The Columbia Spy.

A. M. RAMBO,.....EDITOR

COLUMBIA, PA.

Saturday, July 16, 1864.

Advertisements, to secure immediate insertion must be handed in on or before Thursday evening of each week.

THE past week has been one of extraordinary excitement—the public mind seemed to hang between hope and fear, waiting and waitching in awful suspense the movements and opperations of invading foes, who were marching almost unopposed over the soil of our sister State "My Maryland"—robbing its inhabitants, burning their buildings, and desolating their fertile fields; and who were boldly menacing the border of our own State, and threatening the capture of our Nation's Capitol.

During this excitement every eye was on the alert, and every ear was open to catch the least gleam of hope, although it may have been but a rumor born along on the breeze, the natural inquiry was: what is the news?

A call was made for men—several war meetings were held—some of our citizens subscribed liberally; our young men showed a noble and patriotic spirit, and another company of volunteers was sent to the war. While the borough has done nobly, it is to be regretted that a large portion of our property owners neither attended these meetings nor subscribed to the bounty fund, some of whom are the first to close their places of business, and attend church, or days set apart for fasting and prayer. A regiment is composed of a thousand fighting men, all have to be fed, clothed and paid; our army must be increased; the Government wants men, and the men who leave their homes and families to fight our battles must be paid. Persons who say they are in favor of crushing out this rebellion by force of arms, who do nothing to assist the Government in carrying out their wish, are mere hipocrits. No man is a patriot in these times, unless he is inquiring, what can I do to save my country? Let every one make this inquiry, and when he has assertained his duty, let him go to work and perform it.

The rebels have succeeded in making good their escape across the Potomac.—They commenced recrossing on Wednesday morning, opposite Poolsville. They had stolen about two thousand head of cattle which they were driving before them. In the action at Fort Stevens the rebels met with a severe repulse, and retreated during the night, leaving at the house of F. P. Blair one hundred of their wounded, including eleven officers, and also left their dead on the field. Their fighting was only to cover their retreat, and enable them to get all their plunder safe across the river. We believe it was only a raid in force, to get something to eat; it is now ended, and Baltimore and Washington breathes easier.

NEW STYLE OF POSTAGE STAMPS.—Owing to the frauds committed by persons removing the marks from old postage stamps, the Post Office Department considering the introduction of a stamp that can be used but once. It is thus described: "The body of the stamp is made of goldbeater's skin (instead of paper) which is tough and so nearly transparent that the printed impression shows almost as well on one side as on the other. The design, the legend, numerals, &c., are intended to be read through from beneath, and therefore printed in reverse. When the stamp is wet and glued on the letter, it remains permanent and unchanged, until some person attempts to peel it off. He then finds that the printed matter remains attached to the letter, while the gold-beater's skin comes off quite colorless, and having scarcely trace of "postage" about it.

A late Richmond paper says that Holywood Cemetery is becoming thickly populated with the dead of their gallant soldiers expiring in Richmond hospitals.—Corpses arrive at the cemetery faster than they can be interred by the limited force allowed for that purpose, and as high as twenty-five green pine coffins, fastened with only one nail in each end have lately been seen there warped open by the sun, exposing the putrescent bodies to full view, emiting sickening odors and attracting swarms of flies.

EXTENSION OF THE EAST PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—The East Pennsylvania Railroad is to be extended to the Delaware river, by the route which passes north of Bethlehem, via Butztown, to Seip's Hotel, and thence along the Bushkill to Easton. The distance by this route, from the Allentown Depot to Easton, is only fifteen and a half miles, the fall 12 feet to the mile. The cost is estimated at $15,000 to the mile.

An old lady who sells eggs in Cincinnati has over her door, "New eggs laid every day, by Betty Brige."

The following is the roll of the company recently recruited in Columbia, by Capt. Goodman, for one hundred days' service in the regiment now being raised by Col. J. W. Fisher:—

Captain, THOMAS H. CALDWELL.
1st Lieut., JOHN Z. THOMAS.
2d Lieut., JAMES R. HALDEMAN.

