Hardware, & Tinware.

SACKETT & SCHRYVER,

DEALERS IN

HARDWARE,

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Tin, Copper & Sheet Iron Ware,

Second Street,

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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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TOOLS & BUILDING HARDWARE

which is new and of the best manufacture, and will be sold low for cash.

NAILS, GLASS, PUTTY, GLUE, LOCKS, LATCHES, HINGES, SCREWS

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

Double and Single Bitt Axes,

POCKET CUTLERY, &c.

Agents for Burnell's Iron Corn Sheller, warranted.

Also, agents for Richards' **GOTHIC FLUE TOPS,** which effectually cure Smoky Flues.

Farmers' Implements and Garden Tools of every description.

A large variety of

COOK STOVES,

which we warrant to give satisfaction.

Portable Ranges and Furnaces.

Roofing, Spouting and Job Work done on reasonable terms. All orders will receive prompt attention. June 11, 1873.

BIGLER, YOUNG & REED,

(Successors to Boynton & Young,)

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Manufacturers of

PORTABLE & STATIONARY

STEAM ENGINES

Corner of Fourth and Pine Streets,

CLEARFIELD, PA.

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 deal in

Mulay and Circular Saw-Mills

Head Blocks, Water Wheels, Shafting Pulleys, Gifford's Injector, Steam Gauges, Steam Whistles, Oilers, Tallow Cups, Oil Cups, Gauge Cocks, Air Cocks, Globe Valves, Check Valves, wrought iron Pipes, Steam Pumps, Boiler Feed Pumps, Anti-Friction Metres, Soap Stone Packing, Gum Packing, and all kinds of MILL WORK; together with Plows, Sled Soles.

COOK AND PARLOR STOVES,

and other CASTINGS of all kinds.

Orders solicited and filled at any prices. All letters of inquiry with reference to machinery of our manufacture promptly answered, by addressing us at Clearfield, Pa.

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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.

READING FOR ALL!!

BOOKS & STATIONERY.

Market St., Clearfield, (at the Post Office.) THE undersigned begs leave to announce to the citizens of Clearfield and vicinity, that he has fitted up a room and has just returned from the city with a large amount of reading matter, consisting in part of

Bibles and Miscellaneous Books,

Blank, Account and Pass Books of every description; Paper and Envelopes, French pressed and plain; Pens and Pencils; Blank, Legal Papers, Deeds, Mortgages; Judgment, Exemption and Promissory notes; White and Parchment Brief, Legal Cap, Record Cap, and Bill Cap, Sheet, Music for either Piano, Flute or Violin constantly on hand. Any books or stationery desired that I may not have on hand, will be ordered by first express, and sold at wholesale or retail to suit customers. I will also keep periodical literature, such as Magazines, Newspapers, &c. P. A. GAULIN.

Clearfield May 7, 1868-tf

The Lightning Tamer.

THE undersigned are the sole Agents in this county for the "North American Galvanized LIGHTNING RODS." These are the only safe rods now in use, and are endorsed by all the scientific men in the country.

We hereby notify the citizens of the county that we will put them up a better rod, and for less money, than is charged by the foreign agents who annually traverse this county and carry off our little cash, never to return.

ENCOURAGE HOME LABOR.

Those wishing Lightning Rods erected on their buildings need but address us by letter, or call in person. We will put them up anywhere in the county, and warrant them. The Rods and Fixtures can be seen at any time by calling at our store. H. F. BIGLER & CO.

Clearfield, March 30, 1870-tf

Livery Stable.

THE undersigned begs leave to inform the public that he is now fully prepared to accommodate all in the way of furnishing Horses, Buggies, Saddles and Harness, on the shortest notice and on reasonable terms. Residence on Locust street, between Third and Fourth.

GEO. W. GEARHART.

Clearfield, Feb. 4, 1874.

FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale a valuable town property in the borough of Clearfield. Lot 80x156 feet, with a good two-story plank house thereon erected, with three rooms down stairs and four bed rooms up stairs. Also, sewing room and bath room on second floor. House finished complete from cellar to attic—Good double porch and good water. Price reasonable and payments easy.

