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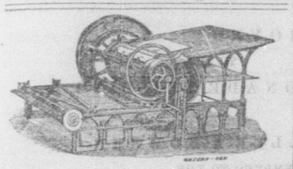

BEDFORD, PA., FRIDAY, JAN. 29, 1869.

DIRECTORY.—The following is a directory of the Officers of Bedford County and the Borough of Bedford, of the Ministers of Bedford, and the time of meeting of the different associations:

BEDFORD COUNTY OFFICERS.

President Judge—Hon. Alex. King.
Associate Judges—Wm. G. Eicholtz and Geo. W. Gump.
Prothonotary, Register and Recorder, &c.—O. E. Shannon.
District Attorney—E. F. Kerr.
Treasurer—Isaac Mengel.
Sheriff—Robert Steckman.
Deputy Sheriff—Philip Huzzard.
Deputy Surveyor—Samuel Ketterman.
Commissioners—Michael S. Ritchey, David Howsare, and P. M. Barton. *Clerk*—John G. Fisher. *Counsel*—John W. Dickerson.
Directors of Poor—D. R. Anderson, Michael, Diehl, and J. L. Noble. *Steward*—Samuel Delbaugh. *Counsel*—E. F. Kerr. *Clerk*—T. R. Gettys. *Treasurer*—William Bowles. *Physician*—Pr. F. C. Reamer.
Auditors—James Mattingly, John D. Lucas, and S. Whip.

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

Burgess—V. Steckman.
Assistant Burgess—A. J. Sanson.
Council—Thomas H. Lyons, John Boor, A. W. Mower, J. M. Shoemaker, Hiram Lentz and T. R. Gettys. *Clerk*—H. Nicodemus. *Treasurer*—John H. Rush.
Constable—William Gephart.
High Constable—John Harris.
School Directors—Job Mann, S. L. Russell, T. R. Gettys, Jacob Reed, John Cessna and H. Nicodemus. *Secretary*—J. W. Lingenfelter. *Treasurer*—T. R. Gettys.

MINISTERS.

Episcopalian—Rev. Alfred J. Barrow.
Presbyterian—Rev. R. F. Wilson.
Lutheran—Rev. J. Q. McAttee.
Methodist—Rev. B. G. W. Reed.
German Reformed—Rev. H. Heckerman.
Roman Catholic—Rev. Thomas Heyden.

ASSOCIATIONS.

Bedford Lodge, No. 320, A. Y. M., meets on the first Wednesday on or before full moon, in the Bedford Hall, on the corner of Pitt and Richard streets.
Peace Branch Encampment, No. 114, I. O. O. F., meets on the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month, in the Bedford Hall.
Bedford Lodge, No. 202, I. O. O. F., meets every Friday evening, in the Bedford Hall.
Bedford Lodge, No. 148, I. O. G. T., meets in the Court House, on Monday evening of each week.
Post No. 102, G. A. R. meets every Thursday evening, in the second story of Lingenfelter's Law Building.

TO BUSINESS MEN.

People from every part of the county buy more or less in Bedford, therefore every business man who is wide awake and advertizes liberally wants to reach as many as possible of the people of the county. The INQUIRER has the largest circulation of any paper in the county, and is therefore the best advertising medium in the county. Business men can note the fact.

Local Affairs.

GOLD closed in New york on the 23d at 136¼.

A velocipede school has been opened in Philadelphia.

VIOLET and CARMINE inks at the INQUIRER Book Store.

THE small pox is reported to be very severe in the western cities.

LONDON had more than sixteen hundred fires in 1868.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price. tf.

WILL any preparation restore the hair to its original color and not injure it? Yes! Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer.

PAPER Flour and Buckwheat sacks constantly in store and for sale by.
3m. G. R. OSTER & Co.

IT is reported that a farmer in Vermont has been offered $20,000 for from forty to fifty bushels of a new description of potato.

FOR RENT.—A second floor room in the INQUIRER Building 15 feet wide and 30 feet deep. It will make a very desirable office. For terms inquire at this office.

NEGRO SUPREMACY.—The democratic Post Master General A. W. Randall commissioned Rufus S. Jones a *negro* as Post master in warwick County virginia. What have our democratic brethren to say to that.

THE fractional currency issued during the past week, amounted to $942,000; shipments. $470,833; national bank currency issued $134,470; amount in circulation $299,476,756; fractional currency destroyed, $582,482.

