## Hotels and Restaurants.

### THE ALLEGHENY HOTEL.
MARKET St., CLEARFIELD, Pa.

THIS large and commodious new Hotel has been opened for the accommodation of the public, where the proprietor will be glad to meet his old friends, and receive a share of public patronage. By strict personal attention to the details of his business, he hopes to be able to render satisfaction to his patrons. The TABLE will always be bountifully supplied with the best that can be procured in the market, and the BAR will contain a full stock of LIQUORS, &c. Good stabling attached.

CASPER LEIPOLDT.
Clearfield, March 2, 1869-1y Proprietor.

### THE EAGLE HOTEL,
MAIN ST., CURWENSVILLE, PA.

HAVING leased for a term of years the above well known and popular hotel, (kept formerly by Mr. Mason, and lately by Mr. Evans,) the present proprietor has re-fitted it with the object of rendering his guests comfortable while sojourning with him. A fine, large Stable and Yard is attached, for the care and protection of horses, carriages and wagons. A liberal share of public patronage is solicited.

feb24-1f JOHN POUTS, Prop'r.

### SUSQUEHANNA HOUSE,
Curwensville, Clearfield county, Pa.

THIS old and well established Hotel, beautifully situated on the banks of the Susquehanna, in the borough of Curwensville, has been leased for a term of years by the undersigned. It has been entirely refitted, and is now open to the public generally and the travelling community in particular. No pains will be spared to render guests comfortable while tarrying at this house. Ample Stabling room for the accommodation of teams. Charges moderate.

Dec. 1, '69-tf WM. M. JEFFRIES.

### THE AMERICAN HOUSE,
Curwensville, Clearfield county, Pa.

THE undersigned has leased this old and long established hotel, (formerly kept by Major Isaac Bloom,) situate in a central portion of the town, and has entirely refitted and re-furnished it, and remodeled the stabling, so as to make it an object, hereafter, for the traveling public to patronize this large and commodious house.

dec-2, '68-tf JOHN J. READ.

### THE MANSION HOUSE,
Corner of Second and Market Streets,
CLEARFIELD, PA.

THIS old and commodious Hotel has, during the past year, been enlarged to double its former capacity for the entertainment of strangers and guests. The whole building has been refurnished, and the proprietor will spare no pains to render his guests comfortable while staying with him.

☞ The "Mansion House" Omnibus runs to and from the Depot on the arrival and departure of each train. DAVID JOHNSTON,

nov2 tf Proprietor.

### THE WESTERN HOTEL,
CLEARFIELD, PA.

THE subscriber having leased for a term of years this well-known Hotel, (kept for many years by Mr. Lovich,) and re-fitted and refurnished it throughout, is now prepared to entertain travelers and the public generally upon terms it is hoped alike agreeable to both patrons and proprietor. His TABLE and BAR will be supplied with the best the market affords; and no pains will be spared on his part to add to the convenience and comfort of his guests.

oct14 JOHN BOUGHERTY, Proprietor.

### THE EXCHANGE HOTEL,
HUNTINGDON, PA.

THIS old establishment having been leased by J. MORRISON, formerly proprietor of the "Morrison House," has been thoroughly renovated and refurnished, and supplied with all the modern improvements and conveniences necessary to a first class Hotel. The dining room has been removed to the first floor, and is now spacious and airy. The chambers are well ventilated, and the proprietor will endeavor to make his guests perfectly at home.

je25 J. MORRISON, Proprietor.

J. V. WALLACE.....THOS. H. SHAW.

### THE AMERICAN HOUSE,
Lutheraburg, Clearfield Co., Pa.

THIS well known and long established Hotel, formerly kept by R. W. Moore, and latterly by Wm. Schwem, sr., has been leased for a term of years by the undersigned, to which the attention of the traveling public is now called, and a liberal share of public patronage is solicited.

apr16,'68-1y-pd SHAW & WALLACE.

### THE RAILROAD HOUSE,
MAIN ST., PHILIPSBURG, PA.

THE undersigned keeps constantly on hand the best of Liquors. His table is always supplied with the best the market affords. The traveling public will do well to give him a call.

nov1,'65. ROBERT LLOYD.

### SHRADER & GALER'S
### Restaurant and Confectionery,
(On Road Street, near the Railroad Depot,)
CLEARFIELD, PA.

FRESH OYSTERS and ICE CREAM in season. Tobacco, Cigars, Candies, Nuts, and everything usually found in a Confectionery, always on hand. The only BAGATELLE TABLE in town, can be found at this saloon.

mar10-6m-pd SHRADER & GALER.

