

THE GAZETTE.

LEWISTOWN, PA. Thursday, April 30, 1857.

American Republican Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR: DAVID WILMOT, of Bradford county. FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER: WILLIAM MILLWARD, of Philadelphia. FOR SUPREME JUDGE: JOSEPH J. LEWIS, of Chester county. JAMES VEECH, of Fayette county.

Notice of New Advertisements.

Our readers will notice the advertisement of a new work entitled "Old Haun, the Pawnbroker," published by Budd & Carleton, New York. It is highly commended by the press. Garrett, Dick & Fitzgerald, New York, also advertise a new work, entitled "Inquire Within, or 3,700 Facts for the People," and containing useful information on almost every subject.

The National Police Gazette, a journal of crime and criminals, is furnished to subscribers at \$2 per annum, or \$1 for six months.

The Hope Furnace property will be leased or sold on the 14th of May.

Joseph Gruver has taken the Yeagerstown Hotel.

Mrs. Fosselman has received a new stock of Millinery and Fancy Goods.

Samuel Comfort has received a lot of Lumber at his new Lumber Yard.

J. B. Selheimer has a large lot of Pumps for sale—Kennedy, Junkin & Co. have opened their Spring and Summer Goods—Franciscus advertises a variety of articles—D. Albright has commenced the butchering business—an administrator's notice also appears.

Some additions have been made to the Mercantile Appraisal List.

Proposals will be received by a committee of Town Council until Monday next, for building a culvert from Third street to the stone bridge on the Huntingdon road.

The United States steamer Niagara left New York last week for England, for the purpose of participating in the important work of laying the Submarine Telegraph cable, which is to connect the opposite shores of Europe and America. She will be assisted by two English naval steamships, and the United States steam frigate Susquehanna, and it is calculated that the Expedition will be accomplished in two months from the present time; and that immediately thereafter, instant communication will be established between the New World and the Old.

The case of Benjamin C. Bachman, late President of the Lancaster Bank, indicted for embezzlement, came up in the Lancaster Court of Quarter Sessions last week. His counsel moved for a continuance of the case on the ground that the indictment contained matter different from that of the complaint. Judge Hayes, who presided in place of Long, thought the application a reasonable one and ordered the case to be continued. Messrs. Stevens, Fordney, Kline and James L. Reynolds, appeared for defendants, and District Attorney Dickey, Brown and J. B. Amwake, for the Commonwealth.

The propeller Fanny Gardner exploded her engines on the Baritan canal on Saturday morning, killing five persons and wounding six.

A boiler in the steam planing mill of Raymond & Hathaway, Toledo, Ohio, exploded on the 27th, wounding five persons and shattering the building.

The hog cholera has reached York county, 140 hogs having died for Messrs. P. A. & S. Small out of 250. A number of others have also lost from a few up to two dozen.

Six men attempted the abduction and forcible carrying off of a young girl, in Philadelphia, on Sunday, the 19th inst., who left the Catholics and joined the Baptists. She was rescued by the police.

Emigration Westward.—The line of the Illinois Central railroad appears to be attracting vast numbers of emigrants, and accounts from Chicago state that the land office of that Company in that city is absolutely thronged with purchasers. The grants to this road are probably among the richest ever made to any corporation, and almost every variety of soil and climate, ever found in the latitude, is to be met with on the farming lands owned by the corporation. The long credits and easy terms given, afford a strong inducement to many whose means are limited to settle on the line of this road, and there can be little doubt that a few years hence will see a numerous and thrifty population covering the whole central portion of the State from north to south. The direct communication with Chicago, which is the greatest grain emporium of the country, will tend to hasten the final and complete settlement of the country along this line.

LIBERALITY OF PHYSICIANS.—It has always been said that physicians would disparage any remedy, however valuable, which they did not originate themselves. This has been disproven by their liberal course toward Dr. J. C. Ayer's preparations. They have adopted them into general use in their practice, which shows a willingness to countenance articles that have intrinsic merits which deserve their attention. This does the learned profession great credit, and effectually contradicts the prevalent erroneous notion that their opposition to proprietary remedies is based in their interest to discard them. We have always had confidence in the honorable motives of our medical men, and are glad to find it sustained by the liberal welcome they accord to such remedies as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and Cathartic Pills, even though they are not ordered in the books, but are made known to the people through the newspapers.—New Orleans Delta.