Edward Bembo,	Fred'k Mulley,
A. R. Breneman,	Thos. Murray,
Wm. K. Burger,	Wm. Mohr,
Geo. J. Bleany,	Wm. McNeil,
Abrm. S. Brady,	David Morgan,
Howard S. Case,	Joseph Nolen,
Robt. Colt,	O. M. Newcomer,
Robt. Corrigan,	John A. Oehme,
John S. Corrigan,	Richard Parsley,
Abrm. Culp,	Jas. L. Pinkerton,
John E. Culp,	Levi Peters,
Alex. Clemons,	Chas. Rupert,
Wm. H. Dunbar,	Paul Read,
D. N. Eshleman,	Conrad Sauber,
John W. Finley,	Chas. Stern,
Wm. Fenical,	Jno. Jas. Saylor,
C. A. Fondersmith,	Wm. Strickler,
H. A. Fondersmith,	Levi D. Shuman,
John Clark,	John Peart,
J. H. Frazer,	Robert Stewart,
Adam Fry,	Thos. S. Stewart,
Wall H. Fry,	Alfred F. Stauffer,
Jacob Fogle,	E. M. Stevenson,
John Hipple,	Thos. Simmers,
Warren Gearhart,	Thos. Sohl,
M. Luther Getz	Chas. P. Shreiner,
Geo. A. Hyers,	John Smith,
Isaac Hinkle,	John B. Tyson,
Jas. Haldeman,	David Tyson,
John Husk,	Edw'd Williams,
Albert H. Klapp,	Jas. Williams,
Peter A. Keller,	Wm. N. Williams,
Jas. P. Knipe,	Wm. J. Williams,
Theodore Klingler,	John Wynn,
Christof Klingman,	John Wolf,
Sam'l Loucks,	Thos. Walker,
John Lantz,	W. S. Walton,
Abraham Lehman,	Adam Zellers,
Chas. Leiphart,	Jacob Mooney,
Math. Levingston,	Joshua Sourbeer,
Geo. Long,	Jacob Kline,
August Lintnel,	Jas. B. Fraley,
John B McClure,	John Hayward,
Henry H. Watson,	Elias Moore,

The company left for Harrisburg at noon of last Wednesday, on an extra train. Several of those whose names appear above failed to leave town with the company, or in other words, "backed out." We shall endeavor to publish a full list of all such in our next week's issue.

Capt. Goodman is still in town, recruiting for the company and for Col. Fisher's regiment. His office is at the old stand in Odd Fellows' Hall. $60 bounty will be paid all recruits for Capt. Caldwell's company, until it is filled to the maximum number—$50 by the borough of Columbia, and $10 through the liberality of Mr. W. G. Case.

For the credit of Columbia, it may be said that Capt. Caldwell's company was the first that reported in Harrisburg for the hundred days' service.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A GENTLEMAN, cured of Nervous Debility, Incompetency, Premature Decay and Youthful Error, actuated by a desire to benefit others, will be happy to furnish to all who need it, (free of charge), the receipe and directions for making the simple remedy used in his case. Those wishing to profit by his experience, and possess a Valuable Remedy, will receive the same by return mail, (carefully sealed), by addressing JOHN B. OGDEN, No. 60 Nassau street, New York. May 14 3m

EYE AND EAR.—Prof. J. Isaacs, M. D., Oculist and Aurist, formerly of Leyden Holland, is located at No. 511 Pine St., Philadelphia, where persons afflicted with disease of the Eye or Ear will be scientifically treated and cured, if curable.

Artificial Eyes inserted without pain. No charges made for examination. The Medical faculty is invited, as he has no secrets in his mode of treatment Feb.6-1864-1y

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Columbia, January 23, 1864-1y.

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If so, call and examine our stock of Warren & Luddies Fine Gold Pen, the best now in market, and warranted to give satisfaction.

Watches and Jewelry carefully repaired.
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NOTICE.
READING AND COLUMBIA TELEGRAPH CO.

