The Columbian.

BLOOMSBURG, FRIDAY, JAN. 29, 1869.

WE are under obligations to Senator Jackson and Representative Scott for valuable Legislative documents.

NOTWITHSTANDING the large number of houses erected in town the last year, dwellings are still in demand, and large rents are asked and received.

JOHN VANLIEW has our thanks for a missing number of the *Columbian*, John Walter of this place also has been kind enough to give us No. 35 of the *Bloomsburg Democrat*.

THE Baptists of this place have began a successful revival. There are also protracted meetings going on at the Methodist and Lutheran churches, from which much good may be expected.

GO and hear Cullis at the Court House Monday night. Come from the neighboring towns and villages with your lovers and sweet-hearts, by loads and sled-loads. Teachers, students, all are interested and can gather instruction.

WE are informed that the Revs'. A. H. Irvine and U. Swandle, are holding a very successful protracted meeting in Light Street. Some forty-five have professed conversion. As many as twenty-seven have presented themselves for prayer in one night.

A FOOLISH report obtained circulation in Schuylkill county to the effect that a man was shot in an attempt to break in or out of the Bloomsburg jail, lately. No such attempt was made, and no man was shot. Every thing is, and has been quiet. There is no feeling or excitement, and neither the public good nor the public peace will be sacrificed.

WE see by the Legislative Record that Senator Jackson has been placed on the important Committees of Finance and Federal Relations and made Chairman of the Committee to compare bills. Hon. Geo. Scott has been placed on the following Committees: Federal Relations, Military, and Municipal Corporations.

THE NEW COUNTY.—A number of citizens living in the upper part of our County, are circulating petitions favoring the erection of a new county out of the north-western part of Columbia. The County seat we presume would be at Benton or 'Zeke Cole's. How much strength there is in the movement we have not ascertained.

ENTERPRISING.—The organ of Radicalism in this county "could not find room" for Geary's Message, and its readers had to depend on the COLUMBIAN for it, which they borrowed from their Democratic neighbors. Was our neighbor ashamed of the Message, or did he fear his readers would not have the patience to read it.

DON'T fail to go and hear Prof. Cullis' famous lecture, "The Idol of Modern Times," at the Court House on next Monday evening. Doors open at the first ringing of the bell. Admission 25 cents: reserved seats 50 cents. All of our cotemporaries speak of the Lecture in the highest terms, and the lecturer enjoys a wide reputation.

WE would call special attention to the communication in another column signed "A Working Man." We give it without alteration or amendment. It is written by a laboring man—one who has always been a Republican, and who up to this time never voted the Democratic ticket. It is a strong appeal to his own class, and should be read by them, without regard to party.

THE important duties of the County Auditors have just been concluded, and in a few days their statement of the receipts and expenditures of the county, for 1868, will be laid before the Court, and ordered to be published. Our citizens can then examine the matter, item by item, and judge if the whole is correct and proper. We venture to say that not a dollar was misspent or misapplied. The Auditors and Commissioners are honest men and faithful officers.

AN IMPORTANT BUSINESS CHANGE.—M. P. Lutz, now doing business in Wilkes Barre has leased the Store room in the Exchange Hotel now occupied by Mr. A. J. Sloan, for five years from the first of next April. He will also purchase such goods as Mr. Sloan may have at that time.

We welcome Mr. Lutz into our midst. We know him to be an active, energetic young man, deserving the support of our citizens. He is well known to many of our citizens having been born and raised in this county,

AT the head of the local column of the *Republican*, we find the following: *"The Republican has the largest circulation of any paper published in Columbia county, and is consequently the very best advertising medium!"*

It is considered more disreputable to publish a falsehood than to communicate it orally, because publication is a deliberate act, and gives it a wider circulation. The above we pronounce to be untrue, and in token of our sincerity in claiming several hundred larger circulation, we propose to our cotemporary the publication of the actual number of subscribers by a Committee to be mutually appointed. Either come to time, or haul down your sign.