May9'73 WM. M. McCULLOUGH.

J. R. M'MURRAY

WILL SUPPLY YOU WITH ANY ARTICLE OF MERCHANDISE AT THE VERY LOWEST PRICE. COME AND SEE. (3:5:72y)

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Dry Goods, Groceries, Etc.

J. P. WEAVER.....W. W. BETTS.

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CLEARFIELD, PA.,

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. pd1jan73

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, Morocco, Linings, Findings 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.

The Bell's Run Woolen Factory,

Penn township, Clearfield Co., Pa.

BURNED OUT!

BURNED UP!

The subscribers have, at great expense, rebuilt neighborhood necessity, in the erection of a first-class Woolen Manufactory, with all the modern improvements attached, and are prepared to make all kinds of Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinetts, Blankets, Flannels, &c. Plenty of goods on hand to supply all our old and a thousand new customers, whom we ask to come and examine our stock.

The business of

CARDING AND FULLING

will receive our especial attention. Proper arrangements will be made to receive and deliver Wool, to suit customers. All work warranted and done upon the shortest notice, and by strict attention to business we hope to realize a liberal share of public patronage.

10,000 POUNDS WOOL WANTED!

We will pay the highest market price for Wool and sell our manufactured goods as low as similar goods can be bought in the county, and whenever we fail to render reasonable satisfaction we can always be found at home ready to make proper explanation, either in person or by letter.

JAMES JOHNSON & SONS,

april26tf Bower P. O.

LEATHER BREAST-STRAPS

SUPERSEDED BY

COVERT'S PATENT METALLIC

BREAST HOLD-BACK

Made of the best Malleable Iron, and is attached to the Hames by the best Snap ever invented. It is easily and quickly put on, and prevents the whipping of the horses by the pole. Not liable to get out of repair. Will last for years. All we ask is a fair trial, to convince all parties that they are unsurpassed in value for the purpose for which they are intended.

SACKETT & SCHRYVER.

Clearfield, April 15, 1874.

MARBLE AND STONE YARD!

MRS. S. S. LIDDELL,

Having engaged in the Marble business, desires to inform her friends and the public that she has now and will keep constantly on hand a large and well selected stock of ITALIAN AND VERMONT MARBLE, and is prepared to furnish to order TOMBSTONES,

BOX AND CRADLE TOMBS, MONUMENTS,

Curbs and Posts for Cemetery Lots, Window Sills and Caps, also,

BUREAU, TABLE AND WASH STAND TOPS, &c., &c.

Yard on Reed street, near the R. R. Depot, Clearfield, Pa. jy7,72

TERRA COTTA STANDING VASES,

HANGING VASES,

Stove Lining and Fire Brick,

kept constantly on hand.

STONE AND EARTHEN-WARE

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

FRED'K. LEITZINGER'S

STONE-WARE POTTERY,

Corner of Cherry and Third Streets, CLEARFIELD, PA. aug3

BARGAINS IN MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS!—Organs, both new and second hand, at the Music Store, opposite Gulich's Furniture Store. All persons interested are invited to call and examine a new style of Organ now on exhibition. Sheet Music and Music Books constantly on hand. apl24-72tf

T. A. FLECK & CO.,

Have now on hand, and are daily receiving additions thereto, a large and well selected stock, of fresh from the manufacturers, of

Dress Goods, Dry Goods, Silks, Hats, Bonnets Old Ladies' Caps, Shawls, Waterproofs, Ladies' Fur Caps, Hair Goods, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Shirts, Gloves, Hose, Overalls, Lumbermen's Flannel, Ladies' Underwear, Cuffs, Collars, Handkerchiefs,

CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR AND WHITE DRESSES.

Perfumery and Soaps, Balmoral Skirts, awaydown, Stockings, of every size, variety and colors, Notions, Trimmings and Fancy Goods, in almost endless variety.

N. B.—WE BUY FOR CASH AND SELL FOR CASH. dec26

SAWS! SAWS! SAWS!

DISTAN'S CROSS-CUT, MILL, DRAG AND CIRCULAR SAWS.

