THE BEAVER ARGUS

MAY 2d, 1866.

LOCAL and MISCELLANEOUS.

☞Wm. Bingham, Jr., 54 Fifth st., Pittsburg, is the authorized agent for the Argus in that city.

☞Gen. Wm. H. Koonts is announced as a candidate for re-nomination for Congress, in the Somerset *Herald*.

The new M. E. Church in Phillipsburg will be dedicated on Sunday, May 6, 1866. Rev. J. J. McIlyar, of New Brighton, will preach in the morning, and Rev. J. Horner at 3 P. M.

☞The editor of an Eastern paper remarks: We have adopted the eight hour system in this office. We commence work at 8 o'clock in the morning, and end work at 8 in the evening.

☞Wm. McKnight, Esq., of Mercer, has been appointed District Deputy Grand Master of the Masonic District composed of Mercer, Beaver and Lawrence.

☞Prize Fight in Pittsburg.—On Monday night of last week a prize fight occurred in a room of the Bull's Head tavern, in Pittsburg. The combatants were two Englishmen named Thomas Rogers and Geo. Brownlee. Sixteen rounds were fought, and, we are glad to learn, both came out considerably punished. All parties were arrested and placed in the lock-up.

☞At a meeting of the stockholders of the Ohioville Railroad Company, held in New Brighton on Saturday, J. W. Blanchard was chosen President, and A. T. Crawford, C. O'Rourke, Charles K. Chamberlain, William Kennedy, F. W. Williams and John C. Boyle were elected directors. The company propose to build a short railway from the Ohio river up to the Island Run oil regions.

The Income Tax.—It was announced a few weeks ago that the assessment of the Income Tax for 1865 would be postponed for sixty days, so that the expected action of Congress upon the Internal Revenue might be applied to that assessment. Orders have since been issued directing the Assessors to proceed with their work without further delay, upon the old system. The assessment of last year's incomes will therefore be made without delay.

Fearful Death at Tidioute.—The *Meadville Republican* says: A shanty was burned on Dennis Run one day last week, and a helpless invalid who occupied it was literally roasted alive. It appears that one of the man's children, a little girl, attempted during the absence of her mother to start a fire.—Remembering what she had seen others do, but knowing nothing of the quantity, she threw a quart of crude oil in the stove, and in a moment the place was in flames. The children barely escaped—the man was left to his fate, and soon a few bones only remained.

Ullucky.—We understand, says an exchange, that the Allegheny College, at Meadville, is not likely to derive the advantage from the liberal donations of the Hon. C V. Culver, which it has expected. That gentleman, it *will be recollected*, gave the institution real estate *and* erected thereon a college building costing $50,000, but he neglected to transfer the title, and the property now appears among the assets of the liberal minded gentleman. What makes the matter worse is, the institution, grateful for his generosity, invested in one of Mr. Culver's banks to the extent of $30,000, which is likely to prove a dead loss.

Ueber Thousand Concerts.—M. Gottschalk has given during the last ten years more than three thousand Concerts, at which he has always used Chickering Pianos. How they have stood and satisfied him, is expressed in the following quotation from a recent letter of his: "In a period of eleven hundred concerts I have never broken a string, although my Pianos, from constant change of locality, are exposed to all the wear of transportation, and often the inclemency of the weather. The mechanism of the Chickering Pianos is so simple, as to secure them against any derangement of the action. Mr. Gottschalk also says that he considers them "*superior to any in the world*," and has decided to use no other than the Chickering during his tour through California and Mexico, and his contemplated journey to Europe.

See advertisement in another column.

