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Reader, if you want to know what is going on in the business world, just read our advertising columns, the *Special* column in particular.

MAXIMS FOR THE DAY.

No man worthy the office of President should be willing to hold it if counted in, or placed there by any fraud. U. S. GRANT.

I could never have been reconciled to the elevation by the smallest aid of mine of a person, however respectable in private life, who must forever carry upon his brow the stamp of fraud first triumphant in American history. No subsequent action, however meritorious, can wash away the letters of that record. CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS.

Under the forms of law, Rutherford B. Hayes has been declared President of the United States. His title rests upon disfranchisement of lawful voters, the false certificates of the returning officers acting corruptly, and the decision of a commission which has refused to hear evidence of alleged fraud. For the first time are the American people confronted with the fact of a fraudulently-elected President. Let it not be understood that the fraud will be silently acquiesced in by the country. Let no hour pass in which the usurpation is forgotten. ADDRESS OF DEMOCRATIC M. C.'s.

One hundred years of human depravity accumulated and concentrated into a climax of crime. Never again in five hundred years shall they have an opportunity to repeat the wrong. DANIEL W. VOORHEES.

I would rather have the endorsement of a quarter of a million of the American people than that of the Louisiana Returning Board, or of the Commission which excluded the facts and decided the question on a technicality. THOS. A. HENDRICKS.

Democratic State Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR,
HON. ANDREW H. DILL,
OF UNION COUNTY.

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR,
HON. JOHN FERTIG,
OF CRAWFORD COUNTY.

FOR SECRETARY INTERNAL AFFAIRS,
HON. J. SIMPSON AFRICA,
OF HUNTINGDON COUNTY.

FOR SUPREME JUDGE,
HON. H. P. ROSS,
OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa!

In Baltimore strawberries are selling at five cents per quart, in Harrisburg at 10. The crop is said to be unusually plentiful throughout Maryland, and the shipping season is seventeen days ahead of last year.

STERRETT.—This is the name of the Cameron candidate for Supreme Judge. He was the Radical nominee last year, but the people *Ster-retted* him off the bench and put Judge Trunkey in his place. This year he will be euchered by Judge Ross.

Two burglars entered the house of Mrs. Trumbull, in Bradford, Pa., early Tuesday morning, and after obtaining $40 demanded more, threatening to kill her if she refused. She fired at them, wounded one, when both fled. They were tracked some distance by blood stains, but escaped.

ASSAULTING GENERAL BANKS.—The Washington *Post* believes that "if fifteen years ago General Banks had shot off his cannon as he now shoots off his mouth, he would not be pointed out by small boys as he walks along the streets as the Union Commissary General of the late Confederate army."

"THANK GOD."—The Columbus, O., *Herald*, one of the Radical organs of that State, in alluding to the proceedings of the late Radical Convention, in this State, says: "Not one single man in the Republican State Convention of Pennsylvania opened his mouth for Hayes. Thank God that sham and treachery are beginning to receive their just deserts!"

OFF.—Judge Bently, the Labor-Greenback-etc., nominee for Supreme Judge, does not see things in that light, and therefore declines to run for Judge on that ticket. Judge Agnew, now Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and who was defeated in the Convention, and also in the Cameron Convention, has been jumped on to fill the vacancy.

HEAVY ON THE SENATE.—Our State Senate seems to be the nursery of statesmen this year. The Radical State Convention gobbled up two of them—Stone for Lieutenant Governor and Dunkle for Secretary of Internal Affairs, and the Democratic Convention selected Dill for Governor and Fertig for Lieutenant Governor. Thus robbing the Senate Chamber of four of its members within a week.

RIGHT.—On Monday a bill was introduced into the House at Washington to forbid carrying through the mails all advertisements of lotteries, gift concerts, and raffles, and requiring postmasters to forward all such matter to the dead letter office at Washington. A penalty of not less than $500 nor more than $2,000 is attached to the violation of the act, one-half of the fine to be paid to the party giving evidence of its violation. Good; let the law be passed and then enforced.

Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa!

QUERY.—If John Sherman and Plenipotentiary Noyes, at Paris, are innocent of the Presidential larceny, why was it necessary for them to notify the Congressional Committee that they wanted to be subpœnaed? No other Cabinet Minister, or Plenipotentiary, has made a similar request! Reader, does it not look a little like the fellow who yells "stop thief," while he has the lost purse in his pocket? That is the light in which we see Sherman and Noyes. However, we are open to conviction on this point.

CHAIRMAN SPEER.—Among the wise acts done by the Pittsburg Convention, was the selection of Hon. R. Milton Speer, of Huntingdon, as Chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee. Mr. Speer is one of the ablest of our middle-aged men, endowed with executive talent, energetic, and a good parliamentarian, he will, no doubt, prosecute a vigorous campaign. With a Chairman like him, who possesses energy and talent, and candidates like Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa, the Democracy must win the battle in November. With a brace of men like these, Clearfield will tally 2,000 majority.

ELIZA'S OPPORTUNITY.

The editor of the Baltimore *Gazette*, in alluding to the appointment of the Potter committee to investigate the Florida and Louisiana election frauds, says: [illegible] the way of a quickened conscience, or any available substitute therefor, now is her time. All the visiting statesmen, returning-board officials and "practical men," have been rewarded and either sent off on foreign missions, or to comfortable berths in custom houses or judgships in far western territories. Eliza's claims have not been recognized. So long as she keeps silent her claims will be ignored. If she remains voiceless, blushing unseen and wasting her sooty sweetness on the bayou air, the more forward will continue to rush in and sell out their quickened consciences, and so "bear" the conscience market that there will be no money in it for her. At latest advices from Florida, conscience was quoted dull with a declining tendency. The thing is a mere drug in Florida. First-class Okefenokee remorse may be had in assorted lots to suit purchasers at panic prices. But the appointment of Packard and Sheridan so reduced the supply of political compunction in Louisiana, that a bold operator like Eliza Pinkston might step in and bull the market. She might even get a corner on John Sherman. If Eliza should now threaten to come forward and make a clean breast of it—as clean as the circumstances of the case would permit—and tell that the alleged murder of her husband by ku-klux was all a lie, and that he was beaten to death by Republican negroes because he was suspected of being a Democrat; if she would further state that the visiting statesmen knew these facts and put up the whole job craftily and deceitfully for political effect, and that the entire dramatic entertainment, including the indignation and grief of the visiting statesmen, was a fraud—if Eliza would only give intimations of a quickened conscience to this effect—she would soon find herself the recipient of something soothing and emollient. She might get the appointment of janitress of the Mrs. R. B. Hayes temperance association, custodienne of his fraudulency's conscience, purveyoress of claret punch at Executive hymn-singings, green tea caterings for the Secretary of the Interior, or some other of those lucrative offices which act as balms on bosoms torn by remorse, and which induce quickened consciences to slow up. Whoa, Eliza!