THE coinage at the United States branch mint at San Francisco during the past year amounted to $17,367,000, against $20,095,535 in 1867. During December, 1868, the coinage amounted to $2,340,000 in gold, and $82,0 in silver; together, $2,442,000.

FATAL ACCIDENT. On Saturday the 20th inst while two of the miners Employed at Cunard Colliery Six Mile Run, were in the act of running down a loaded mine car from the face of the work George Smith a young man (Colored) fell under the car and was instantly killed.

THE attention of our readers is called to the prospectus of the *Pittsburgh Commercial* in another column. It is one of the largest and best papers published in the State. We advise every one to take their own home paper first, but after that if any of our patrons wish a good city paper they cannot do better than subscribe for the *Pittsburgh Commercial*.

WE call attention to the architectural advertisement of Dr. C. N. Hickock in an other column. The Doctor is an excellent draughtsman, and will no doubt give satisfaction to those wishing his aid in arranging plans for buildings. The new Episcopal church, the Union School House and several other buildings in this vicinity are of his designing.

MEETING OF COUNTY COMMITTEE.—A meeting of the Republican County Committee of Bedford County will be held at the Washington Hotel on Tuesday the 9th day of February next at one o'clock, P. M. A full attendance is requested, as business of importance will be transacted.

J. W. LINGENFELTER,
2t Chairman County Committee.

DEMOREST'S MAGAZINE.—Mme. Demorest's Magazine for February is a capital number. Full of instructive reading matter, and patterns and plates of the very latest fashions it is just the magazine that every lady needs. We have so often spoken well of this magazine, that we now know not what to add. Terms, $3,00 a year. Address, Wm. Jenning's Demorest, New York city.

ENLARGEMENT.—Our neighbor the Cumberland Union last week came out in a new dress and enlarged to a thirty-two column paper. We are glad to see a spirit of improvement in the Cumberland papers and hail this enlargement of the Union as an evidence of its determination to keep up with the progressive spirit of the age. The Union is now one of the finest looking newspapers in Western Maryland.

CALISAYA BARK.—It is said that Messrs. Drake & Co. (proprietors of the PLANTATION BITTERS) are the largest importers of Calisaya Bark in this country, and that, with the exception of an occasional sale, all they import is used in the compounding of their celebrated PLANTATION BITTERS,—to which they undoubtedly are indebted for their wonderful health-restoring properties. As a Tonic and Appetizer they are not surpassed, and we cheerfully recommend them. All first-class Druggists keep them for sale.

BROAD TOP COAL TRADE.—From a statement, in the *Mining Register*, by Mr. John Fulton, mining Engineer, we learn that the value of the improvements and fixtures in the various mines is estimated at $725,000 00. The average capacity of the mines is 2,500 tons per day. The number of miners employed 573. The amount of coal mined and sent to market in 1868 was 280,936 tons being 36,524 tons in excess of the production of 1867. We rejoice with our Broad-top friends in this evidence of their increasing prosperity, and hope they may soon be enabled to work the mines to their full capacity. We understand that the business has been restricted for some time by reason of insufficient transportation. The full capacity of the mines at present is about 800,000 tons per year or about three times the yield of the past year.

THE Eclectic for February contains: Embellishment, Peter the Great Crossing the Neva, Sir Robert Peel, Smith, Hindoo Fairy Legends, The Turkomans and other Tribes of the Northeastern Frontier, The Moon, The Flight to Varennes, Legends of the Black Forest, II, The Great Nebula in Argo, Half Hours with the best Letter Writers, Gossip from Egypt, He Knew He was Right, The Rhine Frontier, Mongrieff's Ordnance System The History of the Inquisition, Chemical Cleanliness, The Earthquake Regions of South America, Halleck's Poems, Poetry, Notes on Books, Science, Varieties. Terms of the Eclectic: Single copies, 45 cents; one copy, one year, $5.00; two copies, one year, $9.00; five copies, one year, 20.00.

Address E. R. PELTON, Publisher, 108 Fulton Street., New York.

RAILROAD ORGANIZATION.—There will be a meeting of the Incorporators of the Bedford and Bridgeport Railroad Company for the purpose of organizing on Wednesday evening of Court week the 11th of February. The act authorizing the charter and incorporation of this company will be found in another column. The names of the incorporators appear therein all of whom we hope to see present at the meeting. If we want a railroad we must put our shoulders to the wheel and help ourselves. Now is the time to begin and if we go to work in the right spirit we can have a railroad to Bridgeport by the time the Pittsburgh and Connellsville road is completed, which is expected to be within two years. 2t

WHO WANTS A SEWING MACHINE?—We have a new $55,00 Grover and Baker sewing machine which we will dispose of on easy terms to any one who wants a good machine; and who does not want a good sewing machine?

