

**The Commissioners' Treatment of Ferguson Township Tax-payers.**

Farms valued higher than they will sell for and 8 per cent added to this valuation. Legal robbery to cover extravagant and ignorant management of county offices.

FERGUSON TWP., Aug. 5, 1889.

EDITOR DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN.—Dear Sir: We notice a brief account in your last issue of the injustice done us by County Commissioners Henderson and Decker in the matter of the assessment of farm property in our township. We had two men for assessors whom we all know to be honest, upright, conscientious citizens, men of good judgment, who performed their duties as officers with credit to themselves and their constituents. The valuation of our Township has always been too high. In 1886 it was reduced sixty thousand dollars, which proved, by the sales of farms sold since that time, to be higher than land would sell for. Therefore this Spring when the assessment was made many of the farmers claimed that their farms were assessed higher than they would ask for them if offered for sale, and asked that they be assessed at no higher figure than they were worth in the market. The assessment was completed; some were reduced, some left as they had been, and others were increased in the assessed valuation. The assessment was returned by the assessors, and to the great surprise of themselves and the citizens, the commissioners claimed the valuation was too low, that at least eight per cent must be added to the assessors' return to bring it to what they wanted it to be. Henderson and Decker had instructed the assessors to keep up the valuation; that they should advance rather than reduce in order to make a good showing for our county.

They added the 8 per cent, and made the appeal day on the 2nd of July at Scotia in Patton township, thinking we would be too busy making hay and harvesting to attend, which was another injustice. They gave Halfmoon township one day, Ferguson and Patton one day, and asked Ferguson, with fifteen school districts in it, to go over the ridges to Little Patton, with five school districts. Ferguson, however, turned out in good shape. Leonard Grange sent a committee to ask that the additional eight per cent be taken off; Washington Grange did the same; Centre Grange instructed her committee to ask two per cent off of the assessors' valuation in addition to the 8 per cent, claiming that the assessors' valuation was too high. Henderson gave all present to understand that the 8 per cent must stand regardless of anything we might advance.

To show you that we are imposed upon we will state a few instances: The Wm. McBeth farm, lying along the line of Patton township and adjoining the farm of Prof. Hamilton, is assessed by the assessor at \$1.40 per acre more than the Hamilton farm in Patton township, while any person that has any knowledge of farm property will say that the Hamilton farm is worth five to eight dollars per acre more than McBeth's farm. McBeth Jr. Ferguson gets 8 per cent additional, Hamilton in Patton is left as the assessor of Patton valued him. Another instance is ex-Sheriff Walker's farm, which the assessor valued at 45 cents per acre more than it sold for at public sale and had to reduce it \$5.50 per acre to do that, valuing farms adjoining at from \$3.00 to 5.50 per acre more than Walker's. To this 8 per cent is added by Henderson and Decker.

Is it any wonder that we appeal to court for justice. It is plainly to be seen that Henderson and Decker, who claim to be the custodians of the county, are incompetent to fill the positions they hold unless they have barrels of money to keep up their extravagance. We would like them to account for the discrepancy as per the Auditors statement last January. Henderson says he owes Ferguson nothing. No thanks to him. A man who publicly declares that he would not give for an oath is not a fit man for the position he holds. He wants to make himself a reputation as Boodle Commissioner. We demand justice, and will have it if we have to go to Court for it.

**MANY CITIZENS.**

Under the reforming hand of the Cleveland administration, so says the Hartford Times, the incidental consular fees at London, Bradford and other places were cut down. Governor Waller's fees at London, as compared with the previous fees, were reduced at the rate of \$14,000 a year, but now Mr. Harrison's administration has restored the fees, "so that Mr. New at London, Colonel Tibbitts at Bradford, and others can get the old fat rates. New is from Indianapolis and the extra \$14,000 a year restored to him—reinstating an old abuse and extortion—is an especial mark of favor for services rendered in superintending Dudley's block of five business.

During an examination of the archives of Holland at The Hague, a short time ago, a letter was found addressed to the States General of the United Netherlands, announcing the purchase of Manhattan Island by the Dutch West India Company for the sum of \$24. A few days afterwards the original deed of the purchase was also discovered, after having lain hidden and unknown for 263 years. Did ever any other \$24 since the world was made grow in value to the same extent as these paid for the site of the greatest city on this continent?

**Philipsburg Pickings.**

William Duncan and family are sojourning at Bedford Springs.

Don't forget that the Watchman now gives all the Philipsburg and surrounding news.