Boynton's Lightning Cross-cut Saw,

ALSO,

PATENT PERFORATED & ELECTRIC SAWS,

For sale by

oct12,72 H. F. BIGLER & CO.

JOB PRINTING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION neatly executed at this office.

Miscellaneous.

HARD TIMES

HAVE NO EFFECT

IN FRENCHVILLE!

I am aware that there are some persons a little hard to please, and I am also aware that the complaint of "hard times" is well nigh universal. But I am so situated now that I can satisfy the former and prove conclusively that "hard times" will not effect those who buy their goods from me; and all my patrons shall be initiated into the secret of

HOW TO AVOID HARD TIMES

I have goods enough to supply all the inhabitants in the lower end of the county which I sell at exceeding low rates from my mammoth store in MULSONBURG, where I can always be found ready to wait upon callers and supply them with

Dry Goods of all Kinds,

Such as Cloths, Satinetts, Cassimeres, Muslins, Delaines, Linsey, Drillings, Calicoes, Trimmings, Ribbons, Lace,

Ready-made Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps—all of the best material and made to order—Hose, Socks, Gloves, Mittens, Laces, Ribbons, &c.

GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS.

Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Rice, Molasses, Fish, Salt Pork, Linseed Oil, Fish Oil, Carbon Oil.

Hardware, Queensware, Tinware, Castings, Plows and Plow Castings, Nails, Spikes, Corn Cultivators, Cider Presses, and all kinds of Axes.

Perfumery, Paints, Varnish, Glass, and a general assortment of Stationery,

GOOD FLOUR,

Of different brands, always on hand, and will be sold at the lowest possible figures.

J. H. McClain's Medicines, Jayne's Medicines, Hostetter's and Hoofland's Bitters.

1000 pounds of Wool wanted for which the highest price will be paid. Cloverseed on hand and for sale at the lowest market price.

Also, Agent for Strattonville and Curwensville Threshing Machines.

Call and see for yourselves. You will find everything usually kept in a retail store.

L. M. COUDRIET.

Frenchville P. O., August 12, 1874.

THE CLEARFIELD

FIRE CLAY CO.

CLEARFIELD, PA.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

FIRE BRICK,

Furnace Blocks, Gas Retorts,

Stove Linings, Paving Tiles, &c.

Chimney Tops, Window Caps, and Vases.

All kinds of Architectural Adornments,

ORIGINAL DESIGNS IN TERRA COTTA MADE TO ORDER.

With improved machinery, first class material and skilled workmen, we can warrant all our manufactures to be equal to, if not superior to any in the market.

Articles of our manufacture can be seen at the Works, near Railroad Depot, or at the Hardware Store of H. F. Bigler & Co.

All orders from a distance, addressed to the General Superintendent, will receive prompt attention.

J. G. HARTSWICK,

JOHN FERGUSON, Gen'l Supt.

of Henfield, Gerrick, Scotland, Supt. Manufacturing Dept. may20'73

THE LARGEST

ASSORTMENT OF

STOVES! STOVES!

ever brought to the county, are being received at the Hardware Establishment of **H. F. BIGLER & CO.**, comprising the following Cook Stoves:

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

Also, the following Heating Stoves:

SPEAR'S ANTI CLINKER, SPEAR'S ANTI DUST, SPEAR'S ORBICULAR, SPEAR'S PARLOR COOK, MORNING LIGHT, RON TON, GIPSEY, VULCAN, SUNBEAM, RUBY, DAUPHIN EGG, CHESTER EGG, VOLCANO, PHOENIX,

HEAVY BAR ROOM AND STORE ROOM STOVES, &C.

Clearfield, Sept. 25, 1872.

E. A. SOUTHARD,

Fire, Life & Accident Insurance

AGENT, Clearfield, Pa.

TRAVELER'S LIFE & ACCIDENT.

Hartford, Conn.....Assets over $3,000,000

HOME FIRE INSURANCE CO.

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Life Insurance Company,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Assets.....$3,219,000

Ratio of Assets to Liabilities.....122

Furnishes insurance at the very lowest cost. Policy-holders participate in the profits of the Company, thus continually reducing the annual payments.