ALSO a new Singer Sewing Machine for sale as cheap as can be sold in the community and on the best of terms.

ALSO a Seventy five dollar Machine of the American Buttonhole and Overseaming Sewing machine Company's Manufacture on the most favorable terms.

Either of the two last named machines can be seen in operation in town, where they have given the most complete satisfaction. Further particulars can be had by calling at, or writing to, the INQUIRER Office Bedford Pa. tf

"BRING BACK THAT HAM"—*Petty Thieving* appears to be the order of the day in Bedford this winter, even down in Mud Town several long-fingered Gents *who are pretty well known* have been figuring rather strong on Woodpiles. Coal-houses and smoke-houses. On Tuesday morning last a ham was found in the alley leading east from Bedford St. It is about time that an example be made of some of these parties. Our citizens have been too lenient in this line; it they would have this prowling about at all hours of the night through stables smoke-houses and the like stopped and their property protected from fire and thieves let them act the part of good citizens and inform on the first rogue they catch in the act of stealing. A little watching is all that is necessary.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.—On Thursday last a terrible accident occurred at the store of John Raffensberger. in Washington township in this County. Peter Goodling, a son of Jacob Goodling, who was returning from a gunning expedition and stopping at the store, met with an acquaintance by the name of Cornelius Clepper. Something was said by Goodling, about selling or trading Clepper his gun, when the two, in a friendly way, commenced tussling with the weapon, which was heavily loaded. While thus engaged, it accidentally went off, the whole charge lodging in Goodling's stomach, inflicting a fearful wound, and causing a laceration and protrusion of the bowels. Medical aid was immediately called in, but of no avail, as the injured man died about six hours afterwards.—*York True Democrat.*

MAIL ROBBERY.—On Friday evening last, some adroit mail robber succeeded in purloining the through pouch from Philadelphia to Hollidaysburg, from the baggage car of the Branch Train, while the baggage master was attending to his work of receiving baggage. In removing the through pouch, the Duncansville pouch was drawn from the car and fell upon the track. This was run over and cut open by the wheels of the cars, and was afterwards found beside the track, with the mail matter uninjured. The stolen pouch was taken into a freight car, near the weigh scales, where it was cut open and the letters taken out and carried away. Mr. Patton telegraphed to Philadelphia, and received an answer to the effect that there was not over ten letters in the pouch. This being the case the robber did not get much for his trouble.—*Altoona Tribune.*

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT ALTOONA—*Pennsylvania Railroad Company Car Shops Burned*—*Loss* $300,000.—A disastrous fire occurred at Altoona about eleven o'clock on Thursday night the 21st inst by which the freight car shops of the Pennsylvania Railroad company were destroyed. The building was a frame structure about two hundred feet in length, fifty feet deep and two stories high, and was used exclusively for the manufacture of freight cars. The fires had been slacked about seven o'clock in the evening after the workmen left the shop and it is not known positively how or where the fire originated. When first discovered the flames were bursting out through the roof and windows, and although the firemen and citizens, a large number of whom were present, worked nobly they were unable to combat with the mad fury of the devouring element, and it swept everything before it. The entire building, including all the machinery in it and twenty-four new freight cars were burned to ashes. A car load of lard and bacon, and one loaded with produce, which were standing on a siding near the burning building, and about thirty thousand dollars worth of lumber in the rear of the shop were also consumed. The entire loss by the fire is estimated at three hundred thousand dollars. There were between four and five hundred men employed in connection with the shop, many of whom will doubtless be thrown out of employment for a short time at least. It was one of the most disastrous fires that has ever occurred in that place.

LIPPINCOTT'S MAGAZINE. The February number contains: Beyond the Breakers: A Novel.—Part II. With a Full-page Illustration by Schuessele. A New Legend, Mr. Thackeray, New Wine in Old Bottles, My Chalet; a Poem, Price of a Dream; a Story, Phenomena of Memory, American Artists in Rome, Over Yonder; a charming Novelette—Part I., The Secret Agent in Foreign Parts, Southern Reconstruction, A Pennsylvania Magazine in 1775, Our Monthly Gossip, Literature of the Day. For sale at all the Book and News Stores. Yearly subscription, $4. Single number, 35 cents. Club Rates.—Two copies, $7.00; Five copies, $16.00; Ten Copies, $30.00; and each additional copy, $3.00. Specimen number, with premium list, sent to any address on receipt of thirty-five cents.

