THE GAZETTE.

☞The watchman of the railroad bridge at Petersburg, was killed on Tuesday last, by the locomotive, and another man is said to have been killed on the same day, at Duncannon. Both these men were on the track, one of them we believe asleep, and the other perhaps not sober. It is really astonishing that any one should be so foolhardy as to make a railroad, with trains passing up or down every few hours, a place for taking a nap.

☞The last of the series of compromise measures, being the bill for the suppression of the slave trade in the District of Columbia, passed the Senate finally on Monday by the decisive vote of 33 to 19. When it was under consideration in the Senate on Thursday last, Mr. Seward of New York, offered an amendment abolishing Slavery in the District, which was rejected by a vote of yeas 5 nays 45! The Senators who voted in the affirmative, were Messrs. Chase of Ohio, Dodge of Wis., Hale of N. H. Seward of New York, and Upham of Vermont.

ADDRESS
Of the Whig State Central Committee, to the Freemen of Pennsylvania.

Fellow Citizens: The Election is approaching, and we all have an important duty to perform. To discharge that duty fully, faithfully, and successfully, should be made a high object with every good citizen. The offices of Canal Commissioner, Auditor General, and Surveyor General, the last two recently made elective, are all dependent on the popular voice. The control of the public works, the regulation of the land office, and the supervision of the finances of the State, are matters of grave concern to the people.

It becomes their interest as well as their duty to elect honest and intelligent men. The policy of dividing the canal board in its political character, so that the interests of all may be fairly represented and honestly guarded, must be obvious to every reflecting tax-paying citizen. The propriety too of surrounding the head of the State Administration with able advisers of the same political sentiment, must be equally apparent. The Whig Convention which assembled at Philadelphia in June last, placed in nomination for these offices, gentlemen of the highest character for ability and integrity. We know them to be eminently worthy men. We believe their election would be honorable to our party, and of service to the State; therefore we sincerely recommend them to your earnest support.

The election of Members of the Legislature possesses unusual interest, from the fact that at their next session they are to apportion the State for the Congressional representation, and to elect a United States Senator to serve for a period of six years, from the fourth of March next. The experience of last winter has taught us that in order to secure a fair and honest Apportionment Bill, it is necessary to have a Whig majority in the Legislature. The importance of having another voice in the Senate, to speak for the interests of Pennsylvania, cannot be overrated. It is important also to uphold and sustain our State Executive, in the line of policy he has adopted, policy which is largely increasing the revenues of the State, providing for the reduction of the public debt, and making productive our unfinished improvements. A wise system of measures, which is rapidly redeeming the Commonwealth from the low condition in which the corruption and misrule of former administrations had plunged her.

The election of Members of Congress is also of the utmost consequence. The interests of our State depend on the election of good men. The great body of the people of Pennsylvania *demand* a change of the tariff. They are told that it is *inexpedient*. For four years they have been struggling against legislation which closes their coal mines and their workshops—which prefers the foreign capitalist in their own market, giving *bread* to foreign labor which is required for the support of their *own*. The fires of our 200 Iron works *have gone out*, the hands of 20,000 laborers are *idle*. Every branch of *industry*, Agricultural, Mining, Mechanical, and Manufacturing is suffering. A change is required, such a change as will better develope the resources of the State, and more profitably employ the labor of our people. We want men who are orthodox on this subject. Men, too, of firmness of courage, and of high intelligence, on whose wisdom, moderation, and patriotism, we can rely in periods of danger and difficulty. Men regarding the interests of their constituents, and at the same time looking to the integrity, harmony, and stability of the Union.

Our opponents are already in the field. They have published their manifesto, proclaiming their virtues, and our infirmities, in the true spirit of the pharisee. They talk of Galphins, of frauds and of speculations with which they are most familiar, abusing with good set phrase and rounded period every department of the National Administration. The highest standard of democratic merit is avowed to be an observance of the *usages*, an attendance upon the caucuses and a stern adherence to nominations by the majority. This constitutes the ceremonial of their political worship, never to be abandoned, no matter what pledges have been violated, or what public interests are to be sacrificed.

We contend for the entire freedom of opinion and action. Opinion should be free as air, and as intelligent as education can make it. Men are not born blind, or with collars on their necks.

We want good order, just laws and the honest administration of business.