THE OLD, OLD STORY.—"The wicked flee when no man pursueth," is as old as creation. Adam, we believe, was the first man to hide, and transgressors have kept up the same dodge ever since. No sooner was the Potter committee appointed by Congress to investigate the larceny of the Florida and Louisiana electors, than Jno. Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury, sent a note to Chairman Potter, that he wanted to be cited before the Committee, and Ohio Noyes, who is Minister to France, was in such a hurry about it that he did not wait and write, and through due course of European mails inform the committee of his desire to attend, but he cabled an expensive telegram that he wanted to be heard before the Committee. Now, why has not Secretary Schurz, or Minister Welch, to England, acted in a similar manner? Reader, it is because the latter had no hand in the Presidential larceny—the other fellows engaged in the fraud. How they howl!

Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa!

EXACTLY.—The Philadelphia *Record* tartly remarks: Some silly Congressmen, echoed by equally silly newspapers, denounce the attempt of the Democrats to investigate election frauds as revolutionary. These people halloo before they are hurt. There is no reason to believe that any investigation instituted will be able to connect President Hayes with the frauds practiced in Louisiana and Florida. But if, contrary to expectation, he should be found to have connived at the rascality by which he profited, the Republicans would be as swift as the Democrats to ask for his impeachment. Such a result would not put the Presidency into the hands of a Democrat; it would merely put it out of the hands of a rascal.

Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa!

THEIR HOMES.—Hon. Andrew H. Dill, our nominee for Governor, is a citizen of Lewisburg, Union county; Hon. Henry P. Ross, our nominee for Supreme Judge, is a citizen of Norristown, Montgomery county; Hon. Jno. Fertig, our nominee for Lieutenant Governor, is a citizen of Titusville, Crawford county; Hon. J. Simpson Africa is a citizen of Huntingdon, Huntingdon county, but at present Deputy Secretary of Internal Affairs, Harrisburg. Those of our citizens who wish to address either, or all, of the candidates, have their postoffice address. Hon. R. Milton Spear is Chairman, his address for the present will be Huntingdon, Penn'a.

A CHANGED CARPET-BAGGER.—R. K. Scott, ex-Governor of South Carolina, who is in Washington, has been interviewed by a *Post* commissioner. He confesses the sins of several of the South Carolina scalawags and carpet-baggers, but of course insists that his own hands are clean. In reply to a question as to what prospect the Republican party has in the State, he replied: None whatever. It is dead; and even if it were possible to resurrect it I would not favor the movement. If Governor Hampton is a candidate for re-election next fall I shall support him as I did before, believing that he will subserve the interests of the State better than any other man."

DOVELIKE INNOCENCE.—The Harrisburg *Patriot* says: Mr. Hayes had no knowledge whatever of the frauds by which he was seated. He is perfectly guiltless. He just stepped innocently into office, and threw his appointments around indiscriminately without intending them for anybody in particular, and if by unaccountable coincidence they happened to fall into the hands of the very men who did the dirty work, why bless his soul, he never intended that they should! How can anybody suspect Mr. Hayes of such a thing?

STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

Below will be found the names and Postoffice address of the members composing the Democratic State Central Committee for the aproaching campaign. The figures indicate the re-[illegible] members represent. Ours is the XXXIV—Clearfied, Centre and Clinton—represented by John A. Woodward, Howard, P. O. Centre county, where he will be glad to hear from his Democratic friends:

CHAIRMAN—Hon. R. Milton Speer, Huntingdon
1st—D. A. Laws, Philadelphia.
2d—George Dallas, Philadelphia.
3d—John J. McKernan, 1231 Cadwalader street, Philadelphia.
4th—Thomas H. Clark, Philadelphia.
5th—Daniel Carts, Philadelphia.
6th—James P. Lynch, Philadelphia.
7th—A. H. Ladner, No. 11 Buttonwood street, Philadelphia.
8th—Wm. Kelley, No. 1745 Fitler street, Phila.
9th—Clement Carr, Radnor.
10th—George Ross, Doylestown.
11th—Evan Mishler, Reading.
12th—D. Jacoby, Norristown.
13th—A. J. Steinman, Lancaster.
14th—F. R. White, Manheim.
15th—E. B. Cobaugh, Middletown.
16th—C. J. Erdman, Allentown.
17th—
18th—Asher D. Shimer, Bethlehem.
19th—John Gillilla, Coatesville.
20th—A. B. Dunning, Dunning, Luzerne Co.
21st—Joseph K. Bogert, Wilkes Barre.
22d—H. E. Packer, Mauch Chunk.
23d—Wm. A. Hark.
24th—D. B. Foresman, Williamsport.
25th—A. J. Hughes, Port Allegheny, McKean.
26th—J. H. Dusenbury, Great Bend, Susquehanna county.
27th—F. E. Bower, Middleburg.
28th—Andrew Ross, New Cumberland, York Co.
29th—Sol. Foster, Jr., Pottsville, Schuylkill Co.
30th—Wm. A. Marr, Ashland.
31st—C. P. Dull, McVeytown.
32d—W. R. Miller, Carlisle, Cumberland Co.
33d—Thomas H. Adams, Mount Union, Huntingdon county.
34th—John A. Woodward, Howard.
35th—Robert G. McLanahan, Tyrone, Blair Co.
36th—Wm. Keyser, New Buena Vista, Bedford county.
37th—James H. Maize, Brookville Jefferson Co.
38th—J. K. P. Hall, Ridgway, Elk county.
39th—John Kuhns, Greensburg, Westmoreland county.
40th—Andrew J. Sterling, Mucentown.
41st—J. A. McCullough, Freeport, Armstrong Co.
42d—Wm. P. Schell, Jr., Pittsburg.
43d—John A. Hare, Pittsburg.
44th—Wm. Lockhart, Pittsburg.
45th—Patrick Foley, Pittsburg.
46th—Thomas Bradford, New Brighton, Beaver county.
47th—S. W. Vincent.
48th—William Hasson, Oil City.
49th—Benj. Whitman, Erie.
50th—Alfred G. Church, Meadville.

Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa!

AN OVATION.

After the Legislature adjourned on Friday last, Senator Dill started up the North Central railroad, to his home, at Lewisburg. At every station along the road crowds had gathered to greet him. At Sunbryu the people had gathered by thousands, blockaded the road and stopped the train until the crowd extracted a speech from the Senator. On his arrival at Lewisburg all the people of the borough had turned out to greet and welcome him home. In his passage from the depot to his residence, his carriage, containing Senator Peale, of Lock Haven, Senator Allen of Williamsport, and Judge Bucher, was bombarded with boquets. Flags were flying on every side, and men, women and children with beaming faces rushed to bid him welcome as he alighted in front of his home. His house had been festooned with wreaths, flags and evergreens by the Spyker Graham post of the Grand Army of the Republic, No. 52. Flowers were strewn upon the threshold and from the hands of an impromptu committee of lovely misses.

