The Republican.

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CLEARFIELD, PA.

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Democratic County Ticket.

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OF CLEARFIELD.

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OF CLEARFIELD.

CORONER,
GEORGE THORN,
OF CLEARFIELD.

Dr. Boyer's Letter.

As we have since learned, some time after the Presidential election, last fall, a number of Democrats in Beccaria township addressed a note to Dr. Boyer, requesting him to give them his views upon the situation of affairs. The letter on our first page is his answer to their request. Some time in April these parties mailed us the letter and requested us to publish it. We informed the parties that it would not be in order to publish it until after the primary election, as the motives of all might be misconstrued. The following letter is in answer to our note:

GLEN HOPE, May 12, 1873.

G. B. GOODLANDER, Esq.

Dear Sir: Your explanation and refusal to publish Dr. Boyer's letter at this time is perfectly satisfactory to us. We did not think of the effect it might have on the coming primary election and the feelings of rival candidates. We only saw in it a sermon, based on sound Democratic doctrine, and we felt as though our friends all over the county should have the opportunity of reading it. That was our only motive. We respectfully request you to publish the letter soon after the primary election is over. Truly your friends,

SAMUEL H. HINDMAN, et al.

Hash.

We notice that the editors of those independent journals—the *Times* and the *Reveille*—have dedicated their respective editorial columns to the professional political hash-dealers—writers who have less regard for truth and fair dealing than falsehood and strategy, and possess the manly art of saying everything under an assumed name. Every primary election in this or any other county annually breeds a host of these self-same patriotic malcontents, who resort to the method indicated to correct all wrongs, whether real or imaginary. As such these scribblers never were a success. However, this class always did and always will exist, and the newspaper editor who assists them will not control the columns of his journal long if he continues to bait them. Those hash-dealers generally possess varied talents. They will not confine themselves to political hash only, but they will soon learn to prepare social, and business, and even religious hash dishes. They discover wrong everywhere and make huge efforts to cure and rectify everything. Our twelve years' experience teaches us that they do a thousand fold more harm than good. Besides, the columns of a newspaper are *not* the proper channels through which to retail either religious, political, social or business hash. Such is our judgment on that point.

Highly Proper.

The editors of the Norristown *Register* and the *Defender*, the two Democratic organs of Montgomery county, have kept up a family fight for several years, and thereby greatly disorganized the party. The Democratic Executive Committee took the matter in hand last spring and unanimously adopted a resolution denouncing the course of the papers and called upon them to change their policy and stop the quarrel. The editor of the *Defender* has obeyed like a man, but the editor of the *Register* persists like a dog. Last week the county committee met and passed the following:

Resolved, That the Standing Committee censure Dr. E. L. Acker for not complying with the request of the Executive Committee, made under the authority of the Standing Committee.

If the Doctor does not stop now it becomes the duty of every good Democrat in Montgomery county to plumply tell him to "dry up."

Gov. Hartranft made a raid into Centre county, last week, *via* Lewistown and Potter's Mills, to take a look at the Agricultural College. The *Wathchman* says the Radical flunkies at the Mills were wonderfully elated over the fact that they had the privilege of greasing the Governor's buggy. His Excellency seems to have a good deal of leisure time, from the way he is tramping over the State. His predecessors were always kept busy at the Capital. Well, they were "old fogies," anyhow. They never know how to "kill time" or exhibit themselves to the public.

It gives us pleasure to notice that the Democrats of old Northumberland have unanimously instructed for Hon. A. H. Dill, of Union county, for State Senator. It looks now as though Mr. Dill would be the unanimous choice of the Democracy of the XVIIth district. This is a Radical district, but with Mr. Dill as our candidate we can tally one on our side.

Hon. Wm. A. Wallace, the New Vice President of the Texas Pacific Railroad.

Such is the caption of an article which we find in a late number of the Dallas (Texas) Daily *Herald*. The writer says:

The Hon. William A. Wallace, of Pennsylvania, having recently been chosen Vice President of the Texas Pacific Railroad, our citizens will no doubt be interested in a more particular introduction. The writer has enjoyed the personal acquaintance of Mr. Wallace for nearly twenty years, and having been raised in an adjoining county, is fully acquainted with his history.

Mr. Wallace is now about forty-five years of age, having been born and brought up in the geographical center of the Keystone State, under the vigorous influences of the pure atmosphere and romantic mountain scenery of that beautiful region. As his name would indicate, he is of Scotch descent, and possesses many of the marked characteristics of that people.

His home is in Clearfield county, the home also of ex Governor William Bigler, with whom he has always been on the most intimate terms, both socially and politically.

