S 33°, E 96 9-10 perches to stones, thence S 59½°, W by lands of same 99 perches to stones, thence S 32½°, E perches to stones, thence N 59°, E 153 perches to stones, thence N 38°, W 38½ perches to stones, thence N 55½°, E 33 perches to stones, thence S 38°, E 48 3-10 perches to stones, thence N 59½°, E 112 2-10 perches to stones, thence N 36½°, W 45 perches to stones, thence N 53½°, E 168 perches to small white oak, thence S 36½°, E 275 perches to small pine the place of beginning. Of the lands included within the above described limits of the tract marked and designated in said draft as Thomas West thirty acres or thereabouts have been sold by articles of agreement to S. Stevens; of the tract marked and designated as James Newport, about 125 acres have been *sold to Miles Gray by articles of* agreement. Of the tract adjoining John Biddle heirs of Miles Green and Andrew Hunter, on which a school house is erected, about fifty acres have been sold to Miles Green by articles of agreement; the lot on which the said school house is erected was donated for school purposes by the owners thereof in the lifetime of the said Jas. Irvin, dec'd.

ALSO the undivided one third part of the ore privileges which the Centre Furnace Company has in the several tracts of land situate in Patton township aforesaid, the one containing 5 acres and 127 perches, and the other containing 12 acres and 97 perches, plotted and marked as reservation of ore in said draft.

ALSO the undivided one third part of a body of land situate in Harris township, Centre county containing about 1400 acres and allowance including parts of five adjoining tracts surveyed in the names of Jeremiah Sinkey, John Smith, Samuel Edmiston, Wm. McCandless and Robert Steel, of which body of lands about 200 acres including parts of Wm. McCandless and Robert Steel tracts were sold in the lifetime of said James Irvin, dec'd.

Also the one undivided third part of a tract of land situate in Harris township, surveyed in the name of John Patton and containing 220 acres and allowance.

ALSO the undivided one third part of about acres of land situate in Ferguson township county aforesaid being part of a tract of land surveyed in the name of Samuel Miles and

ALSO the undivided one third part of a tract of land situate in Harris township aforesaid containing about 250 acres on which are erected a large charcoal furnace, a large grist mill and a large brick dwelling house, a small brick dwelling house two good frame dwelling house and seven or eight small tenent houses; the whole of the above described lands, under number 8, being known as the Centre Furnace property.

Together also of the undivided one third part of all and other lands, tenements or hereditaments belonging to or appurtenant to the Centre Furnace property. From the above described as the Centre Furnace Property must be deducted about thirty seven acres of the Wm. Ellis tract sold and conveyed to Saml S Gray about 80 acres of the Thomas West tract sold and conveyed to Galmer and Behrs.

9th. *All* the right, title and interest of the said James Irvin, at and before the time of his decease in and to a certain right to dig and carry away iron ore in, off and from a tract of land situate in Potter township, Centre county, known as Mrs. Gregg's farm and being the same ore right put into the Hecla Furnace and Milesburg Iron Works property by the said James Irvin, by articles of agreement dated Dec. 26th, 1856, and now constituting a part and parcel recorded in Centre county in Miscellaneous B, p 769.

10th. *A* tract of land situate in township, county aforesaid, containing about 25 acres be the same more or less, now in the occupancy of Nicholas Straw to whom the same was sold by articles of agreement in 1835, but no deed *has been made, nor the purchase money paid,* with the improvements and appurtenances. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Mary Ann Irvin, Executor of James Irvin, dec'd. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock of said day. jy29-4t R. CONLEY, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of *fieri facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in the borough of Bellefonte, on Saturday the 26th day of August, 1864, the following described property, to-wit: All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate lying and being in Patton township, Centre county, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at stones thence N 42½° W by lands of Centre Furnace Company 32 perches to black oak, thence by land of Samuel S 53½°, W 43 perches to a post, thence by other lands of Wm. B. Henderson, 12 perches to a post, thence S 64½°, E 10 perches to a post, thence S 67°, W 20 18-100 perches to a post, thence N 41½°, E 25½ perches to the place of beginning, containing 7 acres and 55 perches neat measure.

ALSO one other tenement and tract of land adjoining the above described tract, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post, thence by Curtin Furnace S 49½°, E 51 11-100 perches to a post, thence by lands of Mrs. Reed N 41½°, E 44 perches to the road to Centre Furnace, thence by the said road, the several courses thereof to a post in the line of S. Stephenson's land, thence S 53½°, W 26 6-10 perches to the place of beginning, containing 11 acres and 55 perches, neat measure, with the improvements and appurtenances.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of James F. Henderson, administrator "de bonus nun" of Wm. B. Henderson, dec'd. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock of said day. jy29-4t R. CONLEY, Sheriff.