### McGAUGHEY'S
### RESTAURANT & REFRESHMENT
### SALOON.

In Leavy's New Building, (formerly occupied by Mr. Bate,)

SECOND ST., CLEARFIELD, PA.

CONSTANTLY on hand a fine selection of CANDIES, NUTS, CIGARS, TOBACCO, &c. Also, FRESH OYSTERS received daily, and served up to suit the tastes of customers.

☞ BILLIARD SALOON on second story.

dec16-tf DAVID McGAUGHEY.

## Boots and Shoes.

DANIEL CONNELLY,
### Boot and Shoe Manufacturer,
CLEARFIELD, PA.

HAS just received a fine lot of French CALF SKINS, and is now prepared to manufacture everything in his line at the lowest figures. He will warrant his work to be as represented. He respectfully solicits a call, at his shop on Market street, second door west of the postoffice, where he will do all in his power to render satisfaction. Some fine Gaiter tops on hand.

my9,'67-y DANIEL CONNELLY.

### PEACE PROCLAIMED.
### THE WAR OVER IN CLEARFIELD
KNOX TOWNSHIP QUIET.

*Nearly all the Contrabands going back to their old masters; but "nary one going to old Massachusetts, where they were loved so long and so well.*

IN consequence of the above facts, F. SHORT, of the old "Short Shoe Shop," would announce to his numerous patrons, and the people of Clearfield county at large, that he has now a first rate lot of good material, just received from the East, and is prepared on short notice to make and mend Boots and Shoes, at his new shop in Graham's row. He is satisfied that he can please all, (unless it might be some intensely loyal stay-at-home patriots.) He is prepared to sell low for Cash or Country Produce. Don't forget the shop—next door to Shower's & Graham's store, on Market street, Clearfield, Pa., and kept by a fellow commonly called

jy2,'67-y "SHORTY."

### NEW BOOT AND SHOE SHOP.
EDWARD MACK.
Cor. MARKET & 2d Sts., CLEARFIELD, Pa.

THE proprietor has entered into the BOOT & SHOE business at the above stand, and is determined not to be outdone either in quality or price for his work. Special attention will be paid to manufacturing Sewed work. He has on hand a large lot of French Kip and Calf Skins, of the very best quality. The citizens of Clearfield and vicinity are respectfully invited to give him a trial. No charge for calls.

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### NEW BOOT AND SHOE SHOP.
IN CURWENSVILLE.

THE subscriber having lately started a new Boot and Shoe shop in Curwensville, on Main street, opposite Joseph R. Irwin's Drug store, respectfully announces to the public that he is prepared to manufacture all styles of Boots and Shoes, and everything in his line, on short notice. He also keeps on hand a good assortment of ready-made work, which he will sell cheap for cash or country produce.

may9,'67-y [8:12] LEWIS T. ROSS.

## Bennett, Blattenberger & Co.

### "BEST GOODS"
AT
### LOWEST PRICES!

BENNETT,
BLATTENBERGER,
& CO.,

NOW OFFER AT THEIR

**Mammoth Store,**

IN OSCEOLA, PA.,

A LARGE & WELL-SELECTED STOCK OF

**Spring & Summer Goods,**

PURCHASED AT THE LOWEST MARKET RATES, AND TO BE SOLD AT A SLIGHT ADVANCE ON COST.

CONSISTING OF DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, WOOD & WILLOW WARE, NOTIONS, CLOTHING, HATS AND CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

FURNITURE & MATTRESSES, FLOUR AND FEED, AND EVERYTHING APPERTAINING TO WELL-REGULATED HOUSEHOLDS, AS WELL AS TO MILLS, MINES, AND CAMPS.

ORDERS RECEIVED AND PROMPTLY FILLED. HIGHEST MARKET RATES PAID FOR COUNTRY PRODUCE. SALESMEN ARE ATTENTIVE, POLITE AND OBLIGING.

CALL, SEE, EXAMINE, AND BE CONVINCED.

BENNETT,
BLATTENBERGER,
& CO.

Osceola Mills, Pa., April 21, 1869. 8-42

### THE CLEARFIELD STORE
RECONSTRUCTED.

George L. Reed.....William Powell,
John F. Weaver.....William W. Betts.

### GEO L REED & CO,
Two doors north of the Court House,
CLEARFIELD, PA.

HAVING returned to our old business stand, we hereby notify the citizens of Clearfield and the public generally, that we have entered upon, and intend to prosecute, a vigorous campaign against high prices and inferior goods, and have now on hand a full supply of all kinds of goods used in this market. In the line of

**Dry Goods,**

We claim to have a full assortment, consisting in part of Muslins, bleached and unbleached; Prints of all grades and styles; and

**Spring & Summer Dress Goods,**

Such as Alpaccas of all shades; De Laines, Merinos and Flannels; besides, a full assortment of gentlemen's wear, consisting in part of

Cloths, Cassimeres,

Satinetts and a full assortment of

READY-MADE CLOTHING.