By his own energies Mr. Wallace had, many years ago, while yet in early manhood, carved his way to the head of the bar in his native State, and has long enjoyed a large and lucrative practice. For six years he was a member of the State Senate, where he exerted a controlling influence, and being elected Speaker of that body, presided over its deliberations with unusual ability and universal satisfaction.

By nature and education, Mr. Wallace is a Democrat of the olden school, and has always been active and earnest in contending for a strict construction of the Federal Constitution and the sovereignty of the States over their local and domestic affairs. During all the contests of the active period through which he has lived, he has never swerved nor wavered, and the masses of the Democratic party in his native State look to him in confidence as their able, faithful and incorruptible leader. For a number of years he was Chairman of the State Executive Committee of the Democratic party, and did all that could be done in the face of power, money and corruption to redeem the old commonwealth from Radical misrule.

Notwithstanding that the duties of his busy life have brought him in contact, one way or another, with most of the great financial schemes of the country, his integrity as a citizen, lawyer and legislator is unimpeached. For activity, energy and perseverance, he does entire justice to his Scotch blood, and the construction of our important highway to the Pacific coast being to a great extent placed under his personal management, is an additional guarantee, coupled with the name of Tom Scott, of its early completion. Wallace, like Scott, never fails.

The writer may have been "raised in an adjoining county," but he has evidently forgotten much or states the facts very confusedly, and we desire to correct him on some points, so that our fellow citizen's public life may be correctly understood in the far off southwest, where highly important business connections have drawn him for the present.

Instead of serving six years in the State Senate, he has served twelve, and has one year more of his fourth term to serve. He was twice our nominee for United States Senator. He was four years Chairman of the Democratic State Executive Committee—twice elected against his will. On one of the occasions we were a delegate to the State Convention, and for the purpose of indicating the zeal of the members of the Convention for him for this position, we must be allowed to relate the following incident: Shortly before the Convention assembled it leaked out that Mr. Wallace had placed his declination in our hands and authorized us to withdraw his name should it be brought before the body. Soon we were beset by at least a score of delegates, importuning us not to carry out his request. He was nominated. As we arose to withdraw his name two or three of the delegates—Congressman-like—caught us and chucked us down behind the desk, and before we could regain our feet Mr. Wallace was re elected and we were very properly ruled "out of order" for insisting on our motion.

He was also Chairman of the Pennsylvania delegation to the late Baltimore Convention, and at two different periods he was urged to accept the Gubernatorial nomination, and had he consented he would have received it without difficulty.

We are thus particular from the fact that Mr. Wallace has entered an entire new field, and he, no doubt, like everybody else, would rather be reported correctly than otherwise, if reported at all.

QUITE A PUFF.—Nearly all our Radical exchanges contain the following:

William J. Ovens, who was tried for the murder of Colonel Riddle, a few years ago, and who claimed to have been selected by the Republicans in the Fourth District of Philadelphia, as their candidate for the Legislature, has been declared *not* entitled to the nomination, and the same has been awarded to Mr. Harry O'Neil, his competitor at the primaries. The decision of the City Executive Committee will give to all all honest and law abiding men in the State unbounded satisfaction.

We happen to know Ovens. He was elected Sergeant-at-Arms at Harrisburg two years ago, after he had murdered Col. Riddle, and he is just as good now as he was then. Besides, he is a standard Philadelphia Radical, and his loyal brethern had to pay him $15,000 to get him off the ticket. Ovens had two votes to O'Neil's one, but he had to come off for fear that some of the refined members of the party would not vote the ticket while the ex-Sergeant-at-Arms was on it.

TEXAS.—A number of famed literary agriculturists are now interviewing the State of Texas. Chief among them are Brick Pomeroy, Fuller of the New York *Sun*, Williams of the *Independent*, Willard of the *Rural New Yorker*, Clift of the *Country Gentleman*, and T. M. of the Philadelphia *Press*. These literary farmers will no doubt make an impression upon the soil and products of that famed "Lone Star" State, which is now being populated faster than any other State in the Union and in ten years will contain inhabitants enough to found an Empire. Nearly all the internal improvements within the State are now controlled by Scott, Wallace, Fremont and Grow, three of whom are Pennsylvanians, and within five years will have a complete network of railroads span the State, north, south, east and west.

Portland, Oregon, was visited by a disastrous fire on the 3d inst. Twelve blocks of buildings were destroyed in the principal part of the city. The loss is estimated at near two million dollars. The insurance is light.

"The Court House Ring."

