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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1887.

Meeting of Standing Committee.

In accordance with the resolution of the Standing Committee, passed at our last meeting, the Committee will meet at the grand jury room, Bloomsburg, on Saturday Sept. 24th next, at one o'clock p. m.

RON'T R. LITTLE.
Chairman.

The latest reports from Stanley, the African explorer, are dated July 12. The many friends of this brave man will be rejoiced to know that he is alive and in good health.

A Blessing in Disguise.

It is estimated that no less than $3,500,000 has been spent in the restoration and improvement of Charleston since the earthquake of a year ago, and there are many who claim that the disaster was a blessing in disguise.

The confidence of business men in the future of the city is stronger than ever before, and the shaking seems to have settled it more firmly and at the same time to have awakened a spirit of enterprise that had been dormant for many years.

Charleston now dates all things from the earthquake, and the phrase "befaw the wah" has been well nigh forgotten. The city has been brooding long enough over the departed greatness of ante-bellum days and the bitter memories of the ruin and humiliation that followed defeat; and some rude shock was needed to arouse her to a realization of the fact that the nation was marching on and she must keep step. With the New South booming it was high time that Charleston should wake up and take the lead.

SOME NEW LAWS.

An act authorizing the councils of the boroughs of this Commonwealth to regulate and fix the amount of license to be paid, by persons or firms engaged in the business of auctioneering, within the limits of the same.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted &c.*, That from and after the passage of this act, it shall be lawful for the councils of the incorporated boroughs of this Commonwealth to regulate and license persons or firms engaged in the business of auctioneering goods, wares, and merchandise of whatever kind, within said boroughs, respectively, and to fix the amount to be paid by the same: *Provided*, That this act shall not apply to persons or firms regularly engaged in business, for the space of three months, within said boroughs, who may desire to sell out their stock of goods to retire from business, or to reduce stock: *And provided further*, That the license herein authorized shall be in addition to all other licenses now required by law.

SECTION 2. And all acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

A supplement to an act relating to the lien of mechanics, and others, upon buildings.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted &c.*, That the act of General Assembly, approved the first day of May, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one entitled "A supplement to an act relating to the lien of mechanics, and others, upon buildings," approved the sixteenth day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, so far as it relates to certain counties, which enacts, as follows:

"That the said act, entitled 'An act relating to the lien of mechanics, and others, upon buildings,' approved the sixteenth day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, together with the several supplements thereto, shall hereafter be held and taken to apply to debt contracted for work done, or materials furnished for or about the repairs, alteration of or addition to any house or other building, so that liens may hereafter be had for the payment of all debts contracted for work done or materials furnished for or about the repairs, alteration of or addition to any house or other buildings, in the same manner as liens may now be had for debts contracted for work done, or materials found for or about the erection or construction of any house or other building under the aforesaid act approved June sixteenth, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, and the several supplements to the said act; *Provided nevertheless*, That this act shall not apply to debts, such as aforesaid, when the same are of less amount than twenty dollars: *And provided also*, That this act shall apply only to Chester, Delaware, and Berks counties," be and the same is hereby extended to all the counties of this commonwealth: *And provided further*, That nothing in this act shall render property liable to liens for repairs, alterations or additions, where the same has been altered by any lessee or tenant without the written consent of the owner or owners, or reputed owner or owners, or his or her duly authorized agent: *And provided further*. That to entitle any one to the benefits of this act, he shall give notice to the owner or reputed owner of the property, or his or her agent, at the time of furnishing the materials, or performing work in and about the repairs, alterations or additions to any house or other building, of his intention to file a lien under the provisions of this act.

A Monster Meteor.

A Bangor, (Me.) special dispatch to the Boston *Herald*, of Saturday, is as follows: "People in this section who were out of doors last night were surprised to see the heavens brilliantly illuminated. After the arrival of trains from the East, reports were circulated that an immense meteor, larger than a box car, had fallen on the land of the New Brunswick railroad near McAdam Junction, six miles from Vanceboro, the terminus of the Maine Central. Conductor Robert Elms reports that the stone is buried in the ground quite deep, and projects 10½ feet into the air. It is of the color of burnt rock, and when it fell was very hot. So intense was the heat that people who approached to within 50 feet were driven away. Engineer Penney, of No. 11 train, says the sky was of a bluish tint, lasting several seconds. At McAdam, which is only a railroad junction, is located a depot, in which is a dining-room. When the stone struck the thud was plainly felt, the dishes being shaken from the shelves."