**Notions, Hosiery, Trimmings,**

BONNETTS, &C.,

**Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes.**

### GROCERIES.

We have a full supply of Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Rice Molasses, Tobacco, Fish, Salt, linseed, coal and fish oils,

**FLOUR, BACON, DRIED FRUIT,**

Sugar-cured Hams, Mess Pork and a full supply of Provisions.

**Hardware and Queensware,**

***Wooden & Willow Ware.***

All the foregoing articles will be exchanged for CASH, LUMBER, or COUNTRY PRODUCE, and at prices to which there can be no exception. Those in need of goods in our line, will please

☞ *CALL AND SEE US!* ☜

GEO. L. REED & CO.

Clearfield, Sept. 17, 1868-tf.

### R. B. TAYLOR'S
### LIME AND COAL YARD,
(Near the Railroad Depot,)
CLEARFIELD, PENN'A.

I EMBRACE this method of informing the public, that I have opened up a yard for the sale of wood or coal-burnt LIME and Anthracite COAL, in the borough of Clearfield, and have completed arrangements with eastern dealers by which I can keep a full supply constantly on hand, which will be disposed of at reasonable rates, by the ton, bushel or car load, to suit purchasers. Those at a distance can address me by letter, and obtain all necessary information by return mail.

R. B. TAYLOR.

Clearfield, Pa., Feb. 24, 1868-tf

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J. C. THOMAS, Agent for Centre and Clearfield counties, Pa.

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### HOLLOWBUSH & CAREY,
BOOKSELLERS,
**Blank Book Manufacturers,**
AND STATIONERS,
218 *Market St., Philadelphia.*

☞ Paper Flour Sacks and Bags, Foolscap, Letter, Note, Wrapping, Curtain and Wall Papers. feb24-1y.

### JOHN M. MELLOY,
MANUFACTURER OF
Plain, Japanned & Stamped Tinware
AND DEALER IN
House Furnishing Goods, Tin Roofing and Conductor Pipes.
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*BANKERS,*
And Dealers in Government Securities.

Application by mail will receive prompt attention, and all information cheerfully furnished. Orders solicited. apr11-tf

### REIZENSTEIN BROS.,
Manufacturers of and Wholesale Dealers in
MEN AND BOYS' CLOTHING,
424 Market & 419 Merchant Street,
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### 1869 SPRING. 1869
### JAMES, KENT, SANTEE & Co.,
Importers and Jobbers of Dry Goods,
Nos. 225, 227, 229 & 241 N. Third St.,
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We are now prepared with our usual extensive and well-assorted stock to offer extra inducements to CASH BUYERS. apr11-tf

### STRETCH, BENNETT & Co.,
(Successors to Peter T. Wright & Co.,)
IMPORTERS OF AND DEALERS IN
DRUGS AND MEDICINES,
ALSO,
Brandies & Wines for Medical purposes.
jel3'67] No. 609 Market St., Philad'a.

### BENSON, CAMPBELL & Co.,
No. 17 N. Fifth St. and 424 Commerce,
PHILADELPHIA, Pa.,
### WHOLESALE GROCERS,
And Commission Merchants,
FOR THE SALE OF
Wool, Ginseng, Fur Skins, Feathers, Leather, Flax Seed, Dried Fruits, Clover Seed, Roots, Deer Skins, Butter, Beeswax, Sheep Skins, Eggs, &c., &c., &c.

CONSIGNMENTS SOLICITED.
Weekly Price-current forwarded on request.
June 11, 1868-2yrpd

DEAFNESS, BLINDNESS & CATARRH treated with the utmost success by Dr. J. ISAACS, M. D., and Professor of Diseases of the Eye and Ear in the Medical College of Pennsylvania, 12 years experience, (formerly of London, Holland,) No. 604 Arch Street, Phila. Testimonials can be seen at his office. The medical faculty are invited to accompany their patients, as he has no secrets in his profession. Artificial eyes inserted without pain. No charge for examination. [jel8-1y.

## Stone Masons.

### MICHAEL BOKE,
MASON AND STONE-CUTTER,
New Washington, Pa.

☞ All kinds of Masonry done, in the most workmanlike manner. Orders solicited, and contracts taken in any part of the county. apr21tf.

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### HUBERT & YOUNG,
### Stone-Cutters & Stone-Masons,

WILL executeall work in their line at moderate prices and in FIRST CLASS style.