A band of genuine gypsies are camping near town. Keep an eye on your chicken houses.

Rev. J. H. McGarrath, pastor of the M. E. church of this place, has been granted a month vacation, commencing last Sunday evening.

John Clinch, ex-miner's agent for the Clearfield region, has moved from Chester Hill, to this place. We understand that he has an eye on the position of Chief of Police.

A lawn festival, given by the ladies connected with the Mts. Society of the Lutheran church, was given at the residence of H. O. Hoffer on last Tuesday evening.

The young members of the Episcopal church had a concert in the new parish building on Thursday night of last week. It was a genuine "old folks concert," and was a grand success financially.

A lawn festival was held at the residence of Benj. Jones by the young ladies of the Presbyterian church on last Friday night. The proceeds went for the benefit of the church, and it was a grand success.

The foot-race on last Saturday evening at the Driving Park between Nikirk and Kephart was easily won by the former. The latter got ten yards of a start of Nikirk. The race was for \$200, a side.

Mrs. Cardon, mother of Frank Cardon, one of the proprietors of the Potter House, who has been ill only a couple of weeks, died at her home in Clearfield early Tuesday morning, aged about seventy-eight years.

Prof. J. B. Ritchey, Principal of our Public schools, whose home is in Meadville, was in Philipsburg last week. He was well pleased with Philipsburg and its new school building. The schools here will open on September 1st.

Maj. Jno. A. Wolfe, S. S. Crissman, Capt. C. T. Fryberger and Tom Switzer were delegates to the County Convention, which was held at Bellefonte on Monday. We understand that Crissman was selected as one of the State delegates.

Harry Simler, who is employed at the commissary in Johnstown, spent a couple of days at his home in Philipsburg last week. He tells us there is not a day passes but what several bodies are found, but all so decomposed they are none recognizable.

We are requested to state that the beneficial organization, known as the Royal Arctonian, will shortly hold a picnic at Bigler's famous Arctic Spring. The committee having the affair in charge are sparing neither time nor money in making it a brilliant success.

The Bigler Campmeeting will commence next Sunday and will continue over the next Sunday. Special trains will run on both the Beech Creek and Pennsylvania railroads, at greatly reduced rates. This campmeeting is expected to be one of the most successful held yet.

Hoover, Hughes & Co., are making great improvements to their office and its immediate surroundings. They are having the office completely overhauled, and are building pavements, fences, sodding and flower bed, and a great many other improvements too numerous to mention.

Messrs. Neal Davis, Jerre Sankey, David Enoch and Andrew Gearhart, accompanied by their families, left Monday morning for Newton Hamilton, where they have rented a house at the Juniata Valley Campmeeting. They will spend the time between this and the commencement of campmeeting fishing, and of course they will all have a delightful time.

Grant Davis, son of William Davis, conductor of the work train on the T. & C. railroad, met with an accident on last Sunday afternoon, by which he had his right hand so badly mashed that it had to be amputated that evening.

The young man had been employed helping to clear up the wreck at Mapleton intersection, and in hoisting up one of the cars, and before he had time to pull the hand out, it came down with the above result.

Hope Fire Co., No. 2, are now selling tickets at 10 cents each for a gift entertainment for a gold watch valued at \$75, and a gold headed cane, valued at \$10. The entertainment will come off at their headquarters in the Public on Saturday evening, November 2. They will issue three thousand tickets, and at ten cents each the entertainment will net them quite a snug little sum, which will go toward paying off the balance of their indebtedness their engine.

The electric light was first put on our streets on last Saturday night, after an absence of two years. They did not work quite satisfactorily if we are a judge of electric lighting. Some of them we noticed did not burn half the time, and a few others all right at times, but at intervals they would almost go out. Of course, we won't condemn the lights just yet, considering Saturday was the first night. We hope, however, we won't be compelled to tell of the insufficiency of this system of electric lighting, and that everything will hereafter move off satisfactorily, and the streets be brilliantly illuminated every night.

On Thursday of last week Mr. Chas. Beatty, one of Clearfield county's oldest and most respected citizens, died of old age. He was 88 years, two weeks and three days old. He lived at Hawk Run for quite a number of years, but after his son, Joseph Beatty, was killed by the cars last winter he removed near Bigler. He has been on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Walker, at Hawk Run, during the past couple of weeks, when he gradually began to waste away and died. His remains were taken to Bigler for burial, and the old landmarks continue to pass away, and it went along until all the old settlers of this section will be numbered with those who have gone to their rest in the peace. Beate by their ashes!

