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

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All kinds of Bench Planes, Saws, Chisels, Squares, Hammers, Hatchets, Plumbs and Levels, Mortised & Thumb Gauges, Bevels, Braces & Bitts, Wood and Iron Bench Screws, and the best Boring Machine in the market.

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Agents for Burnell's Iron Corn Sheller, warranted.

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Farmers' Implements and Garden Tools of every description.

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HAVING engaged in the manufacture of first-class MACHINERY, we respectfully inform the public that we are now prepared to fill all orders as cheaply and as promptly as can be done in any of the cities. We manufacture and dealin

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Stove Lining and Fire Brick,

kept constantly on hand.

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OF EVERY DESCRIPTION!

CROCKS! POTS! CROCKS!

Fisher's Patent Airtight Self-Sealing Fruit Cans!

BUTTER CROCKS, with lids,
CREAM CROCKS, MILK CROCKS,
APPLE-BUTTER CROCKS,
PICKLE CROCKS,
FLOWER POTS, PIE DISHES,
STEW POTS,

And a great many other things too numerous to mention, to be had at

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THE LAST ARRIVAL

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A Proclamation against High Prices!

WE are now opening up a lot of the best and most reasonable Goods and Wares ever offered to this market, and at prices that remind one of the good old days of cheap things. Those who look faith upon this point, or deem our allegations superfluous, need but

CALL AT OUR STORE,

Corner Front and Market streets,

Where they can see, feel, hear and know for themselves. To fully understand what are cheap goods this must be done. We do not deem it necessary to enumerate and itemize our stock. It is enough for us to state that

We have Everything that is Needed

and consumed in this market, and at prices that astonish both old and young.

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Clearfield Nursery.

ENCOURAGE HOME INDUSTRY.

THE undersigned, having established a Nursery on the 'Pike, about half way between Clearfield and Curwensville is prepared to furnish All kinds of FRUIT TREES, (standard and dwarf), Evergreens, Shrubbery, Grape Vines, Gooseberries, Lawton Blackberry, Strawberry, and Raberry Vines. Also, Silverleaf Crab Trees, Quince, and early scarlet Rhubarb, &c. Orders promptly attended to. Address,

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Dry Goods, Groceries, Etc.

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Are offering, at the old stand of G. L. Reed & Co. their stock of goods, consisting of—

DRY-GOODS, GROCERIES,

BOOTS & SHOES,

HATS & CAPS, HARDWARE,

QUEENSWARE,

FLOUR, FEED, SALT, &c., &c.,

At the most reasonable rates for CASH or in exchange for

Square Timber, Boards, Shingles,

OR COUNTRY PRODUCE.

☞ Advances made to those engaged in getting out square timber on the most advantageous terms. apr5'71-tf

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(Two doors east of the Shaw House,)

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Millinery and Fancy Goods

AND NOTIONS.

NECK RUFFLING.

LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS.

GLOVES, all kinds and sizes.

COTTON STOCKINGS, unsurpassed both in quality and cheapness.

WHITE AND SWISS GOODS, all varieties.

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Call and examine our stock before you buy elsewhere. Glad to show our goods on all occasions. Our motto is

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"A Nimble Sixpence is Better than a Slow Shilling."

Remember the place—opposite Mossop's, in Wm. Reed's old stand.

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Dealers in

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS,

GROCERIES,

HARDWARE AND QUEENSWARE,

Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, &c.

☞ Shoemakers supplied with LEATHER and SHOE FINDINGS at reduced rates.

SALT! SALT! SALT! at wholesale and retail—very cheap.

PAINTS, OILS, CALCINED PLASTER, &c. A liberal discount to builders.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, CARPETS, WINDOW SHADES, OIL CLOTHS—in large quantities.

FISH, FLOUR, BACON, CORN MEAL and CHOP, always on hand.

