The Columbian.

BROCKWAY & ELWELL, Editors.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Friday, June 2, 1876.

A NUT FOR DON CAMERON TO CRACK.

In the Legislature of 1872, which was Republican, a Committee, a majority of whom were Republicans, were called upon to investigate the "crookedness" of railroad officials and corporations. Among the witnesses subpoenaed was J. Don Cameron. At first he refused to obey the subpoena, fondly imagining that he owned or controlled the Legislature and its Committees. He afterwards attempted to evade the service of another subpoena, but an attachment brought him to his senses. It was developed through that Committee, and unanimously reported to the House, that in the method of taxing Rail Road corporations, (by the connivance of Gen. Hartranft, then Auditor General,) the State Treasury had been defrauded out of about $3,000,000. The principal party to this, as shown by the Report, was the N. C. R. R. Co., of which Don Cameron was President. In fact the road paid the State of Maryland annually $90,000, for thirty six miles of road, and the State of Pennsylvania only $35,211 annually on 199 miles of road. No return was made for the taxes due by law except that on capitol stock,—which was only $9,238,—nor any reason given why the taxes were withheld.

LET CAMERON EXPLAIN!!

ANOTHER REPUBLICAN LIGHT SQUELCHED.

Schenck has been condemned by the unanimous report of the examining committee, and he will no longer misrepresent the American people as Minister to England. One by one the rotten head-lights are extinguished, and the places that once knew them shall know them no more forever.

The report is a long and elaborate one embracing fourteen closely printed octavo pages. It closes as follows:

The committee therefore find as to the inquiries announced at the beginning of the report:

First. Upon the authority of the dispatch of the secretary of State, that it was not proper for the American minister at the court of St. James to connect himself as a director of the Emma mining company of London. This position is confirmed by the authority of Phillimore (vol. 2, page 164,) who says:

"In truth, every State ought, by expressly forbidding their ambassadors to combine engagements in private trade or commerce with the sacred duty of representation, to prevent any question of the kind ever arising. The Roman law on this point deserves to be imitated, "Enim qui legatione fungitur, neque propriis negotiis se interponere debeat."

Second. That the relations of General Schenck to the vendors of the Emma Mine were of such a character as to cast suspicion upon his motives, and subject his action to unfavorable criticism. But the committee believe that he was not guilty of a fraud or of any fraudulent intention in his connection with the company or the vendors of the mine.

Third. That his subsequent speculative dealings in the shares of comdany were not compatible with his diplomatic station, and the maintenance of a position of honor and usefulness at the court near which he was accredited.

The committee therefore submit the following resolution, and unanimously recommend its passage by the house:

Resolved, That this house condemns the action of General Robert C. Schenck, United States minister at the court of St. James, in becoming a director of the Emma Silver mining company of London, and his operations in connection with the shares of the said company and the vendors thereof, as ill-advised, unfortunate, and incompatible with the duties of his official position.

HURT.

That the editors of the *Republican* would squirm under our review of the political management of the Radical Ring here we well knew, and are not surprised that it took two weeks deliberation to attempt a reply. It came last week, but is so weak and pointless that we only desire to call attention to one fact. The *Republican* charges that a candidate in our party, in order to get a nomination "must 'shell out' to the Ring and become their slave." Republicans in this County know to their sorrow how much they have been compelled to "shell out" to the Beckley ring, and with what an unscrupulous hand the has struck down every man, who would not bow to his dictation. Many remember yet when Samuel Kressler was a candidate for Sheriff, and the price of the *Republican's* support was then $500.—

But under the rules of the Democratic party in this County, every voter has a voice in the selection of candidates, and Bloomsburg has only seven out of 69 delegates. And furthermore, these delegates *must* come instructed, with the tickets voted, the list of voters, and the tally list, so that each candidate is represented in Convention according to his strength. Our convention therefore fully represents *the people*, and is not manipulated by a few self chosen men, as is the case with our opponents. If the Republicans would adopt our system of selecting delegates, the power of their Ring would be gone forever, and honest men could get a voice in their Conferences.