Our opponents talk of honest agents and low salaries, while their candidates vote for increased pay and higher emoluments. Who have had control of the public works for the last 12 years? Who have audited the public accounts, forgetting law and propriety? Who have used the public works for personal and party purpose? What Canal Commissioners have gambled for votes with the people's money, rewarding political emissaries, or in openly corrupting the ballot box. The Williamsport Convention made startling disclosures. We stand in the light of Democratic revelation. On their own oaths—themselves being judges—they are *condemned*.

While we have profound reason to mourn the loss of our distinguished chief, the President of the United States, summoned hence at an alarming crisis in our national affairs, we are yet permitted to rejoice that his mantle of office has fallen on the shoulders of one so able and so worthy to wear it. Never in the history of the country have our foreign relations been more ably, more successfully, or more gloriously maintained than during this administration, and never in the history of our State have the interests of the Commonwealth been more carefully guarded or her honor more nobly defended.

Let us then rally around and support them—let us maintain the principless we profess. To this end, and with these objects before us, if we would succeed, we must go to work. We must organize thoroughly, efficiently, and immediately, in every district, county, ward, and township. Individual preferences must give way to the general good—personal differences, heartburnings, and discontents be forgotten, and our strifes (if we have any) be who shall labor the hardest and accomplish the most for the success of the party, and the good of the country. Let us especially encourage our local press—establish it wherever it can be done, and sustain it when established. It is the great moral lever which moves the world. The widest dissemination of correct principles, and the highest inculcation of sound political doctrine, should be encouraged in every possible way. The success of the Whig party is based on the intelligence of the *people*.

The past is full of encouragement, and the future is full of *hope*. Let the *same* spirit which moved us in 1840 and 1848 move us now, and we shall triumph. Let our faith be a *living* faith, and victory is certain.

HENRY M. FULLER, Chairman.

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 14.—The Convention, composed of Barnburners and Hunkers, which has been in session here some days, nominated Horatio Seymour for Governor, and Sandford E. Church for Lieutenant Governor. Also, John C. Mather for Canal Commissioner. After making other less important nominations, the Convention adjourned *sine die*.

Cleveland, Sept. 16th.—The preliminary examination of Gen. Hinton, one of the big guns of locofocoism in Ohio, charged with robbing the mail, was closed on Saturday evening. He was adjudged guilty, and bail was fixed at $15,000. The General not being able to procure bail for so large an amount, left this city yesterday by stage for Columbus, in company with General Jones, U. S. Marshal, where he will await his trial in the Franklin county jail.

MARRIED.

On the 19th inst., by C. Hoover, Esq., Mr. John Rager and Miss Mary Rough, all of Lewistown.

On the 19th inst., by Rev. S. V. Blake, Mr. Adolphus Welch of Huntingdon county, and Miss Henrietta Kunkleman of this place.

On the 17th inst., by Rev. R. Hamill, Mr. John Campbell Boggs of Huntingdon, and Miss Sarah M. Moyer of Bellefonte.

DIED.

On the 5th inst., at the residence of his father, David Davis, in Kishacoquillas Valley, John Foster Davis, in the the 35th year of his age.

Business cards of two lines will be inserted in the Gazette one year for ONE DOLLAR, and 50 cents for each additional line—to be paid in advance in all cases. Lawyers, doctors, mechanics and others, can thus advertise their business a year for from $1 to $3.

SPECIMEN,

the charge for which would be $1 per annum.

EDWIN ALLEN, Market street, Lewistown, Dealer in *Drugs, Confectionary, Toys, &c.*

WOOD WANTED.

A few loads of wood are wanted immediately at this office, Those of our subscribers who intend paying their subscription in wood will accommodate us by delivering it soon.

COAL, WHISKEY, &C.

100 tons screened Limeburner's COAL
100 tons Sunbury do
100 tons Wilkesbarre do
25 bbls Monongahela WHISKEY
on hand and for sale by A. MARKS.
N. B.—*PLASTER, FISH* and *SALT* always on hand. sept 6, 1850-3m

DR. E. W. HALE

OFFERS his professional services to the citizens of Lewistown. He can be consulted at all times at the Bee Hive Drug store.
Lewistown, August 30, 1850-tf

MACKEREL,
SHAD,
CODFISH,
SALMON,
HERRINGS,
PORK,
HAMS & SIDES,
SHOULDERS,
LARD & CHEESE.