WE are anxious that the present course of lectures should prove a success; not because we are in part responsible for pecuniary loss that may ensue; but for the good name of our town. Numbering our population by thousands, aiming to be a leading town on all literary matters, having in our midst an unusually large number of ministers, teachers, and persons of literary taste, it is singular indeed if we cannot support annually, a course of lectures. The Committee,—self-appointed it is true, yet acting from the best of motives for the general good of the whole community—have placed the price of admission within the reach of all our citizens, and there is no excuse for any staying away. If the enterprise is not a losing one, it is the intention the following season to procure the highest class of talent in the nation. For this reason, more than any other, we urge our friends to patronize the present course.

THE KALEIDOSCOPE

—A map of busy life,
—Its fluctuations and its vast concerns.'

NO. XCII.

AFTER SQUIRRELS.

THERE are doubtless many inhabitants of the county of Columbia, more especially in Bloomsburg and the surrounding towns, who have never experienced the pleasure which its wooded hills afford, of squirrel shooting. Fortune having thrown an opportunity within my grasp, I seized it and found indeed that it was worth the grasping. The townships of Benton and Sugarloaf were the ones which offered themselves. It was in the most delicious of all seasons, the clear, cool, bright Autumn, with the leaves just beginning to put on their gorgeous coloring, decking themselves as it were for their death so soon to follow, when the keen breath of northern winds should rob them of their beauties and tear them dry and lifeless from the boughs. I had the good fortune to have several tramps through the woods after the nimble eaters of nuts, but the proceedings of one day will suffice. Fancy a clear star lit sky, a bracing air just cool enough to flush the cheeks and brighten the eye, and to act as a most admirable appetizer, as is apparent at the breakfast table, after our ablutions are performed. The horses having been fed, guns and ammunition looked up and everything prepared for a start, we go into the dining room for breakfast. We eat by candlelight, as it is but four o'clock and we intend to be many miles away before the "God of Day" makes his appearance over the hill tops. Ready at last, we rattle away over anything but smooth roads, our cigars leaving a thin blue line of smoke floating upon the perfectly still air. A drive of about eight miles brings us to our place of destination, and, the horses having been stabled and cared for, we make for tall timber. Slowly and cautiously we move along, after entering the woods, avoiding dry leaves and drier sticks, keeping a sharp look out to right and left, on ground and treetop, for these bright eyed little forest rangers are as keen of sight as a hawk and as timorous as an antelope; a careless step—a cracking of dry twigs—and presto! they are gone. And where? Ah! that is indeed a difficult question to answer; perhaps on that bough of the neighboring oak-perhaps down the trunk to the ground—and perhaps that hole in the very top of yonder tall tree is the hiding-place. Waiting, watching, listening, we slowly move along; at last there is a sound; it is the short, sharp bark of the gray squirrel, called by the farmers in the neighborhood the "big squirrel," (a term by the way applied indifferently to either gray or black squirrel.) Now, indeed, the excitement increases; there is more need than ever of cautiousness. At length we reach the spot whence the noise proceeded; we search the treetops, and examine all the grayish looking knobs upon the boughs and yet no squirrel is visible. Still keeping perfectly quiet, we wait for a movement, and here it is at last. His squirrel-ship who had suspended his breakfasting for amoment, resumes operations; a movement of his body, a pause of a second or two, a sharp crack, and his last meal has been eaten; he comes tumbling from limb to limb and finally drops upon the mossy ground, dead—with a rifle ball through his head. Cruel perhaps it may seem as you lift the pretty little creature from the ground, his black eye not yet dimmed, but as you are not in the woods for moralizing—and *are* for squirrel shooting, you pocket this first one for the day and proceed. Many and vexatious are the impediments we meet during the day; now it is that a squirrel has chosen for himself a tree around whose trunk the young saplings and underbrush cluster so thickly as to render the top of the tree invisible, and after wearisome stretching of necks and straining of eyes, we give it up in despair; at another time, the squirrel, whose color is almost exactly that of the bark to which he clings, has so successfully hidden himself in the fork of a limb, that not even a hair of his long bushy tail can be discovered. They are cunning fellows these squirrels, but men are more cunning than they. After having satisfied ourselves that he is yet in the tree we commence a regular siege. The tree is jarred by heavy stones thrown against it, but with no effect. At last we espy a heavy rail, and this is brought into action as a battering ram. This proves too much for the squirrel's equanimity and he springs upward seeking a securer place of refuge. Foolish little fellow! had you but remained where you were, you might have bidden defiance, as it is, the movement has cost you your life. The unerring rifle has done its work and "Bunny's" pleasures and troubles are at an end.