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New Saddle and Harness

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THE undersigned, having leased rooms for the manufacture of all kinds of SADDLES, HARNESS, and all the latest improvements in Horse Furnishing Goods, is now prepared to fill all orders at prices and quality that will surprise all who favor him with a call for the inspection of his work. He is determined to please and his experience and observation in eastern and western cities enables him to DEFY COMPETITION in the manufacture of Gold, Silver, Oroide, Rubber Covered and Gilt-Lined Mounted

CARRIAGE AND BUGGY HARNESS!

Also Fine

RIDING AND RACING SADDLES.

His rents and expenses being light, he will sell the same grades of work 20 per cent. cheaper than they can be bought in the eastern cities.

Repairing and adjusting Saddles, Harness, &c., neatly done, at reasonable prices.

Particular attention paid to all orders by mail or otherwise.

Call and see his work before buying elsewhere.

☞ Room on Market street, between Second and Third streets. A. H. MITTON.

Clearfield, Pa., May 13, 1874.

DANIEL GOODLANDER,

LUTHERSBURG, PA.,

Dealer in

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS,

HOSIERY & GLOVES,

HATS & CAPS and BOOTS & SHOES,

Tobacco, Groceries and Fish, Nails, Hardware, Queensware and Glassware, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Drugs, Paints, Oils, School Books,

a large lot of Patent Medicines,

Candies, Nuts & Dried Fruits, Cheese and Crackers, Rock and Rifle Powder,

Flour, Grain and Potatoes,

Clover and Timothy Seed,

Sole Leather, Mercerons, Linings, Bindings and Thread, Shoemakers' Tools and Shoe Findings.

☞ No greater variety of goods in any store in the county. All for sale very low for cash or country produce at the Cheap Corner. Aug. 27, 1873.

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.

CHEAP GROCERIES!

LUMBER CITY, PA.

The undersigned takes pleasure in calling the attention of the old friends and patrons that he has opened a good line of GROCERIES & PROVISIONS at the old stand of Kirk & Spencer, for which he solicits a liberal patronage. R. W. SPENCER.

Lumber City, Pa., March 26 tf.

Drugs and Medicines.

THE LATEST MOVE!

HARTSWICK & IRWIN'S

DRUG STORE,

To their new building on Second Street, nearly opposite the store of Weaver & Betts,

CLEARFIELD, PA.,

Where they will continue to supply their old and as many new customers as may come, with

PURE DRUGS!

CHEMICALS!

PHARMACEUTICAL PREPARATIONS,

(Including all new remedies.)

Patent Medicines, Paints and Oils, Glass and Putty, School Books, Stationery, Paper, &c., also, a full line of Druggists' Sundries, Hair Tonics,

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PURE WINES AND LIQUORS,

for medical & sacramental purposes only,

Pure White Lead, Colors of all kinds, Raw and Boiled Linseed Oil, Varnishes, Turpentine, Coal Oil, Paint & Varnish Brushes, Flavoring Extracts,

Confectioneries, Bird Seed, Spice, ground and unground, of all kinds.

SMOKERS AND CHEWERS

Will find our stock of Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, Imported and Domestic Cigars, Snuff and Fine-cut to be of the very best brands in the market.

LAMPS AND CHIMNEYS,

All kinds of GLASS WARE

GARDEN SEEDS,

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

and Musical Trimmings of every variety.

Having a long experience in the business, and an extensive and well selected stock of medicines, we are enabled to fill Physicians' prescriptions at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms, day and night.

HARTSWICK & IRWIN.

Clearfield, Pa., May 31, 1871-tf.

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ASSORTMENT OF

STOVES! STOVES!

ever brought to the county, are being received at the Harden establishment of M. F. BIGLER & CO., comprising the following Cook Stoves:

SPEAR'S CALORIFIC,
SUSQUEHANNA,
REGULATOR
EXCELSIOR, NOBLE.
TRIUMPH,
GOV. PENN,
READING
NATIONAL RANGE, &C. &C.