This association only exists in the imagination of hypochondriacs and brainless politicians. To us the organization is a myth, and were it not for the fact that we occasionally hear a sensible man declaim against it, we should not notice the cant and bolderdash put forth by the chief Modoc who presides at all Radical feasts in this county, and the political growler who must have his growl and the political bushwhacker his occupation.—For to spend time in producing proofs for the purpose of convincing all such, would be as unprofitable and ridiculous as to cast pearls before swine.—However, if some one not thus constitutionally afflicted will furnish us with the names of the members of "the ring," and at the same time point out to us what he considers a grievance, we will spend some time in looking up facts and lay them before our readers. And if we find the "ringsters" to be worse men than their accusers, and guilty of conduct unbecoming sound Democrats, we will help to thrash them "naked through the world."

We despise "rings," whether in politics, business or the social circle. They are anti-Democratic and productive of evil only. We would be almost willing to break our neck, and become a martyr, provided we could assist in breaking a few of them to pieces, should it be established that any such exist in or about the Court House.

Here is a rare chance for some enterprising individual to gather FACTS and we will publish them for the benefit of the public.

The Carlisle *Herald* estimates that R. W. Mackey will have 100 votes in the Republican State Convention on the first ballot.—*Exchange.*

The editor of the *Herald*, Weakly knows, because he is a member of Mackey's family.

It is announced that President Grant will pay another visit to Washington by Thursday or Friday, if there is no horse race on either of these days at Long Branch.

"The Acme of Fraud."

The N. Y. *Sun* of Saturday prints several columns from its Washington correspondent explaining how the Central Pacific Ring has succeed in outdoing the Credit Mobilier, and in gobling $211,299,328.17. The correspondent is of the opinion that a thorough and uncompromising investigation into the affairs of the Central Pacific Railroad of California would disclose still more startling facts—would result in the exposure of a still grander sheme of corruption, and bring to grief a still greater number of public men who sold their souls for a share in the profits of the Credit Mobilier of the Pacific coast. The *Sun* thus comments editorially:

AND STILL ANOTHER!

We print to-day an account derived from the most authentic sources of the operations of the Central Pacific Ring. This revelation cannot fail to astound the public even in these days of wide-spread-corruption and wrong doing. If the charges made by the Supervisors of Placer county can be sustained, it is evident that the gentlemen of the Credit Mobilier were novices when compared with Stanford, Huntington, and their colleagues of the Contract and Finance Company.

This company, indeed, seems to be not the twin brother, but the elder, and much the bigger brother of the Credit Mobilier. That the allegations set forth by the plaintiffs in the Placer county suit can be to a very great extent established by legal evidence there can be little doubt. It is but a few days since "Mr. Huntington and his associates" were negotiating to sell four-fifths of the great Central Pacific railroad, while the enormous wealth they have so suddenly and mysteriously acquired affords other evidence to support the charges made against them.

We have long been satisfied that the Contract and Finance Company was a greater fraud than the Credit Mobilier; and we have repeatedly called the attention of the Congressional Committee charged with the investigation of Central Pacific railroad affairs to the peculiar character of the company, and of its operations. Hitherto little notice has been taken of Central Pacific affairs, as the company has its agent in very confidential relations with the White House, and has powerful friends in both branches of Congress. Now, we are under the impression that the institution will receive the attention it deserves.

It is charged that vast sums of money have been used by Huntington and his confederates to influence legislation. This will be no surprise to those who are familiar with the secret springs which too often are brought into play in order to secure desired ends in Congress. No Oakes Ames has yet appeared with a memorandum book to show where shares were placed to do the most good; but then without such aid it may not be impossible to follow the trail of the corruptionists. Indeed, it is not likely there will be any difficulty in the matter.

What are we coming to? Is there no longer any regard for the principles of honesty and virtue in this land? It would almost seem that such was the situation when we see men who are leaders in religious organizations and in honest business enterpises laboring to uphold an Administration which is permeated through and through with corruption as rank as that disclosed on unveiling the secrets of the Credit Mobilier and Contract and Finance Company!

BLOODED STOCK.—Business in some of our border territories seems to be conducted by the educated and refined only. A Colorado correspondent of the St. Louis *Globe* writes: "Our butcher is a graduate of Yale; one of the gentlemen working in the printing office is a graduate of Cambridge and a winner of the Bishop's medal for proficiency in the classics; a ranchman near here is the son of a General in the British army, and a near relative of George Stevenson, of railroad fame. Four other ranchmen are the four sons of a former Governor of Bengal, who is still very wealthy. Two are the sons of an eminent London banker.—A graduate of one of the Universities manages a dairy, and attends to most of the milking personally."

Don't Pay Taxes.