Architectural Ornaments

in ALL STYLES, Stone Dressing of every description, and all kinds of mason work contracted for in or out of the county. Any persons wishing to have respectable mason work and stone-cutting done, will find it to their interest to call upon us. We would also inform the public that we can deliver any quantity or class of stone desired, as we are the owners of a

FIRST-CLASS STONE QUARRY.

Orders for work can be addressed either to Clearfield or Lutheraburg.

mar21tf HUBERT & YOUNG.

### LUTHERSBURG POTTERIES
Lutheraburg, Clearfield Co., Pa.

### FARMERS, MECHANICS & DAIRYMEN
Look Here!

THE undersigned is prepared to furnish you with the best STONEWARE manufactured in this country. He has never yet failed to please the most fastidious, as to quality or durability. His ware consists in part of

*CREAM POTS OF ALL SIZES!*
MILK CROCKS AND PANS,
Fruit Cans, (for Canning Fruit,) Safety Tubes,

And in short EVERYTHING usually made and kept in an establishment of this kind.

MERCHANTS

Can have their ware delivered by me, at ANY TIME and to ANY PLACE desired.

Orders for ware solicited, and promptly filled.

☞ For general assortment, see Catalogue and Price List, mailed free to applicants.

☞ A liberal discount will be given to the wholesale trade.

GEO. C. KIRK.

Lutheraburg, Pa., Dec. 2, 1868-tf

RUSH'S St. Dunstan, Hubbell's, Drake's, Hoofland's German, Hostetter's and Greene's Oxygenated Bitters; also pure Liquors, of all kinds for medicinal purposes, for sale by

HARTSWICK & IRWIN.

## Hardware, Tinware, Etc.

### MERRELL & BIGLER,
DEALERS IN
HARDWARE,
Also, Manufacturers of
Tin and Sheet Iron Ware.
CLEARFIELD, PA.

A LOT OF SADDLES, BRIDLES, Harness, Collars, etc., for sale by
MERRELL & BIGLER.

PALMER'S PATENT UNLOADing Hay Forks, for sale by
MERRELL & BIGLER.

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GUNS, PISTOLS, SWORD CANES For sale by
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STOVES, OF ALL SORTS AND Sizes, for sale by
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IRON! IRON! IRON! IRON! For sale by
MERRELL & BIGLER.

HORSE SHOES & HORSE SHOE NAILS, for sale by
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PULLEY BLOCKS, ALL SIZES And best Manufacture, for sale by
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FODDER CUTTERS—for sale by
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### SAWS! SAWS! SAWS!
ATTENTION, LUMBERMEN!

*A REVOLUTION IN SAWS!*

### EMERSON'S
PATENT PERFORARATED
Cross-Cut, Circular and Long Saws,
(ALL GUMMING AVOIDED.)
ALSO,
Emerson's Patent Adjustable Swage,
For Spreading, Sharpening, and Shaping the Teeth of all Splitting Saws.

☞ Send for a Descriptive Circular and Price List. MERRELL & BIGLER,
jan2-tf] General Agents, Clearfield, Pa.

### G. S. FLEGAL,
DEALER IN
STOVES AND HOLLOW-WARE,
AND MANUFACTURER OF
Tin, Copper & Sheet Iron Ware,
Philipsburg, Centre co., Pa.,

THE undersigned respectfully announces to the public that he has on hand a carefully-selected and well assorted stock of Stoves. His variety consists of

THE CELEBRATED IRONSIDES,

Which have never failed to give perfect satisfaction to the most fastidious of its purchasers,

Continental, Lehigh, Farmer, Daylight, Spears' Anti-Dust, Niagara, Charm, Herald, &c., with every variety of the best Pittsburg Manufacture.

☞ The Tin and Sheet Iron ware given with the Stoves is made of the heaviest and best material, and warranted to give perfect satisfaction. His stock of

PARLOR AND HEATING STOVES

Is larger, better and cheaper than ever before exhibited to the public. He defies competition either in variety, quality or price.

He is also prepared to furnish a complete assortment of

Tin, Copper, Sheet-Iron, Wooden and Willow Ware,

Wholesale or retail, manufactured neatly and with the sole view to service, from the best material in the market.

PLOWS, PLOW POINTS, & COPPER, BRASS AND IRON KETTLES,

Of every description constantly on hand.

LIGHTNING RODS,

Superior point, put up on short notice. The Point he offers to the public is the same as is now used by the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., on their buildings.

ORDERS FOR SPOUTING, ROOFING

And other work belonging to his business will be promptly filled by experienced and skillful workmen.

BRASS, COPPER AND OLD METTLE

Taken in exchange for goods.