On Thursday evening of last week, Charley son of William Yingling, met with an accident that resulted in his losing his left foot. He is in common with a number of other boys, have been in the habit of jumping on trains coming in at the Beech Creek station, and upon this occasion the conductor chased them all off and after he had done this he proceeded on up to the front portion of his train, and in doing so, the boys watched their opportunity, and jumped on the rear end of the train. Another young boy threw Yingling's hat off and in jumping off to get it his foot slipped and went under the wheels. He was taken home and physicians sent for, and upon seeing how badly it was smashed, they concluded it must be cut off; so the next morning Drs. Allport and Harmon amputated the foot above the ankle. Young Yingling's father is a brakeman on a passenger train on the Beech Creek railroad, and he generally takes his father's meals down to the station and has it sent to his station, where he gets it. This is not the first warning these boys have had, and none of them will heed until they have a leg or arm cut off.

**A Panther Story.**

Punxsutawney Spirit.

John Potter came to this county about 1844, and settled on the banks of the Sandy Lick, on what is now known as the Gary farm. John was a large, sinewy man, with any amount of courage. One day in the early spring, while the ground was still white with snow, John and his wife and dog started to walk to Punxsutawney. They had traveled only about two miles when a pile of snow beside the road attracted John's attention. Going up to it and kicking it a little he discovered a dead deer buried beneath it, and just then a large panther, which had no doubt killed the deer and covered it with snow, sprang from behind a log and ran up an adjacent tree. John told Nancy, his wife, to hasten back and get the gun, while he and the dog stood guard under the tree. She did so, but scarcely had gotten out of sight when the panther began to exhibit strong symptoms of restlessness. It eyed the dog and snarled savagely. Potter had no weapon but a jack-knife, and he had some anxiety to see the panther remain where it was until Nancy returned with the gun. But the panther did not like his quarters, and with a tremendous spring, bounded from the tree and immediately attacked the dog, which, with true canine courage, gave the beast the very best he had, and was prepared to defend the dog. He had not long to wait. Again the huge beast sprang from the tree and began a life and death struggle with the dog, who was greatly inferior to it both in strength and activity.

But while the fierce fight between the panther and dog was progressing, Potter rushed in with his club and belabored the animal over the head with all his might, and soon succeeded in crushing its skull, when it keeled over and yielded up the ghost. Then John sat him down upon its lifeless carcass and waited for Nancy. The dog was thought to be finished. He was unable to walk, and the noble brute was left to die in silence on the field of battle, but to the surprise of friends he came home two weeks afterward a thoroughly emaciated but convalescent dog. The panther measured nine feet from the nose to the tip of the tail.

**Literary Women's Ages.**

Here are the ages of some of the well-known literary women: Sarah Orne Jewett, who writes the charming little sketches of provincial New England life, will be forty this coming September. Mrs. Humphry Ward, like George Eliot, only achieved her fame late in life, or rather after she had passed her first youth, for she is thirty-eight years old now and was a little over thirty-six when she began her famous "Robert Elsmere," which just returned from a voyage to Brazil, said she found just as widely read and discussed there as in the United States. Lucy Larcom is sixty-three. Harrt Prescott Spofford is fifty-four, and has been famous a long time, for she was a member of only twenty when she set all the world talking about her and her books, which made as great a sensation in their day as have those of Amelie Rives latterly. This young woman, by the way, is only twenty-six years old and does not look even that. Edith Thomas, the poetess from Ohio, who has lately come to live in New York, is thirty-five, and Marion Hanland, with whose name every good housewife is familiar, is fifty-nine. Her daughter, Mrs. Herrick, is also a literary woman, who has grown up married children. Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, the author of "Little Lord Fauntleroy," is only thirty-nine, which is very young when one considers all the work she has done and the fame she has achieved. Celia Thaxter is fifty-three; Jenny June Croly, so long president of the Sorosis and editor of Godey's Lady's Book, is fifty-seven. Blanch Willis Howard, author of "Guenn" and of "One Summer," against whom Mrs. Harriet Hubbard Ayer made such strange charges while giving testimony in our recent lawsuit, and who now refuses to return Mrs. Ayer her child, placed in her care some time ago, is forty-two years old. Miss Braddon is fifty-two, and Rose Terry Cooke is sixty-two. Elizabeth Stuart Phelps will be forty-five in August, and was married only one year ago. Louisa May Alcott, one of the most gifted of our young female poets, is just twenty-seven. Constance Fenimore Woolson, who is one of the two or three literary women in the world who have never had a manuscript rejected, is forty-one years old, and is very delicate. Mrs. Margaret W. Deane, the author of "John Ward Preacher," which had a success only second to that of "Robert Elsmere," is thirty-one. Mary Mapes Dodge, the editor of St. Nicholas, is fifty-one, and Gail Hamilton, for all the fire and spirit which she writes, is growing an old woman and is nearly sixty years of age.