As the Greensburg *Herald* insists that the good people of Westmoreland county pay no taxes to the general government save upon whisky and tobacco, we are forced to the conclusion that the fashions have changed somewhat in that sound Democratic county; for we would not for a single moment suspect the *Herald* to be ignorant or to be desirous of imposing upon its readers. As stockings are taxed 96 per cent., and hats 100 per cent., we are compelled out of a sincere faith in the *Herald's* accuracy, to believe that all Westmoreland abstains from indulging in those useful articles—formerly regarded down there, as we well know, as matters of prime necessity. Has his wife and all her sex abandoned delaine and poplin?—We presume so, for one pays 82 per cent. and the other 61. Have balmoral skirts been abaddoned—for they are taxed 93 per cent.

Then can it be possible that carpets are *tabooed* at 54 per cent. and have all the boys dispensed with pocket knives, which pay 45 per cent.? Do they take their tea and coffe without the sugar which pay 38 per cent.?—And how about soap which pays 40 per cent.? Are hoes and shovels all out of fashion all over the country, so that no man pays his 33 per cent. tax upon those useful articles, and have the ladies found a substitute for spool cotton and thus avoided the 75 per cent. tax? Are herath rugs no more paying 45 per cent.? And has no future Washington his little satchel, which pays 42 per cent? Has 86 per cent. for rice driven it from their tables, or is it the 40 per cent. upon the dish in which it is served up; or may be it is on account of the 36 per cent. upon the glass, which holds the cream ready to be poured upon it. Do you defy the rheumatism because flannel pays over 50 per cent., as also do blankets? You cannot bore a hole or mortise a piece of wood without you use a gimlet or a chisel, either of which is taxed 40 per cent.; and even if delaine and poplin have gone out of fashion the women cannot resort to calico without being taxed 61 per cent. Why the very shirt upon the back of the editor was paying 50 per cent., while he wrote his jollification over an exclusive tax upon whisky and tobacco.

These taxes are the why you pay so much for all the articles in question. The government uses your storekeepers as collectors—not to pay the government but to reimburse themselves. Uncle Sam has taken good care to secure his per centage before the goods have got into the hands of the country dealers, and the readers of the *Herald* are not taxed to pay the government percentage but also the storekeepers' percentage of profit upon the tax. Don't pay taxes, don't you, why the people at Washington city look upon the whole kit of us as only useful in so far as we pay taxes, and dont inquire into the way in which the high and mighty ones take those taxes to double their own salaries.—*Pittsburgh Post.*

Fight Between a Man and Shark.

BALTIMORE, July 30.—Yesterday morning, while a party of fishermen were hauling in a seine in Chester river, just opposite the mouth of Gravsinn's creek, they noticed that there was a number of monstrous fish in the seine, and they at once started towards the shore for the purpose of securing them. On nearing the land they found that the sea weeds were in such profusion that it would be impossible to land the net, and as the water where they were was only about waist deep, two of the party, James Green and James McCann, both of this city, jumped overboard and began taking up the seine, while the rest of the party pulled it into a yawl. Nearly one-half of the seine had been taken in, when suddenly the water was lashed to a foam by what seemed to be a school of large fish. The men became excited, and Green waded out several yards for the purpose of holding the net down to the bottom. Just as he took hold of it, his left leg was seized by a shark, and he was dragged under the water, where a terrible struggle ensued by the man and the shark. Green's companions were so frightened that they stood still for some time, and gazed with horror on the terrible scene. In a few moments Green came to the surface and uttered a cry for help. This roused his friends, and they went to his assistance, when the shark retreated farther into the depths of the seine. Green was taken into the boat, when he became insensible, and remained so for some time. The shark had caught the calf of his left leg and completely stripped the flesh from the bones from above the knee down to the foot. He was bleeding profusely from several of the larger arteries that had been severed.—Mr. McCann know enough about surgery to bind a handkerchief tight around the mangled limb, and prevented his bleeding to death. The wounded man was brought to this city yesterday afternoon.

Dana's Triumph.