Also, the following Heating Stoves:

SPEAR'S ANTI CLINKER
SPEAR'S ANTI DUST,
SPEAR'S ORNICULAR,
SPEAR'S PARLOR COOK,
MORNING LIGHT,
IRON TIN,
GIPSEY,
VULCAN,
SUNBEAM,
RUBY,
DAUPHIN EGG,
CHESTER EGG,
VOLCANO,
PHOENIX,

HEAVY BAR ROOM AND STORE ROOM STOVES, &C.

Clearfield, Sept. 25, 1872.

O. I. C.

WHERE to buy my DRY GOODS, GROceries, Queensware, Glassware, Drugs and Notions, Confectionerier, &c., cheap for cash.

The subscriber begs leave to inform his old and new customers that he has opened

A VARIETY STORE

IN GLEN HOPE, PA.

And will sell goods at prices to suit the times. A liberal reduction will be made to customers buying at wholesale.

Call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. A liberal share of public patronage is solicited.

C. J. KRAGY.

Glen Hope, Pa., June 14, 1871.

H. P. BIGLER & CO.'S

—SPECIALTIES—

BUILDERS' HARDWARE,
MECHANICS' HARDWARE,
LUMBERMEN'S HARDWARE,
FARMING UTENSILS,
MILL SUPPLIES,
IRON & NAILS,
PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES,
PAINTERS' FINDINGS,
CALCINED PLASTER.

May 26, 1873.

UNDERTAKING.

The undersigned are now fully prepared to carry on the business of

UNDERTAKING,

AT REASONABLE RATES,

And respectfully solicit the patronage of those needing such services.

JOHN TROUTMAN,
JAMES L. LEAVY.

Clearfield, Pa., Feb. 18, 1874.

KRATZER & LYTLE,

AGENTS IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY FOR

LORILLARD'S

Celebrated Brands of

Smoking & Chewing Tobaccos.

We are enabled to wholesale to dealers throughout the county at city prices.

KRATZER & LYTLE,
jul3'74-tf Clearfield, Pa.

WILLIAM M. HENRY, Justice of the Peace, Clearfield, BOROUGH CITY. Collections made and money promptly paid over. Articles of agreement and deeds of conveyance neatly executed and warranted correct or no charge. 23jy'73

THE REPUBLICAN.

CLEARFIELD, PA

WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCT. 7, 1874.

A RAT THAT RENOUNCED THE WORLD.

'Tis told
In a legend of old,
How a certain rat, grown tired of strife,
And the cares that beset his ratship's life,
Wishing to meditate at his ease,
Took up his abode in a Holland cheese.

He found
This great round
Grew solitude, shelter and plenty to eat,
And by diligent use of his hands and feet
He soon had a hermitage quite to his mind.
Its walls and its floors with good victuals lined.

This rat
Soon grew fat
And he said to himself, "God bless his own!
My body would only be skin and bone
If I hadn't turned hermit. I really must say
Recommend the world's the better way."

To his cheer,
On their biers
Came some sapient fatties from the rats
Saying: "Ratopolis is besieged by the cats:
We are going for aid to a foreign land:
Old neighbor, do lend us a helping hand.

"We set out
Without
A dollar to pay the needful expense.
Do give us a shilling, or at least a few cents.
We'll be very grateful, we'll surely repay
If we live to return on the next New Year's day.

The rat
Said that
He no longer had interest in worldly affairs;
But for the sake of old friendship, his two longest prayers
Were at their disposal. What could hermit do more?

He gave them his blessing and—closed the door.

"Oh the rarity
Of charity"
Among the rat family. If men live at ease
And the world is to them a great Holland cheese,
When their friends are distressed and in sorry plight,
Do they only give lip-service, then slam the door tight?

TO THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The State Democratic Convention met at Pittsburgh on the 26th of August last. It nominated its candidates, and adopted the platform, and adjourned. All the proceedings were marked by a devotion to the principles of the party, as well as that harmony which ever prevails when high purposes control individual action. The management of the State canvass was as usual entrusted to the State Central Committee, which was duly appointed. This body organized at Harrisburg on the 22d day of September.

