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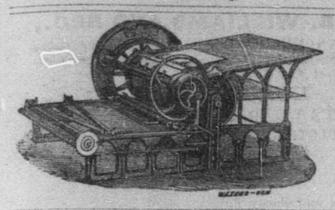

BEDFORD, PA., FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1866.

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UNION MASS MEETING.

A mass meeting of the Union men of Bedford county, will be held in the Court House, in the Borough of Bedford on Tuesday evening of Court week, being the first day of May, next. All those who are in favor of maintaining the laws and perpetuating the Union of States, the Union saved by the blood of loyal men, and wrenched from the control of insurgent traitors, all who are in favor of standing by our representatives in Congress, all who are opposed to the demagoguery of the magistrate who does not hesitate to demand that traitors whose hands are yet reeking with the blood of treason shall be reclothed with more than their former powers, all who are in favor of standing by the soldiers who have achieved our glorious victories, and all who desire the election of that tried and true hero, Major General John W. Geary, are earnestly invited to attend. LET THERE BE A GRAND RALLY!

Hon. John Cessna, Col. Fr. Jordan and Gen. W. H. Koontz are expected to address the meeting.

J. R. DURBORROW, Chn.
M. A. POINTS, Sec'y.

☞We are Compelled to hold over the advertisement of Geo. Blymyer & Co. this week owing to the lateness of the hour at which it was handed in. In the meantime the public can enjoy a rare treat by calling on them at their old and new stand.

☞The subscribers to the fund to procure Bass for the Juniata will meet in the Grand Jury room on next Saturday evening for the purpose of transacting important business.

☞Mrs. E. V. Mowry may not be able to open her new fancy store for several days yet. She will promptly inform her patrons when she will be ready to receive them.

☞We have made diligent inquiry after Plastering Lath wherever we have thought that they could be had. We hope somebody will accommodate us with at least one thousand within the next two or three days.

☞A Temperance Meeting will be held in the Presbyterian Church, on next Wednesday evening, where all the friends of the cause are invited to attend. An address will be delivered by the Rev. Robert F. Sample.

☞At a regular meeting of Bedford Lodge, No. 148, of the I. O. of Good Templars on last Monday evening, H. Nicodemus, Moses A. Points, Jacob C. Yeager and J. R. Durborrow were elected delegates to a Temperance Convention to be held in Hollidaysburg, on the 17th of May, next.

☞The attention of the Union Republicans of Bedford county is called to the Meeting to be held on Tuesday evening of Court week. The time has arrived for the Union men to prepare for the coming October contest. Let the meeting be numerously attended and the good work started. An important election is rapidly approaching and if we desire to be successful upon our local ticket we must begin to organize without delay. Immediately after Court let Geary Clubs be formed in every district. It is only through thorough organization that we can expect to succeed. We must not hesitate a single day longer. If we desire to redeem the county we must make an early effort and a determined one. Friends prepare for the contest.

IMPORTANT ACT.—The following act relative to the exemption of persons who have been in the military service of the United States, from paying their bounty taxes, became a law on the 30th of March last:—

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That all persons, who have been mustered into the military service of the United States, and have served there for a period of nine months, in the war to suppress rebellion and their property, and those persons who have been discharged from said service, on account of wounds, or physical disability, contracted in such service and their property, and the widows and orphans of such persons and their property, shall be exempt from the payment of all bounty and *per capita* tax levied, or to be levied, for the paying of bounties to volunteers, in the several counties of this commonwealth, and such persons shall also be exempt from the payment of militia fines.

☞The Edinburgh Review for January comes to us freighted as usual with scholastic criticisms, metaphysics, politics, &c., among the most interesting of which we find "The Youth of Cardinal Mazarin one of the most brilliant diplomatists of the Seventeenth century. "Recent changes in the Art of War" and "Extension of the Franchise." The other articles are "Modern Fresco Painting," "Public Galleries and Irresponsible Boards" "An Economist of the Fourteenth Century," "Boner's Transylvania," "Was Shakspeare a Roman Catholic," "Corn and Cattle," "The Erkman-Chatrian Novels," "Mary Tudor and Brandon Duke of Suffolk." Reprinted by Ticknor & Fields, 38 Walker street New York.