WASHINGTON LETTER

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 19, 1887.

The numerous military bodies decked in the brightest and gayest of uniforms that daily parade the streets of the Capital to the thrilling notes of martial music, vividly recall the scenes of last summer's drill, and remind one that these soldier boys are returning from a great and glorious pageant, second only in magnitude and importance to that other Centennial of America's progress and triumph, celebrated with so much *eclat* and enthusiasm eleven years ago in the same City of Brotherly Love, which has just rejoiced in the commemoration of the Centennial of the Constitution of the United States—that wonderful instrument of patriotic inspiration, destined to stand for all time as the masterpiece of the world's wisdom and statecraft, and as the rock upon which rests the greatest of Republics.

And here I will write of a really remarkable coincidence in this connection—indeed, almost as much so as the death of the illustrious Jefferson fifty years to a day after he had signed the immortal declaration that won his most famous distinction—and that is the death in this city of his last granddaughter, Mrs. Septima Randolph Meikleham, on the very day that the celebration of the Constitutional Centennial began. This aged lady bore a striking resemblance to the great sage and patriot who was the founder of the Democratic party, and she had distinct personal recollections of her honored ancestor's appearance and conversation. She leaves three children—a son and two daughters—the eldest of the latter, Miss Alice, holding a small clerkship in the Patent Office, which is the whole support of the family, the son being a hopeless invalid.

The resignation of Ex-Gov. Porter as Assistant Secretary of State and the appointment of his successor continue to be topics of discussion among the politicians. There appears to be every reason to believe that Mr. Bayard and Mr. Porter were at variance on several questions of public policy—that, in fact, the latter was too much disposed to assert himself in affairs of State. Among those mentioned for the succession are Congressman Belmont, of N. J., Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Affairs in the Forty-Ninth Congress, and ex-Congressman Cox, of N. C., who was Chairman of the Committee on Civil Service in the same body. It is said that Mr. Bayard regards the latter the most favorably, on account of his administration of the North Carolina statesman's progressive course on Civil Service reform, and also his possession of considerable wealth—an important factor in a diplomatic position. Mr. Belmont also has wealth to back him, and he is not without experience in matters of diplomacy. It is understood that the Secretary claims the right to select his assistant.

To a distinguished Southerner, who a few days since called upon the President to urge the appointment of one of his constituents to the Supreme Court vacancy, Mr. Cleveland stated that he had already made the selection and did not suppose he would have reason to change it, and although no name was called, the visitor, from subsequent remarks, was firmly impressed with the opinion that the judicial mantle would grace the shoulders of Secretary Lamar.

The report of the Secretary of the Interior, in response to the demand of the select Committee of the Senate, of which Mr. Cockrell is chairman, makes a volume of 490 pages, printed in small type, and gives a detailed statement of the amount and character of business transacted in the department and the methods of conducting the same. It also shows that there are 9154 employes of the department—of which number 411 are Presidential and the remainder deparmental appointees. A similar report shows that there are 600 employes in the Postoffice Department; that there are 54,774 postmasters; 75 first class, 400 second, 1,884 third, and 52,214 fourth.

The Illinois Democrats in office here have formed an association for the purpose of looking after the official scalps of all Republicans credited to that state—a commendable example to the Democrats of other States.

Wreck Near Nanticoke.

About 4 o'clock Monday afternoon a disastrous wreck occurred on the north and west branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad at a point near the small station known as Retreat, about midway between Macanaqua and Nanticoke, and about seventeen miles from Wilkesbarre. Between Macanaqua and Nanticoke the road is only a single track, and two freight trains running in opposite directions at a speed of about twenty-five miles an hour collided. A freight train was coming up the road in two sections about five miles apart. The first section passed Nanticoke all right, and a down freight which had been standing in the yards there at once pulled out and started down the road, meeting the upcoming train as above stated.

The trains collided with fearful violence, the engines crashing into each other, reared up on end and fell over to one side, completely wrecked, the freight cars piling on top of the engines and smashed themselves to pieces. The fire in the furnaces soon communicated to the wreck and the whole vast pile was soon blazing fiercely, the fury of the fire being augmented by the contents of two oil cars in one of the trains.