The Pittsburgh *Leader* is one of the few Radical journals which entertains correct views in relation to the freedom of the press. In alluding to Mr. Dana's triumph, the editor of that journal says:

Our foolish brethren of the city press are pretty much all growling because Dana, of the *Sun*, has succeeded in defeating the efforts of the Washington city official "ring" to drag him over to the District for trial for libel. Cannot these foolish brethren see that in this matter, however wicked and unscrupulous he has been in other matters, Dana has fought a good fight, and gained a good victory, not only for himself, but the whole American press? If the principle were once established that any editor in the United States could be hauled to Washington to be tried by a Washington jury before a Washington court for words spoken against Washington or government officials—then goodbye to the freedom of the press. For the people, and court and juries of Washington all *live* off the powers that be there, and are subservient to their interests. They would certainly convict any editor brought before them from a distance, for words disrespectful to their superiors. Though Dana, in writing up the recklessness and corruption of the "improvement" rings of Washington which no Washington paper dare write up, has probably told the simple truth, he would surely be convicted of libel should he be forced to go there for trial. We glory in his victory, and in Judge Blatchford's decision which gave it to him.

Hon. William Elwell, of Columbia county, is spoken of in connection with the Democratic nomination for Supreme Judge.

Compon News.

Hon. A. G. Curtin and lady will spend some days at Saratoga springs.

The Modoc murderers have been found guilty, and sentenced to be hanged, and the proceedings have been sent to Washington for approval.

Very little difference between a penknife and a Congressman. One has a steel back and the other "a back steal," that's all.

James Fisk, father of the late "Prince of Erie," is making a tour of Wisconsin cities, engaged in the sale of a patent carpet tack.

A Lawrence, Me., girl was going to sue a false-hearted lover for breach of promise, but she agreed to compromise the matter for $61 and a new switch.

It is now claimed that the process of manufacturing Russia sheet iron was invented about three years since by one Geo. Atkins, at Sharon, Mercer county, Pa.

Judge Hopkins, of Georgia, has declared the pardon granted by Gov. Conlay, to Foster Blodgett, null and void, because it was issued before conviction.

The New York *Tribune* makes the rather sweeping statement that "in this country the man who advertises for a wife is always a thief, and the woman who answers is usually his congenial mate."

Senator Morton addressed the citizens of Leavenworth on the evening of the 21st. He never referred to the Credit Mobilier or back pay questions, which most interest the people at this time.

There is a complaint that there are a great many sharpers at Long Branch and visitors are put on their guard against them. We always knew that where so many politicians congregate there would naturally be a great number of sharpers.

John M'Bride, the second victim of Nelson E. Wade, the Lycoming county assassin, died on Sunday. On Saturday Wade was informed that McBride was still alive, when he remarked, "Well, he's a good liver."

Says the Springfield *Republican*: "The omissions continue. Looking over the resolutions of the Minnesota Republican Convention, we find that it failed to "indorse" General Grant, or pay a single compliment to his administration. Maine, Iowa, Minnesota—what does it mean?"

There is an old saying that misfortune never comes singly. The Republicans in the West are realizing this fact. Their party is disrupted by the farmers' "granges," and now comes the report from Chicago that the Germans are refusing to support the party on account of its bigotry.

The N. Y. *Sun* tells us that "there is some needless discussion as to whether the back-pay grab was a Republican or Democratic measure. It was neither. It was Grant's measure, originated and fostered by him and carried through by his tool, Benjamin F. Butler." It could never have been passed by Democrats—they didn't have enough votes in either House.

And now that harmless and much abused Radical Senator from Oregon, John Mitchell Hipple, petitions an Oregon Court to change his name.—His reasons given are remarkably thin, and in all probability never would have seen daylight, if his pranks had remained undiscovered. He is anxious to hold on as Senator, and evidently supposes that a certificate from Oregon to the effect that he is a Mitchell will assist him.

The New "Corn-Planter."

That Senator Simon Cameron, of Pennsylvania, is what is generally known as a man of sense, shrewd, worldly calculating sense, we take for granted is the truth. He has been a great success, and unless his friend General Butler should be made Governor of Massachusetts, enjoys the distinction of being the one man who governs, without a rival, a Commonwealth by corruption. This is our tribute to the Cameronian intelligence, but until we read it in the Administration *Times*—very kindly disposed to the Pennsylvania Senator—we did not know that he was a man of sentiment. We are, we confess, a little of Sir Peter Teazle's opinion as to the unctuous, oily sentimentality. But Cameronian "sentiments" are not of that nature. There is no Joseph Surface about it. He does his sentimentalism in a rough, masculine, rather brutal way. It is the butcher who puts flowers on the steer's horns just before slaughter. The facts whence we make this deduction are these. It seems that Cameron, while he was Mr. Lincoln's War Minister (which, by the way, was not very long), made a vow that he would one day plant corn in the streets of Charleston.—General Halleck we know recommended "salt," but Cameron, being of an agricultural and frugal nature, vowed "corn," and it seems he has kept his vow, for we read that he lately told the reporter of a Lancaster Radical newspaper: "I did not forget that resolution, and when our troops gained possession of that seditious city I went there, planted the corn with my own hands in one of the streets, engaged a man to attend to it and cultivate it, and to this day I preserve the fruit of that crop in my Cabinet at home."—There has been a good deal of bad historical painting connected with the rebellion—Mr. Lincoln's emancipation proclamation, and T. B. Read's snorting steed of Sheridan, and Rothermel's Gettysburg which General Meade laughed at, and by which Philadelphia proposes to punish visitors to the Centennial—but what limner, what Trumbull of to-day, could find a nobler or more touching incident than Cameron planting corn in Charleston?—*N. Y. World.*