EVERY SATURDAY.—This Journal of choice reading makes its regular appearance every week upon our table presenting the best selections from foreign current literature.

It is a delightful fireside companion and should be in the hands of every lover of choice literature. Published by Ticknor & Fields, Boston.

SALARY OF THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.—It is strange that citizens or directors should grudge their county Superintendent a liberal salary. His duties are laborious and important, and it is idle to expect any one to discharge them faithfully unless he is paid for it. Some of the candidates who will be before the convention on next Tuesday, in their inordinate greed for the office, have offered to take it at half the present salary. We trust that such quackery will not be permitted to influence the minds of directors. Such an offer is *prima facia* evidence that he who makes it is either incompetent or means to neglect his duties. If the duties of the office are faithfully discharged such a salary will not pay indispensable expenses by nearly a hundred dollars; and it will be hard we think, to find any one who is fool enough to suppose that these gentlemen propose to do the work and pay a hundred dollars besides for the luxury of being County Superintendent. He who takes the the office at such a price must either neglect his duties or lose money. It is not difficult to foresee which he will do.

It will be seen by reference to the School laws (Old Edition Page 81, New Edition Page 127) that the salary of the County Superintendent is not paid by the county nor out of moneys belonging to the county. It is paid by the State. It is a mere trifle to the county, hardly worth noticing at all. If the present salary were reduced five hundred dollars, that sum would not be added to the State appropriation coming to this county. It would simply remain in the general school fund and be distributed throughout the State in proportion to the number of taxables. There are 642,291 taxables in the State. Dividing $500 dollers among them gives each taxable. 00077. There are 6.037 taxables in this county. Hence out of $500 this county would get but $4.65. Thus it is, that to increase the salary of the county Superintendent of this county $500 would only diminish the State appropriation belonging to the county $4.65. To diminish the salary $500 would add only 4.65 to the appropriation belonging to the county Why then should we grudge a liberal salary? Our richer and more liberal neigbors will on next Tuesday vote their Superintendents fat salaries, just as they have always done before. These salaries we must help to pay even if we did not pay our own superintendent a single dollar. Under such circumstances if we should reduce our salary to a mere pittance, we should simply be laughed at for our stupidity. But we have no fears of this, we feel confident that a man will be elected who is thoroughly competent, and who will devote all his time to the discharge of his duties, and that he will be well paid for his services.

We print below the law with regard to the qualifications county superintendents elect must possess before they can be commissioned:

479. *Irreproachable moral character is essential, and will not be dispensed with.* This is as much a professional qualification of the teacher and of the officer who presides over teachers, as it is in any other profession. Habitual or frequent intemperance, gambling dishonesty, or any other immorality, that would degrade a minister of the gospel from his position, will prevent the issue of the commission of county superintendents. Sufficient health and vigor of the body to bear the labors of the office are also indispensable.

480. *The "literary and scientific acquirments" acquired by the law*, will be held, in all cases hereafter to mean sufficient scholarship to enable the applicant to give sound and thorough instruction in all the studies taught in every common school of the county, from the lowest to the to the highest; and consequenty to examine teachers in any and all branches.

481. *The "skill in the art of teaching," specified*, will be held to embrace a sound knowledge of the theory of teaching, as set forth in the usually read works on the subject and "the methods thereof," (No. CLIV,) as practiced in good schools.

482. *The "experience in the art of teaching," demanded by the law*, will hereafter be taken to mean actual epperience in teaching a common or other school, within the preceding six years, as a professional and not as an occasional employment, and for a sufficient length of time to have imparted the requisite degree of practical knowledge.