☞ He especially invites the attention of Merchants wishing to purchase at wholesale, as they will find it to their advantage to examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

G. S. FLEGAL.

Philipsburg, Aug. 4, 1868. jy31'67

### NEW STORE AND NEW GOODS.
JOS. SHAW & SON

Have just opened a

NEW STORE, on Main St., CLEARFIELD, PA., lately occupied by Wm. F. IRWIN.

Their stock consists of

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES of the best quality,

QUEENSWARE, Boots and Shoes,

and every article necessary for one's comfort.

Call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. May 9, 1866-tf.

Trusses and abdominal supports of every kind of the latest improvements, for sale at the Drug Store of HARTSWICK & IRWIN.

THE DEMOCRATIC ALMANAC for 1866 1867 and 1868 for sale at the Post Office. Price 25 cents. Mailed to any address. [jy23-tf

## Medical.

### GOOD HEALTH

Is paramount to wealth. If the system is in bad order purge out the vile humors and dyscrasies with Roback's Blood Pills, and get the internal organs performing their regular functions, and once in order, keep them so by the daily use of Roback's Stomach Bitters.

### DYSPEPSIA.

There is, probably, no one disease with which mankind are afflicted which is the source of so many ailments as Dyspepsia, and there is no more certain cure than Roback's Stomach Bitters.

### A REMARKABLE FACT

That not a single instance has come to the knowledge of the proprietors, of the failure of Roback's Medicines to give entire satisfaction in the hundreds of thousands of cases in which they have been used; this is worthy of remark and undeniable evidence of their intrinsic merits.

### LOUD

Is the praise in the mouths of everybody in favor of Roback's Stomach Bitters, Blood Pills and Blood Purifier.

### IS IT RIGHT

That you should bid defiance to all natural laws and the science of medical men, and suffer with Dyspepsia or Indigestion when Roback's Stomach Bitters can be procured at any drug store?

### THEY WILL CURE YOU

Of Scrofula, Erysipelas, Sick or Nervous Headache, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Consumption, Pain in the Back or Loins, Gout, Pleurisy, Leucorrhœa or Whites, Eruptions and all diseases arising from a disordered state of the stomach, Roback's Blood Pills, Stomach Bitters and Blood Purifier.

### AS A PREVENTIVE

Against Malaria, Fever and Ague, and all diseases, arising from a torpid state of the liver, there is no medicine so highly recommended as Roback's Stomach Bitters.

### GRATIFYING

To know that a reliable remedy is within the reach of everybody for the radical cure of Dyspepsia or Indigestion. Such a remedy is Roback's Stomach Bitters. Sold by all Druggists.

### EVERYBODY

Should keep constantly within their reach, those invaluable remedies to successfully combat disease. Roback's Blood Pills, Roback's Stomach Bitters, and Roback's Blood Purifier, they are infallible in the diseases for which they are recommended.

### NOBODY

Can afford to be without such valuable medicines as Roback's Blood Pills, Stomach Bitters and Blood Purifier.

### TEMPERANCE.

There is, perhaps, no one thing that has done so much to promote the cause of temperance as that gentle stimulating tonic, Roback's Stomach Bitters, they strengthen and invigorate without producing the ill effects of alcoholic stimulants.

### RENOVATE.

During the Spring months it is one of the regular household duties to renovate, and, in the multiplicity of other duties one's own self is, in a great measure, overlooked; thousands of valuable lives might be prolonged, and many doubtless saved from premature graves by thoroughly renovating the system with Dr. Roback's Blood Pills, Stomach Bitters and Blood Purifier.

### WHO SELLS THEM?

The Agents for the sale of Roback's Blood Pills, Stomach Bitters and Blood Purifier are HARTSWICK & IRWIN, Clearfield, Pa. apr21

THE GREAT
### ZINGARI BITTERS.

A safe Blood Purifier, a splendid Tonic, a pleasant Beverage, a certain cure and

Preventive of Diseases.

THE ZINGARI BITTERS are compounded from a prescription of the celebrated Egyptian physician, Dr. Cagnetta, who, after years of trial and experiment, discovered the Zingari Herb—the most remarkable production, the earth, perhaps, has ever yielded—certainly the most effective in the cure of disease. It, in combination with the other valuable properties of which the ZINGARI BITTERS is compposed, will cure—

Dyspepsia, Fever and Ague, Bilious Fever, Chollic, Colds, Bronchitis, Consumption in its first stage, Flatulency, Nervous Debility, Female Complaints, Rheumatism, Dysentery,
Acute and Chronic Diarrhœa, Cholera Morbus, Cholera, Typhoid and Typhus Fever, Yellow Fever, Scrofula, Diseases of the Kidneys, Habitual Costiveness.