A new feature of horror was added to the scene On one of the trains was four cars loaded with gunpowder, packed in twenty-five-pound cans, and in a few minutes the flames reached them. The powder exploded with a violence that shook the hills like an earthquake. The report was heard in Wilkesbarre, seventeen miles away. Everything near the scene of the wreck was blown to pieces. Masses of blazing timbers were hurled half a mile away. Trees in the vicinity were uprooted and some of them thrown into the river, five hundred yards distant, while after the explosion the scattered wreck burned more fiercely than ever.

Hundreds of people had by this time reached the scene, and a desperate effort was made to save one unfortunate man, Louis Metz, a brakeman, who had been wedged in the wreckage and who seemed doomed to a horrible death, for the flames were rapidly approaching him. A bucket line three hundred feet long was formed and the flames held in check until he was released, but it was found that both his legs were broken, one hip smashed and one arm crushed. He died Monday evening.

All the other men on the train leaped before the crash, and all except two escaped with slight injuries. Elwood Swank had a hip dislocated and was burned by the powder explosions and James Keen was terribly cut about the head and had one arm broken. Both will probably die. The total loss to the railroad company is estimated at $80,000.

The Centennial.

It is estimated that fully half a million strangers were within the gates of Philadelphia last week, celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of our Constitution. Every thing was in holiday attire.

The monster civic and industrial parade started from Broad and Dauphin streets shortly after ten o'clock, Thursday morning. The parade was divided into twenty-three divisions. The honor of leading the first division was given to the Patriotic Sons of America who presented a beautiful display. There were in the line 300 floats, each bearing a representation of some particular branch of industry, 20,000, men, about 2,200 horses, and 150 bands of music.

President and Mrs. Cleveland, accompanied by Secretary Bayard and Mr. and Mrs. Lamont, arrived at eight o'clock in the evening from Washington, in a special car. They were met at Wilmington by the reception committee, and the city troop escorted them to the Lafayette Hotel. Governor Beaver gave a reception in the evening at the Academy of Fine Arts, at which many distinguished people were present, including the presidential party.

The military parade of Friday was marked by a pomp and splendor unequaled since the victorious armies of the Union marched in review at Washington upon their return from the war. It was a most fitting celebration of the Constitutional Centennial, and brought to a worthy end the spectacular features of the occasion. It was impressive, also, as a gathering of troops from States which had formerly been at war but which are now happily reunited. There were 20,325 men in line. The president reviewed the parade from the reviewing stand.

The crowning event of the social part of the Constitutional Centennial celebration was the reception of the distinguished visitors and citizens and ladies of Pennsylvania and the different States by President and Mrs. Cleveland in the Academy of Music on Friday night. A tremendous crowd was present.

The culminating events of the Centennial took place on Saturday, and closed the grand occasion. At 11 o'clock in the forenoon exercises were held in Independence Square, consisting of an address by the President of the United States, remarks by Mr. Kasson, chairman of the Centennial committee, a formal address by Justice Miller of the Supreme Cout, vocal and instrumental music, and appropriate religious exercises. There could not have been less than fifty thousand people present and the enthusiasm was immense. In the afternoon the President dined with the Hibernian Society, and in the evening he and other distinguished guests were entertained at dinner in the Academy of Music where toasts were drunk and speeches made. When the dinner was over the President and party returned to Washington. Whithersoever the President and Mrs. Cleveland went they were received with every demonstration of respect and admiration, and her appearence, in particular, created unusual enthusiasm.

Mifflin.

Corn, which is a very good crop here, is being cut.

Sam. Hetler returned home on Friday from an extended trip through Indiana where he has been fitting hats on the "Hoosiers."

R. G. Wintersteen has accepted a position at Wilkes Barre with J. C. Bright & Co. of Hazleton.

The show has left town.

J. E. Snyder and family spent Sunday at Black Creek.

Squirrels are scarce.

Corn cutting parties appear to be in style.

W. O. DeWitt agent at the P. R. R. depot at this place, who has been seriously ill for the past month, we are glad to learn is improving.

Will has many friends here who will be delighted to greet his return to the office.

The people of West Mifflin were awakened by the alarm of fire on Monday night, and in a short time the Evangelic church or better known as Zion church lay in ashes. A protracted meeting which was in progress at that place closed that evening shortly before 10 o'clock. The fire was seen about 11.

The origin is unknown.

Rock Glen.

Everything is dull since the strike.

Schools will open October 10th.