483. *The evidence of literary acquirement will be the production of a full professional certificate*, either from a county superintendent in good standing, or a State Normal school—showing, however, the amount and kind of knowledge required by the best schools in the county, and obtained, not for the occasion, but in the regular exercise of the profession; or, in the absence of a certificate, a special examination of the State Superintendent.

484. *These qualifications will be required hereafter*, whether the applicant has been selected by a county convention of directors, or is to be appointed by the State Superintendent.

"We published last week an Act which passed the House of Representatives during the session now closed, for the adjudication of military claims, which reads as follows: "That the provisions of the Act for the adjudication and payment of certain military claims, approved April 16, 1862, and the supplements thereunto, be extended so as cover all species of claims enumerated by said Act and its supplements, that may have arisen subsequent to the passage thereof.'

It now appears, that by some unaccountable oversight the Act was lost sight of and was not acted on by the Senate. This probably occurred during the confusion of adjournment and the consequence is the bill fails to become a law for the present. It will no doubt be adopted by the Senate early in the next session.—*Huntingdon Journal & American.*

For the purpose of getting our Huntingdon cotemporary and many of the friends of the bill in this county "out of the woods" in regard to the failure of the bill above alluded to we would inform them that the Senator from the county of Indiana, chairman of the committee on Military affairs, or claims, (one or the other, we dont know which, nor does it make any material difference as it was sufficient for his purpose that the bill was referred to a committee of which he was chairman,) defeated it by virtue of his position. He pocketed the bill, and kept it securely refusing to produce it until within two or three days of the adjournment of the Senate when he reported it with a negative recomendation. It was then entirely too late to secure its passage over the negative recommendation. We are informed that Gen. Whte is solely responsible for its failure. The General is an aspirant if we are not mistaken and the good people who had scores of horses and other property taken over in this district will remember him when the time comes.

THE ACT FOR THE PREVENTION OF SEINING AND THE DESTRUCTION OF BASS.—The Legislature at its last session passed the following act prohibiting Seining and the destruction of Bass fish in the waters of the Raystown branch of the Juniata and its tributaries We would exhort all real sportsmen to see that the law is rigidly enforced:

AN ACT To prevent fishing with seines and to protect Bass fish in the Raystown Branch of the Juniata river and its tributaries.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same*: That from and after the passage of this act, it shall not be lawful for any person, or persons, to fish with seines in the waters of the Raystown Branch of the Juniata river and its tributaries, under such penalties as are hereafter provided.

SECTION 2. That it shall not be lawful for any person, or persons, to cause the destruction of any Bass fish, in said waters, by reason of the erection of any dams or fish baskets or by the setting of any dip or set nets, or by spearing or angling for said Bass fish for the period of five years from the passage of this act.

SECTION 3. That any person wilfully violating any of the provisions of this act, shall forfeit and pay the sum of ten dollars, for each and every offence, the same to be recovered before a justice of the peace, by an action of debt in the name of the Commonwealth, with costs of suit, and to be appropriated to the school fund of the district in which the offence shall have been committed, and the prosecutor thereof is hereby made a competant witness upon the trial of said case.

THE PRINCESS ALEXANDRA'S CHRISTMAS GIFT.—An English paper tells us a little story of the Princess Alexandra, which admirably illustrates her domestic habits, her amiable disposition, and kindness of heart. Crossing the hall of Marlborough House late one afternoon, a few days before Christmas, Her Royal Highness observed a young girl of singularly delicate and refined appearance, waiting, and also standing, though evidently fatigued and faint.

The Princess kindly told her to sit down, asked her errand, and discovered that she had brought some little garment which had been ordered for the children, and which the Princess, who is much interested in Sewing Machines, and understands their merits, had desired should be made on the Grover & Baker Machine. Interested in the modest intelligent appearance, and gentle manner of the girl, Her Highness desired her to follow her to her room, which she did, without the remotest idea who the beautiful condescending lady was.