VIRGINIA NOMINATIONS.—The Republican State Convention of Virvginia met at Lynchburg on the 20th ult.—Col. R. W. Hughes, having no opposition, was nominated for Governor, and, notwithstanding he is the favorite of Grant, will be badly beaten, for the Conservative-Democratic strength in the Old Dominion cannot be overcome, even by official patronage. Hughes was a bitter and prominent Rebel; but, then, he had the sagacity to turn over to Republicanism somewhat earlier than Mosby and Wise did—hence that branch of worthies will have to take back seats in the Radical synagogue, at least for the present. The important question now to be determined by Virginia Radicals is, will Mosby and Wise support Hughes—belt Radicalism wholesale, or will they turn tail upon their new negro allies, and try to sneak back into their old Democratic quarters?—We don't think the Democratic Conservatives want them, for their leave taking was a good riddance.

New Advertisements.

AN ORDINANCE.—Be it ordained by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Clearfield: That from and after the passage of this ordinance, it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to place any sticks, paper, coal ashes, cinder, tin cans, manure or any kind of offals or debris, whatsoever, in any of the streets or public alleys in said borough, and every person so offending shall forfeit and pay into the borough treasury, for the first offence, the sum of five dollars, and for the second and each and every subsequent offence, the sum of ten dollars, and to be personally liable for any and all damages done to persons or property, the consequence of any such obstructions so placed in said streets and alleys as aforesaid.

A. C. TATE, Burgess.
Aug. 6, 1873-3t E. C. JOHNSON, Sec'y.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of PETER M. SMITH, deceased, late of Bell township, Clearfield county, Penn'a., having been duly granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands will present them properly authenticated for settlement without delay.

JOHN C. CONNOR,
aug6-6t. Administrator.

FREDONIA WAGONS & BUGGIES.—Persons wanting first-class Wagons and Buggies should call on J. SHAW & SON, Clearfield, Pa., who have a large number of Fredonia Wagons and Buggies constantly on hand. They are the best manufactured. aug6-3t

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.—An examination for teachers, for the school year of 1873, will be held for each of the several districts in Clearfield county as follows:

Bradford and Bradford Independent, at Williamsgrove, Monday, August 25.
Boggs and Wallaceton, at Wallaceton, Tuesday, August 26.
Beccaria and Ceoola, at Ceoola, Wednesday, August 27.
Woodward and Houtzdale, at Thomas Henderson's, Thursday, August 28.
Gulich, at Janesville, Friday, August 29.
Beccaria, at Glen Hope, Saturday, August 30.
Jordon, at Anconville, Monday, September 1.
Knox, at New Millport, Tuesday, September 2.
Penn, Ferguson and Lumber City, at Lumber City, Wednesday, September 3.
Pike, Bridgport Independent and Curwensville, at Curwensville, Thursday, September 4.
Lawrence, Lawrence Independent and Clearfield, at Clearfield, Saturday, September 6.
Union, at Rockton, Monday, September 8.
Brady and Bloom, at Luthersburg, Tuesday, September 9.
Bell, at Bower, Thursday, September 11.
Burnside, at Burnside, Friday, September 12.
Chest and New Washington, at New Washington, Saturday, September 13.
Karthaus, at Salt Lick, Tuesday, September 16.
Covington, at Mulsonburg, Wednesday, September 17.
Girard, at Congress Hill, Thursday, Sept. 18.
Goshen, at Shawsville, Friday, September 19.
Huston, at Penafield, Saturday, September 20.
Morris, Kylertown, Tuesday, September 23.
Graham, at Grahamton, Wednesday, Sept. 24.

Examinations to begin at 8 o'clock, a. m.

Teachers are expected to be examined only in the district where they intend teaching. An educational meeting will be held after each examination; when the subjects of school and district reports, district and county institutes, and methods for improving our schools, will be discussed. The presence of the directors, at these meetings, is indispensable.