In the Prevention and Cure of the above diseases, it has never been known to fail, as thousands of our most prominent citizens throughout all parts of the country, will testify. Let the afflicted send for circular containing testimonials and certificates of those who have been cured after their cases have been pronounced hopeless by our best physicians.

Principal Depot, F. RAHTER & CO.,
No. 6 N. Front St., Philadelphia.

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Hon. Robert J. Fisher, " "
Hon. Edward McPherson, " "
Hon. Joel B. Danner, " "
Hon. Wm. McSherry, " " and others.

☞ Send for Circulars. [feb11-1y.

SWAIM'S PANACEA, Kennedy's Medical Discovery, Helmbold's Buchu, Baker's Cod Liver Oil, Jaynes and Ayer's medicines of every kind, for sale by HARTSWICK & IRWIN.

BUY the DEMOCRATIC ALMANAC. Only 25 cents. Every voter should have one. If

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CLEARFIELD, PA.

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Editor and Proprietor.

### RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

**Methodist Episcopal Church**—Rev. Wm. H. DILL, Pastor.—Public Service every Sabbath, at 10½ A. M., and 7½ P. M.
Sabbath School at 9 A. M.
Prayer Meeting every Thursday, at 7½ P. M.
Communion Service, first Sabbath of every month, at 10½ A. M.

**St. Francis' Church.**—Mass at 10½ o'clock A. M., on the second and fourth Sundays of each month.

For the best styles, at prices to suit the times, go to William Reed & Co.'s.

We learn that a local Normal School will open in Curwensville, on Monday, the 30th of May next, by Prof. W. W. Watson.

Goods ordered by telegraph, received by express, and sold very low for cash or country produce at William Reed's.

The proprietors of the Keystone Store again remind the public of their business, and of the rare bargains they are offering to their customers.

For a nice hat for boy or gent., call at William Reed & Co.'s.

Mr. John McIntire offers his real estate at private sale. This is a desirable property for any one who is disposed to farm and lumber. Read the advertisement in another column.

An efficient agent wanted for Clearfield county, by one of the most popular Life Insurance Companies in the country. Address Daniel Shelley & Son., General Agents Manhattan Life Insurance Company, Harrisburg, Pa.

Buy your fancy goods at William Reed & Co.'s.

THE RAILROAD.—The new time table for the Tyrone & Clearfield Railroad went into effect on Monday. The passenger train will hereafter arrive at our depot at 12:30, p. m., and depart at 2:30, thus giving passengers two hours to transact their business and return; besides, the mail will be delivered one-half hour earlier along the line and west of this place than heretofore. It also gives passengers from the West more time. A person can leave Pennville, Lumber City, Millport, Pennfield and intermediate places after dinner and make the train. We hope it will not be long until the train from the East will arrive here at 11 or 11:30, a. m. This would shove the mail and passengers westward in good style.

REJECTED.—The President has, because of the corrupt practices that have crept into the Bureau of Indian Affairs, determined to hand the Indians over to the Quakers, who have never had an opportunity thus far, under any administration, to treat and cheat the red-skins.

Last week he sent the names of about twenty Friends into the Senate for confirmation, about equally divided between the Orthodox and Hicksite wings of that denomination. Among the names sent in was that of our old and esteemed friend, Zachariah McNaul, of Curwensville, who was to have taken care of the Sac and Fox Indians, but he failed to draw a prize. He was rejected, together with nearly the half of the list sent in. No reason has been assigned by the Senators for this mark of disrespect towards the "government" and the rejected Friends. Oily-gammon Scofield and his cabal must do better than that. There must be no split between them and the government, no difference how low they must get down into the dirt to carry favor those in power.

Better luck next time, "Zac," only a little misunderstanding somewhere.

THE NEW LAW OF TESTIMONY.—We have already stated that a new law, permitting parties interested to testify in civil cases, has been passed. The act is as follows:

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, &c.*, That no interest or policy of law shall exclude a party or person from being a witness in any civil proceeding: *Provided*, This act shall not alter the law as now declared and practised in the courts of this Commonwealth, so as to allow husband and wife to testify against each other, nor counsel to testify to the confidential communication of his client; and this act shall not apply to actions by or against executors, administrators or guardians, nor where the assignor of the thing or contract in action may be dead, excepting in issues and enquiries devisavit vel non and others, respecting the right of such deceased owner, between parties claiming such right by devolution or the death of such owner.

SEC. 2. That a party to the record of any civil proceeding, in law or equity, or a person for whose immediate benefit such proceeding is prosecuted or defended, may be examined as if under cross-examination, at the instance of the adverse party, or any of them, and for that purpose may be compelled in the same manner, and subject to the same rules for examination as any other witness, to testify; but the party calling for such examination shall not be excluded thereby, but may rebut it by counter testimony.