After an examination of the articles, the Princess asked who it was had executed the work? The girl modestly confessed that she herself had done the most of it. The Princess said it was done very nicely, and finally drew from her protege the simple facts of her condition; how she had an invalid mother, whom she was obliged to leave all alone, while she went to the shop to work; how the fashionable rage for the Grover & Baker Sewing had suggested to her to become a finished operator on the Grover & Baker Machine, with the hope; oh! very, very far distant, that some time she might own a machine of her own, and be able to work at home, and earn something more than bread for her poor sick mother.

The Princess rang the bell, ordered a bottle of wine, some biscuit and oranges to be packed and brought to her. Meantime she had asked the wondering, bewildered child, for she was little more, where she lived, and took down the address upon her tablets with her own hand. She then gave her the delicacies which had been put into a neat little basket, and told her to take them to her mother.

On Christmas morning, into the clean apartment of the invalid mother and her astonished and delighted daughter, was borne a handsome Sewing Machine, with a slip of paper, on which were the words: "*A Christmas Gift, from Alexandra.*"—*Boudoir.*

THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY FOR MAY.—The contents of the May number of the Atlantic Monthly are of varied interest.

"The Harmonists," by the author of "Life in the Iron Mills," is a sketch of the village of Economy, founded by the followers of Rapp, on the Ohio, early in this century. A slight thread of fiction connects the different facts of history and description.

"Abraham Davenport" is a poem by Whittier.

Miss Field's recollections of "The last days of Walter Savage Landor" are continued, and this instalment is full of desultory anecdote of the old poet, whose opinions of Shelley, Milton, and Dante, are given as he expressed them in conversation.

"To-morrow" is a sonnet by Longfellow.

Five chapters of "Doctor Johns" follow, and the story draws near its conclusion.

The "Passages from Hawthorne's Note Book" are of special interest on account of the glimpses given of the life of Hawthorne at Brook Farm, and the reader will find in them the original sketch of one of the most beautiful scenes of the Blithedale Romance.

In "The Fenian Idea," Miss Frances Power Cobbe touches upon the grievances real, and imagined, of Ireland, and shows that the Fenian Idea is based altogether upon the latter.

Mrs. Stowe, in the fifth "Chimney-Corner" paper, discourses of "The Sources of Beauty in Dress."

"Edwin Booth" is a close and critical study by Edmund C. Stedman, of the great actor's genius.

Mrs. Akers contributes a poem entitled "Among the Laurels."

An instalment of Mr. Reade's "Griffith Gaunt" follows; and then we have a plea for return to specie payments, by E. H. Derby in the article entitled "What will it cost us?" This is a very careful paper, and bases its reasoning upon the facts and figures of the United States Revenue Commission.

"Mephistophelean" is a brief little satirical paper by Chas. J. Sprague.

"Mr. Hosea Biglow's Speech in March Meeting," is the title of a pungent Biglow Paper, by James Russel Lowell. The President's recent acts and speeches give Mr. Lowell occasion to embody, in the racy and grotesque language of Hosea Biglow, the common sense and true feeling of all loyal men concerning the situation of the country.

"Question of Monuments" is a short paper by W. D. Howells, discussing the means of commemorating the men and events of the war.

The usual "Reviews and Literary Notices" follow. Published by Tickner & Fields, Boston.

THE GALAXY is the title of a new candidate for public favor in the illustrated Magazine line to be published at New York on the 1st and 15th of each month, at 25 cents a number, or $6 per year of 24 numbers. The first number is on our table, containing. The Claverings, by Anthony Trollope, with an illustration; Giants, Dwarfs and Faries; Childe Harold; A Chapter from a Noble Life; Archie Lovel, by Mrs. Edwards; Spring—1866, with on illustration; A Winter with the American Peripatetics; John Ryland's Wife; Nebulae; and these serial stories will be varied by the publication of others equally meritorious. The shorter stories, sketches, essays, and poetry of The Galaxy will be by the best American writers, with many of whom arrangements have already been made, and the editor has now in hand articles from Carl Benson, (Charles Astor Bristed,) Dr. H. W. Draper, Fitz-Hugh Ludlow, Professor Blot, E. C. Stedman, Miss Rose Terry, Miss Kate Field, The Author of "Emily Chester," Frances Power Cobbe (of England,) and others well known in American Literature. The authors will write over their own names or initials, and will be allowed abundant latitude in the expression of their opinions. It is got up in beautiful style with an ornamental cover, and we have no doubt will at once take rank among the best magazines published. The American News Co., New York, are general agents.