PROTHONOTARY'S NOTICE.

L. A. Mackey, James T. Hale and A. G. Curtin vs. James Irvin and Andrew Gregg. } In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre Co., No. 241, Nov. T 1857

And now June 18, 1864, on petitions and affidavits of Riddle, Pennock and Co., Conyngham, Barcroft, Beaver and Co., A. T. Lane and Co., being filed, rule awarded upon Andrew Gregg and the personal representatives of Jas. Irvin, and upon the creditors of James Irvin and Andrew Gregg to show cause why the petitioners should not have leave to withdraw from the record of said judgment the receipt in pursuance of which satisfaction was entered upon their respective claims as ordinarily creditors, and that they be restored to their rights under the judgment entered in the case. Certified from the record this 19th day of July A. D. 1864.

jy29-3t JAS. H. LIPTON, Proth'y.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of *conditioni expones*, issued out of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, E. D., and *fieri facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, on the premises hereafter described, on Saturday, the 13th day of August 1864, all that certain messuage or tracts of land situate in Union township, Centre county, bounded and described as follows:

One tract of land situate in township and county aforesaid; beginning at a hickory on the margin of Bald Eagle creek, on the north side, thence by other lands of Joseph Iddings, N. 23 deg., W. 76 perches to a stone, thence S. 75½ deg., W. 120½ perches to a hickory, thence by lands of Jas. Alexander S. 32½ deg., E. 65½ perches to a stump on the margin of said Bald Eagle creek, thence down the same the several courses thereof to the place of beginning, containing 58 acres, 147 perches, and allowance of six per cent. for roads, etc.

Also one other messuage or tract of land adjoining the above described tract on the East, bounded and described as follows:

On the W. by lands of the aforesaid Joseph Iddings, being the tract above described, on the N. by land of John Hoover, now Joseph Hoover, on the E. by lands of John Iddings, dec'd, on the S. by the Bald Eagle creek aforesaid, containing 58 acres, and allowance of six per cent., being part of a larger tract of land surveyed in the name of John Worthington in pursuance of an application dated the 3d day of April, 1769.

Also one other tract of land situate in Union township, bounded and described as follows:

Adjoining lands of Wm. Way on the N. and E, and by lands of Jas. Alexander, on the W and on the S by the Bellefonte and Phillipsburg turnpike, and thereon erected a large two-story log house and other out buildings containing 90 acres.

Also one other piece of land containing 10 acres, situate in Union township, bounded as follows: By Bald Eagle creek on the north, and on the S and E by lands of Irvin, McCoy and Co., with the improvements and appurtenances.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Joseph Iddings. Sale to commence at 2 o'clock of said day, on the premises.

jy29-4t, RICHARD CONLEY, Sheriff.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

The following accounts have been examined and passed by me, and remains filed of record in this office for the inspection of heirs, legatees, creditors and others interested, and will be presented to the Orphan's Court of Centre County to be held at Bellefonte, on Wednesday, the 22nd of August next, for confirmation and allowance, viz.,