THE BOOKS for subscription to the Capital Stock of the Reading and Columbia Telegraph Company, was opened on the 28th inst., agreeable to public notice, and will continue open at the office of the Reading and Columbia R. R. Co., in Columbia, and on and after the 1st of June next, at the Farmers' Bank of Reading, until the whole amount of two hundred shares shall be subscribed.

Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders to the capital stock of the Reading and Columbia Telegraph Company, that an instalment of Five Dollars per shareis called in, and payment is required to be made to the Treasurer at his office in Columbia, on or before the 25th of July next.

ROBERT CRANE.
Sec'y. & Treas. R. & C. Telegraph Co.
Col'a. May 28th, 1864-2m.

H. F. BRUNER. JOHN H. MOORE.
BRUNER & MOORE,
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Wholesale and Retail,
In the Coal Yard formerly occupied by J. G. Hess. April 23, '64.

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Stumbling Blocks,
By Gail Hamilton.
Poetry of the Age of Fables,
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By author of "The Lamplighter."
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A new Novel by M. T. Walworth.
CHARLOTTE BRONTE and MISS MULOCH.
Darkness and Daylight,
By Mrs. Mary J. Holmes.
THE BRIDAL EVE
By Mrs. Emma D. E. N. Southworth.
Light on Shadowed Paths,
By T. S. Arthur.
EDGAR POE and his CRITICS,
By Sarah H. Whitman.
Sprees and Splashes,
or Droll Recollections of
TOWN AND COUNTRY
By Henry Merford.
School Economy,
By Prof. Jas. P. Wickersham.
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SUNBEAM STORIES,
Containing the charming bright stories of
TRAP TO CATCH A SUNBEAM.
CLOUD WITH SILVER LINING.
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ONLY OLD JOLLIFFE.
MERRY CHRISTMAS.
DREAM CHINTZ.
STAR IN THE DESERT, &c., &c.
Six beautiful volumes, illustrated. For sale at WM. U. HESS'
Cheap Book Store, opposite Col'a. Bank.
June 18, 1864.

JUST RECEIVED
A well selected stock of
ENGLISH AND AMERICAN
CARPETINGS,
OIL CLOTHS,
WINDOW SHADES,
LOOKING GLASSES,
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FOR SPRING TRADE,
at the very lowest Cash Prices, at
HALDEMAN'S STORE.

Sportsmen Look Here!
100 double and single barrel guns, just received at the Hardware Store of J. Rumple & Son.
Double barrel guns from $6 up to $60. Single barrel from $2 to $20.
We have received everything in the gunning line, such as powder, Shot, Caps, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Wadding, Game Bags, &c., which we offer to sell at very low rates. J RUMPLE & SON.
July 4, '63.

ICE CREAM. ICE CREAM.
THE undersigned is now prepared to furnish to the public ICE CREAM by the Freezer, Quart or in Moulds, at the lowest price. Also by the small quantity at his saloon, between the Bank and Franklin House, Locust Street.
Col'a. mar.12-'64. GEO. J. SMITH.

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FULL assortment of Men's and Boys Calf and Kip Boots, Balmorals, Brogans, &c., Ladies', Misses' and Children's Balmorals, Boots and Gaiters, at the store of MALTBY & CASE.
Columbia, Dec. 19, 1863.

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NEW and Splendid Styles Carpets and Oil Cloths, sold at very small profits, Call and examine them at
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POCKET BOOK FOUND.
A POCKET Book or Purse was found on Front street last week, containing a sum of money. The owner can have it by applying at this office, and paying for this advertisement. 1t.

LOST.
A VALUABLE Gold Fob Chain, at the fire on Tuesday last. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office.
July 4,'64-1t.