THE LADIES FRIEND.—Among the embellishments for May are the fine suggestive picture, "The Return of the Swallows:" a showy, picturesque and tasteful Fashion Plate, comprising costumes for riding and other lively, out door amusements, the wood-cut "Cloverbobs," illustrating the story "How Dr. Rounder beat his Boys;" and "The Bird-Lover," accompanied by a pleasing sketch. The patterns for dress are unusually captivating. An Evening Boddice, a promenade Jacket with Hood, a Morning Dress, an Evening Toilette, an Embroidered Apron, Hats, Caps and Head-dresses, patterns for knitting, Crochet, &c. are among them. The stories are as usual varied and excellent. Una Locke contributes "Brave Heart of a Woman: Emilie Lester Leigh. "Life's Saddest Loss;" Tracy Towne the lively sketch "No Pains, No Gains;" August Bell the quaint and charming story "Behind a Sofa;" Mrs. M. F. Ames "Why he became Governor;" and Emma B. Ripley the conclusion of the interesting story of "Zillah." Then there are poems by Florence Percy, Phila H. Case, Mrs. Annie Bache, Mrs. Anne Sears Fiske, and others; and in conclusion, editorials, book notices, receipts and fashions.

Price $2.50 a year; 2 copies $4.00; 8 copies (and one *gratis*). $16. *Wheeler & Wilson's celebrated Sewing Machines are furnished as Premiums.* Single numbers for sale by the news dealers. Address Deacon & Peterson, 319 Walnut Street, Philadelphia.

BLACKWOODS' MAGAZINE for March is on our table. To American readers the most interesting portion of its contents are "The Position of the Government and their Party," and "Reform of the Bank of England." The former, as showing the spirit in which the Tories discuss the conduct of the Government under the management of the Liberals; the latter as showing the defects of the present English Banking system and proposing reforms, is interesting to all concerned or interested in monetary matters as our monnetary system is more nearly allied to the English than any other; both articles are well worthy a perusal. In the field of fiction Miss "Majoribanks" and "Sir Brook Fossbroke" afford amusing and interesting reading, to which we might perhaps without impropriety add "Memoirs of the Confederate War for Independence," "A Religious Novel" and "Part XVII of the inimitable "O, Dowd," papers make up the number. Reprinted by Leonard Scott & Co. 38 Walker Street, New York.

ANNOUNCEMENTS OF CANDIDATES

All persons desiring us to announce their names for the various nominations to be made by the Republican County Convention will be charged as follows: Senator and Representative $4.00; Prothonotary and Sheriff $3.00; Associate Judge and Commissioner $2.00; all others $1.00. Cash or a responsible name to accompany the announcement:

SHERIFFALTY.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM DIBERT, of Bedford Borough, as a suitable person for the nomination of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.

We are authorized to announce Capt. N. C. EVANS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Union County Convention.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of WILLIAM KARNS, of Hopewell township, as a suitable person for the nomination of County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

BEDFORD MARKET.

[CORRECTED WEEKLY.]

BEDFORD, Pa., April 26.

Flour	$9.50a10.00	Coffee	37
Wheat	1.80	Sugar	15a25
Corn	70	Hams	25a30
Rye	85	Shoulder	18
Oats	35	Sides	20
Flaxseed	1.75	Best Syrup per gal.	1.60
Butter	30	Molasses	1.00a1.20
Eggs	20	Tallow	12
Soap	8a10	Wool	45a50
Potatoes	1.25	Feathers	75
White Beans	2.00	Dried Apples per lb	8
Lard per lb	20	Dried Peaches "	20
Beef, fore quarter,	10	Pork, per hund.	12.00
" hind "	12		

MARRIED.