Supt. Coughlin held an examination at Mt. Grove on Thursday.

Progress on the new church is somewhat slow.

Morris Reagan took in the Centennial at Philadelphia.

The operator at Rock Glen Junction has taken a life student. Our best wishes, Chas.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Meyers of Philada. are visiting Rob. Cole, the genial miller.

H. L. DeWitt of Sugarloaf is visiting his brother Will, who is very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bond are visiting their son in New Jersey.

Eli Smith has just finished a first class new house.

Ed Grover lost his house by fire on Friday, supposed to have originated at the garret floor where the stove pipe passed through.

John Hart of this township was nominated by the democrats of this county for Commissioner. Mr. Hart is an industrious, upright man and deserves a hearty support at the election.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Turnbach are visiting relatives in Illinois.

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Benton.

Pay day to day in Benton on the B. & S. R. R. We hope the habit of paying every 30 days will be a general and lasting rule.

I. W. Hartman & Son were up arranging for a grand display on the fair grounds.

John Bellas buried an infant on Sunday last.

Alf. McHenry has returned from the city with fall goods.

Our friend Rohr is in Philadelphia this week buying goods and says they will be sold just like they sell goods in railroad towns and that means close.

Mary McHenry was in the city buying goods last week.

We understand Mr. Stohner will be our depot agent, the appointment suits our citizens as the gentleman is one who is accomodating.

We want coal dealers. We want a good tailor. We want a good jeweler. We want a grain buyer. We want a place to sell potatoes flour etc.

Lots for sale in Benton, from $100. to $200.

100 Doses

One Dollar. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the only medicine of which this can be truly said; and it is an unanswerable argument as to the strength and positive *economy* of this great medicine. Hood's Sarsaparilla is made of roots, herbs, barks, etc., long and favorably known for their power in purifying the blood; and in combination, proportion, and process, Hood's Sarsaparilla is *peculiar to itself.*

"*For economy* and comfort we use Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. C. BREWSTER, Buffalo.

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"Hood's Sarsaparilla did me an immense amount of good. My whole system has been built up and strengthened, my digestion improved, and my head relieved of the bad feeling. I consider it the best medicine I have ever used, and should not know how to do without it." MARY L. PEBBE, Salem, Mass.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

State.

FOR JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT,
J. ROSS THOMPSON,
Of Erie.

FOR STATE TREASURER,
B. J. MCGRANN,
Of Lancaster.

County.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
CYRUS B. MCHENRY,
Of Fishingcreek.

FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE SEVERAL COURTS,
WILLIAM H. SNYDER,
Of Bloomsburg.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
GEORGE A. HERRING,
Of Bloomsburg.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER,
CHARLES H. CAMPBELL,
Of Bloomsburg.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,
WILLIAM G. GIRTON,
Of Bloomsburg.
JESSE RITTENHOUSE,
Of Beaver.

FOR AUDITORS,
E. M. TEWKSBURY,
Of Catawissa.
A. W. HARTMAN,
Of Fishingcreek.

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE
OF VALUABLE
Real Estate!

The undersigned, administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Samuel Mellick, dec'd, under the will and by authority of the Orphans Court of Columbia county, will expose to public sale, on the premises, in Orange township, on

SATURDAY, September 24, 1887,

at one o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, to-wit: Beginning at a white oak stump, thence by lands of Cyrus McHenry, north twenty-five degrees west forty-seven perches to a black oak, thence by land of Cyrus McHenry and Hiram E. Bowman north eighteen degrees east twenty-one perches to a stone, thence by land of Hiram E. Bowman north eighty-eight and one-half degrees west sixty-seven and six-tenths perches to a stone, thence by lands of Samuel Nolton, south eighty and one-half degrees west fifty-one and eight-tenths perches to a chestnut, thence by lands of Samuel W. ——— south thirty and one-half degrees east thirty-four perches to a post, thence by lands of Andrew Crouse north seventy-seven degrees east seventy-three perches and three tenths, to the place of beginning, containing

33 ACRES

of land, strict measure.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute, and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter, with interest from confirmation nisi. Purchaser to pay for drawing deed.

See bills for personal property.

JOHN A. FUNSTON, Adm'r,
sept2 With the will annexed.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bloomsburg Water Company will be held in Bloomsburg on Tuesday, October 11, 1887, at the office of F. P. Billmeyer, between the hours of two and four o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business of the Company. F. P. BILLMEYER,
sept16-tl. Secretary.