For rates, &c., call on or address

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Office in Shaw's Row, Clearfield, Pa. 7:19:74

F. O'LEARY BUCK,

General Insurance Agent and Real Estate Broker,

Represents the following reliable Insurance Co'ns

North British & Mercantile Ins. Co. $26,000,000

Washington Life Insurance Co..... 4,000,000

Fire Association Insurance Co..... 2,600,000

Amazon Fire Insurance Co..... 3,075,148

Phoenix Insurance Co., N. Y..... 2,000,000

Watertown Fire, insures dwellings and farm buildings only..... 375,000

York Pa., Stock Insurance Co. Horses insured against death and theft.

P. S. Parties in the country desiring insurance on their lives or property can have it promptly attended to by addressing as by letter, or calling in person at our office, in Pie's Opera House, Room No. 1, Clearfield, Pa. aug26'74

FOR SALE!

A large and well-finished Brick Dwelling, situate on the river bank, in the borough of Clearfield, containing eleven rooms, with good cellar, water in the kitchen, and all the modern conveniences. Pantries, Bath-room, Clothes-presses, &c. Lot sixty feet front, and two hundred and thirty feet back, with a twenty foot alley on the east side. Said building, with all the appurtenances, will be sold cheap, with payments to suit purchaser. Application can be made to the undersigned, or to A. C. Tate, Esq., who will give all necessary information to those who desire to inspect the property.

THOS. J. McCULLOUGH.

May 21st, 1873, tf.

WANTED.—

AGENTS, male and female, to sell Pictures everywhere. Fourteen thousand retailed by one. Another writes: "I can make more money in this business than I can in a $10,000 farm, all stocked." WHITNEY & CO.,

Feb. 3, 1875-3m.] Norwich, Conn.

THE REPUBLICAN.

CLEARFIELD, PA.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL 14, 1875.

THE PRESIDENT'S PAY AND PERQUISITES.

Although the late Congress did not scruple to impose thirty-five or forty millions of additional taxes in the last hours of its existence, not a single earnest effort was made to reduce the most notorious extravagance, or to diminish the prodigal expenditures which are so glaring. On the contrary, the system of loose, reckless, and corrupt appropriation of the public money to unworthy objects and for personal uses was pursued as viciously as in the days of an overflowing treasury and an apparent general prosperity.

The amount of money voted to the President and for the White House exceeds the grants of former years, and covers the scandalous frauds which have heretofore attracted so much harsh comment. Compared with all preceding Presidents, the allowances made to Grant far more than double those of any predecessor, and quite treble the appropriations for Mr. Lincoln during the rebellion, when the exigencies of the public service were ten times greater than they now are.

The Legislative, Judicial, and Executive appropriation bill, and that for sundry civil expenses at the late session, contain the following noteworthy items:

For compensation of the President	$50,000
For compensation to private secretary	3,500
For compensation to assistant secretary	2,500
For compensation to one executive clerk	2,000
For compensation to one executive clerk	2,000
For compensation to steward	2,000
For compensation to steward's assistant	1,200
For compensation to furnace keeper ($720 last year)	884
For compensation to one policeman	1,320
For compensation to one policeman	1,020
For compensation to one night watchman	900
For compensation to one night usher	1,200
For compensation to one doorkeeper	1,200
For compensation to one doorkeeper	1,200
For contingent expenses	6,000
For official postage stamps	600
For repairs Executive Mansion	10,000
For refurnishing Executive Mansion	10,000
For fuel for rooms and green houses	5,000
For care and repairs to green houses	5,000
For filling ground south of the Executive Mansion	10,000
For taking up and relaying curb of Executive Mansion	1,500
For cutting down embankment in nursery	1,250
For repairing fountain south of Executive Mansion	3,000
Total	$121,154

In addition to these items were the regular appropriations of $50,000 for lighting the Capitol and the Executive Mansion in gross, without discriminating as to the consumption of either; and for repairing and extending water pipes and cleaning the springs that supply the Capitol and Executive Mansion, $10,000.