On the evening of the first of April, 1866, by J. H. Wright, Esq., Mr. ASAHEL WALKER, a private of Company A, 84th Regt. P. V., to Miss AMANDA WILSON both of St. Clair township, Bedford county, Pa.

On the evening of the 17th of April, inst., by the same, Mr. WILLIAM SLEEK, a sergeant of Company D, 138th Regt., P. V., to Miss JULYANN McGREGOR both of St. Clair township, Bedford county, Pa.

On the evening of the 19th of April, inst., by the same, Capt. HEZEKIAH HAMMER of Company K, 55th Regt., P. V., of Union township, to Miss SARAH TAYLOR of St. Clair township, Bedford county, Pa.

At the Friend's Cove Parsonage, April 11th, 1866, by the Rev. Wm. M. Deatrick, Mr. WILLIAM DITCH of the vicinity of Waynesboro, Franklin county, Pa., and Miss MARY AMANDA STUCKEY, of Friend's Cove this county.

DIED.

On the 10th inst., Mrs. CATHARINE KOONTZ wife of Frederick Koontz of Bedford township, aged 25 years 11 months and 2 days.

On the 17th inst., Mr. JOHN CROYL of Bedford township, aged 76 years 10 months and 6 days.

New Advertisements.

LOCAL

BOUNTY FOR VATERANS.

The Legislature at its late session passed a law giving veterans who were accredited to districts in this State and received no

LOCAL BOUNTY,

a VERERAN BOUNTY of $300.

Veterans who received no local bounty will please note this; all those applying to us will find us ready to collect it promptly for them.

DURBORROW & LUTZ,
Claim Agents.

Bedford, April 27, tf.

WANTED! Agents. Male and Female at $75 to $150 per month to sell the Celebrated **Common Sense Family Sewing Machine** PRICE $18.00.

This Machine will do all kinds of work equal to the high priced Machines, and is the only practical and reliable Cheap Sewing Machine in the world. Send for discriptive Circulars. Address SECOMB & CO, Chicago, Ill., or Cleveland, Ohio.

April 27 1m.

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HARTLEY & METZGAR

Having formed a partnership on the first day of April, 1866, in the

Hardware & Farm Machining Trade,

now invite the public to examine their

MAMMOTH STOCK,

which they will sell at low figures for CASH.

IRON AND NAILS at lowest cash prices at HARTLEY & METZGAR'S.

PAINTS, fresh, durable and pure Liberty White Lead, Penn Treaty White Lead, Mansion White Lead, China Glass, Turpentine, Flax seed oil, Copal and Demar Varnish Brushes of all kinds for sale cheap at

HARTLEY & METZGAR'S.

GRAIN & GRASS SCYTHES SNEADS, and Harvesting Implements in great variety and at all prices, for sale by HARTLEY & METZGAR.

SPRING TOOTH RAKES, GUM SPRING Grain Drills, Improved Cider Mills, Eureka Fodder and traw Cutters for sale at HARTLEY & METZGAR'S.

$5.00 WASHING MACHINE and the great *Anti Cog Wheel* wringer, now on exhibition at HARTLEY & METZGAR'S. Call and see this invention before purchasing elsewhere.

HOUSE KEEPERS will find at Hartley & Metzgar's Store a great variety of household Hardware, such as Knives and Forks, Spoons of elegant quality. Ladles, single or in sets, Shovels and Tongs, Waiters, Tea Bells, Scissors, Meat Saws, Carvers, Paring Knives, Brushes, Waffle Irons, Griddles, Gridirons, Brass Porcelain and Iron Kettles, Iron Pots, Tubs, Buckets, Baskets, Brooms, Slaw Cutters, &c. Stove Polish, Rotten Stone, and a hundred little "knick knacks" that we can't afford to enumerate. It would be easier to tell what we don't keep than what we do.