To a person who has never enjoyed a day in the woods, spent in this manner, it would be difficult to explain what an immense amount of excitement there is in it. Perhaps the absolute quietness and caution which must be observed at first, followed by the rifle shot, the eager rush for the game, and the temporary release from silence, may, by very contrast, have something to do with this. To any lover of Nature such a day is a perfect treat in itself. There is no season when woodland scenery is so perfectly captivating as during the Autumn. The eyes never weary of watching the play of light and shadow on the hill sides, colored as they are with the brilliantly tinted foliage crimson, yellow, purple, red, brown and green and glittering in the early morn with liquid jewels of a thousand hues. The air, too, is of that perfectly clear character which belongs alone to this season. The hazy, smoky atmosphere of the Indian Summer has not yet commenced, and distant objects seem to be drawn closer, whilst those nearer at hand are seen with startling distinctness. I remember myself to have estimated the distance of a certain mountain at less than five miles—I afterwards found that it was somewhat over *thirty!* As a cure for dyspepsia, sleepless nights, indigestion and general laziness, I do not believe there is a medicine known to the Medical fraternity which will prove so perfect a cure, as a week or two spent in the pure air of the mountains, where the day begins with breakfast before sunrise and ends only with the failing light. Try it oh! disbelievers. It is not necessary to go out of Columbia county. There are as well wooded hills as lovely scenery and as hospitable inhabitants here as you will find anywhere. My own experience proves to me that I can never express my own thanks sufficiently for the courtesies I received.

Although not coming within the scope of this article I would mention another kind of sport (so called) in which I indulged, I will not say enjoyed myself, on several occasions, and which I regret to say, for the sake of those who are fond of it, if any there be, I did not thoroughly appreciate. At different times rumors had reached us at Benton, of the abundance of 'Coons to be had in various localities. We visited those localities with commendable regularity, but up to the present writing the 'Coons have not put in an appearance. The general summing up which I have made is, that it is excessively hard work for a remarkably small remuneration. To hunt 'Coons properly it is necessary that you should utterly forget all thoughts of yourself and of your comfort; you should be prepared to wade creeks of unknown depths, with slippery moss-covered stones at the bottom, where if you fell the chances were against your ever getting up again, to sound the depths of mud holes, to clamber over rocks, stumps, logs fences, and any and all impediments which may come in your way; to tempt Providence by crawling and scrambling up nearly perpendicular hill-sides, to run at full speed through woods with which you are not acequainted; to fall down and get up again in time to prevent the man behind you from trampling you down; to follow a lot of irresponsible dogs wherever they choose to bark (which they generally do as far away as possible) and, after all this, to return home 'Coonless, wet, muddy, with scratched face and hands, torn clothes, tired limbs and, if your experience is like mine, with most unmitigated disgust for 'Coon hunting, which is by the way an entirely different thing from 'Coon *catching*.

VIATOR.

ON Monday last, Mr. Scott, our Representative read in place a bill for the relief of T. D. Walker of Orangeville, on account of the removal of the Orphans' School. He claims $15,000 damages.

WE keep constantly on hand a first-class assortment of deeds, mortgages, leases, marriage certificates, notes of all kinds, summons, subpœnas, warrants, etc., etc. 4t.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT of Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, Glassware and House furnishing goods generally, has just been received by WOLF & BARTON, at their new store on Main Street, below Iron St. Every thing fresh and new and of the best description. The very latest patterns of dress goods. Call at once

LAST year the pasting and folding of documents at Harrisburg, for ninety days cost $37,000. This year a responsible firm offered to do it for $7,000 and the proposition only received two Radical votes in the Senate. Reason—the Radical ex-members are seeking and receiving positions as *paule sti ingers!* Think of it tax-payers!