PUBLIC SALE
OF VALUABLE
Real Estate!

The undersigned, administrator de bonis non, with the will annexed, under direction in the will and by authority of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, will expose to sale, by public vendue, upon the premises, on

THURSDAY, October 20, 1887,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate, to-wit: All that certain farm and tract of land, situate, lying and being in Liberty township, Montour county, Pa., and bounded by lands of John Robinson, lands of William Kerr, lands of Gideon M. Shoop, lands of Samuel Gigger containing

191 ACRES

of land, strict measure, as ascertained by a recent survey; and of which about sixty acres is

WOOD LAND.

The farm lies upon the public road leading from Danville to Milton at the forks of the road leading to Lewisburg, and is situated at a point about equally distant from each one of those three important towns, the distance being about eight miles from each. The improvements consist of a

Large Bank Barn,

wagon shed and outbuildings and a large

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

and a stone spring house, &c. There are several springs of excellent water and two or three brooks running on the farm. Possession will be given on the first day of April, A. D. 1888. The tenant's share of the crop in the ground, at the day of the sale, with the right to enter, cut, thresh and remove the grain, is reserved. The share of the distributees in the same, goes with the farm.

TERMS OF SALE—Ten per cent. of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute, and the remaining three-fourths in one year after confirmation nisi, with interest from that date.

The purchase money unpaid at the first of April, 1888, to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises, before possession given.

JOHN G. FREEZE,
Adm'r d. b. n., c. t. a.
Bloomsburg, Pa., Sept. 16, 1887.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

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

MONDAY, September 26, 1887,

at 2 o'clock p. m., all that certain messuage or tract of land, situate in Locust township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded on the north by land of Benjamin Beaver, on the east by land of Jonathan Beaver, on the south by land of Jacob H. Long and on the west by land of Catharine Helwig, containing five acres, wood land.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of Peter Swank vs. John Oliver, adm'r of John Boyer, dec'd, and to be sold as the property of John Boyer, dec'd.

IKELER & HERRING, Atty's. Plg. Fl. Fa.

ALSO,

All that certain tract of land, situate in Centre township, Columbia county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Charles Whitmire, on the west by lands of Levi Aikman, on the south by lands of Widow Peifer, and on the east by lands of Simon Lowry, containing two acres, more or less, whereon are erected a two-story frame house, stable and other outbuildings. Also, a lot of fruit trees.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Jacob Lynn and Levi Lynn.

ZARR, Atty. Fl. Fa.

ALSO,

All that certain messuage or tract of land, situate in Briarcreek township, Columbia county, Pa. Beginning at a post in line of land formerly Abraham Adams, thence north fifty-nine and one-half degrees east sixty nine and seven-tenths perches to a stone, thence north seven degrees west twenty-eight perches to a stone, thence by a public road south forty-three and one-half degrees west 18 and 8-10 perches to a stone, thence south forty-nine degrees ten minutes east forty and three-tenths perches to a stone, thence south fifty-four degrees west, twenty perches to a stone, thence south seven degrees east, thirteen and nine-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing eight acres and eleven perches, on which are erected a one and a half story frame dwelling house, stable and outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Alfred Smith.

JACKSON, Atty. Fl. Fa.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In re estate of Isaac D. Patton, late of Greenwood Township.

Letters of administration on the said estate having been granted to the undersigned administrator, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate present the same to

ISAAC A. DEWITT, Adm'r,
sept9 Rohrsburg, Pa.

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AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION proposed to the citizens of this Commonwealth for their approval or rejection by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Published by order of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, in pursuance of Article XVIII of the Constitution.

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the commonwealth:

SECTION 1. *Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met*, That the following is proposed as an amendment of the constitution of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:

AMENDMENT.

Strike out from section one, of article eight, the four qualifications for voters which reads as follows:

"If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid, within two years, a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months, and paid at least one month before the election," so that the section which reads as follows:

"Every male citizen, twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections:

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second. He shall have resided in the state one year (or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the state, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third. He shall have resided in the election district, where he shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

Fourth. If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid, within two years a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months, and paid at least one month before the election," shall be amended, so as to read as follows:

Every male citizen twenty-one years of age possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at the polling place of the election district of which he shall at the time be a resident and not elsewhere:

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least thirty days.