SEC. 3. That the testimony of witnesses authorized by this act may be had by depositions or commission issued, as the case may require, with such notice to the party to be examined, and to the adverse party, as is now or may hereafter be prescribed by the rules of the proper court, touching the taking of depositions and testimony and commission.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved the fifteenth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JOHN W. GEARY.

Parker, the new Commissioner of Indian Affairs, has commenced to brandish his tomahawk and scalping knife with great vigor. He has just taken off the head of Mr. Mix, who has been chief clerk of the Indian Bureau for thirty years. No mixing with the bibulous Parker.

Hon. I. B. Gara, Deputy Secretary of the Commonwealth, has been nominated and confirmed as Postmaster of the city of Erie. This is the man who issued the commission in the celegrated Fort Delaware election fraud case "Verily, he hath his reward."

## Local Family in the North of Europe.

The letters of Irregular from Finland have spoken of the prospects of famine in the countries near the Baltic Sea. Accounts now reach us that are truly appalling, and the evident helplessness of the case renders it doubly distressing. We were told in Finland that the crops had failed for several successive years, that the people in the interior were eking out their lives by consuming everything from which any support could be drawn, even the bark of trees, and that another failure of crops would be the utter ruin of thousands. We find in the *World* a statement that the worst fears are made real, and dire famine, with all its horrors, is now reigning there. The same report comes from Finland, Livonia, Esthonia and Courland, from the shores of the Gulf of Bothnia and Lake Peipus, from the lowlands of Poland, and from the densely peopled towns along the Baltic coast. There is no second corn to be had for the crop of this year; bread, having long been obtainable at famine prices, has now become unobtainable at any price; pestilence has made its appearance, and is adding its horrors to the overflowing cup of misery pressed to the lips of the stricken people of those unhappy lands. Here is a picture of the scene as described by a writer at St Petersburg: "Fields lying waste; villages depopulated; private houses turned into hospitals; fever-parched skeletons tottering from the doors of overcrowded places of refuge; children wandering over the country in gaunt and squalid nakedness; crowds of men, driven to desperation by long misery and ripe for any outrage, roaming the streets night and day." There is no exaggeration in this fearful description; it is only too well supported by official accounts transmitted to St. Petersburg from the afflicted regions.

In Esthonia, Livonia and Courland, three provinces of vast extent, there is a population of 1,804,435 souls; in Finland, where there are immense tracts of barren and irreclaimable soil, there is a population of 1,766,000. These countries are reached but by a single line of railroad, and the greater portions of them are almost as inaccessible as are the mountains of Abyssinnia. The soil is thin and rocky and wretchedly cultivated, and the people are never secure from the terrible evils that are now exterminating them. A letter from one of the central districts of Esthonia says that the distress this year is sorer than ever. The harvest of 1867 was a bad one; but there was a little corn stored up, and there was hope of relief in 1868. But no relief came. On the contrary, from the 23d of May to the 18th of August, last year, no rain fell, and the summer crops were scorched up. Bread can now be scarcely got, even at the most exorbitant prices, and, as the roads are impassable by reason of the extraordinary wet winter, no help from abroad can reach the people. The debilitated condition of the people, and their herding together in the larger villages in the hope of getting food and shelter, has engendered disease, which is making fearful ravages. "All heart for work is gone out of the peasants," says this letter; "their once fresh and hopeful faces show only the blankness of despair. Children are deserting their parents, parents their children; some wander about the country, begging and plundering; others flock into the town to swell the aggregate of want and misery already gathered there, and perish in scores by famine and disease. Crowds have to be turned away for want of means to supply their need, and their imploring faces haunt me night and day."

The inhabitants of St. Petersburg and Moscow, as well as the government, are doing what they can to alleviate this distress; but the difficulty of reaching the sufferers is so great, and the transportation of supplies to them is attended with so much loss of time, that it is feared they will be relieved by death before the assistance provided for them can arrive.—*N. Y. Observer.*

## Too Much of the Nigger.

Clay, the aristocratic "gemmen of color" of New Orleans, appointed Minister to Liberia, and Professor Bassett, (colored) of Philadelphia, appointed Minister to Hayti, have each declined the honor. This is so very curious, that most people will ask why have these blacks declined these high official distinctions? We suspect that the true reasons are that they prefer to stay among white people; that they recoil from the idea of living in a community where there is nothing but niggers; that for Clay there is too much of the nigger in Liberia, and for Bassett too much of the nigger in Hayti. Even in the old slavery times, between slavery with all its drawbacks in the United States, and freedom with all its advantages in Liberia, there were many blacks who declined Liberia for this simple reason: "Don't want to go, massa, where dere's nuffin but niggers." Besides, in sending the black man Clay, for instance, to the black government of Liberia, Clay may think, after all it is only putting me on a level with the nigger. The mission to England would be a different thing. The United States nigger is as good as a white man, and must not, therefore, be picked out as a nigger for Hayti and Liberia.—*Exchange.*