THE Commonwealth vs George S. Twitchell, Jr. John Campbell, 740 Sansom St., Philadelphia, has in press and nearly ready for publication, the full report of this exciting murder trial. No pains have been spared to make it in every respect complete, and full as the trial was of most interesting points of law and scientific information it will be a most valuable book of reference. The work will be handsomely bound and contain 600 pages. Price $6.00.

FOR perfect ease and comfort commend us to well fitting clothes. There is no such thing as enjoying life with one's garments either too tight for easy breathing or so loose as to appear as if they had been put on with a pitch fork. Clothes of either kind wear badly, and look worse. Chemberlin has, however, obviated the necessity for such dressing. His suits are admirable; easy, well fitting, elegant. He is well deserving of the support of the public, and we trust his already large custom may be still more increased.

ON the night of September 28th 1867, there were stolen from the fire-proof safe, in the Commissioner's office, Bloomsburg, $535.00 in Greenbacks, United States Bonds, and Currency.—Immediately upon the theft being discovered, information thereof was given to Senator Buckalew, Mr. Neal, Mr. J. P. Tustin, Cashier of the Bank, Mr. C. R. Paxton, Mr. John K. Grotz and other gentlemen; and upon full consideration it was determined to keep the whole matter quiet, for reasons then and now entirely satisfactory.

The County Treasurer, the Commissioners, and the County Auditors were in due time notified of the facts. It was well known to all the above officials, that originally there were duplicate keys to the office door, and to the safe door, and that but one key to each of the doors was delivered to Mr. Knickbaum, when he was put in charge of the office; and they fully concurred in the conclusions arrived at as above stated. These reasons are still in full force, and except the bare facts, which were then known to many people, it is not yet deemed prudent to state what was and what is still being done to detect the thief.

PROF. ADAMS' READINGS.—In accordance with the published programme, Prof. Adams, on last Friday night, at the Court House, gave a selection of readings from the poets. His first selection was two scenes from the "Merchant of Venice," which was exceedingly well read and the various characters truthfully personated.

The next selection was of a humorous cast.—"Darius Green and his Flying Machine," by J. T. Trowbridge, of Boston. This piece alone was worth the price of admission. The next piece was "The Vagabonds," by the same author and was full of feeling and pathos.

Act V., Scene I.—"The grave diggers"—probably Shakspeare's masterpiece, was then read, and those who never had seen Booth act it, found unknown beauties in the tragedy. This was followed by "Parrhasius and the Captive;" "The Letter,"—a delineation of Irish character,—and "The Ghost," which, however solemn in sound, proved to be a piece of much humor. The audience though not large, was select and appreciative, and went to their homes fully satisfied that they had got the worth of their money.

LECAL NOTICES.

WIDOWS' APPRAISEMENTS.

The following appraisements of real and personal property set apart to widows of decedents, have been filed in the office of the Register of Columbia county, under the Rules of Court, and will be presented for absolute confirmation, to the Orphans' Court to be held in Bloomsburg, in and for said county, on MONDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF FEB. 1869, at two o'clock P. M., of said day, unless exceptions to such confirmations are previously filed, of which all persons interested in said estates will take notice:

1. Widow of H. W. Creasy, late of Scott twp., deceased.
2. Widow of Daniel Yetter, late of Maine twp., deceased.
3. Widow of John Hess, late of Fishingcreek twp., deceased.

JOHN G. FREEZE, Register.

Bloomsburg, Jan. 1, 1869.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF CALVIN B. REIFSNYDER DEC'D.

Letters of administration on the estate of Calvin B. Reifsnyder, late of Catawissa, Columbia Co. deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to George Scott, of Catawissa. All persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent are requested to make them known, and those indebted to make payment. GEORGE SCOTT,

Jan. 15, '69-6t. Administrator.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.—In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, in the matter of Geo. Fenstermaker, bankrupt. To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Geo. Fenstermacher, of Bloomsburg, in the county of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said District.