U. S. 10-40 BONDS.

These Bonds are issued under the Act of Congress of March 3d, 1862 which provides that all Bonds issued under this Act shall be EXEMPT FROM TAXATION by or under any state or municipal authority.—Subscriptions to these Bonds are received in United States notes or notes of National Banks. They are TO BE REDEEMED IN COIN, at the pleasure of the Government, at any period *not less ten than nor more than forty years* from their date, and until their redemption FIVE PER CENT. INTEREST WILL BE PAID IN COIN, on Bonds of not over one hundred dollars annually and on all other Bonds semi-annually. The interest is payable on the first days of March and September in each year.

Subscribers will receive either Registered or Coupon Bonds, as they may prefer. Registered Bonds are recorded on the books of the U. S. Treasurer, and can be transferred only on the owner's order. Coupon Bonds are payable to bearer, and are more convenient for commercial uses.

Subscribers to this loan will have the option of having their Bonds draw interest from March 1st, by paying the accrued interest in coin—(or in United States notes, or the notes of National Banks, adding fifty per cent. for premium,) or receive them drawing interest from the date of subscription and deposit. As these Bonds are

Exempt from Municipal or State Taxation,

their value is increased from one to three per cent. per annum, according to the rate of tax levies in various parts of the country.

At the present rate of premium, on gold they pay

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in currency, and are of equal convenience as a permanent or temporary investment.

It is believed that no securities offer so great inducements to lenders as the various descriptions of U. S. Bonds. In all other forms of indebtedness, the faith or ability of private parties or stock companies or separate communities only is pledged for payment, while for the debts of the United States the whole property of the country is holden to secure the payment of both principal and interest in coin.

These Bonds may be subscribed for in sums from $50 up to any magnitude, on the same terms, and are thus made equally available to the smallest lender and the largest capitalist. They can be converted into money at any moment, and the holder will have the benefit of the interest.

It may be useful to state in this connection that the total Funded Debt of the United States on which interest is payable in gold, on the 3d day of March, 1861, was $763,965,000. The interest on this debt for the coming fiscal year will be $45,937,126, while the customs revenue in gold for the current fiscal year, ending June 30th, 1864, has been so far at the rate of over $100,000,000 per annum.

It will be seen that even the present gold revenues of the Government are largely in excess of the wants of the Treasurer for the payment of gold interest, while the recent increase of the tariff will doubtless raise the annual receipts from customs on the same amount of importations, to $150,000,000 per annum.

Instructions to the National Banks acting as loan agents were not issued from the United States Treasury until March 26th, but in the first three weeks of April the subscriptions averaged more than TEN MILLIONS A WEEK.

Subscriptions will be received by the
First National Bank of Philadelphia, Pa.
Second National Bank of do Pa.
Third National Bank of do Pa.
AND BY ALL NATIONAL BANKS
which are depositaries of Public money, and
ALL RESPECTABLE BANKS AND BANKERS
throughout the country, (acting as agents of the National Depositary Banks,) will furnish further information on application and AFFORD EVERY FACILITY TO SUBSCRIBERS. may 7, '64,2m.

The First National Bank of Columbia.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.
You are hereby notified that fifty per cent. of Capital Stock of First National Bank of Columbia is required to be paid on Monday, April 18, twenty-five per cent. on Monday, May 16, twenty-five per cent. (the balance) on Monday, June 20.

Persons paying their subscriptions in full, on April 18, will be allowed interest, and those who do not pay as the installments are due, will be charged interest.

By order of the Board,
S. S. DETWILER, Cashier
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THE cheapest and best Sewing Machine in the Market. Are acknowledged to be unrivaled. No family should be without one.
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For particulars, call and examine, or send for circular to
W. G. PATTON,
Agent for Lancaster County,
At the store of Maltby & Case, Locust st., Columbia, Pa. april 2, 1864.