Before Gen. Grant became President the practice was to furnish the White House anew at the beginning of every term of four years. Since then an annual appropriation of ten or fifteen thousand dollars has been regularly made, and applied to other objects under the name of furniture. So too an appropriation of $10,000 a year has been made for repairs, which could not be expended and never has been, no matter what Measurer Babcock's vouchers may pretend to show, which have an elasticity as remarkable as his Ring measurements.

Every year some new charge has been smuggled into the supply bills and thus made the basis of a standing appropriation, like that of $10,000 for the grounds south of the Executive Mansion, upon which not one-fourth part of that sum was expended last year. In the height of the war the contingencies of the Presidency were raised from one to three thousand dollars and now they are six thousand, in the face of the double salary enacted by the back-pay grabbers of the Forty-second Congress.

There is a great delusion in the public mind purposely created at Washington in regard to the expenses which the President is supposed to incur by his official functions. The receptions do not cost him a single dime. The lights, heating, music, flowers, attendants and ushers, are all provided for from the Treasury, and no refreshments of any kind are ever served.

The so-called state dinners are more limited in number under Grant than any of the other Presidents. They are confined to certain selected members of Congress, the heads of legations only, the Judges of the Supreme Court, and a few favorites. Altogether not more than one hundred and fifty guests were entertained at them last winter.

Heretofore the usage has been for the President to invite both Branches of Congress at regular intervals to dine with him, without regard to politics at all. Gen. Grant has narrowed this honored custom down to his own partisans and a small selection from the opposition, who have voted without scruple for Ring measures and liberal appropriations.

The private hospitality of the White House is niggardly, if not actually mean. All the groceries and other supplies are obtained from the army commissariats at wholesale prices. Of course the President gets the pick of everything. Subordinates seeking promotion take care of that. A large kitchen garden attached to the White House, kept at the public expense, furnish vegetables for his table. The green houses, maintained at a cost of $10,000 a year, provide the ornamental flowers, and the horses in the stable are fed free.

There is good reason to believe that a large part of certain appropriations, which were never made, until Grant inaugurated the scandal, is diverted to maintaining his household, so that he may be said to live almost without cost in a princely style. Yet he solicited the increase of his salary and laid the foundation for the indecent grab which contributed largely to the downfall of the Republican party.

Every President from Washington to Johnson was content with the old salary. Some of them, who were by no means penurious, and maintained a generous establishment, retired with a considerable balance on the credit side of the bank account. Mr. Buchanan always lived like a gentleman, entertained the Prince of Wales and suite as guests without sending a bill to Congress, and kept a hospitable house. He did not spend all his pay. Mr. Lincoln saved quite $55,000, and Mr Johnson nearly as much, although his guests were more than treble those of his greedy successor.

When the President's salary was made $50,000 a year instead of $25,000, a promise was openly made in the House that these shameful perquisites would be cut off. It has not been kept, but quite the reverse is true, for Mr. Garfield and his confederates have expanded them and added new items. And this, too, in the midst of a general suffering and in presence of new taxation.—*N. Y. Sun.*

Enoch Arden cases have not been very plenty of late, but Quincy, Ill., now furnishes one. John Bimpson, a wealthy manufacturer, left that place six years ago for Europe with two daughters, and was supposed to have sailed on the ship United Kingdom, which was never heard from. News is now received that Bimpson and his daughters are alive and coming home. In the meantime Mrs. Bimpson has collected $5,000 life insurance on Mr. Bimpson's policy, married again, and has a child by her second husband.

The constitution just adopted in France is the nineteenth since 1789.

TO LABORING MEN.