J. B. ROBISON, Assignee.

Jan. 8, '69-3t.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.—In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, in the matter of Ephraim E. Trowbridge, a bankrupt. To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Ephraim E. Trowbridge, of Briarcreek twp., in the county of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said District. Dated at Bloomsburg, the 8th day of Jan., 1869.

C. G. BARKLEY, Jan. 8, '69-3t. Assignee.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF WM. WARDIN DEC'D.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Wm. Wardin, late of Centre township, Columbia county have been granted by the Register of Columbia County to James Wardin of Wadsworth Carbon county Pa. All persons having claims against the estate are requested to present them to Edward M. Wardin, of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pa. Those indebted to the estate either on note, judgment, mortgage or book account will make payment to the Executor without delay.

JAMES WARDIN, Executor.

Jan. 8, '69.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

This is to give notice: that on the 4th day of Jan. A. D. 1869, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Leonard R. Rupert of Bloomsburg in the county of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt, to him, or for his use and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the Creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the Exchange Hotel in Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, before Edward Overton, jr., Register, on the 25th day of Feb. A.D., 1869 at 12 o'clock, m.

THOMAS A. ROWLEY, U.S. Marshal.

By E. B. COOLBAUGH, Deputy.

Jan. 15, '69-3t.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

This is to give notice: that on the 4th day of Jan. A. D. 1869, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of John Ikeler, of the Boro' of Berwick in the County of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more Assignees of his Estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the Exchange Hotel in Bloomsburg Columbia county, Pennsylvania, before Edward Overton, jr., Register, on the 25th day of February A. D., 1869 at 10 o'clock A. M.,

THOMAS A. ROWLEY, U. S. Marshal.

By E. B. COOLBAUGH, Deputy.

Jan 15, '69-3t.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

This is to give notice: that on the 4th day of Feb. A. D. 1869, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of John Ikeler, Jr. of Scott Twp. in the county of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the Creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the Exchange Hotel in Bloomsburg Columbia county, Pennsylvania, before Edward Overton, jr., Register, on the 25th day of February A. D., 1869 at 10 o'clock A. M.,

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By E. B. COOLBAUGH, Deputy.

Jan. 15, '69-3t.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

This is to give notice: that on the 4th day of Jan. A. D. 1869, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Hiram H. Brown of South Township in the County of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt, to him or for his use and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the Creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the Exchange Hotel in Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, before Edward Overton, jr., Register, on the 25th day of Feb. A. D. 1869, at 9 o'clock a. m.

THOMAS A. ROWLEY, U. S. Marshal.

Jan. 15, '69-3t. By E. B. COOLBAUGH, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale or outcry, at the Court House in Bloomsburg, on Saturday, the 30th day of January next at one o'clock P. M., the Defendant's interest in a lot situate on the west side of West street adjoining lot of T. J. Thornton on the north, an alley on the south and Randolph Hayman on the south, being 40 feet front, and about 280 feet deep, whereon is erected a brick house.

Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Leonard B. Rupert.

MORDECAI MILLARD, Sheriff.

Jan. 1, '69.

SHERIFF'S SALE

OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a writ of Vend. Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, and to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale or out-cry, at the Court House in Bloomsburg on Monday February, 1st, 1869.

The following described lot of ground situate in the Borough of Centralia, to wit: Bounded on the South by Railroad Avenue, on the East by lot of Mrs. Donnelley, on the North by an alley, on the West by ——Street, containing twenty-five feet front by one hundred and forty-five feet deep, on which is erected a two-storied Frame Dwelling House and appurtenances.

Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Patrick Forsey.

MORDECAI MILLARD, Sheriff.

Jan. 15, 1869.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a certain writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county and to me directed will be exposed to sale by public vendue or outcry at the Court House in Bloomsburg, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, on Monday, 1st, 1869, the following mentioned and described real estate situate in the said county.