Constantly on hand and for sale by J. PALMER & Co., Market street Wharf, PHILADELPHIA.
sept 13 3m

FALL MILLINERY GOODS.
JOHN STONE & SONS,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
Silks, Ribbons & Millinery Goods,
No. 45 South SECOND Street, Philadelphia,

HAVE received by late arrivals from France, a large and very desirable assortment of FALL MILLINERY GOODS, among which will be found
Bonnet Velvets of all colors in variety of prices
" *Satins* " " " "
Corded Velvets " " " "
Figured, water'd and colored *Bonnet Goods*
Bonnet and Cap Ribbons—a large assortment
French and American Flowers
Laces, Bonnet Tabs, Crowns, Buckrams, &c., together with a splendid assortment of *Paris Fancy Feathers*.
The above goods were selected by one of the firm in France, and will be sold at the very lowest market prices.
Philadelphia, September 13, 1850-1m

HAT & CAP EMPORIUM.
N. J. RUDISILL,
At his Old Stand in Market street,

HAS just returned from the city with the FALL FASHIONS and a large stock of material, which he is manufacturing into most superb HATS, which cannot fail to please.

Especial attention is requested to his extensive stock of men's, boys' and children's

CAPS,

the largest ever exhibited in Lewistown, comprising no less than

Seventy Different Styles,

at from 10 cents upwards.

His Omish friends will also find him prepared to suit their tastes. His unrivalled *BROAD-BRIMS* will receive the same care and attention which he has always bestowed upon them. Don't forget the old stand, where you may depend upon not being disappointed.

Thankful for the liberal share of custom bestowed on him heretofore, he solicits his old friends and 999 new ones—being all he can at present accommodate—to call and adorn themselves with a new hat or cap.
Lewistown, sept. 13, 1850—tf.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber will offer at public vendue, at his residence in Kishacoquillas Valley, on *FRIDAY, the 27th day of September*, 1850, all his stock, consisting of Milch Cows, fed Bullocks, Calves, one Bull, Hogs, one Mare; also, one four-horse Wagon, nearly new, one two-horse Wagon, and a general lot of Farm-Utensils, together with a variety of Household and Kitchen Furniture, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, when the conditions (with a liberal credit given) will be made known.
JOSEPH HENDERSON.
Valley, September 6, 1850-ts

FOR PAINTERS.—A general assortment of Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Paint Brushes, &c., &c. Call and examine for yourselves at the *Bee Hive Drug store.* sept6tf

FRESH GOODS.

THE subscribers have just received a general assortment of FALL GOODS, consisting of DRY GOODS and GROCERIES.
5 hhds. Sugar-house and Syrup Molasses
3 do Sugar, from 7 to 10 cents per lb.
500 lbs. Preserving Sugar, at 5 cts. per lb.
125 bbls. No 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel
25 do No. 1 Herring
3 casks Dried Beef, at 12½ cents per lb.
12000 lbs. Hams, at only 9 cents
15000 lbs. Shoulder at 6¼ cents per lb.
1000 lbs. Flitch, at only 7 cents per lb.
50 sacks Liverpool Salt, at only $1.50
500 bags Fine Dairy do
150 bbls. Monongahela Whiskey.
A general assortment of Wines, &c.
French Brandies always on hand.
Persons purchasing to sell again can be accommodated at a small advance on Philadelphia prices. Call and see before purchasing.
KENNEDY & PORTER.
N. B.—A few casks of Lewis' Fine Cincinnati Sugar Cured Hams at 12½ cents per lb. Canvassed Hams at 10 cts. per lb., by
Lewistown, Sept. 6, 1850. K. & P.

Selling off at Cost
AND
NO MISTAKE!

INTENDING to relinquish the Dry Goods business in this place and engaging in other pursuits, the splendid stock of Goods now on the shelves and counters of

NUSBAUM, BROTHERS,

comprising, in great variety, all the leading articles usually found in a carefully selected stock, and a considerable quantity of

FINE GOODS

not always to be had, will be sold off AT COST. As is well known, we have always sold CHEAP, and as the stock was purchased RIGHT—we may say without boasting, as low as any one could have bought it—it will be SOLD RIGHT. The selection consists of

Fancy & Staple Dry Goods,
Such as Fancy Prints at all prices, Ginghams, Checks, Alpacas, De Laines, Mermoes, Silks of all kinds, and a general assortment of Ladies' Dress Goods.

Cloths, Cassimeres & Satinetts,
Jeans, Tweeds, Kerseys, Flannels, &c.