Editor Argus: The Exhibition given on Thursday evening of last week at the Methodist Church in Freedom, was a grand success. The exercises were characterised by piety and patriotism. The audience was composed of from one hundred and fifty to one hundred and eighty well conducted and orderly persons, from which the society would realize from eighty to ninety dollars, which is to be applied to the purchasing of a Sabbath School library. The entertainment consisted of literary performances, music, tableaux, charades, &c. Misses Bentel, Kerr and McDonald discoursed some fine music from the Piano and Melodeon, which added much to the entertainment, and reflected credit upon themselves. The music by the string band, accompanied by the Piano, was all that could be desired. In the play "Persons are not what they seem," we thought Miss M—— performed her part well—perfectly natural, requiring her scarcely an effort; and "Kate the servant girl" produced repeated outburst of laughter throughout the audience. The "Gipsy Girl" we think succeeded in pleasing all, and seemed quite a favorite. The oration had been carefully prepared, and was certainly well delivered. The "Literary Gem," edited and published by Miss Kerr, was rather a spicy production—neutral on politics and all matters, but devotion to Religion and Matrimony. May the "Gem" long live and set the minds of the good people of Freedom right on those two grave subjects which it advocated. As I have no programme I cannot refer to the different songs, plays, charades, &c., neither to the performers by name; but suffice it to say each performer in each performance gave entire satisfaction to the audience. The presentation of "Webster's Unabridged" by Mr. Kerr to Mr. Snead, seemed to be a surprise, but the good feeling in which it was given was seemingly highly reciprocated.—I could not help admiring the social spirit and good feeling that seemed to abound with the people of Freedom, and I will say to it in the language of another, "*Esto perpetua*."

Observator.

Murder in Fayette County.—On the third of the present month a man named J. H. Housman, residing at Bellevernon, Fayette county, and engaged in flatting sand, left his house at an early hour in the morning, and went down to the river to look after his boats. He had in his employ a man named Richard Thairwell, who boarded with him, and who had become so intimate with Mrs. Housman as to cause gossip in the neighborhood. Houseman was never seen alive after the morning mentioned, and it was suspected that Thairwell and Mrs. Houseman had in some manner made way with him. She alleged that he was subject to fits, and had most likely fallen offone of his boats into the river. On Tuesday morning, however, the dead body of the missing man was found floating in the river, and on examination it was discovered that he had been killed—a bullet having passed entirely through his head. A rope was also found found attached to the neck, and the body had evidently been held under by a weight, which had been cut off by the action of the water. Thus the "mysterious disappearance" was cleared up, and the murder brought to light. The Coroner's jury found that the deceased came to his death at the hands of Richard Thairwell and Mary Housman, and they were arrested and committed to jail for a further hearing.

—Since the above was in type, we have received fuller particulars of the murder, which, as near as can be ascertained, are as follows:

The murder was committed on the night of the third of April, by Richard Thairwell and Mrs. Mary Houseman. The deceased was shot through the temple with a rifle ball, the ball entering the temple and coming out on the opposite side of the head, behind the ear, after which the murderers procured a tub and drew the head of Housman over the bed to allow the blood and brains to run in it. After he was dead and the blood had ceased to flow, the tub and its contents was thrown into the field and consumed. They put on his pants, vest and socks, burned his overcoat and hat, and threw his boots into the cess pool; they then dragged the body to the door and rolled it down to the bank of the river to the water's edge, and after making fast by means of a rope attached to the neck of the dead man, and an axle bar of a coal car, the body was taken in a skiff to the middle of the river, a short distance above town and sunk.

Mrs Housman and her husband did not live agreeably together, and she frequently threatened to kill him. On two or three occasions she attempted to poison him, but failed.

Thairwell is an Englishman by birth, and is but 24 years of age; served in the army three months; was a miner by occupation, and worked for Houseman about eleven months.