Address J. B. LIPPINCOTT & Co., Publishers, 715 and 717 Market St., Philadelphia.

ANDY JOHNSON. The eagle which sailed over a Republican delegation from St. Clairsville on a certain occasion and which was so portentous to the Democracy about that time was captured some time ago by a man in Fulton County and has since fallen into the hands of our friend of the Express Office. Since his arrival here he has been christened *Andy Johnson.* This has had a powerful effect on him, for notwithstanding his good treatment at the hands of the curious democrats, fresh meat has no charms for him, and plump young chickens walk through his coop and roost on his back with impunity, his eyes are dull and heavy, probably going blind, and his countenance sullen and skeery as though he had stolen something; upon the whole in his present condition he is a type of decaying democracy. Tie 'im loose for he is emaciating.

WINTER RULES.—Never go to bed with cold or damp feet. In going into a colder air, keep the mouth resolutely closed, that by compelling the air to pass circuitously through the nose and head, it may become warmed before it reaches the lungs, and thus prevent those shocks and sudden chills which frequently end in pleurisy, pneumonia, and other serious forms of disease. Never sleep with the head in the draft of an open door or window. Let more covering be on the lower limbs than on the body. Have an extra covering within easy reach in case of a sudden and great change of weather during the night. Never stand still a moment out of doors especially at street corners, after having walked even a short distance. Never ride near an open window of a vehicle for a single half minute, especially if it has been preceded by a walk; valuable lives have been lost or good health permanently destroyed in this way. Never put on a new boot or shoe in the beginning of a walk.—*York True Democrat.*

LAMENTABLE AND FATAL ACCIDENT.—The Fulton *Democrat* says that a most distressing and fatal accident occurred in Licking Creek township, last week. Mr. Franklin Sipes, son of Amos Sipes, went into the woods, on Tuesday. (the 5th inst.,) to cut saw logs. He had felled a tree which lodged on another tree, near by. Whilst endeavoring to disengage the partially fallen tree, it lurched away from the lodgement and striking Mr. Sipes in the face, prostrating him to the ground, falling across both of his legs. As might be supposed, very serious injuries were the result. Besides other severe contusions and serious wounds, the bones of both legs below the knees suffered dangerous comminuted fractures. The surgical aid of Dr. H. S. Wishart, of Harrisonville, was called in, as speedily as possible, and the wounds most skillfully dressed and cared for; but the unfortunate man had been wounded past the help of surgery, and on Friday he died.

ABSCONDING POSTMASTER.—On Thursday morning last, Andrew Dalrymple, Postmaster at Brown's Mills, this county, left for parts unknown. Before leaving he gave a letter to be delivered to a gentleman who was on his bond for the faithful performance of his duties. He had told his wife on the morning of his departure that he was going to Chambersburg, and would return in the evening. Evening came, and night too, but no Andrew. His bondsman in the meantime had read the letter, and learned from its contents that he was in for about $500. The defaulter stated that he was sorry he had to leave, sorry that there was such a deficiency in his accounts, but told his friend that he did not see any relief except in his paying the money. He was very thankful he had signed his bond, as well as for the many kindnesses he had received at his hands. The whole transaction is about the coolest piece of rascality we have heard of for some time. Dalrymple has not yet been heard of.—*Franklin Repository.*

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for February opens with. "A Sleigh-ride through Eastern Siberia," by Mr. T. W. Knox, which is an exceedingly interesting and well-written description of a country that is not familiar to Americans. Alice Carey has a pleasant little poem. "Spent and Mis-Spent;" and "Zanzibar," by Mrs. C. L. Weeks, is such a description of the inner social life of Zanzibar as only a woman could discover or tell. "Executive Department and Seals," by B. J. Lossing. is instructive and well illustrated. "Grandpapa's Baby," by D. R. Castleton, is a tender and pretty story of baby life. "Isabella, Ex Queen of Spain," by Mr. J. S. C. Abbot, "My Enemy's Daughter," by Justin McCarty. "Preachers and Preaching," by Robert Somes, "A Wife of the Period" by Catherine F. Williams. "Changes in Population," by Nathan Allen, "The Insurance on the Highflyer," by Harriet Prescott Spofford, "Light Houses," by M. Schele de Vere, Curtis is even better than usual this month in his talks with his readers.