Bleached & Brown Muslins,
Ticking, Shawls, Ribbons, Laces, Capstuffs, Fringes, Gimps, Hosiery, Gloves, Suspenders, Combs, &c &c.

BOOTS AND SHOES,
AND
READY MADE CLOTHING,

Together with a good and general assortment of

GROCERIES.

☞ Should any one be desirous of purchasing the whole stock, it will be sold a bargain. The stand is a good one, and in such case possession would be given in a short time.

P. S.—All persons indebted on the books are earnestly requested to call and make settlement on or before the *FIRST DAY OF JUNE NEXT*, as after that date they will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection

WELCH'S
NATIONAL DRAMATIC CIRCUS.
RE-ORGANIZED, AND BEING A COMBINATION OF TWO COMPANIES—EQUESTRIAN AND DRAMATIC.

THIS Novel Combination and Double Troupe will perform at LEWISTOWN on MONDAY, September 23d, 1850, for one day only—afternoon and evening. Performance will commence at 2 P. M. and 7½ P. M. ☞ Doors opening half an hour previous. Admission 25 cents.

In the equestrian department, one of the leading, and from their novelty the most striking feature, are the wonderful exploits of the Wild Rider, EATON STONE. This extraordinary equestrian, of whose skill and daring volumes have been written wherever he has performed, appears in two distinct acts of horsemanship, in neither of which does he use saddle or bridle on his superb steeds, though they are both as wild and apparently unmanageable as when first lassoed by him on the Pampas of South America. Their leaps are truly terrific, and it is impossible to describe the sensations of the beholder as he watches the motions of horse and rider, which are in perfect unison, and which convey to the mind a strong picture of the Centaurs of Heathen Mythology.

Mast. T. NEVILLE is another of the stars which form the brilliant Galaxy of Talent of which this great Company is composed. He is everywhere admitted to be without a rival in his equestrian feats. Mr. CADWALLADER, graceful and daring many horse rider, the established favorite of this company. Mr. E. DERIOUS, with his highly educated, superb stud of Lilliputian Shetland Ponies. The great and widely renowned Acrobats, the RIVERS FAMILY, whose pleasing and astonishing feats have never been equalled in America; the accomplished equestrian and champion vaulter, Mr. W. O. DALE, Mr. SAM LEE, whose herculean feats are the wonder and admiration of all who witness them. The juvenile equestrian prodigies, Masters G. DERIOUS, LUKE and CHAS RIVERS, R. WILLIAMS, and R. A. AUSTIN. Two great Clowns, BOB WILLIAMS and DAN GARDNER, whose unexceptionable art and most approved good humor, have placed them at the summit of their profession. Master of the Arena, Capt. J. A. BISCAMP. The grand Heroic Equestrian Dramatic Spectacle,

St. George and the Dragon,
Or the Seven Champions of Christendom,

Got up with the most lavish expense, with new and gorgeous dresses, properties and appointments of every sort, as performed for hundreds of nights at the National Amphitheatre, Philadelphia, will conclude each entertainment.

☞ Post's Celebrated Military Band will accompany the performance.

A great and entirely novel feature in the magnificent pavilion is, the manner in which it is illuminated, the means being a PORTABLE GAS FACTORY. In this machine, probably the greatest discovery of the age, the quantity of gas necessary to render the interior of the pavilion as light as noon-day is daily manufactured, and the article produced affords a purer, better and more brilliant light than can be obtained from any other gas made in the country.

☞ The above Troupe will exhibit at M'Veytown on Saturday, September 21st. aug23-4t

IRON.—Assorted Bar Iron for sale low by
aug23 WM. REWALT.

GENERAL ELECTION.

SHERIFF'S PROCLAMATION.

PURSUANT to an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "an Act relating to the Elections of this Commonwealth," approved the 2d day of July, A. D. 1839, I, DAVIS McKEAN CONTNER, Sheriff of the county of Mifflin, Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county aforesaid, that a general election will be held in said county of Mifflin, on the second TUESDAY, (8th) of October, 1850, at which time State and county officers are to be elected, to wit:

One person to fill the office of Canal Commissioner of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

One person to fill the office of Auditor General of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

One person to fill the office of Surveyor General of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

One person to represent the counties of Mifflin, Juniata, Centre, Huntingdon and Blair, in the 32d Congress of the United States.

One person to fill the office of member of the House of Representatives, to represent the county of Mifflin in the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania.

One person to fill the office of County Commissioner.