Shooting Affray.—We learned on Monday that a young man by the name of Alley M'Kean, who lived with his mother below Glasgow, was killed on Little Beaver Creek, on Saturday last. Our informant was not able to give us all the particulars, but from what we could learn, it appears that young M'Kean and a comrade whose name we did not learn, had been drinking pretty freely, and in the evening went to the eating house kept by a man by the name of Russell, to get some ale. The saloon was closed, and admittance being denied, the two young men commenced stoning the house. This provoked the inmates, and some person inside, whose name we did not learn, fired a revolver, killing M'Kean and wounding his comrade through the arm. As this deplorable affair will doubtless be fully investigated, we will await the result of investigation with some anxiety. M'Kean was a boy of some eighteen years of age, the son of respectable parents, and leaves a widowed mother and sister to mourn his untimely fate. Another sad instance of the demoralizing tendency and fearful results of intoxicating liquors. Would that the "Maine Law" were the law of the land.

☞We call attention to the advertisement of Chamberlin & Winans, of New Brighton, dealers in Hardware, Iron, Nails, Agricultural Implements, Oils, Paints, Varnishes, Putty, &c.—Farmers, mechanics and tradesmen can find at their store everything needed in their line of an excellent quality, and very cheap. It is the only store of the kind in the county, and we recommend our people to patronize them as they deserve, and assure our readers they will never regret calling at the store of Chamberlin & Winans, and if they once call they will certainly do so thereafter

☞The Lawrence County Bible Society met a few days ago, and reorganized by the election of the following officers: President, Rev. R. Audley Browne; Vice Presidents, Joseph Kissick, Rev. J. C. Bigham; Treasurer, William Watson; Recording Secretary, James M. Kuester; Corresponding Secretary, David Sankey; Managers, Rev. James Greer, Dr. M. P Barker, Jos. Kissick, Samuel D. Clarke, John N. Dwyer, Elder John T. Phillips, Rev. Mr. Miller, Hon. L. L. McGuffin and White M'Millan.

☞Wash. Gordon was arrested and committed to jail on Monday evening to await trial for assault and battery on his wife. Wash. is very familiar with the inside of our jail, and we presume is very well pleased with his quarters.

☞John Meyer, an insane pauper committed suicide at the Beaver County Poor House, on Tuesday morning of last week, by cutting his throat with a razor.

MARRIED:

Thursday, 26th inst., by Rev. J. S. Bracken, Mr. Thomas Small, of Brighton township, and Miss Sarah Moore, of Beaver, Pa.

DIED:

On the evening of the 17th Inst., at his residence in Ohio township, Beaver co., Mr. Daniel Dashners, in his 45th year of his age

March 23, 1866, Mrs. Mary Ann M'Cullough, relict of Dr. Wm. M'Cullough, in the 90th year of her age.

Important to Housekeepers.

The steady reduction of the premium on gold has sensibly affected every branch of business. The cost of merchandise in general, is growing less to the consumer every day. Stiles & Shallenberger announce to the public, what their customers have already discovered, a heavy reduction in the price of Groceries.

They give no quotations, as prices are almost daily changing, and with a downward tendency. This much, however, they will say: With a full knowledge of the Grocery business, they buy the best quality of goods to be found in the best markets, at the lowest cash rates, and have resolved to sell them at an unusually small profit.

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BEAVER MARKETS.

CORRECTED BY WM. ORR.

Flour per bbl		$10 75
Dried Apples per bus		2 50
do Peaches	"	3 00
Wheat	"	2 00
Corn	"	75
Oats	"	40
Flax Seed,	"	2 25
Beans,	"	1 75
Potatoes,	"	1 00
Onions,	"	1 50
Corn Meal,		80
Eggs,	per doz	15
Butter,	per lb	45
Hams,	"	25
Shoulders,	"	16
Sides,	"	18
Tallow,	"	15
Lard,	"	18
Candles,	"	20
Molasses,	per gall	90
Carbon oil,	"	70

PITTSBURG MARKETS.

Tuesday, May 1st, 1866.

Hay—Sales 4 tons baled, on the wharf at $20, and 18 loads at the scales at $23@26.

Butter—Sales are daily made at a variety of prices, ranging from 40@45c. Sales to the extent of 14 packages changed hand at these figures.