The Senator received an armful of bouquets. In a word the whole population seemed to have given themselves up to gladness and spontaneous welcome.

There has not been such a popular outbreak of public opinion, over a nomination in this State for many years, election day only, will show how far the tide has rolled. With such men on our ticket as Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa, the Democrats must win, and no mistake. Reader, what kind of a reception was given to Hoyt, on his return home. We heard of none, did you? "Straws" etc.

KNAVERY.—The Radical members of Congress, defeated in their cowardly efforts to prevent an honest inquiry into the frauds which so disgracefully placed Mr. Hayes in the Presidential chair, are out in an address designed *to fire the Northern heart.* They characterize the Potter resolutions as a revolutionary attempt to oust Hayes and place Tilden in the White House. In the interests of peace and the suffering business in the country, they seek to turn the tide of public sentiment against the investigators, and loudly call upon all who labored to put down the rebellion in 1861, to rise and protect the thieves who stole the Presidency from shame and exposure. This address is pitiful in its low, demagogical appeals, and is eminently worthy of the principals whose names are signed to it—little Hale, of Maine, an educated demagogue, and George C. Gorham, of California, one of the most corrupt men that that State ever sent east of the Rocky Mountains. Such are the men who endorse the larceny of a President. Just the work that knaves and demagogues engage in.

Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa!

STILL HAPPY.—The able Associated Press agent in Washington takes pains for the fortieth time to assure the anxious public that Mr. Hayes is calm and undisturbed in the midst of the troubled waters which roll about his *de facto* feet. No ray of disquetude has rolled across his peaceful face. He continues to draw Mr. Tilden's salary with a sincere belief that no matter what may happen to other people there is no likelihood that it will happen to him. We trust that the able press agent in Washington will keep us advised as to the state of Mr. Hayes' pulse. If the able p. a. should strain his intellect or warp his constitution in this arduous service, he would, of course, be promptly retired on a $1,200 clerkship in the Treasury Department.

TAKE THAT!—Congressman Goode, who represents the Norfolk district of Virginia in Congress, in discussing the question of Southern claims, truthfully said: "All the claims that had been paid were to loyal men. The Confederates did not demand a single dollar. They staked their all on the issue of war. They lost it and accepted the result like men." And he might have added, the Richmond *State* says, they do not waste their time in lamenting the loss of their spilled milk and broken eggs.

BADLY TREATED.—Mr. Hayes and Speaker Randall have been treated very shabbily by their respective Conventions in this State. Hayes was ignored at Harrisburg, and Randall was kicked overboard at Pittsburg.

Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa!

SENATOR DILL'S SPEECH.

A staff correspondent of the Philadelphia *Times* thus alludes to the winding up of the Democratic Convention at Pittsburg: [illegible] candidates was concluded a committee of five was appointed, with William V. McGrath at the head, to notify the candidates of their nomination, and, on motion of Senator Wallace, R. Milton Speer was unanimously elected chairman of the State Committe. The Convention then resolved itself into some confusion while the districts were called for members of the State Committee. Buckalew was good natured, the house was as crowded as at any time, and all hands waited for the appearance of Senator Dill. The candidate soon came upon the stage and was received by the whole mass of people getting on their feet and cheering and swinging their hats while the band played that familiar old air, "Hail to the Chief." Senator Dill spoke for a quarter of an hour impressively and in almost perfect taste. He had clearly captured those who had opposed him before he had spoken a dozen sentences. Senator Wallace followed briefly in response to calls, and Randall was loudly demanded, but was not present, and the Convention was dismissed with a benediction by Chairman Buckalew. The Senator spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT AND GENTLEMEN OF THE CONVENTION: I come before you as an humble member of your party to thank you for the honor you have conferred in making me the candidate of the Democracy for the Governorship of this great State. I salute the nomination more highly because it has been conferred without any personal solicitation on my part; not that such action by the representatives of a great party is not an object worthy of the highest and purest ambition, but because I was unwilling to become the judge of my own fitness to this high position. I feel the great personal and political responsibility of this nomination. I know that it will take all the vigor of a strong man, and I know that in its results it means the political control of this great Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. When you consider the unparalleled condition of the people, their prosperity blighted, their business without remuneration, their labor unemployed; when you consider how its commercial strength is shattered and how lawlessness has threatened social revolution and financial chaos, I want you to remember that the political party which is responsible for these calamities is intrenched in office, having the will and the means to debauch the sentiment it cannot coerce. This is the foe we are to meet and we to-day see something of the battle that is before us. If we are to gain a victory it can only be achieved by the determined assault of a united, a harmonious and enthusiastic party. The Republican party pleads for a continuance of power because its mission is not yet ended. For nearly twenty years it has had, with temporary exceptions, complete control of the destinies of the nation, and has swayed to its own uses its Executive, Judicial and Legislative Departments, and what has it done? With full power to increase the tariff it has lowered it. It found this country with wealth generally diffused, with few millionaires and no squalid poverty. What do we now see as the result of its policy? At one end of society the nabob, at the other the tramp. If the mission of the Republican party is not yet ended, it ought to end, for now the mission of the Democratic party begins, and this is a mission, I firmly believe, that will lift the country out of its despair—not by a vain search for a new principle of political economy, but by the application of the homely principles of republican government—by the reduction of public expenditures, in order that a tax-burdened people may be relieved; by an administration of the State Government conformable to the new Constitution; by the practical solution of practical questions and by enforcing in State affairs the same management that is now administered in our homes—a management of economy, a retrenchment of expenses, a cutting off of luxuries. I know of no other standard of duty for a public servant than fidelity to the Constitution and the law, and if the nomination that is now made shall be ratified by the people, I promise you that the Constitution and the laws of this great State shall be my guide in official conduct, and that from now until the election I will devote to the service of my party all my abilities and power, and if chosen by the people I will then devote to the service of the entire State the same measure of fidelity and duty.

Another correspondent of the *Times*, closes his letter as follows:

The nominee for governor is not a man of imposing presence, but there is magnetism in his looks, words and gestures, and you only need a glance to convince you that you may trust him with your last dollar, and—what is more to the point—with the good name of the Commonwealth. Senator Wallace was called upon for a speech and flushed with his victory gave the word for a forward movement of the party in a way that brought down the house. Randall, too, was demanded by the dissolving Convention, but as he was never in the hall from the first to last during the session, it was unreasonable to expect him to come around to preach his own funeral sermon. Father Buckalew, as the boys of his party begin to call him, seeing that even a Democratic Convention must come to an end, wound up the proceedings with a benediction. His little speech may well be called that without irreverence, for it was quite as soothing and much more effective, so far as the delegates were concerned, than was Father Junkin's prayer at the beginning. The most striking part of his remarks was the passage in which he pledged his word for the ability, integrity and absolute independence of Andy Dill.—Speaking with the warmth of admiration and conviction, "Your Governor," said he, "will be no man's man," and 'Squire McMullen put on his hat and went out immensely relieved.

Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa!

STILL FOR LYCOMING.—It seems that the Labor-Greenbackers, are determined to have a Lycoming county man on their ticket. What attraction there is down there we cannot see. Mr. Armstrong, of Williamsport, was their most prominent candidate for Govenor, previous to the meeting of their State Convention, but he failed to make the landing. Then Judge Bently of the same city was nominated for Judge and declined and their nominee for Lieut. Governor having also declined, their State Committee has substituted a Mr. Steck, of Hughesville, in the same county for this latter place.

OUR FIGURES.—For the approaching election we claim 2,000 majority in Clearfield county and 25,000 in the State. Mark the prediction!

The Baltimore *Gazette* calls the new National Greenback party in this State the "N. G.," which, translated, means "no good."

THE DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

This body assembled in Pittsburg, on last Wednesday. It was one of the most numerously attended of any Convention that has assembled in the State, for many years. It organized by electing Hon. R. Milton Speer of [illegible] ex-United States Senator Charles R. Buckalew, of Bloomsburg permanent Chairman. The nominees are among the ablest men in the State. All have been tried and are not found wanting. And with Messrs Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa, the Democrats will march on to victory in November next. Below will be found the ballotings for the several candidates as follows:

BALLOTING FOR GOVERNOR.

Whole number of votes, 250; necessary for a choice, 126.

CANDIDATES.	1st bal.	2d bal.	3d bal.
Andrew H. Dill	92	115	138
James H. Hopkins	35	56	69
Wm. McCandless	47	41	—
George H. Jenks	14	13	17
Robt. E. Monaghan	11	11	5
Victor E. Piollet	46	11	6
Levi Maish	11		

Mr. Maish was withdrawn after first ballot. McCandless was withdrawn before proceeding to the third ballot.

There was but one ballot for Supreme Judge, as follows:

H. P. Ross, of Montgomery	162
F. Sheppard, Philadelphia	71
E. S. Golden	19

The balloting for Lieutenant Governor was next proceeded with, as follows:

CANDIDATES.	1st bal.	2d bal.	3d bal.
Sowden	51	47	61
Reighard	11	—	
Fertig	40	74	162
Ziegler	36	29	
Johnston	13	—	
Stranahan	29	19	
Hamb	7	—	
France	23	19	

There was but one ballot for Secretary of Internal Affairs, as follows:

Africa	132
Beech	61
Brait	6

J. Simpson Africa having received a majority of votes was declared the nominee for Secretary of Internal Affairs.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Hon. R. Milton Speer, of Huntingdon, was elected Chairman of the Democratic State Committee.

It will be noticed by the ballots for Supreme Judge and for Secretary of Internal Affairs, that there was no contest, as public opinion in Democratic circles had pointed out Messrs. Ross and Africa long since, and a ratification of that opinion was all that was necessary to place these two gentlemen upon our ticket.

The contest for Governor and Lieutenant Governor was lively. The candidates were numerous, and all competent and honest men fit to adorn any station in life. Hence, the contest was vigorous, and Messrs. Dill and Fertig, who carried off the prize, are to be congratulated for their success. No better tickets was ever before presented to the voters of Pennsylvania, and we have no doubt of its ratification by the people in November by not less than 25,000 majority.

Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa!

OUR HABIT.—The editor of the Curwensville *Times*, seems to be surprised that we attended the recent Radical State Convention. We attended a half dozen of such Conventions before the editor in question was a citizen of the county, and several since, and we never dreamed of asking leave of absence. More: The party had selected Messrs John M Adams, as Senatorial and Wm. Arnold, as Representative Delegates, a pair of innocents abroad, who were placed at the head of the list of Delegates—we mean in alphabetical order—and knowing how well the Cameron ring had encircled them we wanted to see how they would "Beaver" out of the snare. But they got away without much effort, from the fact that they, like scores of other innocents, had nothing to do but to ratify what had been agreed upon by "the ring," two months before. We have heard so much about rings, at home, that our curiosty lead us again to Harrisburg, to see a real "ring," visible to delegates and outsiders alike.

THE DIFFERENCE.—To show that the Democratic State Convention was not a set-up job, like the Cameron affair, the reader need only look at the ballotings in the two bodies. The three ballots for Governor, and Lieut Governor in our Convention, and the numerous candidates voted for, shows that the members of the Convention acted intelligently, and not as though some one had ordered it to be done, at 12 o'clock the night previous. The difference in the conduct of the two bodies, is worthy of contemplation, by all thoughtful men.

Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa!

CUTTING OUT THE THIRD ACT.—A characteristic story is told of a burlesque writer. When a favorite domestic drama was once brought out a terrible wait occurred on the night of its production after the second act. The orchestra had exhausted its repertory, and still the curtain remained down. Presently a harsh, grating sound was painfully audible from behind—the sound of a saw struggling thro' wood. "What is that noise?" impatiently asked a gentleman of the author. "Well, I can't say," answered he mournfully, "but I suppose they're cutting out the third act."

THAT MINISTER.—Won't some member of Congress introduce a resolution demanding the recall of Noyes, Minister to France? Every American must feel humiliated that a leading party to the Florida fraud should represent our nation in Paris during the Exposition. Kasson, Minister to Austria, was only one of the Florida "pickers and stealers" of votes, and should be recalled if Congressional action can compel it. Both hold their offices as payment for services rendered Hayes, which disgrace them and dishonor the nation.

TOO BAD.—A rude local remarks: "At present the Spring bonnet fills the feminine mind." Another replies: "Well, if that is so, it takes but little to fill a femine mind these days." A third counters by remarking that the first must have been a sixteen-year old boy and the second a forty-five year old bachelor, and both are wholly unacquainted with what they write about. The young fellow may be improved; but the other one has passed the Rubicon, and can never be reclaimed.

SHARP COUNTERFEITERS.—One of the most successful counterfeiting schemes is to issue a small quantity of notes on a certain bank with the name of the place, President, or Cashier misspelled. Upon discovery the bank sends a warning through the country, pointing out the error. Then the counterfeiters make a second issue with the name or names spelled correctly and circulate them boldly, knowing that merchants and storekeepers will look only for the indicated "catch."

Miss Henrietta Dana, the youngest daughter of Hon. R. H. Dana, jr., who was educated in a Parisian convent, where Queen Mercedes of Spain was also a pupil, was the author of the article, "A Queen at School," in *Scribner's Monthly*.

Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa!

A HEAVY CONVENTION.