One the last officials acts of Attorney General Pierrepont was to write the following letter to the committee investigating the New Orleans frauds, particularly the misdoing of one J. F. Casey, the President's brother-in-law.

Sir; Your request in relation to immunity to Mr. Seelye was before the President and Cabinet-to-day. The President has been notified that several members of your committee are not in favor of immunity. It is not deemed best to grant it.

Let no guilty witness escape.

California is expecting, this year, to raise a larger crop of wheat than ever. There are two and one-half millions of acres planted in wheat, and a crop of at least fifty millions of bushels is expected. California wheat, like California wool, rivals California gold as an article of profit for that great State. Her granaries are not one of the chief sources of the European supply.

It may have been insulting to the Sultan to depose him, and put his nephew in his place, but then he he always was a *harem-scarem* sort of fellow.

The Senate has decided that it has jurisdiction in the Belknap case. In this case Grant did not save his friend.

GEN. HANCOCK.

Popular sentiment is being concentrated in favor of this distinguished gentleman as the Democratic nominee for President. He is not seeking or intriguing for the nomination, and perhaps is not the choice of the politicians. His magnificent record, and the fact that his nomination could excite no antagonism from any competitor, point him out as the proper man. The *World* well says:

There are other very strong reasons to be urged in favor of General Hancock's nomination at St. Louis, but without doubt, the consideration that it would throw a decisive douche of cold water on any attempt to relight the fires of sectional passion in the canvass, is one of the strongest. It is true that General Hancock is a man of stainless honor; that his abilities are equal to the place; that his genius as a soldier saved the country in the crisis of two great battles; that his reverence for law, shown when civilians in power had grown apt at playing the tyrant, proves him to be a model citizen. But his peculiar relations to the south as a leading Union general would make him an especially available candidate for the democracy. It is clear that the main hope of one powerful faction of republican politicians in the coming campaign is set on arousing old war animosities and exciting fears for the safety of the results of our victory. The fires of old passions have almost burned out, and lie now smouldering under the ashes of busy and crowded years; but doubt as to the complete acquiescence of the south in the work of reconstruction and as to the safety of what was won in the war, are by no means everywhere extinct. In the northwest especially, where men threw themselves into the struggle with the fierce instinct of self preservation, and with a grim determination, far surpassing anything felt at the east, to win and to hold the fruits of their victory, this spirit of mistrust lingers. Many people who ought to know better, honestly entertain it and it is no wonder that republican demagogues are planning to play upon it. Should they succeed in inflaming this distrust into an outburst of sectional passion, they might escape the inquest of the country for another season. With Hancock as the democratic nominee, all doubts, suspicions and fear as to the utter extinction of the spirit of rebellion and the re-establishment of loyalty throughout the land would be scattered like wreaths of vapor on the wind. The election of this great Union soldier would have only one possible meaning. It would be the triumph of nationality. His very name would signify the supremacy of the flag, and any attempt to question the motives of his candidacy would recoil fatally on its authors. The opposition to him would have to seek some other standard than the "bloody shirt." * * * President Grant's failure by no means proves that no soldier is fit to rule the country any more than the success of Washington and Jackson shows that only soldiers should be chosen for chief magistrates. A really great soldier must be essentially a great man quick in decision, fertile in resources, strong in executive ability. He must possess courage, endurance, self-sacrifice. The public liking for soldiers represents the consciousness of a great nation roused to the fullest exercise of all its energies in a tremendous struggle. Military glory is the glow of a nation's kindled spirit and self-respect—the reflection of what Kinglake calls "the light of battle" on the faces of a great people. The nation which has become indifferent to its military glory is decaying at the core. In itself, therefore, the impulse to exalt a great soldier to the presidency is neither unnatural nor unreasonable. It needs only to be corrected and controlled by other considerations. Before such a post is confided to a soldier it must be seen that in the study of his own profession he has not neglected the rudiments of statesmanship, and that in his devotion to his military duties he has not acquired a contempt for his duties as a citizen. Grant has been a bad chief magistrate mainly because he knew nothing of the duties which he assumed, and did not care to learn them. Sherman would probably be a dangerous President because he is of an arbitary temperament and has too utter a faith in merely soldiery methods. General Hancock, while every inch a soldier, is noted for his keen appreciation of the nature of civil government. No soldier in our history has better started then he the duties of a soldier in a free country. His defense of civil liberty in New Orleans alone would suffice to mark his fitness for the office of chief magistrate.