Those who have studied events during the last ten years can now see the folly of placing dependence on the promises of Radical politicians. The progress of the Radical party and the power it gained as an organization were acquired by the pledges it proclaimed—pledges which have been as freely broken as they were given. We have only to refer to the platform of the Republican party on questions concerning the laboring classes, and the sad condition the latter now find themselves in. See the distress that now overhangs the working classes everywhere. In no instance has the ruling party kept faith with those who handle the plow, who drive the spike, work in the mines, operate the furnaces and mills, or wield the lever which forms the machine. Its policy has been in all cases inimical to labor; to build up the rich at the expense of the poor; to make labor subservient to capital, consequently to oppress and degrade it. While it promised to protect it, it used all power to crush. Labor is not only scarce now, but what little there is is but illy remunerated.—And all this the result of Radical misrule! Are they not answerable for the present depressed condition of trade, for the wide ruin, the want and wretchedness that stares us in the face on every hand? They can't escape the responsibility. They have heretofore boasted that they shaped the policy of the country, the fruits of which are seen in the standing mill, the silent workshop, enforced idleness among the working classes, and its resultant poverty in direst form. The present distress must be removed from the shoulders of the toiling millions. The Democratic party alone proposes to accomplish this, and we here say that the only escape from this condition of things, from irretrivable bankruptcy of the nation, is in a change of rulers.—Unless the people protest against the evils of Radicalism at the polls next November, coming, and do it, too, in that unmistakable manner which will change the complexion of the next Congress, all that has made this country grand and glorious in the sight of him who looks to his strong right arm for preferment will have passed away! Elect our Democratic nominees, then the public plunderers will be driven out, honest men will take their places, confidence will be restored and the initial movement made towards setting the wheels of industry once again in motion.—*Watsontown Record.*

A SCENE IN COURT.

In the Beecher-Tilton trial a great deal of dramatic effect was produced by reading some of the productions.—When Tilton was on the stand Mr. Evarts, Beecher's lawyer, brought out some verses of Mr. Tilton's, originally printed in the *Golden Age*, and read them to the jury. The spectacle of the grim, dignified old lawyer reading, with all the fervor of elocution, he could command, the warm lines of a sentimental love song, was incongruously odd; but it was an artistic performance, and no words in the trial more fully held the attention of the audience. Commencing in his usual cold tone, he grew with each verse more intense, until the last was delivered in an impassioned way that a city paper says would have made a Juliet jump right over the railing of the balcony. The poem was a love song, every couplet ending with a line in French, and concluding as follows:

Sweetheart, so! you cannot go!
Let me sit and hold you so.
Adam did the same to Eve!
Aimer, aimer, c'est a vivre.

As Mr. Evart's voice hung tenderly on the last line, "*Aimer, aimer, c'est a vivre.*" (To love, to love, it is to live), a tumult of laughter and applause began, and continued unreproved by the smiling judge. Mr. Tilton blushed, and smiled with the rest. Mr. Beecher threw back his head and laughed. Mrs. Tilton smiled behind her fan. Even Mrs. Beecher changed her smile of disdain into one of amusement. After all was quiet the laughter broke out again, mingled with hand-clapping. Decorum was only obtained after several repressive efforts.

EX-PRESIDENTS.

HOW TO DISPOSE OF THEM.

The New York *Tribune* offers the following suggestion in regard to ex-Presidents:

"There is a certain natural elevation of views, a tendency to careful consideration of all sides of a question—a regard for the welfare of the whole country, which ought to come to a man who has filled the highest office in his country's gift, and can have no other hope for his subsequent career than to leave a record not unbecoming one who has been President. These are precisely the qualities we most need in public life, and especially need in the body which the admission of carpet-bag Senators and of Representatives from rotten boroughs misnamed States, in the extreme West has so deplorably demoralized. Mr. Clarkson Potter has not received all the praise he deserves for carrying through the House, by so handsome a vote, the constitutional amendment which he had proposed in favor of lengthening the Presidential term to six years, and making any incumbent ineligible for re-election. If this could be adopted and to it could be added a provision retiring the President at the close of his term, as a Senator at large for life, it would be as unobjectionable and every way useful a reform in the Constitution as we have ever had."

This suggestion, applied to the majority of the distinguished men who have filled the Presidential chair would be very appropriate, but applied to the present incumbent of that high office it is singularly out of place.—Whatever Grant may have learned during his incumbency, it is very clear that "a certain natural elevation of views—a tendency to careful consideration of all sides of a question—a regard for the welfare of the whole country," have not been amongst them. Heaven forefend when the nation is once rid of him as President, he should ever be permitted to torment it longer as a Senator-at-large.