Eggs—Sales 16 barrels in lots, at 17c per dozen.

Potatoes—Sales of 170 barrels at $3 00 from store, and 1 car sacked at depot at 87@81 00.

Grain—Oats—sales 3 cars at depot at 60 cents. Wheat was scarce; market firm with light offerings.—Club—Sales 2,000 bushels at $2,00, and Winter Red at $2 15@2 25 per bushel. Corn is held at higher figures. It may be quoted at 75@80c on the wharf and from store. Barley—The demand has improved with sales of spring at 75@80c and fall at 95@$1 00. Rye was selling at 95@$1 00 per bushel.

Lard Oil—Sales of No 1 to the extent of 45 bbls at $1 80@1 85 per gallon.

Cheese—Sales 60 bxs Goshen at 24@25c.

Bacon—Hams, plain sugar cured, 10,000 lbs at 21@21½c; 5 000 lbs canvassed do at 22½@23c; shoulders, 10,000 lbs at 13½@14c; sides, ribbed.—6,000 lbs at 16½@17c.

Apples—Sales 110 bbls at $6 50@7 00.

Lard—We note sales 10 bbls at 21c.

Flour—Extra family, from winter wheat, $10 75@11 00; fancy lots sold at $11,50@12 00 ₱ bbl; spring wheat flour was held at $10 00@10 50 ₱ bbl.

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DESOTO OIL COMPANY.

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE "DESOTO OIL CO." are hereby notified that a meeting of said company will be held at the OFFICE OF A. J. PETTIT, Esq., in the borough of Glasgow, Beaver county, Penna., on *Thursday the 17th day of May*, 1866, at 10 o'clk, a. m., for the purpose of organising said company under the act of July 12th, 1863, and transacting such other business as may be requisite in order to obtain Letters Patent under said act, and the supplement, approved April 29th, 1864.

A. J. PETTIT, President.
Chas. B. Hurst, Secretary. [apr25:3t

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PITTS. FT. W. & C. R. R.

On and after Nov. 19, 1865, Trains will leave Stations daily, Sundays excepted, as follows: (Train leaving Chicago at 5,50 P. M. leaves daily.)

TRAINS GOING WEST.

	Exp's.	Mail.	Exp's.	Exp's.
Pittsburg	250AM	700AM	145PM	245PM
Rochester	400 "	830 "	305 "	425 "
N. Brighton	..... "	843 "	315 "	485 "
Enon	442 "	935 "	408 "	522 "
Columbiana	517 "	1017 "	447 "	600 "
Salem	540 "	1048 "	515 "	630 "
Alliance	557 "	1160 "	615 "	780 "
Canton	705 "	1242PM	703 "	820 "
Massillon	730 "	102 "	730 "	850 "
Orrville	802 "	145 "	810 "	926 "
Wooster	830 "	222 "	845 "	957 "
Loudonville	922 "	328 "	945 "	1055 "
Mansfield	1010 "	425 "	1035 "	1145 "
Crestline Ar	1045 "	500 "	1110 "	1215AM
Crestline De	1115 "	640AM	700AM	1255 "
Bucyrus	1145 "	710 "	733 "	125 "
U. Sandusky	1224PM	750 "	823 "	207 "
Forest	1255 "	825 "	857 "	240 "
Lima	218 "	948 "	1020 "	402 "
Delphos	253 "	1025 "	1102 "	436 "
Van Wert	324 "	1100 "	1139 "	505 "
Fort Wayne	500 "	1235PM	145PM	645 "
Columbia	545 "	122 "	236 "	728 "
Huntsville	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Pierceton	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Warsaw	639 "	215 "	333 "	820 "
Bourbon	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Plymouth	741 "	322 "	440 "	920 "
Wanatah	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Valparaiso	922 "	458 "	630 "	1052 "
Hobart	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Clarke	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Ill C. RR. Cros	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
R Isl. RR J'n.	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Chicago	1120 "	700 "	840 "	1250PM

TRAINS GOING EAST.