THE REA HOMICIDE.

In commenting on the "Molly Maguire" trials, the *Republican* mentions incidentally the Rea case tried in this County in 1869, and says:

Mr. Reay was a most estimable citizen, and when the trial took place here some some foolish persons said, "It will never do to have it said that the Democrats of Columbia went back on the *Irish*, and they were acquitted.

Nothing could be more disreputable than the insinuation contained in the above sentence. In the first place we challenge the *Republican* to give us the name of a single Democrat who used the language above quoted.

In the next place the charge is a libel on the Court and Jury. Judge Elwell certainly cannot be charged with partiality to the "Irish," as the *Republican* calls them. The jurors were carefully selected, and their names are as follows: Samuel Ale, Wm. White, Elijah Shutt, Peter Weaver, Jacob Terwilliger, David Demott, Geo. Cavanee, Eli Robbins, John W. Snyder, Adam Federolf, Samuel C. Kelchner, and Peter Evans. Now these gentleman are all well known, and are honorable men. Dare the *Republican* say that any one of them violated his oath, or was influenced by improper motives? Dare he repeat that the Jury acquitted Donohoe, *et al* because the Democrats of Columbia County induced them to do so?

Proclamation by the President.

THE CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY OF OUR NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The following was issued to day by the President of the United States:

WHEREAS, A joint resolution of the senate and house of representatives of the United States was duly approved on the 13th day of March last, which resolution is as follows:

Be it resolved, etc., That it be and is hereby recommended by the Senate and House of Representatives to the people of the several states, that they assemble in their several counties or towns on the approaching Centennial Anniversary of our national independence, and that they cause to have delivered on such day an historical sketch of such county or town from its formation and that a copy of said sketch be filed in print or manuscript in the clerk's office of said county and an additional copy in print or manuscript be filed in the office of the librarian of congress, to the intent that a complete record may be thus obtained of the progress of our institutions during the first centennial of their existence;

And whereas, It is deemed proper that such recommendation be brought to the notice and knowledge of the people of the United States; now, therefore, I, Ulysses S. Grant, President of the United States, do hereby declare and make known the same in the hope that the object of such resolution may meet the approval of the people of the United States, and that proper steps may be taken to carry the same into effect.

Given under my hand at the city of Washington the 25th day of May, in the year of our Lord 1876, and of the independence of the United States the 100th.

By the President. U. S. GRANT.

HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

Among the late contributions to the collection of animals in the zoological gardens at Philadelphia is a male moose.

The Tramp Law.

Very few persons are aware that the Legislature of this State passed an act in relation to the tramp and vagrant nuisance, and that the same, having been signed by the Governor, is now a law. As a matter of information in which our readers are all interested, we have concluded to print the full text of the bill. If it conduces to the abatement of one of the worst evils under which the public is now suffering, everybody will be gratified. The law is as follows:

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted, etc.* That the following described persons are hereby declared to be vagrants:

I. All persons who shall unlawfully return into any district whence they have been legally removed without bringing a certificate from the proper authorities of the city or district to which they belong, stating that they have a settlement therein.

II. All persons who shall refuse to perform the work which shall be allotted to them by the overseers of the poor, as provided by an act of June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six entitled "An act relating to the support and employment of the poor."