Erie, Venango and Warren counties compose the XXVII Congressional district, and is, of course, Radical to the core. The editor of the Warren [illegible] says:

"Two years since, when Colonel L. F. Watson was nominated for Congress in this district, there was a fearful strife, and the Convention met a score or more times, and balloted several hundred times, without any satisfactory result, till the candidates had agreed upon a basis of future nominations. Without any consultation with their constituents, the three candidates then before the Convention, (Mr. Reed, of Erie; Mr. Watson, of Warren, and Mr. Osmer, of Venango), agreed that hereafter the Congressional Convention should be composed of seventy-seven delegates from Erie, thirty-two from Warren and forty two from Venango, and thus these high contracting parties have disfranchised Warren and Venango by giving to Erie more votes than the combined vote of the two remaining counties.

"At a first glance this little fix up might seem fair enough, but when it is more carefully examined, it carried the brand on its face, of a grand pipe laying fraud, for every one can see it is gotten up for a money making concern. No candidates in either Warren or Venango can ever secure a nomination *without paying down the cash* when the goods—the delegates—are delivered, and from our knowledge of politicians, and especially of Erie county politicians, we feel warranted in saying that prices will correspond with the capacity of the candidates' pockets. A grand pow-wow, or Indian green-corn dance, of these delegates, will assemble at Corry on the ninth of July, and all three of the old candidates are again on hand, ready, as they were said to have been two years ago, to adduce *substantial* arguments in favor of their nomination. Will it not be a sickening, and even a disgusting spectacle to see these delegates pulled and hauled about, and to see them ultimately yield, as one of old, to a certain number of pieces of silver? Yet this is a certain and legitimate sequence to this bargain made by those candidates, for an office the salary of which does not pay half of the expense of a sojourn at Washington during the sessions of Congress."

TORNADOES.—MADISON, Wis., May 24.—Last night a heavy rain storm was accompanied by the remarkable phenomenon of a rain of sticks, stones, boards and twigs of various sizes and large hail. The cyclone came from the southwest, probably from Mineral Point, between Mount Vernon and Oregon. It was especially severe, and fifteen to twenty barns are reported destroyed. A Norwegian living near Mount Vernon narrowly escaped death, and his father-in-law, Narne Bergt, and brother, Herbard Bergt, were killed instantly, while his mother-in-law was seriously injured by the destruction of their dwelling. O. B. Daly, a wealthy merchant of Mount Vernon, was also killed. A number of prairie fires started during the evening. A report from Oregon, Wisconsin, says that many houses were torn down near Paoli and three or four persons killed. Great destruction of property and loss of life undoubtedly resulted from the storms. News comes in slowly, as telegraphic communication with that part of the State is wanting.

Dill, Ross, Fertig and Africa!

The speech of Wallace's candidate for Governor is to come yet. He didn't make a speech at the Convention. He harangued the unterrified in a blab of about twenty lines the sum and substance being "I'll give out the spoils," yes, with a lavish hand. "I'll do the fair thing if I am elected. The Republicans have sucked the public teat long enough, now we want a pull."—*Curwensville Times.*

We copy the foregoing as a literary curiosity, and for the purpose of showing our readers how much falsehood and how little truth can be couched in eight lines by some editors.

Of the many expedients adopted by churches for the prompt liquidation of its debts the one adopted by the Presbyterian church at Baraboo, Wisconsin, strikes us as being the most simple and effective. The whole amount was divided into 274 shares of $3.65 each, and these shares taken up by the members of the church and congregation. The plan is one that seems to be adapted to almost any locality.

The Prince of Wales gave King Alfonso a handsome cimeter as a wedding gift. The friends of Mrs. Alfonso should chip in and purchase her a cavalry sword, for in a warm discussion with Alf. in relation to who shall get up first and make the fires she will find that a rolling-pin or a broomstick will not stand long against a cimeter.

The Mahoning Coal Co., which has been in operation at Mahoning, Fayette county, for the past five or six years, have concluded to discontinue their work at that place.

Advices from Caddo, Indian Territory, says three horse thieves were hanged fifty miles west of that place last Wednesday night.

New Advertisements.

STEAM SAW MILL FOR SALE.—A second-hand 25 horse power, Blandy portable saw mill, almost new, full rigged and in perfect order, warranted, will be sold very cheap. Apply in person or by letter to WM. HOLT, Moshannon, Centre Co., Pa.
May 29, 1878-3t.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby warned against harboring my wife Ruth, who has left my bed and board without any just cause or provocation, and I am determined to pay no debts of her contracting after this date, unless compelled by law. MATTHIAS HOCKENBERRY.
McPherson, May 28th, '78-3t.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between A. B. Reed and A. J. Hagerty, doing business under the firm name of Reed & Hagerty, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 16th day of May, 1878. All persons owing said firm are requested to make immediate payment to A. B. Reed, who retains the books and accounts. And all persons having claims against the firm will present them to him for payment.
A. B. REED,
A. J. HAGERTY.
Clearfield, Pa., May 22, 1878-3t*

ORPHANS' COURT SALE
OF
REAL ESTATE
OF
WILLIAM BELL, Dec'd.

By virtue of an order issuing out of the Orphans' Court of Clearfield county, there will be exposed to Public Sale, on the premises in Greenwood township, on

Tuesday, June 25, 1878, at 1 o'clock p. m.

the following described Real Estate of Wm. Bell, dec'd, to wit:

No. 1. A certain farm situate in Greenwood township, Clearfield county, Pa., bounded and described as follows: On the north by the west branch of the Susquehanna river; on the south and west by other land owned by said Wm. Bell, dec'd, and on the east by land of Reed & Owens, containing two hundred and eighteen acres, about sixty acres of which is cleared and under good cultivation, having thereon erected a good log dwelling house, a large new bank barn and other outbuildings, and a bearing orchard. There is also on the premises a valuable mill seat, and considerable oak, pine and hemlock timber.

No. 2. Another tract of land situate in said township of Greenwood, lying on the South bank of the Susquehanna river, containing 200 acres, about 15 acres of which is cleared, and the balance is well timbered with pine, oak and hemlock.

No. 3. Another tract of land situate in said township of Greenwood, on the North bank of the Susquehanna river, containing about 200 acres, more or less, about 12 acres of which is cleared, and the remainder has upon it a considerable quantity of pine, oak and hemlock timber.

TERMS OF SALE:—One third in cash on confirmation of sale, and the balance in one and two years, with interest secured on the premises.

FRAMPTON BELL,
E. L. HOOVER,
Administrators.
Bower, May 29, 1878-4t.

New Advertisements.

MONEY TO LOAN.—The Mutual Life Insurance Co. having resumed loans, applications on well improved farm properties, to the one-third of their cash value, will be considered, in sums not less than $2,000. For particulars &c. apply to HURXTHAL & SMITH.
April 17, '77-6m. Clearfield, Pa.