J. A. GREGORY,
Aug. 6, 1873-3t. Co. Sup't.

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PUBLIC SALE.—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Clearfield county, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of John Orr, dec'd., late of Lawrence township, will sell at public sale, on the premises, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 28TH, 1873,

the following real estate: All that certain piece or lot of ground, situate in Lawrence township, county aforesaid and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a post on bank of Montgomery creek; thence up said stream north 37 degrees west 9 7-10 perches, north 28 degrees east 11 perches, north 23¼ degrees west 3 perches, north 40 degrees west 4 perches, north 82 degrees west 4 perches to a post on line of land of McPherson Brothers; thence by lands of McPherson Brothers south 3¼ degrees west 61 perches to a post; thence by lands formerly of G. D. Goodfellow south 86¼ degrees east 15 1-10 perches to a post, north 3¼ degrees east 7 6-10 perches to a post on a road; thence by road north 19¼ degrees west 12 3-10 perches to dead white pine; thence by land formerly of G. D. Goodfellow north 3¼ degrees east 14 perches to post and place of beginning; containing three acres and one hundred and one and seven-tenths perches and allowance, nearly all cleared and under a good state of cultivation, and having thereon erected a one and a half story plank house and small stable.

TERMS.—One-half cash and balance in six months, to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.

JOHN W. WRIGLMY,
August 6, 1873-3t. Administrator.

Full directions sent with each chart. Any person can use them. Sent post paid on receipt of prices, viz: LADIES' DRESS CHART, cuts 21 sizes, BOYS' SACK COAT CHART, 11 sizes, VEST CHART, cuts 21 sizes and five styles, $1.00 each. PANTS CHART, cuts 21 sizes, all styles, MEN'S SACK COAT CHART, cuts 11 sizes, $1.50 each, or, full set, five charts, $5. AGENTS WANTED, Union Chart Co., Greenville, Pa.

Mrs. J. E. Hamilton, agent for Clearfield, Centre and Clinton counties. P. O. address, Luthersburg, Clearfield Co., Pa. aug6-3m*

THE MITCHELL WAGON,
FOR
Farm, Freight and Plantation Use,
Universally known as the
ORIGINAL RACINE WAGON.

Made by experienced workmen out of as good material as money can buy. We do not claim to build the lowest priced Wagons, but our aim is to build a well proportioned wagon in all its parts, and excel in durability and light draft. For the past quarter of a century the Mitchell Wagon has successfully maintained the reputation of being the best wagon in use. The rapidly increasing demand for them proves their superiority over all other wagons.

Mitchell, Lewis & Co., Manufacturers, Racine, Wisconsin. For sale by

THOS. REILY,
Aug. 6, 1873. Clearfield, Pa.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing or in any way meddling with the following property, now in possession of Jacob Shearer, of Graham township, as the same belongs to me and is left with him subject to my order: One bay mare, 1 gray mare, 4 cows, 1 wagon, and all the farming utensils.

July 30-3t. ADAM MOYER, SR.

JAMES MITCHELL,
DEALER IN
Square Timber & Timber Lands,
Jel1'73 CLEARFIELD, PA.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned not to meddle with the following property: One Cook Stove, one Heating Stove, eight Hogs, one Cow, one yearling Heifer, twelve Beds and Bedding, in the Union Hotel, in Glen Hope, and all the carpets and furniture in said Hotel and now in possession of Mrs. M. N. Melos, as the same belongs to me and is subject to my order at any time. WM. RIDDLE.
Glen Hope, July 23d, 1873-3t.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between William V. and J. W. Wright, under the firm name of Wright & Bro., in the merchandising business, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by J. W. Wright. The books will be at the store for settlement.

WM. V. WRIGHT.
J. W. WRIGHT.
June 2, 1873.—7-10-3t

New Advertisements.

Spokes, Rims & Plow Handles.
UNION SPOKE WORKS,
S. W. Cor. LEOPARD & OTTER Streets,
PHILADELPHIA.
Send for Price List. 7.30

PRIVATE SALE!—The subscriber having made arrangements to remove eastward, will offer at private sale any or all of the following household furniture, viz: One Cottage bed-room set, one dining-room set, one parlor set, one Piano, cook stove, Stanley Air-tight wood stove, No. 14 Morning Glory parlor stove, together with a lot of other furniture equally valuable. Those in need of furniture will please call and examine it between this time and the middle of September. REV. GEORGE HALL.
Clearfield, Pa., July 30-2m.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of WM. H. ROBISON, late of Boggs township, Clearfield county, Pa., deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands will present them properly authenticated for settlement without delay.