III. All persons going about from door to door, or placing themselves in the streets, highways or other roads to beg or gather alms and all other persons wandering abroad and begging who have no fixed place of residence in the township, ward, or borough in which the vagrant is arrested.

IV. All persons who shall come from any place without this Commonwealth to any place within it, and shall be found loitering or residing therein, and shall follow no labor, trade, occupation, or business, and have no visible means of subsistence, and can give no reasonable account of themselves or their business in such place.

SEC. 2. If any person shall be found offending in any township or place against this act it shall and may be lawful for any constable or police officer of such township or place, and he is hereby enjoined and required on notice thereof given him by any of the inhabitants thereof, or without such notice on his own view to apprehend and convey, or cause to be conveyed, such person to a Justice of the Peace or other committing magistrate of the county, who shall examine such person and shall commit him, being thereof legally convicted before him, on his own view or by the confession of such offenders, or by the oath or affirmation of one or more creditable witnesses, to labor upon any county farm or upon the roads and highways of any city, township or borough, or in any house of correction, poor house, work house, or common jail, for a term of not less than thirty days, and not exceeding six months, and shall forthwith commit him to the custody of the steward, keeper or superintendent of such county farm, house of correction, poor house, work house, or common jail, or to the supervisors, or street commissioners and overseers of the poor of the respective county, city, borough, or township wherein such person shall be found, as in his judgment, shall be deemed most expedient. The said Justice of the Peace or committing magistrate, in every case of conviction, shall make up and sign a record of conviction, annexing thereto the names and records of the different witnesses examined before him, and shall by warrant under hand commit such persons aforesaid: *Provided*, Any such person or persons who shall conceive him, her or themselves, aggrieved by any act, judgment, or determination of any Justice of the Peace or Alderman, in and concerning the execution of this act, may appeal to the present, or next general Quarter Sessions of the city or county giving reasonable notice thereof, whose orders thereu on shall be final.

SEC. 3. That it shall be the duty of the custodian or custodians of any such vagrant to make active efforts to provide work for every vagrant committed under this act, and not disqualified by sickness, old age, or casualty; and whenever labor cannot be provided in the place to which any vagrant is committed, it shall be lawful for such custodian or custodians, and is hereby declared to be his or their duty, with the approval of the board of directors, overseer, guardians or commissioners of the poor, as the case may be, to contract with the proper authorities of any township, city, borough, county, or other persons, to do any work or labor outside the place of commitment. In all cases the work or labor shall be suited to the proper discipline, health, and capacity of such vagrant, and he shall be fed and clothed in a manner suited to the nature of the work engaged in, and the condition of the season; and when any vagrant is committed, under the provisions of this act, to the custody of the supervisors or street commissioners and overseers of the poor of any township, borough, city, or county, it shall be their duty to provide for him comfortable lodging or quarters, either in a station house or other building. The violating or neglect of any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed to be a misdemeanor, and the person so offending, on conviction thereof in the proper court, shall be sentenced to undergo an imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, and to pay a fine no exceeding one hundred dollars, either or both, in the discretion of the court.

SEC. 4. If any person not being in the county, township, or place in which he usually lives or has his home, shall apply to any director, overseer, guardian or commissioners of the poor of any county, city borough, township or district, stating that he is desirious to return to his home, but is poor and has not the means to do so, the said director, overseer, guardian, or commissioners of the poor may employ or let out such poor persons to labor at some suitable place, to be by them selected, and at such wages as shall seem to them just; and when in the opinion of said director, overseer, guardian or commissioner of the poor such poor persons shall have earned a sefficient sum, said director, overseer, guardian, or commissioners of the poor shall, with the money so earned, and with such additions thereto from the treasury of the county, city, borough, township or district, as they may think reasonable, cause such person to be returned to his home, whether in this State or elsewhere: *Provided*, That the expense shall not exceed twenty dollars.