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A VERY Large Assortment of every description, just received—also,
GENUINE MEERSCHAUM PIPES,
Tubes, of the very best kind made—also, Fancy Goods, Toys, Novelties, &c., in great variety.
GEO. DOLL & CO., Importers,
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A FULL STOCK just received, which we will sell at the very lowest cash prices.
STEACY & BOWERS,
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Spring Clothing.
A FULL Stock of desirable Spring Clothing, in suits, and by the piece, just received at the Cheap Store of
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CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES.
A LARGE assortment of the most desirable styles of Spring Cloths and Cassimeres just arriving. Sold very low. Inspection solicited.
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A FULL line of Black and Fancy Dress Silks, Challies, Mohairs, and other fine Dress Goods, just received at the store of
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MALTBY & CASE.
Col'a. May 21, '64.

FISH! FISH! FISH!!!
MACKEREL in Assorted Packages, for sale Cheap at the Store of
MALTBY & CASE.
may28,'64. Locust St., Col'a.

PROCLAMATION
FOR A
SPECIAL ELECTION,
TO BE HELD ON
TUESDAY, AUGUST 2nd 1864.

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA,

ANDREW G. CURTIN,

Governor of the said Commonwealth.

To FREDERICK SMITH, Esq., *Sheriff of the County of Lancaster—Sends Greeting:*

WHEREAS, A joint resolution proposing certain amendments to the Constitution of this Commonwealth, which are as follows, viz:

"There shall be an additional section to the third article of the Constitution, to be designated as section four, as follows:

"SEC. 4, Whenever any of the qualified electors of this Commonwealth shall be in any actual military service, under a requisition from the President of the United States, or by authority of this Commonwealth, such electors may exercise the right of suffrage in all elections by the citizens under such regulations as are or shall be prescribed by law, as fully as if they were present at their usual place of elections.

"There shall be two additional sections to the eleventh article of the Constitution, to be designated as sections eight and nine, as follows:

"SEC. 8, No bill shall be passed by the Legislature containing more than one subject, which shall be clearly expressed in the title, except appropriation bills.

"SEC. 9, No bill shall be passed by the Legislature, granting any powers or privilegos, in any case where the authority to grant such powers, or privileges, has been, or may hereafter be, conferred upon the courts of this Commonwealth," has been agreed to by a majority of the members elected to each House of the Legislature, at two successive sessions of the same;

And whereas, It is provided in the tenth article of said Constitution, that any amendments so agreed upon, shall be submitted to the people in such manner, and at such time, at least three months after being so agreed to by the two Houses, as the Legislature shall perscribe; such submission to be in such manner and form, that the people may vote for or against each amendment separate and distinctly;

And whereas, By an act of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, passed the twenty-third day of April, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, it is provided, that for the purpose of ascertaining the sense of the people of this Commonwealth, in regard to the adoption or rejection of said amendments, or either of them, the Governor of this Commonwealth shall issue a writ of election, directed to each and every Sheriff of the Commonwealth, commanding them to give notice in the usual manner, in not less than two newspapers in each city and county; *Provided*, That so many are published therein, and by at least two printed handbills in each election district, of every city and county, wherein no newspaper is published, that an election will be held in each of the townships, boroughs, wards, precincts and districts therein, on the FIRST TUESDAY OF AUGUST, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, for the purpose of deciding upon the approval and ratification, or rejection, of the said amendments, which said election shall be opened, held and closed upon the day last aforesaid, at the places and within the hours, at and within which, the general elections of this Commonwealth are directed to be opened, held and closed."

Now therefore, In obedience to the requirements of the tenth article of the Constitution, *and in accordance with the true intent and meaning* of the said act of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, I, ANDREW G. CURTIN, Governor of the said Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do issue this writ, commanding and requiring you the said Frederick Smith, Sheriff of the said county, to give notice in the usual manner, and as by law required, that an election will be held according to the terms of the Constitution, and provisions of the act of the General Assembly aforsaid, in each of the townships, boroughs, wards, precincts and districts therein, on the First Tuesday of August, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, for the purpose of deciding upon the approval and ratification, or rejection, of the said amendments.

Given under my hand and the great seal of the State, at Harrisburg, this Twenty-first day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and of the Commonwealth, the eighty-eighth.