Among the first duties of this committee was to direct its chairman to address the Democratic citizens of Pennsylvania, and, indeed, all patriotic men of the Commonwealth who are satisfied that the prosperity, integrity, and welfare of the people demand a return to those sound, tried, and established principles of government by which the great achievements in our past history were secured.

It needs neither argument nor authority to demonstrate that the Radical party, which now possesses the political power in Pennsylvania and in the Federal Government, has utterly failed to give contentment, prosperity, or peace to the people.

In every county in the State the best citizens, the oldest inhabitants, and the young men are dissatisfied with the political, industrial, financial, and governmental policy by which the Radical party afficts the country.

Industry is not profitable; the manufactories are languishing; the coal and iron interests are depressed; the farmers are not reaping adequate reward for their toil, and labor is calling for employment.

The Radical party is directly responsible for all this. It has majorities in Congress and in the State Legislature, and the Executives of the State and the Union were placed in those positions by assumed majorities at the elections.

This distress and uncertainty in all kinds of business is the result of the policy of the Radical party which insists in substituting for Constitutional money—gold and silver—a national bank paper currency or promise to pay, always below par, redeemable only in other paper promises to pay.

The people are poorer to-day than at any late period in our history. Factories are idle and farms are for sale, without buyers, in every county in Pennsylvania. There are more mechanics and laboring men out of work in Pennsylvania than ever before.

In the Southern States, the so-called "reconstructed States," which the Radical party sought to legislate into rotten boroughs for the express purpose of sending Radical members into a Radical Congress, civil war, a war of races, destitution, despair, poverty, corruption, frauds exist, and carpet-baggers and negroes rule and ruin.

Abusing the powers obtained by frauds at elections, and force in many States, and corruption everywhere, the Radical party now attempts to degrade the white race by enacting into a law what is known as the "odious civil rights bill," by which the white man and his wife are degraded to the level of the negro, since no legislation can ever elevate the negro to that of the white; and the children of white parents are to be forced into association with the the offspring of the negro in the public schools. Made desperate by the criticisms of a free press, and its exposure of the usurpations, corruptions, and rings of the Radical party, it enacted at the last session of Congress the Poland gag law, by which it expected to destroy the liberty of the press; but an outraged and indignant people will veto this last Radical iniquity.

And more than this: we are amazed at the present state of affairs in our sister State, Louisiana, produced as it is by the stupid, reckless partisan hatred of Grant and his advisers. The Radical committee of the United States Senate appointed to "investigate" the claim set up by Kellogg and his followers to be the State government in Louisiana, reported that the claim was unfounded in fact and in law. That a usurpation of State authority wholly indefensible characterized the Kellogg so-called government; that it was an outrage on the rights of the people, and was sustained entirely by Federal troops; that Kellogg was never elected Governor, and the Legislature pretending to have been elected was placed in power by the unconstitutional actions of a Federal judge, who disgraced his office by his unjustifiable proceedings; that the Democratic Governor and Legislature were duly elected, and were deprived of the right to exercise their authority by Federal troops. Notwithstanding this report, when the citizens of Louisiana asked to be heard by Grant before he decided to sustain this usurping gang of carpet-baggers and negroes, those white citizens were told that they would not be allowed to present their petition or be heard in their defence.

This flagrant Federal outrage demands the solemn and calm condemnation of every true American. This is the perfect picture of the present condition of public affairs. For the proof let every candid man turn to the daily and yet free press of the country, and be convinced. People of Pennsylvania, for these wrongs, evils, and grievances there is a remedy.

Let us have a change. The people, disheartened and in dispair, are prepared for a change. This change must be in both "principles and men."

The system by which the Radicals have obtained power must be overthrown, the elections must be honestly conducted, and honest returns of the people, which the ballot-box contains, must be made. Every man of virtue, courage, and honesty in this State must be an overseer at the polls, and demand justice from those who perpetrate frauds.

Every township in the State must be thoroughly organized, and every voter enabled to vote.