	Mail.	Exp's.	Exp's	Exp's.
Chicago	440AM	620AM	550PM	1020PM
R. Isl RR June	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Ill C. RR Cros	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Clarke	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Hobart	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Valparaso	650 "	805 "	741 "	1248 "
Wanatah	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Plymouth	844 "	940 "	940 "	225 "
Bourbon	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Warsaw	1002 "	1038 "	1035 "	337 "
Pierceton	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Huntsville	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Columbia	1101 "	1125 "	1123 "	432 "
Fort Wayne	1235PM	1230PM	1225AM	555 "
Van Wert	211 "	148 "	146 "	721 "
Delphos	253 "	214 "	214 "	756 "
Lima	335 "	247 "	245 "	830 "
Forest	445 "	357 "	407 "	950 "
U Sandusky	525 "	425 "	440 "	1024 "
Bucyrus	609 "	503 "	526 "	1112 "
Crestline Ar	640 "	530 "	600 "	1145 "
Crestline De	730AM	600 "	640 "	1245PM
Mansfield	810 "	633 "	715 "	118 "
Loudonville	922 "	718 "	800 "	204 "
Wooster	1025 "	811 "	850 "	255 "
Orrville	1100 "	838 "	929 "	323 "
Massillon	1145 "	914 "	956 "	359 "
Canton	1205PM	932 "	1017 "	420 "
Alliance	120 "	1020 "	1130 "	525 "
Salem	200 "	1055 "	1205PM	600 "
Columbiana	230 "	1117 "	1231 "	629 "
Enon	320 "	1152 "	112 "	655 "
N. Brighton	410 "	1225AM	148 "	735 "
Rochester	430 "	1240 "	200 "	750 "
Pittsburgh	600 "	150 "	310 "	900 "

For New Castle and Erie, 6.40 a. m. Accommodation trains leave Allegheny for New Brighton—9 00 a. m; 11.50 a. m; 2.05 p. m; 4.20 p. m; 5.40 p. m. For Economy, 10,30 p. m. For New Castle, Greenville and Jamestown, Pa, 3.50 p. m.

F. R. MYERS, Gen. Ticket Ag't.

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On and after Dec. 11, 1865, trains will leave stations daily, Sundays excepted, as follows.

GOING SOUTH.

	Mail.	Exp's.	Mail.	Accom
Cleveland	800AM	225PM	.....	340PM
Euclid street	811 "	236 "	.....	353 "
Hudson	915 "	333 "	.....	500 "
Akron	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Orrville	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Millersburg	..... "	..... "	..... "	..... "
Ravenna	950 "	405 "	.....	536 "
Alliance	1049 "	450 "	.....	635 "
Bayard	1125 "	520 "	.....	..... "
Wellsville	1255PM	655 "	.....	..... "

GOING NORTH.

	Mail.	Exp's.	Accom	Exp's.
Wellsville	840AM	515PM	.....	.....
Bayard	1012 "	653 "	.....	.....
Alliance	1100 "	728 "	6 0AM	.....
Ravanna	1150 "	817 "	728 "	.....
Millersburg	.....	.....	.....	.....
Orrville	.....	.....	.....	.....
Akron	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hudson	1227PM	851 "	800 "	.....
Euclid street	132 "	940 "	916 "	.....
Cleveland	145 "	1000 "	930 "	.....

GOING EAST.

	Mail.	Exp's.	Exp's.	Accom
Belaire	1040AM	600AM	405PM	.....
Bridgeport	1050 "	615 "	415 "	.....
Lagrange	1139 "	711 "	510 "	.....
Steubenville	1158PM	733 "	528 "	.....
Wellsville	115 "	840 "	715 "	710AM
Smith's Ferry	137 "	905 "	.....	755 "
Beaver	207 "	940 "	.....	835 "
Rochester	215 "	1000 "	815AM	850 "
Pittsburgh	330 "	1115 "	930 "	1000 "

GOING WEST.