SEC. 5. That the custodian or custodians of such vagrant may, at discretion, discharge such vagrant at any time within the term of commitment upon not less than ten days' good behavior, or upon satisfactory security that he shall not become a charge upon the public within one year from the date of such discharge.

SEC. 6. That the county commissioners in every county in which there shall not be sufficient provision for the safe custody of persons committed under this act, upon the recommendation of a grand jury of the county and approval by the court; are hereby empowered and required to make suitable provision by buildings or enclosures: *Provided*, That the expense for the same shall not exceed the amount fixed by the grand jury.

SEC. 7. That for each arrest, hearing or commitment made under this act, there shall be paid out of the county treasury, to the committing magistrate and officers making such arrest or commitment, the same fees and mileage as now provides by law for like services in other cases of arrest, hearing, and commitment; and no such person shall be detained beyond the term of his commitment by reason of his inability to pay the costs of his arrest, hearing and commitment, but shall forwith be discharged by the officer in whose custody he may be. Any wilful refusal to make such arrest, on the part of any constable or police officer, shall subject him to a penalty of ten dollars, to be collected as penalties are by law collectible, and shall be paid into the poor fund ot the district in which the officer resides.

SEC. 8. That all poor houses, alms houses, and other places provided for the keeping of the poor, are hereby declared to be work houses for the purpose of this act; and it is hereby made the duty of the custodians of such buildings to provide work for such vagrants, and to compel them to work therein when able, not less than six hours a day.

SEC. 9. That the custody of any vagrant, upon his discharge, and at his request, shall give him a certificate of discharge, which shall exempt him from any further arrest for vagrancy for a period of five days, upon condition that he shall forthwith leave the county wherein confined. And the said custodian is hereby authorized to give, in his discretion, to such discharged vagrant, a reasonable sum of money out of his earnings, or out of the treasury of the township, borough, city, or county, to defray his expenses in leaving the county as aforesaid.

SEC. 10. That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

We are told that Don Cameron is now the Secretary of War. Secretary of War—and Don Cameron?!!! Great Judas! What is the world coming to? Is it possible that Grant is as drunk now as he was when he had charge of Fort Wyandotte? The last man who should be made Secretary of War, and the worst mistake which Grant has made in his entire administration. The appointment of Pierrepont, as minister to England, and Judge Taft as Attorney General, can be gotten along with. They will probably get through with their duties, in a workmanlike manner. But the Cameron Secretary-of-War business is too much. It is an outrage on Republicanism—it is an insult upon common decency. Now we will see how the matter results. If we don't have more trouble with this Secretary-of-War business than we have had before, it will only be because the patience and good nature of the people of the United States can stand any pressure which may be brought to bear upon them.—*Hazleton Sentinel.*

"A Drop of Joy in Every Word."

FLEMINGTON, Hunterdon Co., N. J., June 26, 1874.—Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., *Dear Sir*: It is with a happy heart that I pen these lines to acknowledge that you and your Golden Medical Discovery and Purgative Pellets are blessings to the world. These medicines cannot be too highly praised, for they have almost brought me out of the grave. Three months ago I was broken out with large ulcers and sores on my body, limbs and face. I procured your Golden Medical Discovery and Purgative Pellets, and have taken six bottles, and to-day I am in good health, all those ugly ulcers having healed, and left my skin in a natural, healthy condition. I thought at one time I could not be cured. Although I can but poorly express my gratitude to you, yet there is a drop of joy in every word I write. God's blessing rest on you and your wonderful medicines is the humble prayer of

Yours truly, JAMES O. BELLIS.