The Democrats should feel it a duty to support the local Democratic press, that all the intelligence which is needed they can readily obtain. It is the duty of the Democracy to do this, so that the uninformed, and those who desire to know those principles of the Democratic party may be instructed, and those of the people who desire light and knowledge in order to show the causes and authors of present disasters and coming perils may have the evidence at hand. The young men are earnestly invoked to devote some of their means to this purpose.

Each county in the State should promptly organize a county committee of earnest, active Democrats, who will devote time and labor to redeem the Commonwealth and bring it back once again to the support of the principles of constitutional government.

Every man who professes to believe that honesty is the right policy, in public as in private affairs, should unite, freed from parties, to put an end to the frauds, corruptions, rings, jobs, and schemes for the plunder of the people, which no sane man doubts are the outcome of the profligacy of the Radical party.

The people of Pennsylvania lately ratified and adopted the present Constitution.

No sooner was this declared to be the organic law of the Commonwealth than the Radical Legislature created a commission, the Radical majority in which may change all its reformatory provisions, and reinstate those by which the late Constitution enabled a corrupt Legislature to inflict vast injury on the people for special, private, or partisan objects.

Democrats of Pennsylvania, we invoke all your patriotism, zeal, energy, and ceaseless vigilance in the canvass which is now begun. Its purposes are of the highest concern to every man in the State. We seek to obtain good government, honesty, economy, prosperity, specie payments, that the people may be lightly burdened by taxation; integrity and purity in public officers; a true representation of the needs and welfare of the people in the State Legislature and in Congress; fidelity and honesty in the departments of the State government; fair elections and honest returns; destruction of rings in cities and State, and the return of this great and glorious Commonwealth to its rank among sister States as the Democratic key-stone of the Federal arch, which should rest on the undefiled and restored Constitution of the United State of America.

No. 1014 WALNUT Street, in the city of Philadelphia, we have now made the Democratic headquarters of the Committee, and the Chairman earnestly requests the chairmen of the county committees in the State to open communication with him promptly. It is deemed essential that the organization of townships and counties should begin at once, and report made to the headquarters of the State Committee weekly. Address,

JOHN MILLER,
Chair'n State Dem. Committee,
1014 WALNUT, St., Philad'a.

September 29, 1874.

SECRETARIES OF THE COMMITTEE:
HENRY C. OLMSTED, of Philadelphia.
W. H. REEL, Pittsburgh.
J. H. GRAHAM, Jr., Carlisle.
B. M. NEAD, Chambersburg.

THE RENEWED USURPATION.

Crime begets crime. The man who is led to violate the law in one particular is thereby exposed to the necessity of violating it in others. A burglar who breaks into a house may very likely have to commit murder before he comes out of it; and the usurper who violently or fraudulently seizes upon power enters upon a course in which civil war and bloodshed are but the natural incidents.

In 1872 the people of Louisiana elected a State Government by a large majority of their votes. The rightfulness of the election was beyond dispute; but it carried with it the return of Presidential electors who have voted for Horace Greeley, and it involved also the dismissal from power and public employment in the State of a crew of bloodsuckers, some of whom were connected with President Grant by marriage and others by more subtle relationships. Accordingly, they conspire to keep out the men chosen by the people and to install those whom the people had repudiated. In this conspiracy they had the support of President Grant, and the military force of the United States was employed to carry it out. Of course it was successful, and the conspirators have ever since held that State, and have ruled and robbed its people without mercy.

A new election being now at hand, and it being certain that a fair vote of the people would turn the conspirators all out of office, they plotted to prevent this by a system of registration depriving a large proportion of the citizens of the right of voting, and securing for their own agents the uncontrolled power of counting the votes to suit themselves. All chance of relief by peaceful means being thus cut off, the people of Louisiana determined to try the effect of force. They rose against their oppressors, and on Tuesday evening the insurrection was apparently successful, and the fraudulent, intruding Government which President Grant had forced upon them was put down, and the Lieutenant-Governor who had been really elected in 1872 was exercising the functions of Governor, while in different parts of the State the officers of the illegal executive were turned out, and others variously appointed were peacefully discharging their duties.