[illegible] Clark B. Norris, doing business under the firm name of Stage & Norris, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 20th day of May, 1878. The books and accounts of the late firm will be left at their place of business for thirty days for settlement, after which they will be left with a proper officer for collection.
ISAAC M. STAGE,
CLARK B. NORRIS.
Clearfield, Pa., May 22, 1878-4t.

The undersigned will continue the butchering business at the old stand, and asks a share of public patronage. ISAAC M. STAGE.

JURY LIST.—Names of jurors drawn for June Term, A. D. 1878, commencing on the 3d Monday, 17th day.

FIRST WEEK.

John W Davis, Beccaria	Jacob Myers, Beccaria
F F Coudriet, Covington	Thos W Kitchen, Chest
Geo E Tate, Woodward	Sam'l Brown, Lawrence
Wm Mitcarvey, Chest	Daniel Fry, Chest
Joe Winnery, Bradford	J Summerville, Burnside
John Lightner, Beccaria	D A Cathcart, Knox
Bigler Worrell, Newburg	S P Shoff, Woodward
J B Bougeaux jr, Cov'ton	Perry Dranaker, Brady
H Richards, Woodward	Wm Wingert, Brady
Adam Moyer, jr, Morris	Aaron Shirey, Goshen
Jos Moore, Ferguson	J E Rorabaugh, Burnside
Jos Lawhead, Woodward	David Sneeze, Jordan
S Coudriet, Covington	J Brickley, Burnside tp.
M S Spencer, Penn	Hunt Livingston, Brady
J Passmore, Greenwood	Dr D R Good, Osceola
E A Leavy, Clearfield	Philip Erhard, Knox
G W Narehood, Graham	Ezra Mays, Jordan
H Dougherty, Lawrence	Theodore Brown, Pike

SECOND WEEK.

Geo E Mokle, Knox	E Ashenfelter, Brady
Walter Shirey, Bradford	Mitchel Shope, Girard
Vincent Smeal, Boggs	Thos Lanich, Lawrence
John Hunter, Jordan	P B Hinkle, Lawrence
Reuben Straw, Jordan	J B Hollenback, Morris
D Faust, Curwensville	Wm Freeman, Penn
P Gilligan, Chest	Miles Flegal, Morris
T J Frew, Curwensville	J H Porter, L City
Thos Reilly, Clearfield	J H Lehman, Woodward
Philip Tubbs, Beccaria	John Powell, Graham
Jacob Fryer, Greenwood	Brady Kirk, Brady
David Forcey, Bradford	Wm B Forcey, Bradford
Geo M Brisbin, Osceola	Geo Charlton, Houtzdale
Jakob Barger, Bradford	Henry Dotts, Beccaria
N A Arnold, N Wash'ton	Wm Hoover, Bradford
Dennis Lewis, Lawrence	J W DeHaas, Brady
E H Thompson, "	Geo M Nelder, Brady
Harry Livingston, Gi'rd	W B Fox, Knox

TRIAL LIST.—List of causes set down for trial at June Term, 1878.

JUNE TERM—FIRST WEEK, 3d MONDAY, 17TH DAY.

O L Schoonover	vs. J C Brenner
H D Kessler	vs. Osceola Park Ass'n
Abram Kephart use	vs. Berwind, White & Co
M Harley & Bro	vs. " " "
George W Caldwell	vs. A C Finney
R Arthurs	vs. King & Fuller
John C Ferguson	vs. Daniel Gorman
Martha E Snyder	vs. Peter Moyer
Thomas Mitchell	vs. Ringold, Dillon et al
Joseph Goss	vs. David Goss
M McHendry et al	vs. James D Anthony
G D Goodlander et al	vs. A M McClure
Thomas Evans	vs. Samuel McCune
Fred Linfield	vs. Bennett's Br Imp Co
Charles Rohacker	vs. " " "
John C Tyler	vs. " "
Wm H Pentics	vs. Wm F Johnson
David Semple	vs. Arnold, Hartshorn & H
Wm H Pentics	vs. Joseph M Smith

SECOND WEEK, FOURTH MONDAY, 24TH.

James P Hale	vs. The M L & L Co
The Wash'n B & L As'n	vs. Geo Hager & trustee
" " "	vs. " "
Freehold B & B As'n	vs. McGregor & Pratt
John F Stahl	vs. Samuel Jenkins
Bigler, Young & Reed	vs. John DuBois
Wm Gregg	vs. E A Irvin
Kephart & Bailey	vs. The M L & L Co
J F Read	vs. J K Homer
Solomon Hallman	vs. John M Chase
Martha Hunter	vs. Leonard Kyler
Beyer, Guyer & Co	vs. ——— Young
D J Herr & Co	vs. Levar Flegal
E R Owens	vs. D L Ferguson
C H Garden & Co	vs. James Kerr & Co
John G Glasgow	vs. L Bloom
Beyer, Guyer & Co	vs. Mary A Shoff et al
" " "	vs. F Ramey et al
" " "	vs. ——— Shoff

ELI BLOOM, Prothonotary.

GEO. WEAVER & CO.,

SECOND STREET,

CLEARFIELD, PA.,

Have opened up, in the store room lately occupied by Weaver & Betts, on Second street, a large and well selected stock of

Dry-Goods, Groceries,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

QUEENSWARE, WOOD & WILLOW WARE,

HATS AND CAPS,

FLOUR, FEED, SALT, &c.

Which they will dispose of at reasonable rates for cash, or exchange for country produce.

GEORGE WEAVER & CO.
Clearfield, Pa., Jan. 9, 1878-tf.

AUDITORS' STATEMENT.—J. C. Whitehill, Esq., Treasurer of the borough of Clearfield, in account with the street funds for 1877-8.

DEBTOR.

To bal. 1875 dup. in hands of McClellan	$ 246 41
To bal. 1876 dup. in hands of Powell	379 09
To dup. 1877	1,168 28
To dog tax paid by W. Dorvitt	26 00
To am't rec'd from J.W. Smith pavement	21 15
To am't rent from Kratzer's market lot	65 00
Total	$1,904 44

CREDITOR.

By orders paid	$ 828 73
By int. paid on judg't, J. W. Smith	24 23
By am't paid judg't, J. W. Smith	39 79
By am't paid in full on A. W. Walters' judgment	37 97
By coupons paid	225 50
By bal. 1876 dup. with H. B. Powell	185 25
By exoneration on duplicate, 1877	17 72
By abatement on $900 in 90 days @ 5 per cent	46 00
By cost printing notices, &c.	3 00
By 2½ per cent. on $129.26 collected	3 20
By Auditors' fees	6 00
By 3 per cent. on disbursement of $1,252.13	37 56
By bal. uncollected dup. 1877	174 42
By bal. in hands of McClellan, dup. of 1875	248 82
Total	$1,859 22
Bal. due Treasurer Whitehill	$ 54 78

We, the undersigned Auditors of Clearfield borough, having duly examined the foregoing account of J. C. Whitehill, Treasurer of said borough, do find a balance due him of fifty-four and 78-100 dollars, ($54.78); and there remains uncollected on duplicate of 1876, in hands of Treasurer Whitehill $174.42, and in hands of H. B. Powell, dup. of 1876, $185.25; and in hands of John McClellan, dup. of 1875, $248.82.