THE *American Year-Book for* 1869 is the title of the initial volume of a proposed annual publication by O. D. CASE & Co., of Hartford, who have sent us a portion of its pages in advance. Since the "American Almanac "was discontinued in 1860, and the two years of the "National Almanac" in '63 and '64, the broad field of information thus to be annually harvested has been entirely unoccupied. These publishers enter upon it now, appreciating the public needs, understanding the perils of the work, and confident of their ability to supply successfully and permanently, a year book and register which shall be indispensable for the intelligent public. The sheets before us fully sustain their promise to give to their work a broader and more valuable range than was covered by either of the annuals above spoken of. As a compendium of astronomical, historical, religious, political, financial and commercial information, as well relative to our National and State governments as to foreign countries, and carefully edited by competent writers, the completed volume of 800 pages will satisfy so nearly all the current requirements of public men or private citizens, as to command for the enterprise a well-merited success. It is to be issued in February, and travelling agents will soon place copies within every man's reach.

TO OUR PATRONS.—We have a large amount of money charged upon our books, but we find the money in our pocket very scarce. Our friends have always responded liberally to our call and we trust that they will do so again. We have been building during the past season, and our carpenters, masons, lumbermen, painters, in short every one we employ wants money. In fact money is the very thing we want ourselves. Now all we ask is that every one who owes us, however small the sum, will promptly pay us. Every dollar we get will pay two dollars of debts. We only want those who owe us to pay, in order that we may pay *our* debts; and we are quite sure that all this class will cheerfully aid us in so laudable an enterprise. Every one can tell the exact amount he owes us for subscriptions by examining the label that he finds each week on his paper. Geo. Giles Apl. 1 68 indicates that Mr. Giles has not paid in advance for his paper but has been going it on tick. Now if he knows how to save money he will hurry up and pay us $2.50 before Apl. 1. 69 for after that time it will be $3.00; if he had paid for it nine months ago it would have only been $2.00 and he would have saved 50cts. In the same way each one can determine how much he owes, always remembering that it is economy to pay in advance. All who owe us for advertising if they have not received bills, can ascertain the amount by calling at our office, where we will at all times be pleased to see them, and to receive and receipt for all the little bills due us. Come along quick. We want money badly or we would not ask for it. t. f.

MARRIED.

On the 21st inst., at the parsonage, in Martinsburg, by Rev. P. Sheeder, Mr. MARTIN L. TAUBER to Miss SUSANNA KEAGY; both of Bedford Co. Pa.

DIED.

Jan. 20th 1869, of congestion of the brain, LORENA, youngest child of Wm. L. and SALLIE E. LENTZ, of this place, aged 9 months and 1 day.

Jan. 22d, 1869, in this place, after a short illness, Mrs. ELIZABETH C. SMITH, a member of the Presbyterian church, aged 76 years, 9 months and 17 days.

Jan. 21st, 1869, near Marietta Union Township, infant child of ISAAC WYANT aged 3 months and 23 days.

New Advertisements.

All advertisements, except public sales and legal notices, will be inserted three months and charged accordingly unless otherwise ordered.

THE LAST NOTICE.

Persons knowing themselves indebted to H. F. Irvine, will please call and settle their accounts of last year by cash or note. This is positively the las. notice. H. F. IRVINE. 29jan2t

ARCHITECTURE.

General and detailed plans and drawings, for churches and other public building, private residences &c., furnished at short notice and at reasonable prices. C. N. HICKOK.
29jan 1y Bedford, Pa.

ESTRAYS—came to the premises of the subscriber, living in Hopewell Township Bedford County Pa., on or about the first of December 1868, 10 head of sheep; mark, crop of the left ear. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property pay charges and take them away, or they will be disposed of according to law.
29jan3t JAMES PRICE.

THE BEST place in Bedford to buy choice BRANDS of Chewing Tobaccos and Segars, at wholesale or retail, is at OSTER'S.
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PENNSYLVANIA INTERESTS,
more especially of the great industrial classes, with whom it is in the closest sympathy, and of whom it is a part. As a commercial paper, especially in its
EXTENSIVE AND RELIABLE MARKET REPORTS,
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New Advertisements.

ESTATE OF DAVID POINTS, DECEASED. Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of David Points, late of Bedford township, deceased, by the Register of Bedford county, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and all having claims against the estate are requested to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
22jan6t M. A. POINTS, Executor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters Testamentary have been granted by the Register of Bedford County, to the subscriber, residing in Bedford, on the Estate and Will of Hon. Wm. T. Daugherty, late of said Borough, dec'd; that all persons indebted to said estate are notified and required to make payment immediately, and those having claims thereon can present them duly authenticated for settlement. WM. HARTLEY,
22jan Executor.