By the Governor: ELI SLIFER,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

In pursuance of the above proclamation of the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, I, FREDERICK SMITH, High Sheriff of the county of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county aforsaid, that an election will be held in the said county of Lancaster, on TUESDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF AUGUST, 1864, for the purpose of voting on "a joint resolution proposing certain amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth."

I ALSO HEREBY MAKE KNOWN AND GIVE NOTICE, that the places of holding the aforsaid special election in the several wards, boroughs, districts and townships, within the county of Lancaster, are as follows, to wit:

1st. District—Composed of the Four Wards of Lancaster City. The qualified voters of the North East Ward, will hold their election at the public house of Anthony Lechler, in East King street; those of the North West Ward, at the public house occupied by Adam Trout; those of the South East Ward, at the public house occupied by Isaac Miller, in East King street; those of the South West Ward, at the public house of Amos Groff.

2d District—Drumore township, at the No. 2 school house, in the village of Chestnut Level.

3d District—Borough of Elizabethtown, at the public house now occupied by Geo. W. Boyer, in said Borough.

4th District—Earl township, at the public hall in the village of New Holland, in said township.

5th District—Elizabeth township, at the public house now occupied by George Bentz, in Brickerville, in said township.

6th District—Borough of Strasburg, at the public house now occupied by A. T. Myers in said borough.

7th District—Rapho township, including the borough of Manheim, at the public house now occupied by John Shreiner, late David Wolf, in said borough.

8th District—Salisbury township, at the public house now occupied by John Mason, White Horse tavern, in said township.

9th District—East Cocalico township, at the public house now occupied by Henry Rhoads, late J. G. Garman, in the village of Reamstown, in said township.

10th District—Being part of the township of East Donegal, at the public school house in the village of Maytown, in said township.

11th District—Caernavon township, at the public house now occupied by John Myers, in the village of Churchtown, in said township.

12th District—Martic township, at the public house now occupied by Chas. T. Saulsby, late Robert Saulsby, in said township.

13th District—Bart township, at the public house now occupied by Edwin Garret, in said township.

14th District—Colerain township, at the public house now occupied by J. P. Swishers, late J. P. Hilderbrand, in said township.

15th District—Fulton township, at the public house now occupied by Joseph Phillips, in said township.

16th District—Warwick township, at the public house now occupied by Samuel Lichenthaler, in the village of Litiz, in said township.

17th District—Composed of the borough Marietta and part of east Donegal township at the public school house in the borough of Marietta, in said township.

18th District—Columbia, at the Town Hall, in said borough.

19th District—Sadsbury township, at the public house now occupied by Abraham Roop, in said township.

20th District—Leacock township, at the public house now occupied by Frederick Styer, late George Diller, in said township.

21st District—Brecknock township, at the public house now occupied by John Bringhurst, late Isaac Messner, in said township.

22d District—Mount Joy borough, at the public school house, in the village of Mount Joy.

23d District—Being part of East Hempfield township at the public house now occupied by Jacob Swarr, in the village of Petersburg, in said township.

24th District—West Lampeter township, at the public house now occupied by Henry Miller, in the village of Lampeter Square, in said township.

25th District—Conestoga township, at the public house now occupied by John G. Preis, in said township.

26th District—Being part of Manor township, at the upper school house in the borough of Washington, in said township.

27th District—Ephrata township, at the public house now occupied by Martin Gross, in said township.

28th District—Conoy township, at the public school house in the village of Bainbridge, in said township.

29th District—Manheim township, at the public house now occupied by Jacob Minnich, late J. Frantz, in the village of Neffsville, in said township.

30th District—Being part of Manor township, at the public house now occupied by Joseph Gochenaur, in Millerstown, in said township.

31st District West Earl township, at the public house now occupied by Grabill G. Forney, in Earlville, in said township.

32d District—West Hempfield township, at the public house now occupied by John Kendig, in said township.

33d District—Strasburg township, at the public house now occupied by James Curran, in the borough of Strasburg.

34th District—Being part of Manor township, commonly called Indiantown district, at the public house of Bernard Stoner, in said township.