CAN ANYONE TELL.—Can anyone tell why men who cannot pay small bills, can always find money to buy liquor, and treat when happening with their friends?

Can anyone tell how young men who dodge their washerwoman, and are always behind with their landlords, can play billiards night and day, and are always ready at a game of cards?

Can anyone tell how men live and support their families who have no income and do not work, while others who are industrious and constantly employed are half starved?

Can anyone tell how nine-tenths of the mothers are so ready to sew for the distant heathen, when their children at home are ragged and dirty?

Can anyone tell why four-fifths of the young women prefer a brainless fop under a plug hat to an industrious hard-working young man with some brains?

The *Herald* in announcing that there are only two witnesses now, it wants to see called—Beecher and Mrs. Tilton—says neither side will call Bowen, because each side wants to cross-examine him. Each believes that this man's true value as a witness lies in what can be got out of him against the other side—in short, that he is worth more for his "cussedness" than for his good will.

ADVICE TO CANDIDATES.

As candidates for County and State offices are now, or soon will be around among the Democratic "sovereigns," soliciting their suffrages at the primary elections, we urge upon them to read and practice the following advice, which we copy from an exchange. It is sensible, and if practiced, will be found profitable, not only to themselves, but the "grand old party" they seek to represent.

Keep sober, at all times.

Invent no stories against opponents, but rather speak well of them.

Don't promise to help any one but yourself.

If you are slandered don't spend time or words in denying it.

If the truth is told you treat it in the same manner.

Don't make promises you never intend to fulfill.

Don't tell the people that if elected you will work for half price, for you can't afford it.

Don't shake hands too much, for thereby the common voters will smell a rat.

Be cheerful on all occasions, for then the people will think you don't care, and if you are elected they will conclude you will be a clever fellow to do business with.

Avoid all jealousy and put no trust in flesh, for it is weak, and promises are as easily broken as made.

We will add to the above: never loan money or endorse notes with the expectation of securing votes or influence thereby. There is a class of drones and dead beats who make a practice of borrowing and sponging off every candidate in the field, like bar room loafers watching and waiting for treats.—*Clarion Democrat.*

THAT POSTAL NUISANCE.

It seems the very wise heads in Congress did not intend to "hit the newspaper and book business," so they pretend, when they voted to double up the mail cost of the third class matter. But that astute genius, the Hon. Hannibal Hamlin, who worked up the measure, did. He hates newspapers. He says the independent press feeds upon moral garbage, and has for its sole stock and trade simply "lies." Let the press keep the Hon. Hannibal on the jump metaphorically, over the country. Pass him along, gentlemen, as a first class public nuisance, with a pair of ears that would give him the highest premium in any pure-blooded donkey fair that could be gotten up. It must not be forgotten—and it would be, if now and then the country were not reminded of it—that the Hon. Hannibal was once Vice-President of the United States, and is a ranting, roaring, nigger amalgamationist. The lending of his services as Senatorial lackey to Adams & Co., the Express men who had an ax to grind when the periodical and transient newspaper postage was doubled up, is quite in keeping with all the acts of his political career. The members of Congress, save and except Senator Hamlin, who put that enactment through, are now that the whole nation has rebuked the stupid legislative action, heartily ashamed of the brainless blunder, but this Master Hamlin glories in the agency he had in the contemptibly stupid business. We hope Adams & Co. have sent him one share of their stock for his Congressional services in their behalf. However, they may make the most of the law, while it lasts. Its life will be squelched out on the next session.—*N. Y. Day Book.*

New Advertisements.

CAUTION.—

Notice is hereby given to all concerned that the goods, groceries, confectionaries and fixtures in the store room now occupied by John Schenck, in Troutville, belong to me, and said John Schenck is only acting as my agent, without any authority to contract any debt in my name, and I will not be responsible for any contracted by him. The following property is also left in his possession, subject to my order: 1 bay mare, 1 colt, 1 cow, 2 sets of harness, 1 sled, 1 spring wagon, 1 sleigh, 1 buggy, 2 sulkeys, 2 cutting boxes, a lot of sawed ash and pine lumber, shovel and spade, lot of old metal, three and a half barrels of cider, 3 stoves and fixtures, 1 cupboard, 2 beds and bedding, 1 bureau, 10 chairs, 1 clock and 2 tables. All the foregoing property was purchased by me at Sheriff's sale on the 23d day of March, and is left with him on loan.