Second. He shall have resided in the state one year (or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the state, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third. He shall have resided in the election district, where he shall offer to vote at least thirty days immediately preceding the election. The legislature, at its session thereof next after the adoption of this section, shall, and from time to time thereafter may, enact laws to properly enforce this provision.

Fourth. Every male citizen of the age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a citizen for thirty days and an inhabitant of this state for one year next preceding an election, except at municipal elections, for the last thirty days a resident of the election district in which he may offer his vote, shall be entitled to vote at such election in the election district of which he shall at the time be a resident and not elsewhere for all officers that now are or hereafter may be elected by the people: *Provided*, That in time of war no elector in the actual military service of the state or of the United States, in the army or navy thereof, shall be deprived of his vote by reason of his absence from such election district, and the legislature shall have power to provide the manner in which and the time and place at which such absent electors may vote, and for the return and canvass of their votes in the election district in which they respectively reside.

Fifth. For the purpose of voting, no person shall be deemed to have gained or lost a residence by reason of his presence or absence while employed in the service of the United States or the State, nor while engaged in the navigation of the waters of the State nor of the high seas, nor while a student of any college or seminary of learning, nor while kept at any almshouse or public institution, except the inmates of any home for disabled and indigent soldiers and sailors, who, for the purpose of voting, shall be deemed to reside in the election district where such homes are located. Laws shall be made for ascertaining, by proper proofs, the citizens who shall be entitled to the right of suffrage hereby established.

A true copy of the joint resolution.

CHARLES W. STONE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION proposed to the citizens of this Commonwealth for their approval or rejection by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Published by order of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, in pursuance of Article XVIII of the Constitution.

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of this Commonwealth:

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment is proposed to Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the Eighteenth Article thereof:

AMENDMENT.

There shall be an additional article to said Constitution to be designated as Article XIX, as follows:

ARTICLE XIX.

The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor to be used as a beverage, is hereby prohibited, and any violation of this prohibition shall be a misdemeanor, punishable as shall be provided by law.

The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor for other purposes than as a beverage may be allowed in such manner only as may be prescribed by law. The General Assembly shall, at the first session succeeding the adoption of this article of the Constitution, enact laws with adequate penalties for its enforcement.

A true copy of the Joint Resolution.

CHARLES W. STONE,
5aug3ms.] Secretary of the Commonwealth.

NOTICE TO SATISFY MORTGAGE.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF COLUMBIA, ss:

Among the records and proceedings of the Court of Common Pleas in and for said county and state it is, inter alia, thus contained:

No. May Term, 1887.

PETITION TO SATISFY MORTGAGE.

To Henry Cramond, his heirs and legal representatives:

You are hereby notified that Jonathan Hartman, of Greenwood township, said county, has petitioned the Court of Common Pleas of said county, representing to said Court that on the 29th day of November, A. D. 1875, a certain mortgage was executed and delivered by Nicholas Cole, of Greenwood township, aforesaid, to Henry Cramond, of Philadelphia, said state, on a messuage and tract of land, situate in said Greenwood township, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone heap corner, thence by land of Michael Rantz north seventy-four degrees west one hundred and seventy-three perches to a post, thence by the Galbreth & Co. land north eighteen and one-half degrees east one hundred and thirty-five and five-tenths perches to a white oak; thence by other lands of said H. Cramond, south 74 degrees east two hundred and twenty-seven perches to a post by the road; thence along same south sixty-five and one-half degrees west seventy-three perches; thence along same south thirty-nine degrees west thirty perches; thence along same south fifteen degrees west forty perches; thence south eleven degrees west fifteen and five-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and fifty-one acres of land more or less, to secure the payment of a certain bond or writing obligatory, dated the day and year aforesaid in the penalty of five hundred and sixty-two and eighty one hundred dollars, conditioned for the payment in three instalments as follows, of the just sum of two hundred and eighty-one and forty one hundredths dollars, viz: One-third on the first day of May, 1845, one-third on the first day of May, 1847, one-third on the first day of May, 1848, with legal interest on the same from the said 29th day of November, A. D. 1845, which said mortgage is recorded in the office for the recording of deeds, &c., at Bloomsburg, in and for said county of Columbia, in Mortgage Book 3, page 172, &c.