No. 1. The undivided thirtieth part of a certain piece of land situate in Montour township containing eighteen acres more or less, adjoining lands of James Barton, M'Kelvy & Neal, Bloomsburg Iron Co., and others, whereon is erected a frame dwelling house, a log barn and out houses, with the appurtenances.

No. 2. A certain piece of land situate in Montour township, containing one acre more or less, adjoining lands of M'Kelvy & Neal, D. J. Waller, and the North Branch Canal, whereon is erected a frame store house with appurtenances.

No. 3. The Defendant's interest in a certain piece of land situate in Montour township, containing one acre, more or less, adjoining lands of Daniel Geiger, Wm. Trowbridge, John and myself, whereon is erected a frame dwelling house with the appurtenances.

Dec. 25, 1868.

ALSO

At the Court House in Bloomsburg on Saturday Jan. 23d, day of January next at one o'clock P. M., the Defendant's interest in a lot situate on the west side of West street adjoining lot of T. J. Thornton on the north, an alley on the south and Randolph Hayman on the south, being 40 feet front, and about 280 feet deep, whereon is erected a brick house.

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Jan. 1, '69.

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MORDECAI MILLARD, Sheriff.

Jan. 1, '69.

MERCHANDISE.

NEW STOCK OF CLOTHING.

Fresh arrival of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

DAVID LOWENBERG

invites attention to his stock of

CHEAP AND FASHIONABLE CLOTHING

at his store on

Main Street, two doors above the American House Bloomsburg Pa.,

where he has just received from New York and Philadelphia a full assortment of

MEN AND BOYS' CLOTHING,

including the most fashionable, durable, and handsome

DRESS GOODS,

consisting of

BOX, SACK, ROCC, GUM, AND OIL-CLOTH COATS AND PANTS,

of all sorts, sizes and colors. He has also replenished his already large stock of

FALL AND WINTER SHAWLS,

STRIPED, FIGURED, AND PLAIN VESTS,

SHIRTS, CRAVATS, STOCKS, COLLARS,

HANDKERCHIEFS, GLOVES,

SUSPENDERS, AND FANCY ARTICLES.

He has constantly on hand a large and well-selected assortment of

CLOTHS AND VESTINGS,

which he is prepared to make to order into any kind of clothing, on very short notice, and in the best manner. All his clothing is made to wear, and most of it is of home manufacture.

GOLD WATCHES AND JEWELRY,

of every description, fine and cheap. His ease of jewelry is not surpassed in this place. Call and examine his general assortment of

CLOTHING, WATCHES, JEWELRY, &C.

DAVID LOWENBURG.

MERCHANDISE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

To my friends and the public generally, that will kinds of

DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
QUEENSWARE,
NOTIONS, &C.,

are constantly on hand and for sale

AT BARTON'S OLD STAND,

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

JAMES K. EYER.

Agent for ELIAS POMEROY & SON.

Also, Sole Agent for ELIAS POMEROY'S 1867 Large Ice constantly on hand. [Feb'68.

CLOTHES BY MACHINERY.

The undersigned would respectfully call the attention of the public, to his new and approved method of making clothes by a system based upon mathematical principles, which renders it impossible to be otherwise than perfectly accurate. He claims for this method the following advantages.

FIRST.

Perfect accuracy.

SECOND.

A saving of two thirds of the time usually taken to cut out the cloth.

THIRD.

Ability to measure any figure so as to insure a good fit.

FOURTH.

That it does away with the necessity of being measured more than once, as often is the case from the misapprehension or mistake of a measurer.

He would urge the public to give it a trial, as he is satisfied that it will give perfect satisfaction. He will be happy to exhibit and explain the working at any time to visitors.

J. W. CHEMPERLIN

March 20 1868 Main St., below Market.

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MORDECAI MILLARD, Sheriff.

Jan. 1, '69.

APPLICANTS FOR LICENSES.

FEBRUARY TERM, 1869.