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REGISTER'S NOTICE FOR ADJOURNED COURT, 23d of Feb'y, 1869:

All persons interested are hereby notified that the following named accountants have filed their accounts in the Register's office of Bedford county, and that said accounts will be presented to an Adjourned Court, in and for said county, to be held on the 23d day of February, 1869, at the Court House, in Bedford, for confirmation:

The account of Abm Ritchey, one of the Executors of the last Will and Testament of Abm Ritchey, late of Snake Spring tp, dec'd.

The account of Henry and Samuel Miller Executors of the last will &c., of John Miller late of Londonderry Tow'p., deceased.

The final account of John Zoller, Administrator of the estate of John S. Zoller, late of Juniata tp, dec'd. O. E. SHANNON,
22jan Register.

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Isaac L. Snider vs. Sam'l Kochendorfer a wife.
Sophia Hook et al vs. Thomas Growden et al.
O.C. Vaughan, endorsee, &c. vs R. M. Trout et al.
Henry Bridenthal vs. Richard Hazlett.
Isaac L. Fickes vs. George T. McCormick et al.
Benj. W. Garretson vs. Philip Little et al.
Same. vs. O. E. Shannon.
A. B. Cramer & Co. vs. same.
Ann C. Dannaker's exr. vs. Christ A. Danaker.
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Same. vs. Jacob Rabm.
Same. vs. James Bowser.
F. D. Beegle, vs. Val. Dull.
Mary A. Forney, vs. Mathias Forney.
O. C. Vaughan, vs. R. M. Trout, et al.
Hester S. Barclay, et al. vs. Wm. Hoffman.
Isaac L. Fickes, vs. G. T. McCormick, et al.
Same. vs. Same.
Laana Smith, et al. vs. Alex Messersmith.
Wm States & Co., vs. Martha L. Tate.
F. D. Beegle, vs Daniel Weritz, et al.
Same. vs. Same.
Wm. Kellerman, vs. Samuel Lehman, et al.
Mauritz Klaire vs. The H & B T M R R & C Co
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Aaron Grove,	St. Clairsville,	do.
Isaac Grove,	do	do.
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William Weimer,	Clearville,	do.

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REGISTER'S NOTICE.

All persons interested are hereby notified that the following named accountants have filed their accounts in the Register's office of Bedford county, and that said accounts will be presented to the Orphans' Court in and for said county, on Tuesday the 9th day of February next, at the Court House, in Bedford, for confirmation.

1. The Final account of John W. Sams, Esq., Trustee for the sale of the real estate of Valentine Metz, late of Broad Top tp, dec'd.
2. The account of Jacob Snook, administrator of the estate of Emanual Snook, late of Napier tp, dec'd.
3. The account of Wesley M. Akers, administrator of the estate of Nathan Layton, late of Monroe township, dec'd.
4. The account of John B. Amos and Saml B. Amos, administrators with the will annexed of John Amos, late of Bedford tp., dec'd
5. The account of David L. Keagy, administrator of the estate of J. F. Hoover, late of Middle Woodberry tp, dec'd.
6. The account of Wm. H. Dasher and John B. Fluck, Esq., administrators of the estate of John Dasher, late of Hopewell tp, dec'd.
7. The final account of George H. Sleek executor of the last will &c, of Joseph W. Sleek, late of Napier tp, dec'd.
8. The account of Henry Rose, executor of the last will &c, of Arshon Rose, late of Cumberland Valley tp, dec'd.
9. The account of Wm. W. Cuppet, executor of the last will &c, of Isaac Cuppet late of St. Clair tp, dec'd.
10. The account of John W. Knox, administrator of the estate of Thomas Knox, late of Bedford tp, dec'd.
11. The account of John Rininger and Jacob Dull, executors of the last will &c. of Jacob Dull, late of Napier tp., dec'd.

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One lot of ground fronting 60 feet on Mill street, and running back to an alley 160 feet, with a two story log rough cast house thereon, adjoining lands of John B. Longenecker on the East and West. Situate in Middle Woodberry township, and taken in execution as the property of Jacob Strock and John B. Longenecker terre tenant.

Also, one lot of ground containing 16 acres, all cleared and under fence, with a two story log house, and log barn thereon erected, also a young apple orchard thereon, adjoining lands of Alexander Shoemaker on the East, Joseph Ling on the West, and Daniels on the North. Situate in Juniata township, and taken into execution as the property of Ellen Snowman.

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