One person to fill the office of District Attorney of the county of Mifflin

One person to fill the offices of Prothonotary, Clerk of the Courts of General Quarter Sessions and Oyer and Terminer, of the county of Mifflin.

One person to fill the office of County Surveyor of the county of Mifflin.

One person to fill the office of Director of the Poor for the term of three years, in the district composed of the townships of Armagh, Brown, Union and Menno.

One person to fill the office of Director of the Poor for the term of two years, in the district composed of the townships of Wayne, Oliver, Granville, Derry Decatur, and the boroughs of McVeytown and Newton Hamilton.

One person to fill the office of Director of the Poor for the term of one year, in the district composed of the east and west wards of the borough of Lewistown.

One person to fill the office of Auditor of public accounts.

Whereas, a joint resolution to amend the Constitution of this Commonwealth, in the second section of the fifth article thereof, by providing for the election of the Judges of this Commonwealth, by the people, has been agreed to by a majority of the members elected to each House of the Legislature, at two successive sessions of the same.

And whereas, the Constitution of the said Commonwealth requires that any amendment so agreed upon shall be submitted to the people in such manner, and at such time, at least three months after being so agreed to by the two houses, as the Legislature shall prescribe.

And whereas, by an Act of the General Assembly of the State, passed the ninth day of April, A. D., 1850, it is provided "that for the purpose of ascertaining the sense of the citizens of this Commonwealth, in regard to the adoption or rejection of the said amendment, the Governor of this Commonwealth shall issue a writ of election, directed to the Sheriff of each and every county of this Commonwealth, commanding them to give notice in the usual manner, that an election will be held in each township, ward and district therein, on the second Tuesday of October, A. D. 1850, for the purpose of deciding upon the adoption or rejection of the said amendment; which said election shall be held at the places, and be opened and closed at the time at and within which the general elections of this Commonwealth are held, opened and closed."

Now, therefore, in obedience to the requirements of the Constitution, and in accordance with the true intent and meaning of the said act of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, I, DAVID McCONTNER, Sheriff of Mifflin county, give notice, that an election will be held, according to the terms of the Constitution, and provisions of the Act of the General Assembly aforesaid, in each of the townships, wards and districts therein, on the second Tuesday of October, 1850, for the purpose of deciding upon the adoption or rejection of the said amendment.

And the freemen of the county of Mifflin, who are in favor of the amendment made by the Legislature to the Constitution of this Commonwealth, may express their desire by voting each a printed or written ticket or ballot containing the words "For the Amendment," and those who are opposed to such amendment, may express their opposition by voting each a printed or written ticket or ballot, containing the words "Against the Amendment."

I also hereby make known and give notice, that the place of holding the aforesaid election in the several districts of the said county will be held respectively at the places hereinafter designated, to wit:

The Electors of the Borough of Newton Hamilton are to meet at the public school house in said borough.

The Electors of Wayne township to meet at the stone school house in the borough of Newton Hamilton.

That by an act passed the 5th day of April 1849, The voters of Oliver township, in the county of Mifflin, who reside on the north side of the Juniata river shall hereafter hold their general and spring elections at the public school house in the Borough of McVeytown, see Sec. 61, P. laws, page 509.

The voters of all that part of Oliver township, south of the Juniata river, commencing at the line dividing Oliver and Wayne townships on the west, and Strunk's run at the line dividing Oliver and Granville townships on the east, will hereafter hold their general and spring elections at the brick school house on the farm of William Harshbarger, in said township.

The Electors of the Borough of McVeytown to meet at the Union School house in said borough.

The Electors of Granville township are to meet at the Court House in the borough of Lewistown.

The Electors of Menno township are to meet at the public house of James Hemphill, lately occupied by Daniel Whitaker, and now occupied by C. C. Hemphill, in Allenville, in said township.

The Electors of Union township are to meet at the house formerly occupied by Jacob Sagner in said township

The Electors of Brown township are to meet at the house formerly occupied by Adam Greer and now occupied by Samuel W. Stewart, at Brown's Mills, in said township.

The electors of Armagh township are to meet at the house now occupied by Jesse Wingate in said township.

The Electors of Decatur township are to meet at the house of Abraham Muttersbaugh, formerly occupied by David Muttersbaugh in said township.

The Electors of Derry township are to meet at the Court House in the borough of Lewistown.