35th District—West Cocalico township, at the public house now occupied by John W. Mentzer,, in the village of Shoeneck, in said township.

36th District—East Earl township, at the public house now occupied by Rudy Hahn, late H. Yundt, at Blue Ball, in said township.

37th District—Paradise township, at the public house now occupied by John Zook, in said township.

38th District—Being part of E. Hempfield, township, at the public school house in the village of Hempfield, in said township.

39th District—Lancaster township, at the public house now occupied by Wm. T. Youart, late P. H. Summy, in said township.

40th District—East Lampeter township, at the public house now occupied by Jacob Riddle, late, Henry Keneagy, in said township.

41st District—Little Britain township, at the house of Benjamin Brogan, in said township.

42d District—Upper Leacock township, at the public house of Levi Kemper in said township.

43d District—Penn township, at the public house of Jacob Buser, in said township.

44th District—Borough of Adamstown, at the school house in said borough.

45th District—Clay township, at the house of George W. Steinmetz, (formerly John Erb's) in said township.

46th District—Pecqua township, at the public house of Benjamine Rowe, in said township.

47th District—Providence township, at the house now occupied by Mary Miller in said township.

48th District—Eden township, at the public house of J. G. Hilderbrand, in said township.

49th District—Being that part of Mount Joy township heretofore included in the 3d district, at Leman's school house, in said township.

50th District—West Donegal township, heretofore included in the 3d election district, at Rutt's school house, in said township.

51st District—That part of Mount Joy township, heretofore included in the 22d district, at Benjamin Brenneman's school house, in said township.

52d District—That part of Rapho township heretofore included in the 22nd district, at Strickler's school house, in said township.

53d District—That part of East Donegal township, heretofore included in the 22d district, at the brick school house, in the village of Springville, in said township.

54th District—That part of Rapho township heretofore included in the 52d district at the public school house in the village of Newton in said township.

The General Election, in all the Wards, Townships, Districts and Boroughs of the county, is to be opened between the hours of eight and ten o'clock in the forenoon, and shall continue without interruption or adjournment until seven o'clock in the evening, when the polls shall be closed.

I also, for the information of the electors of the county of Lancaster, publish the act, entitled An act prescribing the time and manner of submitting to the people, for their approval and ratification, or rejection, the proposed amendments to the Constitution.

WHEREAS, A joint resolution, proposing certain amendments to the Constitution of this Commonwealth has been agreed to by a majority of the members elected to each house of the Legislature, at two successive sessions of the same, the first session commencing on the first Tuesday of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and the second session commencing on the first Tuesday in January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

And whereas, It is provided in the tenth article of the Constitution, that any amendment, so agreed upon, shall be submitted to the people in such manner, and such times, at least three months after being so agreed to by the two houses, as the Legislature shall prescribe such submission to be in such manner and form that the people may vote for or against an amendment separately and distinctly; therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same*, That for the purpose of ascertaining the sense of the people of this Commonwealth, in regard to the adoption or rejection of said amendments, or either of them, the Governor of this Commonwealth shall issue a writ of election, directed to each and every Sheriff of this Commonwealth, commanding them to give notice, in the usual manner, in not less than two newspapers in each city and county: *Provided*, That so many are published there in, and by at least two printed handbills, in each election district of every city and county wherein no newspaper is published that an election will be held in each of the townships, boroughs, wards, precincts and districts therein, on the first Tuesday of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, for the purpose of deciding upon the approval and ratification of the said amendments; which said election shall be opened, held and closed upon the day last aforesaid, at the places and within the hours at and within which the general elections of this Commonwealth are directed to be opened, held and closed; and it shall be the duty of the judges, inspectors and clerks of each of said townships, boroughs, wards, precincts and districts to receive at the said election, tickets, not exceeding the number of proposed amendments, either written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, from each of the qualified voters of this State, who may offer the same and to deposit them in a box or boxes, to be for that purpose provided by the proper officers, which tickets shall be, respectively, labelled on the outside, "First Amendment," "Second Amendment," and "Third Amendment;" and those who are favorable to said amendments, or any of them, may express their approval thereof by voting, each, as many separate written or printed or partly written and partly printed ballots or tickets, as there are amendments approved by them containing, on the inside thereof, the words "For the Amendment"; and those who are opposed to such amendments, or any of them, may express their opposition by voting, each, as many separate, written or printed or partly written and partly printed ballots or tickets, as there are amendments not approved by them, containing, on the inside thereof, the words, "Against the Amendment;" the electors voting for or against the amendments shall be considered as voting for or against the proposed fourth section to article three of the Constitution, extending the right of suffrage to soldiers; electors voting for or against the second amendment shall be considered as voting for or against the proposed eighth section of article eleven of the Constitution; and electors voting for or against the third amendment shall be considered as voting for or against the proposed ninth section of article eleven of the Constitution.