SALE OF THE MAIN LINE.

It is amusing to see the pertinacity with which the canal leeches—both ins and outs—oppose the sale of the Main Line of Improvements, and denounce every one who does not coincide with their patriotic views. They forget that a large majority of the people have repeatedly expressed their wishes at the ballot box to have these works sold, and that those who are endeavoring to bring about a sale are but carrying out the democratic doctrine of obeying the wishes of the people.

A correspondent of the Pittsburgh Union, writing from Harrisburg relative to the bill for the sale of the Main Line, says: "Never within my experience in Harrisburg has a bill been disregarded through the House by such open and disgraceful 'boring' as has characterized this time. It is in the hands of such men as Gen. Cameron, James Burns, John P. Anderson, and others, and they have and are exerting every nerve and using all conceivable means to effect its passage. It is disgusting to witness this tampering with the representatives of the people, and it is sincerely to be hoped that the evil attempted will not be consummated."

On this the Hollidaysburg Standard, whose editor we believe owes Mr. Burns a grudge or two, comments as follows:

"It seems passing strange that such men as Burns and Anderson would use their exertions to rob the Commonwealth of the Main Line, for to it alone can they attribute all the wealth they possess. John P. Anderson was not worth a dollar when he became Supervisor of the Canal. Burns, in the way of fat contracts has made the Treasury bleed profusely. They have got their share of golden eggs, and are now willing to kill the goose that laid them. Their conduct looks very much like ingratitude, but what will the Almighty dollar not accomplish! The Democratic party will mark well the traitors now engaged in the nefarious and swindling attempt to rob the Commonwealth of her improvements."

For our part we do not know whether Mr. Burns has ever robbed the Commonwealth, but if he has his present course in endeavoring to remove a millstone from the necks of taxpayers, will cover a multitude of sins.

While on this subject, we may as well refer to the proceedings of a meeting, under a one-sided call, held in the Town Hall last week, where a very small meeting expended a great deal of virtuous indignation against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. All companies are of course more or less monopolies, but in this instance our own opinion is that that corporation has less to do with urging a sale of the main line than the Sunbury and Erie Railroad Company and its adherents, (among whom is probably the democratic nominee for Governor, Wm. F. Packer.) To the Sunbury the appropriation sought is of vital importance, while to the Pennsylvania the only material advantage will be a release from the tonnage tax, coupled however with a condition to keep up most of the main line whether profitable or not. As to the charges that the company would impose on transporters, we do not believe they would be a whit worse than the Canal Commissioners, who have on several occasions kept rates on the toll sheet almost excluding certain articles.

So far as the taxpayers are concerned, it is their interest, 1st, to sell the public works to whomever will buy them; 2d, if they cannot be sold, to give them away, as any one who can add figures and calculate interest, can demonstrate for himself. Take for instance the Auditor General's Reports for the following years:

Table with columns: Year, Total Receipts, Total Expenditures. Data for years 1853-1856.

Excess of Expenditures in four years, \$2,154,287 13.

The interest on loans paid during the above four years amounted to about \$2,000,000 annually, so that the public works have actually in that time cost the taxpayers over ten millions of dollars over and above the receipts.

With such facts before them, the most simple-minded man can see that the only way to relieve himself from taxation will be to sell or give away the public works, and then apply the taxes collected to lessening the public debt.

Pennsylvania Legislature.

The new banks thus far authorized by the House of Representatives of this State are as follows:

Table with columns: Bank Name, Capital. Lists various banks and their authorized capital amounts.

Total new banks \$5,350,000. The most of these have passed both Houses and only require the Governor's signature to be legally authorized.

Besides the new banks, there is an increase of the capital of other banks, amounting to several millions of dollars. The total increase of the banking capital of the State is likely to reach nine or ten millions.

[We are sorry to see this increase of banks under the old system, but it is nothing more than was to be expected from an anti-bank democratic Legislature, the members of which, if the democrats here speak the truth, can be bought by any and everybody. Mr. Porcell, we are pleased to see, generally recorded his vote against them.]