And by an Act of Assembly, the borough of Lewistown was divided into two Wards and each Ward to compose an election district. The Electors of the East Ward will meet at the Court House and vote at the window of the Commissioners' office

The Electors of the West Ward will meet at the same place and vote at the window of the Sheriff's office in said Court House in said borough.

☞ An act of the Legislature having changed the mode of voting in Mifflin county, all officers hereafter to be elected may be voted for on a single slip of paper and deposited in one ballot box, a fact which should be particularly noted by all entitled to the right of suffrage, and by the officers of the election.

I also make known and give Notice, as in and by the 13th section of the Election Law, I am directed, that every person except Justices of the Peace, who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust, under the government of the United States or of this State, or of any city or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise, and subordinate officer or agent, who is or shall be employed under the Legislative, Judiciary or Executive Department of the State or of the United States, or any city or incorporated district: And also that every member of Congress and of the State Legislature, and of the select and common council of any city or incorporated district, is by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time, the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector or Clerk of any election in this commonwealth, and that no Inspector, Judge or other officer of such election shall be eligible to any office there to be voted for.

Also, That in the 4th section of the Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act relating to Executions and for other purposes," passed and approved 16th April, 1840, it is enacted that the "13th section shall not be construed to prevent any militia or borough officer from serving as Judge, Inspector or Clerk at any General or Special Election of this Commonwealth.

I also hereby give Notice that, pursuant to the provisions contained in the 76th section of the act first aforesaid, the judges of the aforesaid districts shall respectively take charge of the certificate or return of the election of their respective districts, and produce them at a meeting of one judge from each district, at the Court House in the borough of Lewistown, on the third day after the election, being for the present year on Friday, the 11th of October next, then and there to do and perform the duties required by law. If sickness or unavoidable accident prevent, or if [illegible] certificate or return aforesaid shall be taken charge of by one of the Inspectors or Clerks of the election of said district, who shall do and perform the duties of said judge unable to attend.

Also, That in the 81st section of said act it is enacted that, "when two or more counties shall compose a district for the choice of a member or members of the Senate of this Commonwealth, or of the House of Representatives of the United States or of this Commonwealth, the Judges of the election in each county having met as aforesaid, the Clerks shall make out a fair statement of all the votes which shall have been given at such election, within the county, for every person voted for as such member or members, which shall be signed by said judges and attested by the clerks; and one of the judges shall take charge of such certificate and shall produce the same at a meeting of one judge from each county, at such place in such district as is or may be appointed by law for the purpose, which meeting shall be held on the seventh day after the Election." The return judges of the 17th Congressional District shall meet on Tuesday, the 15th day of October next, at Norris' Mills, in Mifflin county, then and there to do and perform the duties required by law of said judges of the aforesaid Congressional District.

Also, That in the 61st section of said act, it is enacted, that "every general and special election shall be opened between the hours of eight and ten in the forenoon, and shall continue without interruption or adjournment until seven o'clock in the evening, when the polls shall be closed."

Also, That in the 1st section of the act of Assembly, entitled "an Act to reduce the expenses and provide for the election of the Board of Canal Commissioners," passed April 18th, 1843, it is enacted "that at the next annual election, the qualified voters of the several counties of this Commonwealth shall vote for one person as Canal Commissioner, who shall perform all the duties now enjoined by law upon the Canal Commissioner; the election of Canal Commissioner shall be conducted by the officers authorized by law to conduct the general elections in the several election districts; a return of the votes given for said office shall be made to the Secretary of the Commonwealth in the manner now provided for the transmission of returns of the election of representatives; the Secretary of the Commonwealth, on the receipt of all the returns, shall notify the person, who shall enter upon his duties on the second Tuesday in January succeeding their election.

Given under my hand at my office, in Lewistown the 8th day of September, 1850.

D. M'KEAN CONTNER, Sheriff.

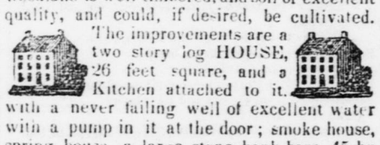
Lewistown, September 13, 1850-3t

VALUABLE FARM
AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscribers will offer at public sale, on *WEDNESDAY, the 20th of November next*, at 1 o'clock, P. M., on the premises, the following described real estate, late the property of JOSEPH BARTHOLOMEW, deceased, of Granville township, Mifflin county, containing

136 Acres and 101 Perches,

more or less, bounded by lands of the heirs of John McFadden, George Shade, and others. There are about 80 acres cleared and in a good state of cultivation, well watered by a small stream, besides several springs. The woodland is well timbered, and soil of excellent quality, and could, if desired, be cultivated.