SEC. 2. That the election on the said proposed amendments shall in all respects, be conducted as the general elections in this Commonwealth are now conducted; and it shall be the duty of the return judges of the respective counties and districts thereof first having carefully ascertained the number of votes given for or against each of said amendments in the manner aforesaid, to make out duplicate returns thereof, expressed in words at length and not in figures only; one of which returns, so made shall be lodged in the prothonotary's office of the court of common pleas of the proper county, and the other sealed and directed to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, and by one of said judges deposited, forthwith, in the most convenient post office, upon which postage shall be prepaid at the expense of the proper county.

SEC. 3. That it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, on the twenty-third day of August next, before four o'clock, post-meridian, to deliver to the Speaker of the Senate or the speaker of the House of Representatives, the returns of the said election, from the several counties of the Commonwealth; and the same shall on the same day and hour be opened and published in the presence of the members of the Senate and House of Representatives, and the number of votes given for and against said amendments, respectively shall be carefully summed up and ascertained, and duplicate certificates of the result, shall be signed by the Speakers of the two houses. One of said certificates shall be delivered to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, who shall cause the same to be recorded and filed in his office and the other of said certificates shall be delivered to the Governor, who shall forthwith issue his proclamation, declaring whether the said amendments, or either of them have been approved or ratified by a majority of the qualified voters of this State voting thereon: *Provided*, That if, for any cause, a quorum of either house of the Legislature shall not be present at the day and hour above mentioned, then the said votes shall be opened in the presence of such members of said houses as shall be present; and in case of the absence of the speaker of either of said houses, the said certificates shall be signed by the Speaker present; or in case of the absence of both Speakers, by the Chief Clerks of both houses, or either of them in the absence of one of the said clerks.

SEC. 4. That the several duties required to be performed by the sheriff's, commissioners, constables, judges, inspectors, and all other officers whatever, in and about the general elections of this Commonwealth shall be performed by such officers in and about the election herein provided for; and all persons, whether officers or others, shall be liable to the same punishment for the neglect of any duty or the commission of any offence at, in or about the said election as they would for neglect of like duty or commission of like offence at, in or about the general elections of this Commonwealth.

HENRY C. JOHNSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
JOHN P. PENNEY,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-third day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

A. G. CURTIN.

MEETING OF RETURN JUDGES.

Pursuant to the provisions contained in the 2d section of the act aforesaid, the judges of the aforesaid districts shall respectively take charge of the certificate or return of the election of their respective districts and produce them at a meeting of one judge from each district, at the Court House in the city of Lancaster, on the third day after the election, being FRIDAY, the 5th day of August, then and there to do and perform the duties required by law of said judges.

Also, that where a judge by sickness or unavoidable accident, is unable to attend such meeting of judges, then the certificate or return aforesaid shall be taken charge of by one of the inspectors or clerks of the election of said district who shall do and perform the duties required of said judges unable to attend.

Given under my hand, in my office in Lancaster, the twenty-seventh day of June A. D. 1864.

FREDERICK SMITH,
Sheriff of Lancaster county.
SHERIFF'S OFFICE,
Lancaster, June 30, 1864.

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