Notice is hereby given that the following named persons have made application to the Prothonotary of Columbia County, for Tavern and other licenses, to be granted to the ensuing February Term of Court:

Catawissa,	Gilbert & Kline,	Liquor Store.	
Greenwood,	Bogart & Kramer,	"	
"	Humphrey Parker	Tavern.	
"	John Legget	"	
Conyngham,	Thomas Monroe,	Eating House.	
"	Mary M'Manon	"	
Bor. Berwick,	Richard Berger	"	
"	Henry M. Buckman.	"	
"	Case, D. Fowler	Tavern.	
Bloom,	George H. Brown,	Eating House.	
Benton,	Peter Appleman,	Tavern.	
Mt. Pleasant,	Daniel W. Schram,	"	
Main,	J. E. Longenberger	"	
Briar Creek,	Gideon G. Rosier,	"	
Centralia,	William Diver,	"	
Scott,	Mary E. Gearhart	"	

JESSE COLEMAN, Prothonotary

Bloomsburg, Jan. 15, 1869.

WYOMING VALLEY CANAL COMPANY.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Wyoming Valley Canal Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 324 Walnut Street Philadelphia, on Tuesday the 9th day of February, 1869, at 10 o'clock, a. m. of said day, when the joint agreement lately entered into by the Board of Managers of the Wyoming Valley Canal Company, and the Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Canal Company, for the consolidation of the said Companies and merger of the Wyoming Valley Canal Company into the Pennsylvania Canal Company will be submitted to the Stockholders, and a vote by ballot, in person or by proxy, taken for the adoption or rejection of the same.

This notice is given in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly approved April 2nd 1868.

ANDREW C. DULLES, Jan. 15, 1869-2t. Secretary.

NOTICE.

THE public are hereby notified that on the 8th day of January last, I purchased at Constable's Sale, the following property, to wit: the goods and chattles of George and John Shellhamer, viz:

One Wagon

TWENTY ACRES OF GRAIN

in the ground, one cast beam plow, one Bay Mare and one Gray Horse, all of the same levied on at Constable's Sale, one Black Horse, and one Bay Horse, sold as the property of John Shellhamer. The public are hereby notified that I have loaned said personal property to said George and John Shellhamer, and are requested not to purchase or molest the same.

WM. SHAFFER.

Centre twp. Jan. 8, '69, 3t.*

FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers for sale the House and Lot now occupied by him in the town of Berwick, Columbia county. This new property is a good Tavern and is admirably adapted for that purpose.

If not sold by the first of April next, the property will be rented on reasonable terms.

Full particulars regarding price or rent &c., can be obtained on application to the undersigned on the premises. Possession given on the 1st of April 1869.

Benton, Jan. 8, '69 PETER APPLEMAN.

LAST NOTICE.

The collectors of Columbia County holding unsettled duplicates for 1867 and previous years are required to pay the balance of their duplicates on the first week in Feb. Term of Court, or all otherwise legal process will be commenced for the collection of the same.

The collectors for 1868, having unsettled duplicates, are all required to settle their duplicates during the two weeks of Court.

MONT. COLE
DAVID YEAGER,
WM. G. QUIGLEY,
Commissioners of Col., Co.

Jan. 8, '68-4t.

SADDLE & HARNESS MAKER.

CHANGEVILLE, COLUMBIA COUNTY, PENN'A.

THE undersigned respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has bought out THOMAS RUCKLE, and will continue the business of SADDLE and HARNESS MAKING, in all its various branches, at the old stand above Snyder's Hotel, and hopes to deserve and receive the patronage of all who need articles in his line.

Feb. 28, '68 GEORGE LAZARUS.

NOTICE.

The Overseer of the Poor of Bloom twp. has in his charge several boys and girls ranging in age from seven to ten years, for whom he is desirous of finding suitable masters. Parties applying will be recommended, can have one or more of the above children, attached to them for a number of years. JOSIAH H. FURMAN,

Bloomsburg Jan. 15, '69, 3t Overseer of the Poor

NEW FIRM, NEW GOODS AND NEW PRICES.—JUST RECEIVED FROM New York a few more sets of the corn Pattern Tea Ware, at I. W. HARTMAN'S.