THE CLEAREST, BRIGHEST, Best, Safest, and Purest, and for these reasons the CHEAPEST COAL OIL in Bedford, may always be had at Hartley & Metzgar's. You who have never used any other than the *"common truck,"* try it, compare it! and you will always go to Hartley & Metzgar's. Coal Oil Lamps in brilliant profusion, and great variety, very cheap at Hartley & Metzgar's, also, Wick, Lamp Tops, etc. Coal Oil Lamps repaired.

50 *GREEN CASTLE* Grain Cradles, Natural bent fingers will be received by Hartley & Metzgar, who are exclusive agents for Bedford county. Order soon.

BUCKEYE Reapers and Mowers with all the new improvements, among which is the wonderful Dropping invention. Also, a few "FARMER MOWERS" for sale by Hartley & Metzgar. Order soon as the supply is short for this season.

BARN DOOR ROLLERS of the most improved pattern, track and all complete, cheaper and better than hinges, for sale at HARTLEY & METZGAR'S.

DEMI-JOHN'S for *Mineral Water*, at HARTLEY & METZGAR'S.

FISHING TACKLE, RODS, HOOKS lines etc, etc. Shot Guns, powder, shot, caps, ect. at HARTLEY & METZGAR'S.

50 *BEREA GRIND STONES* and fixtures at HARTLEY & METZGAR'S.

PATENT WHEEL GREASE, THE BEST White Wash, Blacking and Scrub Brushes in town at HARTLEY & METZGAR'S.

GO TO HARTLEY & METZGAR'S TO get your money back.

$10,000 DUE AND WANTED. OLD Merchants say: it is necessary to quit business in order to settle up. That many people are so mean, after you have credited them that when you try to get your honest dues from them, they will "shy off" and spend their money or run up accounts at other stores, and you will lose their custom.

I don't want to quit business, I must have money. I have been indulgent, I want every man and woman who owes me by book acct. or note to PAY me now. I don't want them to act mean and "shy off." Stand up to the counter like men, pay if you can; if you can't pay, settle someway. I will use only those who don't seem to want to pay and quit me because I dun them. Let all concerned call at once to settle. Thankful to a generous public for their patronage, I hope they will favor the new firm of HARTLEY & METZGAR, they will try to do right.

Respectfully
W. HARTLEY.

WASHINGTON'S HEADQUARTERS IN A BLAZE.

Fort Bedford Silences Opposition!

The subscriber has purchased the building generally known as "Washington's Headquarters," for many years occupied by the Hon. John Cessna and fitted it up in a neat style for the reception of a

FANCY STORE

which she has just opened. No efforts and expense have been spared to make this the

"Fashionable Bazaar."

All the

LATEST STYLES

which grace the Eastern cities, (she having just returned from the East) will be found here, consisting of

Millinery and Fancy Dress Goods,

Ladies' Kid Gloves,
Balmarals,
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A splendid article of
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Children's Shoes,
with a great variety of
Notions,
Dress Trimmings,
etc., etc., etc.

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April 27, 3mo.

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The subscribers, agents for Mary Ann Wilson, will sell at private sale, a tract of

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The Grover and Baker Elastic-Stitch sewing Machines are superior to all others for the following reasons:

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Artemas Bennet, late of Southampton township, deceased.

Letters Testamentary having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Bedford county, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the estate will present them; properly authenticated for settlement.

GEO. S. BENNET,
ARTEMAS S. BENNET,
ap20:6t Executors.

REVENUE NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the returns for the year ending the 31st day Dec. 1865, on incomes, will be called for in a few days by the assessors of Revenue for the county of Bedford. All persons therefore liable to the tax will be prepared to make their return under oath or affirmation. THOS. HUGHES,
ap20:2t Ass. Ass'r 15th Div.

NOTICE.—Having purchased the drugs, instruments, &c., of Dr. A. S. Smith, of Pattonsville, Bedford co., I offer my services to the citizens of that place, and the community generally. J. A. ROYER.