**Pine Grove Pickings.**

Post Master W. D. Port returned from a short visit to Williamsport with the latest style "Katy," also attired with a becoming new suit. Much dissatisfaction exists along the mail route, especially in our town and vicinity. The present mail system requires four days to get a return letter from Bellefonte, or Altoona west. Petitions are being circulated and largely signed for a change to the former schedule, the mail to leave this place at 6 a. m., and make connections with mail trains east and west, and return about 6 p. m. This is about the former schedule which gave general satisfaction for the last twenty years. A petition signed by the principal business men of Bellefonte is also in circulation asking the Post Master General to establish as formerly a mail route via Penna. State College, and vacating the route from this place to Bousburg. It is hoped by the aid of our Bellefonte friends that the change will be speedily made.

Thursday of last week found matters at the old home of Albert Hoy all "topsy turvey;" it being moving day to their excellent new home recently completed at Penna. State College, where Mr. Hoy and family will likely spend the remainder of their days away from the busy cares of farm life. As a good citizen, obliging neighbor and one of Democracy's old world worthies, we are sorry to lose Mr. Hoy but our loss will be College township's gain.

The game of base ball played on the grounds at Greenwood Furnace on last Saturday, p. m., was full of excitement and interest. As the Greenwood club has heretofore wiped up the dirt with other clubs that dared to antagonize them, our boys accepted the challenge and proved to maintain with the express purpose of winning which they would have done on their own grounds. After a hotly contested game of ten innings the Pine Grove Club by a score of 15 to 16 laid down the lat in honor of their antagonist. After enjoying an excellent supper served at the hospitable home of manager Woomer, our boys recessed the mountain, not at all dispondent over the result.

**Married.**

WILSON—PRINGLE.—At the residence of Mr. W. L. Wilson, Stormstown, Pa., on Aug. 1st, 1889, by Rev. A. Parker Wharton, Mr. Wm. Wilson, and Miss Elsie Pringle, both of Altoona, Pa.

**Democratic Delegate Election and County Convention.**

The Democratic voters of Centre county will meet at the regular places of holding the general election for their districts on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, 1889, to elect delegates to the Democratic County Convention. Under the rules the election will open at 2 p. m., and close at 6 p. m. The delegates chosen at the above stated time will meet in convention at the Court House in Bellefonte on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13, 1889, at 2 o'clock p. m., to nominate one candidate for Associate Judge, one candidate for Prothonotary, one candidate for District Attorney, one candidate for County Surveyor, and to transact such other business as shall properly be brought before it and the interest of the party may require. The number of delegates to which each district is entitled is as follows:

Bellefonte N.W.	2	Haines E.P.	2
8 W.	3	W.P.	3
W.W.	3	Walford	3
Howard Boro.	1	Harris	3
Milesburg Boro.	1	Huston	3
Centre Boro.	1	Low	3
Millheim Boro.	2	Liberty	3
Philipsburg 1st W.	1	Marion	3
2nd W.	3	Miles	3
3rd W.	1	Patton	3
Unionville Boro.	1	Penn.	3
Benners	1	Pettor	3
Boggs N.P.	1	S.P.	3
W.P.	2	Rush S.P.	2
Burnside	1	S.P.	3
College	1	Snow Shoe W.P.	1
Ferguson E.P.	1	Spring	3
Gregg S.P.	1	Union	3
N.P.	2	Worth	3
Total	55		

The delegate elections must in all cases be held according to the rules of the party, a copy of which will be furnished each election by the committee of the board and the information of voters.