The supplement to the act incorporating the Sunbury and Erie Railroad was taken up on the 24th, and discussed at length. The bill was lost on the vote of final passage, viz: 45 yeas to 45 nays.

A motion to reconsider the vote was carried by 49 yeas to 41 nays. The House then adjourned till 3 P. M., when the question being upon its final passage, it was again negatived—Yeas 45, nays 46, as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Backus, Ball, Benson, Bishop, Brown, Carty, Cleaver, Dickey, Dock, Kester, Gibbons, Hamilton, Hancock, Heistand, Hine, Hoffman of Lebanon, Housekeeper, Imbree, Jenkins, Johnson, Kerr, Lebo, Manser, Mangie, McCalmont, Mumma, Measelman, Nichols, Penrose, Petriken, Pownall, Ramsey of Philadelphia, Reed, Shaw, Struthers, Thour, Tolan, Vail, Vanvorstis, Vickers, Wagoner, Walter, Warner, Wittroud and Wright—45.

Nays—Messrs. Abrams, Anderson, Arthur, Augustine, Babcock, Backhouse, Beck, Bower, Calboun, Campbell, Chase, Crawford, East, Fassell, Foster, Gildea, Hamel, Harper, Heins, Hill, Hoffman of Berks, Innes, Jacobs, Johns, Kaufman, Knight, Leisnering, Longaker, McIlvain, Moorhead, Nicholson, Numschater, Pearson, Peters, Porcell, Ramsey of York, Reamer, Roberts, Rapp, Smith of Chambers, Stevenson, Voghtly, Westrook, Whorter, Williston, Withers, and Getz, Speaker—46.

[The above bill proposed to give \$3,000,000 out of the proceeds of the sale of the Main Line to the Sunbury and Erie Railroad Company on loan.]

We have not seen the bill for selling the Main Line since its passage through the House, but believe its principal provisions are to sell at \$7,500,000 for bonds bearing 5 per cent interest. Should the Railroad Company become the purchaser, \$1,500,000 in addition is to be paid and the company released from the tonnage tax, &c.

The assets in the hands of the assignees of the Lancaster Bank have been assessed for school purposes, and valued at \$400,000. It is to be hoped that this valuation will turn out to be correct.

The Philadelphia Ledger, in its money article of the 24th, says that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company is the only party that should control the public works if sold by the Commonwealth.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS.—Mrs. Fosselman, who now occupies the large brick house in West Market street, adjoining her former residence, has just returned from the city and opened a large stock of Fashionable Bonnets and Millinery goods selected by herself with taste and discrimination for which she is so well and widely known. Ladies who desire a fashionable bonnet will of course give her a call, for failing to do so they may run a serious risk of not being in the fashion at all.

CHANCE FOR A HUSBAND.—The writer of the following letter, addressed to a young lady of this county, intends paying Pennsylvania a visit this year, for what purpose his letter precisely as written will best explain. Young ladies wanting husbands are requested not to read it:

April the 8 A D 1857. Sir I take this present opportunity to convey a few lines to you nearly to let you now how we are getting along over here and to find out how you are doing back yonder. I am in good health at present and all the rest of the family and I hope that these lines will find you in the same enjoyment. I had given up all hopes of hearing from you but time has brought me around. I s'pose that you was married long ago and all the rest of the girls in old miflin but I am coming back this fall to see some of them and s'pose that a little bit when I left there I was a small boy and I was a frade of the girls but I am big enough for them now. R. M. — was married last fall to a grade big busher by the name of Eliza B. — he is living in K. — — — — — John is married and lives in the state of Michigan. He and Bill are single yet but we cant get no won to here us and so I am coming back in the fall an see if I cant get a woman there. It has been helthy hear this winter and plenty of Slaying. You must excuse my bad riting for my pen is very stobern to day. I want you to rite to me as soon as you can and let me now how the folks are getting along in them hills for I long to see meny of you but I must close my letter for the present time give my respects to all rite soon as you can.