Pattonsville, April 17.

To my old friends of Pattonsville and those of the vicinity who have reposed confidence in me as a Physician, owing to my recent calamity, unfitting me at present to practice medicine, I have disposed of my medicines and library to Dr. Royer. I most cordially recommend him as a Physician every way fitted to fill all the wants of the community. A. S. SMITH.

Pattonsville, April 17:tf.

MRS. TATE and MISS REA have returned from the City with the

MOST BEAUTIFUL

Assortment of

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS,

ever before offered in this market. In addition to this, they have with them a lady from Philadelphia, who has experience as a

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And having also arranged to have a

MANTUA MAKER

from one of the city establishments, they are confident, they can offer to their customers, assurances of

SATISFACTION,

which cannot be surpassed.

April 20 :tf.

FOR SALE—VERY LOW—

A SECOND HAND PIANO.

Inquire of

APril 13, 3t. C. N. HICKOK,

ESTATE OF ISAAC GROVE, dec'd.

I notify all persons interested that I will make application at next April Court for discharge as Administrator of said estate.

JOHN L. GROVE,
ap16:4t Administrator.

LIST OF RETAILERS.

A list of venders of Foreign and Domesti Merchandise in the County of Bedford, for the year 1866, as appraised and classified by the appraiser of mercantile taxes:

Bedford Borough.

Names.	*Class.*	*Taxes.*
Mrs. V B Tate, store,	14	$7 00
M. & G. Reimund, store,	14	7 00
G R & W Oster, "	13	10 00
A B Cramer & Co "	15	10 00
T H & N G Lyons "	14	7 00
Peter A Reed "	14	7 00
Mrs M Fetterly "	14	7 00
S & W shuck "	14	7 00
do do fancy "	14	7 00
Robert Fyan "	14	7 00
J M Shoemaker "	14	7 00
Wm Hartley, hardware,	14	7 00
Geo Blymire & Son	14	7 00
D Mc Blymire & Co	14	7 00
B F Harry, drugs,	14	7 00
J L Lewis, "	14	7 00
Defibaugh & Fisher	14	7 00
J H Hutton	14	7 00
Isaac Lepple, clothing	14	7 00
Mrs Carn & Co	14	7 00
Mrs Shafer & Diehl	14	7 00
Hammond & Riffle	14	7 00
George Murdorff	14	7 00
Mrs E V Mowry, fancy	14	7 00
Miss Urilla Smith	14	7 00
Jacob Bollinger, confectionery,	14	7 00
Henry Irwin, store,	14	7 00
H C Reamer, grocery,	14	7 00
John G Minnich, eating house,	14	10 00
David Brode, " "	14	10 00
McMullen & Co " "	14	10 00
Rupp, Shannon & Co., bankers,		10 00
Reed & Schell,		10 00
John Harris, eating house,		10 00
Smith & Berkstresser, store,	14	7 00
Bedford Township.		
John Yont, distillery,		15 00
Bedford Mineral Springs, ten pins,		7 50
Do do do billiards,		7 50
Wm Wolf, confectionery		5 00
Peter H Reed, store,	14	7 00
Broad Top Township.		
Eichelberger & Lowry, store,	14	7 00
Langdon & Glezier, store,	14	7 00
Alfred Evans, confectionery		5 00
D Dunn	14	7 00
R B Wigton, store,	14	7 00
Richard Langdon, store,	14	7 00
Mr Chilcott "	14	7 00
Frazer & Brother		7 00
D Roland, store,	14	7 00
Magahan, eating house,		10 00
W D Reese, " "		10 00
Cumberland Valley Township.		
D K Anderson, store,	14	7 00
Wm Laney "	14	7 00
Notingham & Co, distillery,		15 00
Colerain Township.		
A C James, store,	14	7 00
Heltzell "	14	7 00
Adam Diehl "	14	7 00
Hopewell Township.		
Wm Scypher, store,	14