When a medicine will promptly cure such terrible eating ulcers and free the blood of the virulent poison causing them, who can longer doubt its wonderful virtues? Dr. Pierce, however, does not wish to place his Golden Medical Discovery in the catalogue of quack patent nostrums by recommending it to cure every disease, nor does he so recommend it; but what he does claim is this, that there is but one form of blood disease that it will not cure and that is cancer. He does not recommend his Discovery for that disease, yet he knows it to be the most searching blood cleanser yet discovered, and that it will free the blood and system of all other known blood poisons, be they animal, vegetable, or mineral. The Golden Medical Discovery is warranted by him to cure the worst forms of Skin Diseases, as all forms of Blotches, Pimples and Eruptions, also all Glandular Swellings, and the worst forms of Scrofulous and Ulcerated Sores of Neck, Legs or other parts, and all Scrofulous Diseases, all of which belong to Scrofulous Diseases.

Candidates.

(We are authorized to announce the following persons as candidates for the offices named, subject to the Democratic rules of Columbia county:)

FOR SHERIFF,
MILTON CHARLES,
of Bloomsburg.

HENRY DOAK,
of Briarcreek.

SAMUEL SMITH,
of Fishingcreek.

A. K. SMITH,
of Madison.

JOHN LAYCOCK,
of Bloomsburg.

JOHN W. HOFFMAN,
of Bloomsburg.

JOHN K. GROTZ,
of Bloomsburg.

HENRY D. KNORR,
of Centre.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE.
SAMUEL SNYDER,
of Miflin.

JAMES LAKE,
of Scott.

I. K KRICKBAUM,
of Benton.

DAVID DEMOTT,
of Greenwood.

LUTHER A. GERMAN,
of Pine.

REPRESENTATIVE.
JOSEPH B. KNITTLE,
of Catawissa.

E. J. McHENRY,
of Fishingcreek.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE TO HEIRS.

COLUMBIA COUNTY, ss:

In the Orphans' Court of Columbia County. In the matter of the partition and valuation of the Real Estate of John Mensch, late of Franklin township, Columbia county, deceased.

To Jesse Mensch, Michael Mench, Catharine Lorenman, Marta Parr, Eliza Budding, Christian Mensch, Wm. Mensch, Sarah Burger, Abbie Reitz, Franklin Shuman guardian ad litem of John L. Reitz, Mary M. Reitz, Lavania S. Reitz, Sarah A. Reitz, Joseph E. Reitz, Edward L. Reitz, minor children of Abbey Reitz, formerly Abbey Mensch deceased. Take notice that partition and valuation of the real estate of said John Mensch deceased will be held on the premises on Thursday the 27th, day of July A. D. 1876, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day when and where you may attend if you think proper.

CHAS. S. FORNWALD, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Bloomsburg' June 1, '76.

June 2.-4w.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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June 9, '76.-1m.

PATENTS.

Persons desiring to take out Patents, or desiring information from the United States Patent Office, should consult F. A. LEHMANN, SOLICITOR OF AMERICAN AND FOREIGN PATENTS, Washington, D. C. Examinations free. NO PATENT NO PAY. Send for Circular.

June 9, '76.-1m.

Lucinda Pursell, by her next friend Edward R. Crawford, vs. John P. Pursell, In Common Pleas of Columbia county, No. September Term 1876, Subpœna in Divorce.

The alias subpœna in the above case having been returned non est inventus, you, the said Lucinda Pursell, are hereby required to appear at the said Court, on the first Monday of September next to answer the complaint therein filed.

CHARLES FORNWALD, Sheriff.

Buckalew, Attorney's.

June 2.-4w.

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Greenwood, Columbia Co., Oct. 15th.

Messrs. BREINIG & HELFRICH.

Gentlemen:—We, the undersigned, having used your complete Bone Manure the past season, procured of your agent, A. J. Albertson, hereby affirm it to be the best fertilizer in use. We fully recommend it to farmers, for it is all that you claim for it.

Yours, &c.,

WILLIAM UNGER, H. E. MATHER, JOHN STANTON, A. DREIBLEPEIN, GEO. GIRTON, A. S. FAIRMAN.

June 2, '76.-3m.

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Grand Rapids, Mich.