Against this state of things and this triumph of popular justice, President Grant is to intervene with the strong hand. The people of Louisiana are anew to be put down by military force. They have not rebelled against the United States; they have resisted no law of Congress; they have simply expelled State officers whom they had not elected, but who had been foisted upon them without moral or legal right. For this they are to be punished, and the usurpers are to be forced upon them again, no matter with what destruction of public order, life, or property.

Such are the consequences of the first step in the way of lawless violence and usurpation. When President Grant, by his own will and by bayonets, made William P. Kellogg Governor of Louisiana instead of John B. McEnery, he committed a crime for which he has ever since deserved to be impeached and brought to trial. This crime was his voluntary act. There was no constraint upon him; there was no reason, except the base reason we have mentioned, requiring him to commit it. Had he chosen to recognize McEnery as Governor instead of Kellogg, the rights of the people would have been preserved, and the country would have acquiesced in the act. And now, after the people of Louisiana have been plundered and ground to the earth for two years longer, and have freed themselves and restored something like a legal government, if he should choose to repent his error, to acknowledge that he had done wrong, and to recognize the McEnery Government as the true one, the whole country would applaud it. But this he does not and will not do. The wrong committed then requires the commission of a new wrong now. The citizens of Louisiana are about to witness the restoration of the Kellogg Government, with accessories of conflict and bloodshed; but to this new outrage the approbation of the people will certainly not be given.—*New York Sun.*

THE REPUBLICANS AND THE GAG LAW.

The Frelinghuysen-Poland gag law was passed by a Republican majority in Congress. It was designed especially to muzzle and shackle the newspaper press, and the only attempt yet made to enforce it has been made against an independent editor in this city.

The passage of this statute was preceded by the passage of the Carpenter gag law through the Senate. That was a more elaborate measure of the same sort, and its purpose was not concealed. Senator Conkling was among its most earnest advocates, and when Mr Wadleigh, Mr. Bayard, Mr. Thurman and Mr. Stockton charged in the debate that the intent of the bill was to strike the press and make editors and publishers and writers in the remotest parts of the country amenable to trial by a packed and subservient court in the city of Washington, the charge was not denied. The Carpenter bill failed through the determination of the House Judiciary Committee, who refused to report it. To remedy this failure the Frelinghuysen-Poland bill was devised, and in a disguised form and upon false representations the atrocious measure was enacted, and was approved by the President.

For this legislation the Republican party is responsible generally, and Senator Conkling particularly. The subject is one that has aroused the feeling of the people everywhere. Political conventions have expressed themselves upon it; and the Democratic convention of New York has embodied in its platform a vigorous declaration against such attempts to overthrow the freedom of the press.

The Republican convention at Utica, however, has nothing to say upon this subject in its platform. Senator Conkling in his speech is equally taciturn; and another speaker, not even the lively Judge Pierrepont, could put in a word of honest indignation, or even of disclaimer.

The Republican party of New York thus stands on the record as hostile to the liberties of the press; and its defeat in the approaching election will be the only adequate vindication of that liberty.—*N. Y. Sun.*

MADAME PATTERSON BONAPARTE.—There is a narrow, ugly street in Baltimore, where women rarely come, but one is often seen there. It is the shape of a little old woman that salies forth from a boarding house on the corner, less often, recently, than it used to, a feeble, stooped, tottering frame, wizened, wrinkled face, wigged and spectacled. The old lady uses her attendant's arm as a support, and passes, apparently without notice, the group of talkers that stare or point her out to a stranger. If some of the deferent salute her, she straightens for a moment, and returns it with a touch of the old grace that wrought her fame and her misfortune. She is not a celebrity of to-day, her story stretches back full sixty years, to the days when a handsome, pusillanimous exile married her on his own caprice, and repudiated her at the beck of his brother. For she is Madame Jerome Bonaparte, as she has always proudly styled herself; once the wife, now the widow, of Jerome Bonaparte, King of Westphalia. Beautiful, brilliant and aristocratic, Miss Patterson married him, then an unknown stranger, against the wishes and counsel of all her friends. In a few months Napoleon, imperial and imperious, conjured up a kingdom for his brother, and bade him come to it. We know the condition on which it was offered; we know how it was accepted; marital obligation never stood much in the way of the Bonaparte family. Madame Patterson-Bonaparte is very old and peculiar. Her son Jerome, who never saw his father, is dead, but his widow and child, a third Jerome, with aunmistakable Bonaparte face, are still living in Baltimore.