JOHN F. OSWALT.

Lutherburg, March 31, 1875-3t.

CAUTION.—

All persons are hereby warned against purchasing or in any manner meddling with the following property, now in the hands of George G. Dewitt, of Beccaria township, viz: 1 gray horse, 1 black mare, 1 yearling colt, 2 cows, 1 spring wagon, 1 dearborn wagon, 4 shoats, 1 plow, 1 harrow, 1 cook stove, with utensils, 1 corner cupboard and dishes, 4 beds and bedding, 2 acres wheat in the ground. This property was purchased by me at constable's sale on March 20th, 1875, and is left with him on loan, subject to my order at any time. ABRAHAM SMITH.

Glen Hope, April 7, 1875.-3t

CAUTION.—

All persons are hereby warned against purchasing or in any way meddling with the following property, now in the possession of Robert Williams, of Rumberger, Bloom township, Clearfield county, Pa., viz: 1 stove, 3 beds and 2 bedsteads, 1 cupboard, 1 table, 1 clock, 1 stand, 1 sewing machine, and 2 sets of chairs. This property belongs to me and is left in his possession, subject to my order. JOHN R. ELLIS.

Rumberger, April 7, 1875.-3t*

CAUTION.—

All persons are hereby warned against purchasing or in manner meddling with two horses—one black, and one sorrel—now in the possession of Constantine Schrigling, of Karthaus township, Clearfield county, Pa., as the same belongs to me, and are left with him on loan only, subject to my order at any time.

SEBASTIAN BOSCH.

Salt Lick, Pa., March 31, 1875-3t*

CAUTION.—

All persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing or in any way meddling with the following property, now in possession of I. J. Goss, viz: 1 cook stove, 2 heating stoves, 1 pair bedsteads and bedding, 6 chairs, 1 cupboard, 40 yards carpet, as the same was purchased by me at constable's sale on March 20, 1875, and is left with him subject to my order only.

H. A. WRIGHT.

Glen Hope, April 7, 1875.-3t

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of GEORGE ADAM WEAVER late of Brady twp., Clearfield county, Pa., dec'd 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.

GEO. S. WEAVER,

ADAM WEAVER,

Troutville, March 10, 1875. 6t.*] Executors.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of JACOB PENTZ, late of Brady township, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said Estate are required to make immediate payment, and those having claims against it are required to present them, duly authenticated, without delay, to the undersigned.

PHILIP K. PENTZ,

Lutherburg, March 31, '75.6t.* Executor.

EXECUTORS NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of ADAM MARSHALL, deceased, late of Brady township, Clearfield county, Pa., having been duly granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate will please make payment, and those having claims or demands will present them properly authenticated for settlement. DANIEL GOODLANDER,

HENRY KNARR, Sr.,

Lutherburg, March 17, 1875.-6t Executors.

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of J. A. BLATTENBERGER, late of Osceola, 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. CAROLINE BLATTENBERGER,

Osceola, April 7, 1875.-6t Adm'x.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of SUSANNAH KARR, late of Bradford township, Clearfield county, Pennsylvania, 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.

SAMUEL K. COWDER,

Administrator.

Williamsgrove, March 24, 1875-6t.

Miscellaneous.

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WORKED BOARDS, and all articles necessary for building, will be exchanged for DRY LUMBER, so that persons at a distance may bring their lumber, exchange it for, and return home with the manufactured articles.

The Company will always have on hand a large stock of dry lumber, so as to be able to fill an order on the shortest notice. Only the best and most skillful hands will be employed, so that the public may rely upon good work.

Lumber will be worked or sold as low as it can be purchased anywhere, and warranted to give satisfaction. As the business will be done upon the cash principle we can afford to work for small profits.

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