The improvements are a two story log HOUSE, 26 feet square, and a Kitchen attached to it, with a never failing well of excellent water with a pump in it at the door; smoke house, spring house, a large stone bank barn, 45 by 100 feet, with two large floors, two granaries with cellars under, corn cribs, and other out buildings. There are two Apple Orchards, partly young grafted trees. Besides a variety of pears, peaches, plums, cherries, apricots, &c This farm is five miles above Lewistown on a public road, leading from thence to Shirleysburg; also on the Central Railroad. It is convenient to mills, schools, and places of public worship, of different denominations.

Persons are requested to call and see for themselves, when any information necessary will be given by one of the heirs residing thereon.

Terms made known on day of sale by
THE HEIRS.
August 16, 1850—td.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE
AT PUBLIC SALE.

WILL be offered at public sale, on the premises, on *FRIDAY, October* 18, 1850, the following described real estate, late the property of DAVID HARTZLER, deceased, to wit:

A tract of Land, situate in Oliver township, new district, containing **225 ACRES**, more or less, about 125 acres of which are cleared and in a good state of cultivation, and the remainder covered with excellent timber, adjoining lands of David Miller, Geo Wakefield's heirs, Daniel Yoder, and others. The improvements consist of a TWO STORY LOG HOUSE, weatherboarded, a Bank Barn, Wagon Shed, Smoke House, Spring House, with an excellent Spring near the dwelling, an Apple Orchard, and other fruit trees. This property is situated on the Juniata river, two miles east of M'Veytown, the Pennsylvania Railroad running through the same, and is convenient to churches, schools, mills, &c. Persons desirous of examining it, or obtaining further information respecting the same, are requested to call on Daniel Yoder, residing on the adjoining farm.

Terms of Sale.—One half to be paid on the 1st of April, 1851, when possession and an indisputable title will be given by the heirs—the remainder to be paid in three annual payments, *without* interest, to be secured by bonds and mortgage on the premises.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., of said day, when due attendance will be given by
THE HEIRS.
Oliver tp., August 23, 1850-ts

Auditor's Notice.

THE subscriber, appointed Auditor by the Orphan's Court of Mifflin county to report on the exceptions filed, &c., to the account of William Shaw, guardian of the minor children of JOHN M'FADDEN, late of Granville township, Mifflin county, deceased, appoints WEDNESDAY, the 9th day of October next, at his office in Lewistown, to hear the parties interested, when and where they are hereby notified to attend. WM. M. HALL.
Lewistown, Aug. 30, 1850.—4t.

Auditor's Notice.

THE subscriber, appointed Auditor by the Orphans' Court of Mifflin county, to distribute the balance in the hands of E. Banks, Executor of the last will and testament of WILLIAM MATHEWS, late of Decatur township, Mifflin county, deceased, appoints FRIDAY, the 11th day of October next, at his office in Lewistown, to hear the parties interested, when and where they are hereby notified to attend. WM. M. HALL.
Lewistown, Aug. 30, 1850—4t.

Auditor's Notice.

THE subscriber appointed Auditor by the Orphans' Court of Mifflin county to distribute the proceeds in the hands of Robert Laughlin, administrator of MATTHEW GLASGOW, late of Wayne township, Mifflin county, dec'd appoints THURSDAY, the 3d day of October next, at his Store in the borough of Newton Hamilton, to hear the parties interested, when and where they are hereby notified to attend. JOHN PURCELL.
Newton Hamilton, Aug. 30, 1850-4t

LEWISTOWN ACADEMY.

THE Second Term of this Institution will commence on MONDAY, September 2d.

MALE DEPARTMENT.

Persons wishing to send their sons from a distance need be under no apprehensions in regard to them. Boarding can be procured where they will be almost constantly under the eye of the Teacher. Terms of tuition are as follows:

Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, and English Grammar,	$3.00
Geography, explained by Globes,	3.50
Algebra,	4.00
Geometry,	5.00
The Languages and Natural Sciences, illustrated by experiments,	6.00

FEMALE DEPARTMENT.