H. W. SMITH,
JACKSON HAGERTY,
A. W. GRAHAM, Auditors.
April 6, 1878.

STATEMENT OF BOROUGH FINANCES.

LIABILITIES.

Amount of bonds redeemable 1880	$5,100 00
Interest due on bonds to Jan. 1, '78	207 27
Judgment and interest to June 1, 1878, J. W. Smith	644 52
Bal. on Boyer judgment and costs	64 62
Bal. due Treasurer Whitehill	54 78
Outstanding orders	1,313 85
Total	$7,434 66

ASSETS.

Bal. dup. 1875 with J. McClellan	$ 248 82
Bal. dup. 1876 with H. B. Powell	185 25
Bal. dup. 1877 with J. C. Whitehill	174 42
Bal. on pavement of D. W. Moore	41 79
Am't filing pavement of I. Test	20 00
Am't filing pavement of C. Howe	28 00
Am't repairs pavement, W. S. Bradley	2 85
Am't repairs pavement, J. B. McEnally	2 50
Rent on Market lot notes, Gulich & McCorkle	65 00
Rent of Market lot, John Gulich	65 00
Pavement of Luthern Church	38 00
Total	$ 926 60
Liabilities over assets	$6,508 14
Total	$7,434 66

I do certify the foregoing statement of borough finances to be correct. JAS. WRIGLEY, Burgess.
Attest: CYRUS GORDON, Clerk. May 22, '78-3t.

New Advertisements.

AT GUINZBURG'S
BOOT & SHOE STORE,

There is now being opened the largest new stock ever brought here of

STRAW HATS, FELT HATS,
BOOTS, SHOES, GENTS FURNISHING GOODS,
TRUNKS, ETC.

After having looked at goods at all other places, come to us and compare prices, and you will be convinced that ours are positively

THE CHEAPEST GOODS.

IN PROOF WE HAVE THE FOLLOWING PRICE LIST:

NO	Baby Shoes,		20 cents a pair.	NO
PAPER	Children's Shoes,		75 cents a pair.	PAPER
	Misses Shoes,		90 cents a pair.	
	Women's Dress Shoes,		90 cents a pair.	
	Womens' Morocco Buttoned Shoes,	$1 25	a pair.	
	Womens' Kid Shoes,	1 95	a pair.	
SOLES	Womens' Slippers,		35 cents a pair.	SOLES
	Mens' Shoes,		95 cents a pair.	
	Mens' Dress Shoes,	$1 45	a pair.	
	Mens Dress Boots,	3 00	a pair.	
	Mens' Slippers,		80 cents a pair.	

We have also an assortment too numerous to specify, at all prices. We take your measure for any shoes at prices comparing with list prices. Anything we have not got we will get you without extra charge. All kinds of produce taken in trade the same as though it was cash.

S. GUINZBURG'S
BOOT AND SHOE STORE,
Clearfield, May 22,'78. Second Street, opposite Court House.

THE BEE HIVE.

To the Citizens of Clearfield County:

I have opened up one of the largest and most attractive stocks of goods ever offered in this county, which must be seen to be appreciated. It is not necessary to go into details, but will say that the following departments are thoroughly full in all qualities and styles.

Dry Goods, Cassimers,	Millinery Goods, Hosiery and Gloves,	Carpets, Oil Cloths,
Shawls, Linens,	Corsets, Ties, Handkerchiefs,	Wall Paper, Window Blinds,
White Goods, Linen Suits,	Furnishing Goods, Kid Gloves,	Trunks, Valises,
Skirts.	Embroidery.	Rugs, &c.

These goods have been selected with the greatest care, were bought for cash and will be sold for cash, and my expenses being very light they will be sold cheaper than the cheapest.

WM. REED.
Clearfield, Pa., May 1, 1878.

At the REPUBLICAN office is the place to get your job work done. We are fully prepared to do anything in the printing line, will do it well, and at the right kind of prices. tf.

SELLERS' LIVER PILLS [illegible] R. E. SELLERS & CO., Prop's, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Hotel and Farm for Sale.

The undersigned offers for sale a good farm, containing about 75 acres of land, situate about one-fourth of a mile south of Shawville, Clearfield county, Pa. There is on the farm a good frame building 32x56 feet, now used as a hotel for the accommodation of the traveling public, a good stable 18x40 feet, with all necessary outbuildings, and a young orchard of thrifty fruit trees—peaches, apples, pears and cherry trees. The farm and hotel is offered at private sale, on reasonable terms. For particulars, apply on the premises, or by letter to LOUISA J. IRVIN, Shawville, Pa.
mar. 6-3m*

$25 REWARD.—A reward of $25, and no questions asked, will be paid for the return to Clearfield Lodge, I. O. O. F., of an old Minute Book and Ledger, taken from the Lodge Room some time in March or April, 1878. These books are of no value to any one but the Lodge, for occasional reference. By order of the Lodge.
J. K. BOTTORF,
Clearfield, Pa., May 15, 1878-4t. Secretary.

Michigan Lands for Sale.

500,000 acres of best farming lands, $4 to $10 per acre, and 175,000 acres of the best pine lands at from $15 to $75 per acre, on railroad, and good navigable streams. Good water and good soil. For pamphlets and full information, call on or address BENJAMIN HUNTER, Agent, 25 Federal St., Allegheny City, Pa.
may 8, '78-3m.

DIVORCE NOTICE.—In the Court of Common Pleas of Clearfield county, Penn'a, No. 321, January Term, 1878. Catharine Heitzenrather vs. Geo. Heitzenrather. The undersigned Commissioner, appointed by the Court to take testimony and report the same, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the office of Murray & Gordon, in Clearfield, on Monday, June 10th, 1878, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties interested may attend.
A. B. WEAVER,
Clearfield, May 15-3t. Commissioner.