REMNANTS OF CALICOES,

DELAINES, CORINGS, CASSIMERES, MUSLINS, &c. &c. For sale at greatly reduced prices, at I. W. HARTMAN'S.

DRY GOODS, ETC.

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BOWER & HERRING,

Having taken the popular stand of D. K. Sloan, in

ORANGEVILLE, COLUMBIA COUNTY, PA.,

Respectfully announce to the friends of the establishment, as well as to new customers, that they have just received a large supply of

NEW GOODS,

suitable to the seasons consisting of

DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
QUEENSWARE,
HARDWARE,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
HATS AND CAPS,

DRUGS AND MEDICINES,

and in short every article usually kept in a first-class Country Store; to which they invite the attention of their friends and the public generally. These goods were purchased at the lowest rates and they propose to sell them on as moderate terms, as similar goods can be got here or elsewhere in the county, for cash or country produce.

Dec. 4, '68-3m. BOWER & HERRING.

SOMETHING NEW.

The undersigned begs leave to inform her friends and the public generally, that she has opened in

LIGHT STREET

of goods in the line of a fresh stock

MILLINERY and TRIMMINGS

in connection with Dress Making; and is prepared in addition, to

COLOR STRAW HATS

on the shortest notice, and in the best style of the art. Prices cheap and work satisfactory.

MRS. E. KLINE.

Light Street, October 4, 1867.

SCHUTZE & LUDOLFF,

(ESTABLISHED IN 1851)

Manufacturers of the new patent MONITOR PLATE PIANOS, patented Febenry 26th, 1867. Warranted for five years.

Warerooms, 652 Broome-St., New York.

These patent Monitor Plate Pianos by their peculiar construction are superior to all others, and their merit consists in the direct plank bearing supported by the iron frame, allowing a larger space for the sounding board than is possessed by any other kind of Piano. By this means the quantity as well as the quality of the tone is largely increased.

These Pianos have been pronounced by the best judges to be unrivalled for

POWER AND SWEETNESS OF TONE,

Easy and agreeable touch and beauty of finish.

Most flattering certificates of excellence from Thalberg, Gottschalk, Strakosch, Vieuxtemps and Brassin, Carl Formes, distinguished Professors and Amateurs. From long experience and superior facilities for Manufacturing, we are enabled to offer our pianos at as low prices as are asked by inferior makers.

Send for circular and price list.

Mar. 6'68-1y

QUEEN OF ENGLAND'S SOAP

For doing a family washing in the best and cheapest manner. Guaranteed equal to any in the world. Has all the strength of old resin soap with the mild and lathering qualities of genuine castile. Try this splendid soap. Sold by the Alden Chemical Works, 48 North Front street Phila.

Sep. 4, '68-1y.

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With little labor, something entirely new for all those out of employment. Sample package sent free, every day since discovered $5 to $10 per day made by every one who has yet taken hold of the business, open to all, no capital required. All those having any fear of being humbugged will oblige me by not noticing this; all others address me without delay. For particulars address, with stamp, for circular. Address Valentine Blank, New Bloomfield Perry Co., Pa.

Nov. 27, '68-6m.*

I. REINHEIMER & BROTHER,

RETAIL DEALERS

—IN—

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CLOTHING

AND GENTS'

FURNISHING GOODS.

South Main Street, Below Market,

(opposite Correll's Store,)

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Jan. 1, 1869-1y.

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On January 1st, 1869.

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Auerbach's New Romance.

In the number of The Living Age for Nov. 28th last was begun, by arrangement with the Boston publishers of Berthold Auerbach's works, a new Romance by that most eminent living German novelist, entitled "THE COUNTRY-HOUSE ON THE RHINE," which is now appearing serially in Germany. Auerbach's last work, "ON THE HEIGHTS," was pronounced "the most remarkable novel that has come to us from the home of Goethe during the present century;" and John G. Saxe pronounced it "one of the few great works of the age."