At a meeting of the Democratic County Committee held at the committee rooms at Bellefonte on Saturday, July 27th, the following persons were named to hold the delegate election on the 10th day of August, 1889:

- Bellefonte, North Ward, C. M. Bower, W. J. Singer, H. Y. Sitzer.
- Bellefonte, South Ward, Patrick Garrity.
- Bellefonte, West Ward, Joseph Gross, O. L. McS., A. M. Kistler.
- Centre Hall Boro, J. W. McCormick, D. A. Booser, Simon Harper.
- Milesburg Boro, M. L. Gardner, A. Weber, Jno. Loder.
- Milesburg Boro, J. Willis Weaver, E. H. Carr, A. M. Butler.
- Millheim Boro, C. W. Hartman, J. H. Reifsnider, Adolph Miller.
- Philipsburg, 1st Ward, J. D. Ritter, Robert Kinkade, Elwood Shiffer.
- Philipsburg, 2nd Ward, J. H. Riley, C. A. Faulner, Dr. H. Alport.
- Philipsburg, 3rd Ward, Jackson Gorton, Wm. Hess, J. L. Dougherty.
- Unionville Boro, L. G. Bing, F. T. McCoy, R. E. Cambridge.
- Burnside, Wm. Hipple, H. R. Meeker, Oscar Hunter.
- Hennert, John Meekley, Henry Hoy, R. H. Hunter.
- Boggs, N. P., Philip Confer, Andrew Fetzer, Jas. Cokely.
- Boggs, W. P., T. Adams, Geo. Harvey, James Lutz.
- Boggs, E. P., H. L. Barnhart, David Whiteside, Miles Lutz.
- College, Daniel Grove, Dr. W. S. Glenn, Wm. Tibbens.
- Curtin, T. S. DeLong, John McCloskey, Conrail.
- Ferguson, E. P., John T. McCormick, H. R. Smith, Wm. Shover.
- Ferguson, W. P., Samuel Harper, Jr., B. F. Bowersox, Isaac Gates.
- Gregg, S. P., Geo. B. Crawford, Hiram Grove, Wm. Pender.
- Haines, N. P., J. C. Rossman, Frank Yearick, A. H. Weaver.
- Haines, E. P., J. A. Bowersox, T. C. Weaver, Thos. E. Smith.
- Harris, N. P., C. A. Weaver, Jacob Wyle, Geo. Keister.
- Halfmoon, William Bailey, Emery McAfee, John W. Hays.
- Harris, C. C. Meyer, S. F. Ishler, D. T. Weiland.
- Howard, Frank Deitz, Joseph Dunkle, Britton Paeker.
- Huston, John Q. Miles, Chas. Wilson, R. D. Ays.
- Liberty, D. W. Herring, Frank Brown, Wm. Hunter.
- Marion, J. A. Henderson, Henry J. Tibbens, J. J. Hoy.
- Miles, J. J. Gramley, Henry Meyer, W. J. Oatley.
- Patton, D. L. Meek, R. H. Reed, P. A. Sellers.
- Penn., W. F. Smith, W. H. Kreamer, B. F. Finkenberger.
- Pettor, N. P., B. F. Arney, R. D. Foreman, John Carper.
- Pettor, S. P., G. L. Goodhart, Henry Rossman, W. A. Kerr.
- Rush, S. P., Hugh McCann, James Peedman, Wm. Burns.
- Rush, N. P., R. C. Wilcox, Geo. McClellan, John Beamer.
- Snow Shoe, W. P., William Kerrin, A. T. Lutz, Patrick Ward, Jr.
- Snow Shoe, E. P., R. J. Haines, Jr., Jas. Tober, John Barbour.
- Spring, J. N. Brooks, G. P. Gentzel, L. E. Wian.
- Taylor, W. T. Hoover, Vinton Beckwith, Wm. Calderwood.
- Union, Aaron Fahr, D. Peters, Alvin Bish.
- Walker, J. H. McCauley, Joseph Shaffer, A. G. Cramer.
- Worth, Levi Reese, G. J. Woodring, Ormsby D. Everts.

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**LEGAL NOTICE.**

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in the Prothonotary's office, of Centre county, and will be presented at the next term of court for confirmation:

The account of Dr. P. T. Musser, assignee of Jacob W. Snook, in trust for the benefit of creditors.

The first and partial account of C. M. Bower, co-defendant with Margaret C. Wilson, lunatic.

The account of Daniel Irving, committee of Joseph Kelso, lunatic.

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**New Advertisements.**

LEGAL NOTICES.—Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the following inventories of goods and chattels set apart to widows under the provisions of the act of April 18th, 1851, have been confirmed nisi by the Court, and filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Orphan's Court of Centre county, and if no exceptions be filed on or before the first day of next term the same will be confirmed as usual.