GRANT ON PENNSYLVANIA POLITICIANS.—Grant lately expressed the following opinion of Pennsylvania politicians: "The Pennsylvania politicians," said the President, in substance—of course, my information does not pretend to give the exact language—"The Pennsylvania politicians gave great trouble to Mr Lincoln through their importunities and the extraordinary character of their demands. They have had but little more modesty with me than they had with the previous administration, and as they are always in hot water among themselves and involved in all sorts of questionable schemes and intrigues, their demands have been a source of much annoyance. The politics of the State are notoriously corrupt, and the bad reputation the leaders have acquired locally cannot fail to be injuriously felt when they mix up with national affairs. I think, with General Babcock, that their nomination of a candidate for the next Presidency at this unscasonable time is designed to subserve some local object; but it may also be intended to strengthen new demands on the administration by a particular clique in that State, or, in other words, to answer the purpose of a threatening letter. In that case it will decidedly fail."

BEECHER'S BLUNDER.—It is irreparably disastrous to Mr. Beecher, and might serve as a warning to men like him, if there were any such, that he has admitted the intimates of Tilton to too great familiarity with himself. Think of intrusting delicate matters, involving the peace of families and the fair fame of women, to a dull blunderer like Moulton, or an empty-headed babbler like Carpenter!—*New York Tribune.*

That is to say, if you have a liason, don't tell it to dull blunderers and empty-headed babblers! This is truly a massive moral and a weighty warning. It applies with equal force to clergy and laity, to christians and worldlings. How badly Moulton and Carpenter must feel about it!—*Chicago Tribune.*

GRANT'S SPEECH.—At a vast outlay of money, and with a great deal of trouble, we have succeeded in receiving over the wires the great speech of President Grant at the Methodist Campmeeting, at Martha's Vineyard, N. J. In response to the welcome address of the presiding officer of the camp, the President arose, and delivered the following able and eloquent speech:

"THANK YOU, SIR."

This drew forth great applause, and was immediately telegraphed to all points of the compass. It is thought this speech will be made the Republican platform in all the States at the fall elections.

A FOREIGN LESSON.—American Legislators can learn a lesson from our Canadian neighbors. Mr. McDonald, a member of the Dominion Parliament, from Cornwall, has been expelled from his seat on the ground that he had used improper means to secure his election. Clayton, Pomeroy, Caldwell, Jones, of Nevada, Patterson and other distinguished Republican headlights have only gained additional weight in the Senate of the United States by the use of improper means to secure an election. It is strange how opinions and customs differ, and how the Canadians drag behind us with their old fashioned notions.

"ITS EDUCATION."—Great excitement has resulted at Warminster, Bucks county, from the elopement of a beautiful white girl, aged eighteen years, named Annie Thompson, and respectably connected, with a negro called Joe Palmer. The affair has stricken down the parents of the girl with grief.

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Possession will be given in the spring, or at any time most convenient to the purchaser. The terms will be reasonable. Persons desirous of purchasing can address the subscriber at Leconte's Mills P. O., Clearfield county, Pa., or apply in person on the premises.

Any persons wanting any information in regard to the quality of the land, the kind of buildings thereon, &c., &c., can get the information by calling on Sheriff Fee, in Clearfield, as he owned the farm for a number of years, and of course knows all about it.

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January 21, 1874.

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