Several of our citizens have been pulling up stakes of late and wended their way to what used to be the Far West, and others are on the eve of following. Lake City, Minnesota, is their principal aim, and among those who have already gone are Martin Johns, C. C. Spotswood, and John Creamer, and M. Montgomery and W. J. Jacobs, Esqs., are about following. We hope they may all realize their anticipations, though we must confess we should for our part prefer a more Southern latitude than they have chosen.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Dr. A. W. Moss, a young physician who had secured an extensive practice and was generally esteemed, died on Friday afternoon quite unexpectedly. He had been ailing a day or two previous, but on that morning appeared to be so far recovered as to speak of visiting some of his patients, when congestion of the brain took place and in a few hours ended in his death. His remains were taken to the residence of his parents in Juniata county for interment.

PUBLIC MEETING.—In pursuance of a call, a large number of the citizens of Lewistown, irrespective of party, assembled in the Town Hall, on Thursday evening last, to give expression to their sentiments on the subject of the bill pending before the legislature for the sale of the Main Line. The following officers were selected:

President—JOHN R. WEEKS, Esq.

Vice Presidents—JOHN STERRETT, WM. CUSTER. Secretaries—G. W. Soull, Anthony Felic.

A committee, consisting of A. A. Banks, Wm. B. Hoffman, Robt. Mathews, H. Frysinger, John Culp, and J. A. Mathews, was appointed to draft resolutions, and while they were out, the meeting was addressed, in a very able argument, by JOS. W. PARKER, Esq., against the bill. The following Resolutions were reported by the committee, and adopted by the meeting:

Resolved, That we are opposed to the passage of any bill which relieves the company purchasing from the payment of taxes for State, county, and other purposes.

Resolved, That we believe the opening of Broad Top Coal Region, and many coal and ore mines along the line, will largely increase the revenues of said Line.

Resolved, That we believe the bill now pending will increase instead of decreasing the State debt.

Resolved, That we hereby request our Senator and Representative to vote against said bill, and we call upon the citizens of the Commonwealth to hold to the strictest accountability all those favoring it.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolutions be published in the Patriot and Union, Harrisburg, and in our borough papers.

[The call for the above meeting was a one-sided affair, and of the small number present hardly one-half took part in the proceedings. With this explanation we give the proceedings as published in the Democrat.—Ed. GAZETTE.]

For "COSTAR'S" Rat, Roach, &c. EXTERMINATOR, "COSTAR'S" Bed-bug EXTERMINATOR, "COSTAR'S" ELECTRIC POWDER, for Ants, Flies, &c., order from Depot, No. 388 Broadway, N. Y., or Druggists and Dealers everywhere. Full particulars by mail.

See advertisement. ap10-1m

Died. On the 19th inst., in Altoona, Mrs. JANE M'CORMICK, aged 56 years.

In this place, on Tuesday last, CYRUS Z., youngest son of Cyrus Matters, aged 9 years.

In Granville township, on the 15th inst. MAGGIE, infant daughter of George and Annie McKee, aged 1 year and 2 months.

Parents, trust your little child To him who returns above. 'Tis safer in his bosom there Than in a jar of oil of Sove. Wait but a few moments. Your child shall be restored, If you, restrained and faithful, Shall treat her with the Lord. E.

A Choice and Fashionable assortment of MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS has just been opened at Mrs. FOSSELMAN'S, West Market Street, between Wayne and Grand, north side.

The Ladies are requested to call and examine her stock. ap30-2t

LUMBER. JUST landed, a load of Susquehanna Lumber, which will be disposed of at low rates.

HEMLOCK RAILS. 1, 1 1/2 and 2 inch PLANK. Worked FLOORING. PLANED SIDING. BOX BOARDS. LATH. INCH BOARDS, in variety.

Yard on vacant lot near corner of Wayne and Third streets. ap30 SAMUEL COMFORT.

PROPOSALS WILL be received by the undersigned, a Committee of Town Council, until MONDAY, May 4th, at 12 o'clock, M., for Culverting the space, from the north side of West Third street to the Stone Bridge on the Huntingdon road, to be built according to specifications, which may be seen at the Gazette Office on and after to-day.

GEORGE FRYISINGER, DAVID BLOOM, SAMUEL RITTENHOUSE. Lewistown, April 30, 1857.