JANE ROBISON,
July2-6t Administratrix.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned, an Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Clearfield county, Pa., to make distribution of the balance in the hands of Henry I. Mead and Mary E. Leonard, administrators of the estate of John Leonard, late of Lawrence township, in said county, dec'd, to and among the persons legally entitled thereto, gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment on Tuesday, the 16th day of September, 1873, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at his office in the borough of Clearfield, Pa., when and where all persons interested can attend.

July 30-3t. CYRUS GORDON, Auditor.

DICKINSON SEMINARY,
WILLIAMSPORT, PA.

For both sexes. Established 25 years. Superior advantages in every department of culture. Send for Catalogue. Arrange early for rooms. Fall term begins August 28th.

W. LEE SPOTTSWOOD, D. D.,
jy16-6t President.

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SEE! SEE!

Men's Suits of Farmers' Cassimere, only.... $5.00 at KERR & CO.'S.
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Men's Suits of Scotch Cheviot, only.... 15.00 at KERR & CO.'S.
Men's Suits of English Melton, only.... 18.00 at KERR & CO.'S.
Men's Suits of Fine Blue Diagonal.... 20.00 at KERR & CO.'S.
Youth's Suits from $7.00 to.... 15.00 at KERR & CO.'S.
Children's Fancy Suits, from $2.00 to.... 10.00 at KERR & CO.'S.

Gent's Furnishing Goods,
best and largest stock in town, at
KERR & CO.'S
NEW CENTENNIAL CLOTHING HOUSE,
Corner Second and Market Streets.
Go and see for yourselves. *The most fashionable Clothing House in Clearfield.* 6-26-73

T. M. ROBINSON & CO.,
SADDLERS,
Dealers in
Harness, Saddles and Bridles,
BLANKETS, BRUSHES,
Fly Nets, Collars, Whips, &c.

A large stock of TROTTING GOODS of all descriptions. Also, a large stock of HARNESS TRIMMINGS.

Repairing promptly attended to.

Shop on Market street, Graham's Row, in shop formerly occupied by James Alexander.

Clearfield, Pa., June 25, 1873.

LOOK AND READ!
SADDLE & HARNESS MAKING!
JOHN C. HARWICK,
Market St., CLEARFIELD, PA.,

Is the man to go to if you want a set of new HARNESS or a new SADDLE, or anything else in that line. He turns out as good work as is done in any shop in Pennsylvania, and his prices are very reasonable.

Constantly on hand a full line of
TROTTING GOODS,
such as Trotting Saddles, Quarter and Shin Boots, Trotting Rollers, Whips, Fine Brushes and Combs, &c. A fine assortment of Nets, Horse Covers, Knee Blankets, Buffalo Robes, &c., &c., kept in season. In fact anything that horsemen stand in need of is always on hand.

All of which will be sold at wholesale or retail at the very fairest rates.

Repairing promptly attended to. All work guaranteed. Shop in room formerly occupied as Post Office. April 9, 1873.

TO THE
FRONT!
GREAT EXCITEMENT
AT THE
CLEARFIELD BAKERY
AND
ICE CREAM SALOON!

The undersigned having just fitted up new, large and comfortable rooms on Market street, near Third, respectfully informs the public that he now prepared to accommodate them with everything in his line on short notice and at all hours of the day. He keeps on hand

BREAD,
RUSKS, ROLLS, PIES,
CAKES, all kinds.
ICE CREAM,
and a general assortment of
CONFECTIONERIES, FRUITS, NUTS, &c.

All of which will be delivered to customers at their residences, when requested to do so.

ICE CREAM, by the dish, served in a neatly furnished room.

Thankful for the generous patronage bestowed in the past, he hopes to merit and receive a continuance of the same from his old customers, and others.

JOHN STADLER.
June 18,'73-tf.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary having been granted to the subscriber on the estate of SOPHIA E. WATSON, dec'd, late of Clearfield borough, Clearfield county, Pennsylvania, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

GEORGE L. REED,
Clearfield, July 2, 1873-6t. Executor.

NEW LIME KILN!
NEAR CURWENSVILLE.

The undersigned would respectfully notify all persons interested that he has just erected a new Lime Kiln, in Pike township, and will keep on hand a first class quality of Gray Lime, which will be furnished to farmers, builders and others at 15 cents per bushel, cash, at the kiln.

Je25-6m* C. B. CALDWELL.

Miscellaneous.

SACKETT & SCHRYVER,
DEALERS IN
HARDWARE,
and manufacturers of
Tin, Copper & Sheet Iron Ware,
Second Street,
CLEARFIELD, PA.

Having largely increased our stock of Hardware, we invite the public to examine our stock and prices.

Carpenters and persons who contemplate