The petition further represents, That the said Nicholas Cole died intestate on or about the 29th day of June, A. D. 1879, and that all the money due on said mortgage, principal and interest, was paid by said Nicholas Cole, during his lifetime, to the said mortgagee who endorsed and who is still the legal holder thereof, and who has neglected to satisfy the same, and continued in such neglect for more than six months last past.

And that since the death of the said Nicholas Cole, his heirs, by deed duly executed, and dated the 30th day of March, 1886, and recorded in the said above-mentioned office, in Deed Book Vol. 80, page 524, conveyed the said above-described piece of land to Peter W. Cole, who, by deed dated April 2, 1887, with his wife, Martha E. Cole, conveyed the said premises to your petitioner (see Deed Book, Vol.) who is now the legal owner of said premises, and by reason of the said mortgage on said premises remaining unsatisfied, there is a cloud cast on said title of your petitioner, and praying that notice of these facts may be given to the said Henry Cramond, his heirs or legal representatives, requiring him or them to appear at the next term of said Court and answer this petition, and in case proof shall be made that the amount of said mortgage, and the interest thereon, has been paid as aforesaid, that the Court will order satisfaction to be entered on the record of the same by the Recorder of said county, on payment of the costs due relative to the entry of said mortgage, or any proceedings thereon, and that such other orders may be made in the premises as by the act of Assembly in that behalf, passed and approved the 11th day of June, A. D. 1879.

You are therefore required to be and appear at the next Court of Common Pleas, to be holden in Bloomsburg, in and for said county, on Monday, the 26th day of September next, and answer the petition aforesaid, and show cause, if any you have, why the said mortgage shall not be marked satisfied, according to the prayer of said petitioner.

SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

IKELER & HERRING, Atty's for Petioners.
Sheriff's office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Aug. 26, 1887.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

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

SATURDAY, October 1, 1887,

at 2 o'clock p. m., all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate in Owen's Addition to the town of Berwick, Columbia county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by Fifth street, on the east by land of Mrs. Fay, on the south by an alley, and on the west by land of E. Klinger, being forty-nine and a half feet on Fifth street and one hundred and sixty-five feet in depth, on which are erected a two-story frame dwelling and outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of Julius J. Hoft vs. Adam C. Heller, and to be sold as the property of Adam C. Heller.

JACKSON, Atty. Fl. Fa.

ALSO,

All that certain messuage or tenement and lot of ground, situate in the town of Bloomsburg, in the county of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a corner of an alley, on the south side of Fifth street, north sixty-four and one-eighth degrees east fifty-five and a half feet, thence by land of Isaac S. Kuhn south twenty-nine and a quarter degrees east one hundred and fifty five feet to Pearle street, thence along the same south sixty-one degrees west, fifty-six and a half feet to the alley aforesaid, and thence along said alley north nine degrees west one hundred and fifty-eight feet to the place of beginning.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of Abraham Rice, executor of John Hosta, dec'd, vs. Chas. Ahleman, with notice to Charles Krug, terre tenant, and to be sold as the property of Chas. Ahleman, with notice to Chas. Krug, terre tenant.

KNORR & WINTERSTEEN, Atty's. Al. Lev. Fa.

SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Hon. WILLIAM ELWELL President Judge of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace and the Court of Common Pleas and Orphans' Court in the 26th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Columbia and Montour, and the Hons. C. G. Murphy and C. R. McHenry, Associate Judges of Columbia county have issued their precept, bearing date the 14th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and to me directed for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Common Pleas and Orphans' Court, in Bloomsburg, in the county of Columbia, on the fourth Monday, being the 26th day of Sept. next to continue for two weeks.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, to the Justices of the Peace, and the Constables of the said County of Columbia, that they be then and there in their proper person at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said 26th day of Sept. with their records inquisitions and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those that are bound by recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or may be in the jail of the said county of Columbia, to be then and there to prosecute them as shall be just. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance, agreeable to their notices. Dated at Bloomsburg

{L. S.} the 26th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and in the one hundred and eleventh year of the Independence of the United States of America.

SAMUEL SMITH,
Sheriff's Office, Sheriff

RULE ON HEIRS.

ESTATE OF DANIEL RARIG, DECEASED.

COLUMBIA COUNTY, SS:

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to Frank Rarig, John Rarig, Daniel Rarig, Washington Rarig, Sarah, intermarried with Josiah Rhoads Susanna, intermarried with Urias Fetterman, all residing in Columbia county, Pa.; Mary,