1 The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of W. R. Mattern, late of Unionville Borough, deceased, as set apart to his widow, Martha Mattern.

2 The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of Adam Shafer, late of Miles township, deceased, as set apart to his widow, Mary Shafer.

3 The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of John W. Ellenberger late of Ferguson township, deceased, as set apart to his widow, Susan Ellenberger.

4 The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of John Hoy, late of Spring township, deceased, as set apart to his widow, Mary Ann Hoy.

5 The inventory and appraisal of the real estate and personal property of Jacob Showers, late of Spring township, deceased, as set apart to his widow, Alice Showers.

6 The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of Frederick Harper, late of Union township, deceased, as set apart to his widow, Lucia Harper.

7 The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of Jacob Nesterode, late of Miles township, deceased, as set apart to his widow, Mary A. Nesterode.

8 The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of P. E. Sellers, late of Patton township, deceased, as set apart to his widow, Adia C. Sellers.

9 The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of Jacob Bower, Jr., late of Haines township, deceased, as set apart to his widow, Christiana Bower.

10 The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of W. F. Kline, late of College township, deceased, as set apart to his widow, Adaline V. Kline.

11 The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of W. H. C. Snyder, late of Bellefonte Borough, deceased, as set apart to his widow, M. Naomi Snyder.

JOHN A. RUPP, C. O. C.

**EXECUTORS SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.**

The undersigned executor of the estate of Michael Morrison, late of the Borough of Bellefonte, deceased, will offer at Public Sale on the premises the following described real estate situated in the Borough of Bellefonte.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 24th, at 10 o'clock p. m.

SEVEN DWELLING HOUSES now occupied by First Class tenants. Bounded and described as follows, beginning at the corner of Ridge street and alley thence along Ridge street S. 118 E. 120 feet, thence along Burrows' alley S. 79° W. 122 feet, thence along Burrows' alley S. 79° W. 122 feet to the corner of lot of Anna Conaway, thence along said lot N. 15° E. 75 feet, thence along same S. 79° W. 48 feet to lot of R. M. Magee, thence along said lot N. 75° E. 93 feet to alley, thence along said alley N. 75° E. 170 feet to Ridge street, the place of beginning.

Reserving out of the above described lot of ground and houses during the life time of Mary Flynn and Anna McQuillan, 2 lots now occupied by them adjoining house and lot of Anna Conaway, bounded on the south by Burrows' alley and at their death the purchaser will take title to the reservation.

Persons desiring to purchase the property above described will find this property a good investment for renting.

Terms—One half the purchase money cash on confirmation of sale, one half in one year with interest. Deferred payment to be secured by Bond and Mortgage on the premises.

J. M. KELCHER, Executor.

**PASTRY COW.**

Came to the residence of the subscriber 2 miles north of Zionsville a brindle cow with white spots, and a calf about 10 days old. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take away his cow, or the same will be disposed of as the law directs.

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**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.**

Letters of administration on the estate of Patrick Kelly, deceased, late of Snow Shoe township, having been granted to the undersigned, he requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make payment, and those claiming against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

MICHAEL KELLY, Snow Shoe, Pa.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.**

Letters of administration on the estate of Henry Markle, deceased, late of Patton township, having been granted to the undersigned, he requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make payment, and those claiming against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

**ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.**

Pursuant to an order of Orphan's Court of Centre county there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House in Bellefonte, Pa., TUESDAY, the 27th day of AUGUST, 1889, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., the following

VALUABLE FARM situated in Ferguson township, Centre county, Pa., 2 1/2 miles north of Pine Grove Mills, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone, thence along lands of John Arvey north 33 1/2 degrees west 223 3/4 perches to stones, thence along public road north 65 1/2 degrees east 131 1/3 perches to stones, thence along lands of David Fye south 33 1/2 degrees east 229 3/4 perches to stones, thence along lands of David L. Dennis south 35 1/2 degrees west 151 3/4 perches to the place of beginning, containing 290 ACRES, MORE OR LESS.

Thereon erected a two-story dwelling house, bank barn, new corn house, wagon shed, good Pig Pen and other necessary outbuildings. Two good Orchards. Plenty of water, 2 wells and 3 cisterns, all near the building. About 40 ACRES of GOOD TIMBER, such as is necessary for the farm. The farm is in a good state of cultivation, and the prospects of IRON ORE are good.

Terms of sale—One-half of the purchase money to be paid in cash on confirmation of sale; and the balance in one year thereafter, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.

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