1. The Account of A. C. Geary, Administrator of the estate of Jacob Stager late of Walker Township, dec'd.
2. The Account of Ephraim Glenn, Administrator of John Menitt, late of Howard Township, dec'd.
3. The Account of James W. Campbell, and Geo. W. Campbell, Executors of John Campbell, late of Ferguson Township, dec'd.
4. The Account of Christian Shank, Administrator of Frederick Shank, late of Howard Township, dec'd.
5. The Account of Christian Bechdel, Guardian of Mary Quigley (late Mary Shaw) minor child of Hugh Shaw, late of Liberty Township, dec'd.
6. The Account of Henry Brokerhoff, Executor of William McElwayne, late of Bellefonte, dec'd.
7. The final Account of Daniel Roush, Executor of Henry Hains, late of Miles Township, dec'd.
8. The Account of P. W. Barnhart and John Holter, Executors of William Shawley, late of Boggs Township, dec'd.
9. The Account of Christina Melcher and Stephen H. M'Manigal, Administrators of John Melcher, late of Worth Township, dec'd.
10. The Account of James M. Packer, Administrator of Razel P. Lucas, late of Curtin Township, dec'd.
11. The Account of Samuel M'Williams, Administrator of Henry M'Williams, late of Ferguson Township, dec'd.
12. The Account of Jacob G. Moyer and John Moyer, Executors of George Moyer, Sr., late of Haines Township, dec'd.
13. The final Account of George S. Gray, and John W. Gray, Administrators of Isaac Gray, late of Halfmoon Township, dec'd.
14. The Account of George W. Johnston and Alexander Johnston, Administrators of Benjamin Everhart, late of Harris Township, dec'd.
15. The Account of Sarah Gunsaulles and Cline Quigley, Executors of James Gunsaulles, late of Liberty Township, dec'd.
16. The Account of B. O. Deininger, Administrator of Jacob I. Sanick, late of Penn Township dec'd.
17. The Account of Henry Teats, Administrator of Henry Markle, late of Walker Township, dec'd.
18. The Account of Edwin I, Deshler, Administrator of Daniel Miller, late of Haines Township, dec'd.
19. The account of John Hasson, Administrator of John Wasson, late of Patton Township, dec,d.
20. The Account of H. N. M'Allister, Administrator, of the Hon. James Burnside, late of Bellefonte, dec'd.
21. The Final Account of Joseph Baker and John Dale, Executors of George Coble, late of Harris Township dec'd.
22. The Account of P. T. Musser, John Rishel and Samuel Musser, Administrators of David Musser, late of Gregg Township, dec'd.
23. The Account of William A. Thomas, Administrator of William T. Harris, late of Bellefonte, dec'd.
24. The Account of Robert Valentine, Administrator of Bond Valentine, Esq., late of Bellefonte, dec'd.
25. The Account of Moses and Ferdinand Loeb, Guardians of Rosa Dukes, Minor child of Marc Dukes, dec'd.
26. The Account of Moses and Ferdinand Loeb, Guardians of Lena Dukes, minor child of Marc Dukes, dec'd.
27. The Account of Moses and Ferdinand Loeb, *Guardians of Josephine Dukes*, minor child of Marx Dukes, dec'd.
28. The Account of Moses and Ferdinand Loeb. guardians of Marx Dukes, minor child of Marx Dukes, dec'd
29. The Account of Samuel M. Irwin, Administrator of John I. Irwin, late of Benner Township, dec'd.
30. The Account of Robert Holmes, Guardian of Electa E. William L. and Jared S. Harding, minor children of William Harding, late of Marion Township, dec'd
31. The account of H. A. Foresman and D. G. Bumgardner, Administrator of Joseph Bumgardner, late of Liberty township, dec'd.
32. The trustee account of Thomas McKean, appointed by the Orphans Court, to make sale of the real estate of Wm. McKean, late of Walker township, dec'd.
33. The final administration account of Daniel Grove, administrator of the estate of John Grove, late of Gregg township, dec'd.
34. The account of Sam'l McWilliams, administrator on estate of David Brisbin, late of Potter township, dec'd.

Register's Office, Bellefonte, July 19, 1864. } J. P. GEPHART, *Register.*

CENTRE COUNTY, S.S.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to Samuel W. Gardner and John W. Gardner Administrators of &c., of Samuel Gardner dec'd. Ephraim G. Gardner, Wm. Gardner, Jane Consolis, Mary B. Consolis and John P. Packer Guardain of John Consolis, heirs of Eliza Gardner late intermarried with John Consolis dec'd. Julian Gardner late intermarried with John G. Walts John M. Gardner, James J. Gardner, Johnston Gardner, Samuel W. Gardner, Letta Jane Gardner and Winfield S. Gardner heirs of said decedent Greeting:—

You are cited and commanded to be and appear at an Orphans Court to be held at Bellefonte on the 22nd day of August 1864, then and there to answer the bill or petition of Winfield S. Gardner, and show cause why proof of a certain contract between the said Samuel Gardner dec'd and the said Winfield S. Gardner should not be made and specific performance thereof decreed.

Witness the Hon. Samuel Linn President of the said Court at Bellefonte this 28th day of April A. D. 1864.

J. P. GEPHART, C.O.C.

R. CONLEY, Sheriff.

July 15th '64—4t.

A HOME.

The undersigned offers for sale, a lot situated on Penn Street, in the Borough of Bellefonte, 155 feet front, and extending back 150 feet, on which are erected a large, neat, two story frame house and other out houses, now occupied by David Bollinger.

GEO. LIVINGSTON.

July 15th, '64.

CENTRE COUNTY, SS.