	Exps.	Exp's.	Mail.	Accom
Pittsburgh	230PM	505PM	600AM	350PM
Rochester	340 "	620 "	715 "	510 "
Beaver	..... "	..... "	723 "	525 "
Smith's Ferry	426 "	..... "	755 "	605 "
Wellsville	520 "	720 "	830 "	645 "
Steubenville	626 "	819 "	940 "	.....
Lagrange	648 "	838 "	1000 "	.....
Bridgeport	737 "	930 "	1105 "	.....
Bellaire	750 "	940 "	1120 "	.....

TUSCARAWAS BRANCH.

Leaves		Arrives	
N. Philadelphia	7.10 a m	Bayard,	9.50 p m.
Bayard,	11.4 a m.	N. Philadel.	2.20 P. M

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ap18:2m THOS. M. PEIRCE.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS testamentary on the estate of John Ewing, late of Raccoon twp., Beaver co. dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the estate will present them to the subscribers properly authenticated for settlement.

DAVID EWING, } Executors,
ALEX. EWING, }
apr4'66. Raccoon tp.

ELECTION.

THE STOCKHOLDERS of "the Company for erecting a Bridge over Big Beaver Creek, at or near Wolf Lane, in the County of Beaver," are hereby notified that an Election for one President, six Managers and a Treasurer, will be held in the Toll House of said Company, on the last Monday, (the 30th day) of April next, commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M. JAMES ALLISON, Treas.
mar19'66.

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Scarfenberg,	Lang,	Benedict,
Bassini,	Warren,	Strakosch,
Parker,	Bristow,	Gilder.

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I am prepared to accommodate my old customers and the public generally. I have the best selected stock ever offered in Beaver, purchased at reduced prices, and will be sold at rates so low that purchasers will be reminded of old times. If any of the stock sold should rip, I will repair it free of charge. Thankful for past favors, I still claim a liberal share of public patronage. ROBT TALLON,
(At Old Stand,)
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PITTSBURG NATIONAL PLOW CO.,

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ARE MANUFACTURING all the Varieties of

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and would call the attention of the Farmers of Beaver county, wishing to purchase Plows or Plow Points, to the Superior Finish and Quality of our Work.

☞ALL WORK WARRANTED☜

The Points and Landslides fit the corresponding numbers of Pittsburg plows.

☞Old plow castings bought. [apr18:1y

Lost:

COMMISSIONERS' RECEIPT for Unseated Lands in the borough of Bridgewater, for the years 1861 and 1862, allowed on settlement with J. M. Barbour, Collector of Taxes, April 2, 1862, for $42,28. Any person finding the same will please return to THOS. ALLISON, Treasurer of School Board, Bridgewater. [apr25

COAL!

I WILL deliver to the citizens of Rochester, Bridgewater, Beaver and vicinity, a good quality of Coal, at the shortest notice. Wagons can, at any time, be supplied at the Bank, on M'Kinley's run, adjoining the bank of Wm. Porter, Esq. Orders left with John A. Frazie, Beaver, Stiles & Shallenberger, Bridgewater, M. Camp, jr., Rochester, will receive prompt attention. J. C. MOLTER,
nov8 Bridgewater.

CLOVER SEED—Prime;
LOUISVILLE LIME;
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For sale at
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STATE & COUNTY TAX.