The N. Y. *Independent* now asserts that the friends of the Philadelphia negro, Bassett, cheated Fred. Douglass out of the nomination to Hayti, and "*borrowed some of the meanest arts of whiter men in order to deceive the government.*" It it thus plain that we are to gain nothing by being governed by negroes; they are *not* better than white men. Justice to our Philadelphia negro requires us to add that the authority for the above statement is a letter written by Douglass to the editor of the *Independent*, "not intended for publication;" of course not; letters to editors never are.—*Age*

"LET US HAVE PEACE"—Mister Grant, for the six months prior to his nomination, and up to the hour of his inauguration, wound up his laconic speeches with the sublime peroration, "let us have peace." The truth and purity of this prayer may be inferred, when it is known that since he has fairly seated himself in the White House, his political backers have plotted trouble with England and trouble with Spain; but never a word more have we heard from Mister Grant of "let us have peace." On the contrary his political notes now on the breeze are, "let us have war."

"A man can't help what is done behind his back," as the scamp said when he was kicked out of doors.

## Cuba—The Forthcoming Proclamation from Washington.

Events are evidently culminating, both in this country and in Cuba, which will call from the administration of President Grant at an early day a proclamation of our status on the Cuban question. The revolution in Cuba is too patent and the movements of its friends in this country are too active to render silence much longer possible. In this condition of things it is well for us to look at the record. The experience of the past will, if rightly accepted, afford us valuable light for our future course. Proclamations affecting the Cuban question have been issued by two previous administrations—that of Gen. Taylor on the 14th of April, 1849, and that of Mr. Fillmore on the 25th of April, 1851. The first of these was issued a short time previous to the sailing of the first Lopez expedition, and is a calm and dignified State document. Cuba was at this time in peaceful subjection to the Crown of Spain, and General Taylor's sets forth in moderate terms the fact that persons undertaking to make war against the territory of a friendly Power will "subject themselves to the heavy penalty denounced against them by our acts of Congress, and will forfeit their claims to the protection of their country."

The proclamation of Mr. Fillmore was issued on the occasion of the preparations for Lopez's second expedition to Cuba, and is remarkable for the antagonistic feeling which it breathes against the general tone of American thought, and which at the time caused universal censure in public and in private circles. We give the introductory portion of this curious document as a landmark in statecraft. If it had been prepared by a Spanish satrap it could not have echoed more perfectly the views of Spanish colonial despotism:—

Whereas there is reason to believe that a military expedition is about to be fitted out in the United States with intention to invade the Island of Cuba, a colony of Spain, with which this country is at peace; and whereas it is believed that this expedition is instigated and set on foot chiefly by foreigners who dare to make our shores the scene of their guilty and hostile preparations against a friendly Power, and seek by falsehood and misrepresentation to seduce our own citizens, especially the young and inconsiderate, into their wicked schemes—an ungrateful return for the benefits conferred upon them by this people in permitting them to make our country an asylum from oppression, and in flagrant abuse of the hospitality thus extended to them; and whereas such expeditions can only be regarded as adventures for plunder and robbery, and must meet the condemnation of the civilized world, while they are derogatory to the character of our country, in violation of the laws of nations and expressly prohibited by our own; now, therefore, &c.

This document is the last that has emanated from an American Administration. Its chief peculiarity consists in its rejection of that political hospitality which is the boast and pride of every land where the English tongue is spoken, and in branding as "adventurous for plunder and robbery, who must meet the condemnation of the civilized world," of that glorious list of names led by Lafayette and which includes a Dundonald and a Porter, an O'Higgins and a De Lacy Evans.

What the views of President Grant are at this time with reference to this rebellion is not definitely known at this period.

## Revolution and Rottenness in Mexico.

It will be seen that the report we gave some time since of an intention to establish the new republic of the Occident in Northwestern Mexico is confirmed. Gen. Vega has declared the independence of Sonora, dismissed the custom house officers of the general government, and the revolution is reported to be spreading.

Our City of Mexico correspondence is to the 29th of March. It represents the country to be still in a disturbed condition. Sinaloa is torn by rival factions, and a general reign of disorder marks the period. The Mazatlan custom house is in the hands of a set of hungry officials, who are filling their pockets at the expense of the public treasury and credit. Tamaulipas is in its usual state of commotion. The wise measures of the butcher of San Jacin