R. L. PEIRCE, Sec'y Land Dep't.

PD. & Co. Jan 21-11w, e. o. w.

TO CENTENNIAL VISITORS.

C. W. Eves and Dr. A. P. Heller of Millville, Columbia county, Pa., have erected a neat and comfortable boarding house at Philadelphia for the reception of visitors to the Centennial Exhibition. They are now prepared to receive boarders at all times, and at reasonable rates. The building is located in Columbia avenue, about one hundred yards east of Belmont avenue, and the same distance east of Globe Hotel, and only two squares from the main entrance to the Exhibition Grounds, which makes the location very favorable for all visitors from this vicinity. See the sign of the Star Boarding House on top of the building.

EVES & HELLER, Proprietors.

May 24-3w.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Deborah Mallery, late of the township of Catawissa, county of Columbia, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to Hiram J. Reeder, of Catawissa township. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.

HIRAM J. REEDER, Administrator.

W. L. EVERLY, Attorney for Estate.

May 26-6w.

UNION HOTEL,
1314 Arch Street,
PHILADELPHIA, PA.

THOMAS S. WEBB, Proprietor.
J. MURRAY WEBB, Sup't.

Centennial visitors will find this a first-class Hotel and the terms reasonable. May 26-1m.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of sundry writs of Vend. Ex. and Levari Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 17th, 1876,

at one o'clock p m., all that certain real estate in the borough of Centralia, Columbia county, bounded on the north by a lot of A. B. Forther, south by a lot of Patrick Murphy, east by an alley, and west by Locust Avenue; said lot being 25 feet front and 140 feet in depth, whereon are erected a one-story frame stable, bake-oven and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Michael Hannon.

ALSO,

At the same time and place, all that certain lot of ground situate in the town of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pa., bounded on the north by lot of Hassert and Peter Harman, on the east by an alley, on the south by public road, and on the west by ——; said lot being 124 feet front and 175 feet in depth, both more or less, whereon are erected a two-story dwelling house, stable and outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of August Freund.

ALSO,

At the same place, at two o'clock p. m. of said day, all the following real estate, situate in Beaver township, Columbia county, bounded on the south by a public road, north by Uriah and Levi McAfee, on the east by Abraham McAfee on the west by G. P. Driesbach; containing 65 acres, more or less, whereon are erected five two-story tenement houses.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of C. R. Barnes

ALSO,

At the same place, at 2½ o'clock p. m. of said day, all that certain lot of land situate in Espy, Scott township, Columbia county, bounded on the north by an alley, on the east by land of Butler Edgar, on the south by Main Street, and on the west by an alley; being 52 feet front and 150 feet in depth, whereon are erected a two-story dwelling house, stable and outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Elisha B. Pursel.

ALSO,

At the same place at 3 o'clock p. m. of said day, all that certain messuage and tract of land situate in the township of Briarcreek, bounded by lands of George Bower on the east, by the heirs of Stephen Adams and Tobias Smith on the north, by the heirs of John Mostellar, deceased, and others on the south, and by lands of heirs of George Evans on the west; whereon are erected a frame grist mill, brick store and dwelling, and two dwelling houses and outbuildings; containing sixty acres, more or less.

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ALSO,

At the same time and place, all that certain lot of land situate in the town of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pa., bounded on the south by lands of Wesner's heirs, on the west by Mumy's alley, on the north by Fourth Street, and fronting on the east on Market Street forty-four feet; whereon are erected two two-story frame houses and outbuildings; the lot is well fruited. The lot will be sold in two parcels to suit purchasers.

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ALSO,

At the same time and place, all that certain lot of land situate in the village of Espy, Columbia county, bounded on the north by an alley, on the east by Market Street, on the south by Main street, and on the west by land of Stephen Pettit; whereon are erected a large hotel, a large stable and outbuildings. Said lot being in front on Main street about fifty-three feet, and being in depth one hundred and seventy-three feet, more or less.

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