PLANTS AND FLOWERS.—The undersigned hereby gives notice to the citizens of Clearfield county, that he has at his green house in Clearfield, a large quantity of all kinds of VEGETABLE AND FLOWER PLANTS, which he will sell at reasonable prices. He has Early and Late Cabbage Plants, Tomatoes, Celery, Cauliflower, Egg Plants, Pepper Plants, &c. SWEET POTATO PLANTS, $4 00 per 1,000 or 50 cents per hundred. All kinds of FLOWERS for pots and bedding, hanging baskets and vases, such as Assorted Heliotropes, Single & Double Petunias, Geraniums, Sage, Fuchsia, Pansies, Ageratum, Coleus, Dahlias, Verbenas, Cuphea, Cannas, Centaurea and Cineraria, Begonias, Browallia, Mignonette, Pinks, Phlox, &c., &c. FOR ONE DOLLAR, I will send one dozen, strong, vigorous, well branched flower plants of any selection. Where the selection is left to me I will guarantee satisfaction. ERNEST BOCK.
Clearfield, Pa., April 24,'78-tf.

CARD to the LADIES
—OF—
CLEARFIELD AND VICINITY.

On Friday, May 17th, 1878, I will return from Philadelphia with the most elegant and fashionable line of Millinery, Variety and Fancy Goods, ever brought to this county. The assortment will contain the most fashionable and richly trimmed imported Hats, Bonnets, &c., PLUMES, RUCHES, TRIMMINGS, VELVETS, KID GLOVES, LACE COLLARS, TIES, LACE & SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, FRENCH FLOWERS, SILKS, FISHUES, &c., &c.

These goods will be selected with great care from the best city houses, with the assistance of a first-class city milliner, and bought for cash, will be sold at extremely low prices, and the styles can be relied on as being good for all Summer. As May is the month to buy reliable goods, and any goods bought before May, are old and unreliable. Ladies, please give me your trade, and I will do my best to please your taste, and at very low prices. MRS. T. E. WATSON.
Clearfield, Pa., May 15, 1878-2t.

COME AND SEE
—THE NEW—
Philadelphia Branch
Clothing Store,
ROOM NO. 2, OPERA HOUSE.

The undersigned would respectfully inform the citizens of Clearfield and vicinity, that he has just opened the largest and best stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS, Gents' Furnishing Goods, TRUNKS, VALISES, &c., ever brought to Clearfield, and which he will sell cheaper than any other store in town. Call and see, and be convinced.
SIMON SHLOSS.
Clearfield, Pa., May 8, 1878-3m.

THIS WEEK
—AT—
H. A. KRATZER'S.
A NEW AND
ATTRACTIVE
STOCK OF
DRY GOODS,
DRESS GOODS,
CARPETS,
BOOTS, SHOES, &C.,
WILL BE OPENED
And Sold Cheap for Cash.
Clearfield, Pa., April 17, 1878.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.—In accordance with an Act of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, approved the 22d day of March, A. D. 1878, and the supplement approved the 3d day of April, A. D. 1872, "relating to the collection of taxes in the county of Clearfield," notice is hereby given to the tax-payers residing in the districts below named, that the County Treasurer, in accordance with the second section of said Act, will attend at the places of holding the borough and township elections on the following named days, for the purpose of receiving the County and State taxes assessed for 1878:

For Decatur township, Wednesday, May 29, from 9 to 4.
For Woodward township, Thursday, May 30th, from 10 to 4.
For Houtzdale bor., Friday, May 31, from 7 to 3, (Arlington House.)
For Osceola, Saturday, June 1st, from 7 to 4.
For Knox township, Monday, June 3d, from 10 to 3.
For Gulich twp., Tuesday, June 4, from 9 to 3.
For Beccaria township, Wednesday, June 5, from 9 to 3.
For Jordan township, Thursday, June 6, from 9 to 3.
For Ferguson township, Friday, June 7, from 8 to 12.
For Lumber City bor., Friday, June 7, from 1 to 7. (Guppy's Hotel.)
For Penn twp., Saturday, June 8, from 9 to 4.
For Union township, Wednesday, June 12, from 9 to 4.
For DuBois, Thursday, June 13, from 7 to 11, (at Carley's Hotel.)
For Troutville, Thursday, June 13, from 1 to 6.
For Luthersburg, Friday, June 14, from 7 to 3.
For Bloom township, Saturday, June 15, from 10 to 4.
For Pike township, Friday, June 21, from 9 to 6.
For Curwensville Saturday, June 22, from 10 to 4.
For Chest twp., Monday, June 24, from 10 to 5.
For Newburg bor., Tuesday, June 25, from 8 to 12.
For New Washington, Tuesday, June 25, from 1 to 6.
For Burnside twp., Wednesday, June 26, from 9 to 3.
For Burnside borough, Thursday, June 27, from 8 to 4.
For Bell township, Friday, June 28, from 9 to 4.
For Greenwood twp., Saturday, June 29, from 9 to 4.

Upon all taxes paid to the Treasurer there will be a reduction of five per cent., while five per cent. will be added after the first day of July next, to all unpaid taxes, making a difference of TEN per cent. to prompt tax-payers. Parties can, from the first of May, pay their taxes at the Treasurer's office.

NOTICE TO MERCHANTS.—A rare opportunity will be given to merchants to come forward at the time and places set forth, and lift their License for 1878.
DAVID McGAUGHEY,
Clearfield, Pa., April 17, 1878. Treasurer.

AUDITORS' STATEMENT.

J. C. WHITEHILL, Treasurer of the borough of Clearfield, in account with the poor fund from April 8th, 1877, to April 8th, 1878.

DR.

To balance at last settlement	$ 183 34
To am't of Duplicate for 1877	633 68
To cash received for coal, etc.	1 94
To amount from Collector Read	297 54
	$1,116 50

CR.

By orders paid	$ 796 67
By bal. on Dup. in hands of Col. Read	148 42
By exonerations	48 87
By Treasurer's per centage	18 27
By Auditors' fees	6 00
	$ 918 23
Balance in Treasurer's hands	$ 198 27

Ross Read and D. W. Moore, Overseers.

DR.

To orders drawn by Irwin and Porter	$ 19 50
To orders drawn by Read and Moore	277 17
	$296 67

CR.

By am't paid for support of Mrs. Lamont	$ 97 25
By " " " Ross	84 75
By " " " Williams	29 22
By " " " Miller	19 95
By " " " Geo. Boyle	4 75
By " " Passmore for lodging tramps	10 00
By " Read for lodging tramps	2 50
Miscellaneous:—	
E. Passmore, relief	4 00
Row & Son, printing	2 50
Hartswick & Irwin, drugs for paupers	4 20
Am't paid former Overseer, Irwin	10 00
Am't paid former Overseer, Porter	5 00
	$296 67

ASSETS.

Balance in Treasurer's hands	$198 27
Am't on Collector Read's Duplicate	148 42
	$346 69

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding orders	$ 28 56

We, the undersigned Auditors of the borough of Clearfield, certify that we have examined the vouchers and accounts of the Overseers of said borough for the current year, and find them as above stated.
A. W. GRAHAM,
A. J. HAGERTY,
Clearfield, Pa., May 15, 1878-3t. Auditors.