THE County Treasurer will attend in the several Townships and Boroughs, for the purpose of receiving the County and State Taxes for 1866, at the times and places designated below, viz:

Phillipsburg,	May 14,	Kinder's hotel;
Freedom,	15,	M'Caskey's;
Harmony,	16,	Store;
Rochester bor,	17,	Doneaster house;
Rochester tp.,	18,	do do
Beaver,	19,	Office;
Bridgewater,	21,	Proudley's hotel;
Fallston,	22,	Toll house;
New Brighton,	23 & 24,	Huron house;
Patterson,	25,	Store;
Beaver,	26,	Office;
Georgetown,	28,	Hotel;
Glasgow and Ohio tp,	29,	Jesse Smith's hotel;
Island Run,	30,	Darragh's store;
Industry,	31,	Aber's store;
Pulaski,	June 1,	R. Wallace's;
Economy,	15,	G. Neely's;
Franklin,	16,	Autenreith's store;
Marion,	19,	G. Hartzell's;
North Sewickly,	20,	N. Hazen's;
New Sewickly,	21,	G. Rauscher's;
Darlington boro,	25,	A. J. Cook's;
Darlington tp,	26,	J. P. Dilworth's;
B. Beaver, Galilee,	27,	Grabing's hotel;
B. Beaver, Homewood,	28,	Johnston's hotel;
Chippewa,	29,	Mrs. Cunningham's;
Beaver,	30,	Office;
Brighton,	July 2,	R. Eakin's.
S. Beaver,	5,	Jos. Lawrence's;
do and Ohio,	6,	Kerr's store;
Ohio,	7,	M. R. Deringer's;
Hookstown,	9,	Swearingen's hotel.
do and Greene,	10,	do do.
Hanover and Greene,	11,	H. Hutchinson's;
Frankfort,	12,	H. M. M'Gutcheon's;
Hanover,	13,	Adams' store;
Beaver,	14,	Office;
Raccoon,	16,	D. Ewing's;
Independence,	17,	John Holmes';
Hopewell & Indepen'ce	18,	Johnston's store,
Hopewell,	19,	R. Scott's;
Moon,	20,	Wm Elliot's.

☞Payments can be made in the adjoining districts. All licenses must be paid before the 1st of July. M. R. ADAMS,
April 9'66:2m. Treasurer.

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No. 40 Courtland st., N. Y.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Beaver county, the undersigned, Guardian of Mary Mitchell, Jane Mitchell, James Mitchell, Elizabeth Mitchell, Margaret Mitchell, minor children of Nathaniel Mitchell, late of Borough township, dec'd., will expose to sale by Public Vendue or out-cry, on the premises, on

FRIDAY, May 18th, 1866,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following described real estate, situate in Borough township, Beaver county, Pa., about 1 mile west of the borough of Beaver, on the road leading from said borough to Vanport, to-wit:

1st. All that certain lot bounded north by land of James Waters, west by land of James Waters and other land, south by public road, and east by alley, separating it from Beaver Cemetery grounds; containing four acres, more or less, all enclosed; on which is a two story frame dwelling house and out-buildings.

2d. All that certain other lot of ground, being part of Academy lot, numbering forty-seven in the general plan of Academy lots, near the Borough of Beaver; containing eight acres, more or less, all cleared and enclosed.

Terms.—One-third of the purchase money on the confirmation of the sale by the court, balance in two equal, annual payments from that date, with interest thereon from same time, to be secured by bond and mortgage.

For further information, inquire of the undersigned. D. L. IMBRIE,
apr18'66. Guardian of said minors.

Co-Partnership Notice.

THE undersigned have entered in Co-Partnership, under the firm of Wilde, Shields & Co., for the purpose of Manufacturing Woolen Goods.

BENJ. WILDE, JOHN REEVES,
THOS. L. SHIELDS, WILLIAM FISH,
W. F. FUNDENBURG, S. B. McELROY,
HORATIO W. WILDE.

New Brighton, April 2d, '66.—4t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of James Murray, late of Darlington township, Beaver co., dec'd., having been issued to the undersigned, all persons indebted are required to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them, properly authenticated for settlement.

NATHAN EAKIN, Administrator,
apr4'66. Darlington tp.

BEAVER COUNTY OIL COMPANY.