The Female Department, under the charge of Miss Antoinette Proseus, will be opened the same day on the following terms:

Elementary Branches,	$3.00
Natural Philosophy and History,	4.00
Algebra and Geometry, with all the higher branches of an English education,	5.00

EXTRAS:

Pencil Drawing or Crayon,	$2.00
Painting,	2.00
French,	3.00
Music Lessons,	8.00

☞ Term of eleven weeks.
W. H. WOODS, Principal.
Lewistown, Aug. 30, 1850.

NO HUMBUG!
WILLIAM G. STOY,

PRACTICAL BOOK KEEPER and ACCOUNTANT for twenty years in the city of Philadelphia, and Teacher of Penmanship, having been engaged for the last year in a counting room in this place, and solicited by friends, has taken and furnished rooms in the late Judge Reynolds' house, west Market street, where he will cheerfully impart a knowledge to fit any young man for the counting room—*not in two or three days*, but in a satisfactory time to the pupil. Those desiring a knowledge of Book Keeping or Penmanship will call at his rooms any afternoon after 4 o'clock P. M.

A class will be formed on MONDAY, the 2d September. Terms moderate.

References and specimens satisfactory to the most fastidious.

N. B.—Marshes' system of book keeping not taught—obsolete.
Lewistown, Aug. 30, 1850-tf

BEE HIVE DRUG STORE.

DR. E. W. HALE, having purchased the Drug and Chemical establishment recently owned and conducted by Dr. J. B. Mitchell, will continue the Drug business at the old stand well known as the Bee Hive store, a few doors east of Franciscus' Hardware store, on Market street, where may at all times be found an assortment of the best and purest DRUGS and MEDICINES in the market. In addition, he will always keep on hand a well selected assortment of French and English

Chemicals, Paints, Oils and Dye Stuffs,

together with a lot of superior PERFUMERY and FANCY ARTICLES.

☞ Physicians and Druggists from the country will find an extensive and well selected stock of goods from which to make their selection, and may rely upon having their orders promptly and carefully attended to, and upon terms as favorable and liberal as can be had elsewhere.

☞ Physicians' prescriptions carefully compounded. [Lewistown, Aug. 30, 1850-tf

LEWISTOWN MILLS.

THE subscriber has again got his Mill started, and wishes to buy a LARGE QUANTITY OF ALL KINDS OF GRAIN, for which he will pay the CASH, as high as the market will afford, according to quality. Any person having good Wheat will do well to call and show a sample before they sell, as he thinks he can afford to give MORE than any person in the place. Those not wishing to sell and wanting to store, he will receipt after harvest to be kept to the 1st of December, and after that time he will give a receipt to be kept to the 1st of August, as he will wish to close all his accounts twice a year, and will not keep any over unless he makes a written contract to that effect. If the person holding the receipt does not sell before the above days, it will be carried out to their credit at market price at the above named time. In giving a receipt, if the wheat is not good, he will mention the reduction per bushel in the receipt, so that when the owner comes to sell there will be no difficulty.

All wheat left in store he will reserve the privilege of buying, when the owner wishes to sell, at 13 cents less than Philadelphia price when the canal is open, and 16 cents less when it is closed, and if he should not buy at these prices, he will only charge one cent per bushel for storage. No interest will be allowed on money left with him for grain, as he will be prepared at all times to pay the cash.

He will keep all kinds of FLOUR and FEED for sale, but the orders must be left in the office in the mill, and the cash paid, before the Flour or Feed will be delivered. This arrangement is made to prevent any disappointment, as there is no person that has any privilege of selling but the Book-keeper, who enters it on the book and puts the order on a wire for the porter to deliver. This will prevent any mistake from being made in the filling of orders.
JOHN STERRETT.
Lewistown, June 28, 1850-tf

PLAIN and Fancy Envelopes, Note Paper, Letter and Writing Paper, Quills, Steel Pens, &c., &c., for sale at the Diamond Drug and Variety Store of A. A. BANKS.

D. SUNDERLAND & SON,
MARBLE MASONS,

WOULD respectfully inform their friends and the public, that they still continue to carry on the *MARBLE BUSINESS* in all its various branches, at their old stand,

Corner of THIRD and VALLEY streets, LEWISTOWN,

where they have constantly on hand

Marble Mantels, Tombs, Monuments, Grave Stones, &c.

They are prepared to execute all kinds of

Plain & Ornamental Work

with neatness and on the most reasonable terms

Thankful for the liberal patronage extended to them, they solicit a continuance of the same.

Orders from any part of the country, through mail, attended to with accuracy and [illegible]
July 5, 1850-tf