Be it remembered, that at a Court of Common Pleas, held at Bellefonte, for the county of Centre on the 2d day of May A. D. 1864, before the Honorable Judges of the county, the petition of John Lord Jr., was presented setting forth that on the 16th day of October A. D. '51. John Lord Sr., and John Lord Jr. of the township of Bald Eagle in the county of Clinton executed to David Lyle of the Township of Walker in the County of Centre, a certain indenture Mortgage, in due form of Law, which is recorded in, the office for recording of deeds &c., for the County of Centre, in Mortgage Book, L. page 158 &c. for securing the payment of the principal sum of three hundred dollars, current money of Pennsylvania, upon all that messuage or tenament, and tract of land situate in Walker twp., Centre Co., to wit:

Beginning at a Linn Wood, thence by lot of R. Alexander and land of S. McKee, N. 5 degs. West, 17 perches to a White Oak; N. 31 degs. E. 15, 1 perches to a White Oak Stump. N 62 degs. W. 8 perches to a post at the road, thence by the same N. 45 degs. E. 11.4 perches to a Hornbeam sapling, thence by land of S. Pattel South 29½ degs., West 10-7-10 perches to a stone, South 52 degs. E. 29, 7 perches to stones South 43½ degs, West 26, 5 perches to a sugar tree south 66 degs. W. 9 perches to a post and North 73 degs West 10 perches to the place of beginning: containing four acres and one hundred and twenty perches be the same more or less. Bering the same premises, which the said David Lyle and Drusilla his wife, by their indenturer bearing date the 6th day of October, A. D. 1851 for the consideration therein mentioned, granted and confirmed unto the said Lord Sr. and John Lord Jr. in fee, as in and by the said indenture more at large appears. That the said David Lyle being the legal holder of the said Mortgage has died without entering satisfaction upon the Record of the same and that payment has been made of all the money, or amount due them, and has so continued for more than two years, and that the said petition is the owner of the said Mortgaged premises. Therefore praying the said Court to direct the sheriff of the Centre aforesaid, to serve a notice stating the facts in the said petition set forth in the legal representatives of the said David Lyle who are to be found in the said county, requiring the said parties to appear at the next term and answer the said petition: and, that the said Court will decree and direct that satisfaction shall be entered upon the record of the said Mortgage by the Recorder of Centre County on payment of the costs due relative to the entry of the said Mortgage or any proceetings, and that said satisfaction so entered shall forever defeat, release and discharge the same, agreeably to the provisions of an act of Assembly relative thereto passed the first day of March 1863. The court therefore do appoint the 22nd day of August next, 1864 to hear and decide upon the several premises aforesaid, and direct notice to be given to the heirs or others legally representatives of the said David Lyle, as directed by the act of Arssembly, governing such proceedings and efered to in the prayers of their said petition.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court at Bellefonte the 5th day of May, *Anno Domini*, 1864.

JAMES H. LIPTON, *Prothonotary.*
RICHARD CONLEY, *Sheriff.*

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June 24, '64—tf.

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July 1, '64-tf. SIMONS' Main St.

ORPHANS COURT SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of Centre County, there will be exposed to public sale on the premises on Saturday the

13th OF AUGUST 1864.

the following real estate, situate in Union twp., Centre County, a certain message or tract of land containing

NINETY ACRES,

and allowance, about half of which is cleared and under a high state of cultivation, the balance is timbered. A good House and barn, with necessary out buildings are erected thereon.

TERMS.—One half the purchase money to be paid at the confirmation of the sale, and the residue in one year thereafter to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.

T. M. HALL.
Admin's. on Estate of Thos. Irwin dec'd.

July 15th, 1864—3t.

STOLEN GOODS.

The following described articles, supposed to have been stolen, have been left with the subscriber in Benner tp., by David Lohr, Constable of said tp., 19 yds. gingham, 11 yds. Delaine, 26 yds. Calico, 36 yds. Muslin, 1 flannel shirt, 1 satin vest, 2 pairs of boots, 1 pair of scissors, 1 black cloth coat, 1 piece of red flannel, 1 piece Calico. The person or persons to whom they belong, will come forward, prove property, pay charges and take them away, otherwise they will be disposed of as the law directs.

A. B. RISHEL, J. P.

July 1, '64.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the sadlery business was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of July. The books and accounts are in the hands of Jeremiah Teise, by whom the business will hereafter be conducted.

JEREMIAH TEISE,
A. FAHRENBACH.

July 15th 1864.

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