NOTICE.—Persons indebted to the undersigned can make payment to JOHN C. STOLER, Esq., who is fully authorized to receipt for me. JOSEPH B. ARD. Lewistown, April 30, 1857.—3t

PUMPS. BURNHAM'S patent double acting LIFT AND FORCE PUMPS, for general use, suitable for mills, factories, railroad stations, &c. They are also efficient Fire Engines. By attaching hose to them you can force water over any house. Their simplicity gives them advantages over all other Pumps. For sale at the Tin and Stove Store of J. B. SELHEIMER. ap30-6m

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OF THE FIRM OF KENNEDY, JUNKIN & CO., For the Spring and Summer!

Has come and is ready for a full display of its CHEAPNESS AND BEAUTY!

We therefore invite all to come and see and know for themselves that Kennedy, Junkin & Co's is the place to buy cheap goods. We will not be underdone—we buy cash for cash in the city and will sell cheap for cash.

CENTRAL PRODUCE taken in exchange for goods at all times. We have all kinds of goods for sale, embracing Delaines, Alma Cloths, Du Calls, CRAPE DE SPANG, SWISS and CAMBRICS, CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES, Clothing, Hats and Bonnets, Boots and Shoes, and all kinds of Trimmings.

Don't forget the cheap store of ap30 KENNEDY, JUNKIN & CO.

YEAGERTOWN HOTEL.

THE undersigned having taken the stand lately occupied by Mr. Yeager and more recently by Charles Scheil, respectfully invites travelers and others to give him a call. The bar is supplied with good liquors, and the table with all in season that can be procured. This establishment being located on the Lewistown and Kishacoquillas Turnpike, about 4 miles north of Lewistown, is a desirable retreat for those wishing to spend a few weeks in the country for recreation—good fishing and hunting grounds and romantic retreats being in its immediate neighborhood. Parties from town can also be accommodated with meals, &c. at short notice. JOSEPH GRUVER. Yeagerstown, April 30, 1857.

NATIONAL POLICE GAZETTE

This Great Journal of Crime and Criminals is in its Twelfth Year, and is widely circulated throughout the country. It contains all the Great Trials, Criminal Cases, and appropriate Editorials on the same, together with information on Criminal Matters not to be found in any other newspaper.

Subscriptions, \$2 per Annum; \$1 for Six Months, to be remitted by subscribers, (who should write their names and the town, county and State where they reside plainly) to R. A. SEYMOER, Editor & Proprietor of the National Police Gazette, ap30 New York City.

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A very interesting story of social life in New York, which has had a very large sale throughout the country. The author has great power as a writer, and his delineation of character as well as dramatic abilities in relating his facts in a vivid manner.—Boston Trav. crit. Sold by the Agents on the cars, and by all booksellers. Sent by mail, prepaid, on receipt of price.

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Copies of the above book sent by mail, on receipt of \$1. to any address, free of postage. Reliable Agents wanted to canvass for "Inquire Within." Send cash orders to the publishers. Also, just published, THE ARTIST'S BRIDE, by Emerson Branch. Price \$1. ap30-3t

A LARGE and splendid assortment of Gun Barrels, Chains, &c. FRANCISCUS.

BLACKSMITH'S Coal, received and for sale by F. G. FRANCISCUS.

BLACKSMITH'S Anvils, Vices, Bel- lows, Wagon Boxes, &c. F. G. FRANCISCUS.

IRON!—A new lot of Tire, Square & Round Iron, Valentine's best. FRANCISCUS.

150 KEGS of Cumberland Nails just received. F. G. FRANCISCUS.

LAMPS!—Glass and Britannia Fluid Lamps, Oil Lamps for churches, &c. ap30 F. G. FRANCISCUS.

MANNY'S Mower and Reaper, best combined machine in use, for sale by F. G. FRANCISCUS. ap30

PITTSBURGH Chains of every description, Farm Belts, Circular and Cross-cut Saws ap30 F. G. FRANCISCUS.

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PUBLIC SALE OF AN ANTHRACITE FURNACE

ON THURSDAY, the 14th day of May, next, will be sold or leased, on "HOPE FURNACE," situated about six miles west of Lewistown, Mifflin county, Pa. The Furnace is less than two miles from the Lehigh Canal and about that distance from the Pennsylvania Railroad. It is in a region abounding in Hematite and Fossil Ores of the best description, while its proximity to the Canal and Railroad renders the transportation of materials to and of the produce from the Furnace to either the eastern or western markets, cheap and rapid. The property is leasehold renewable at the option of the Lessee or their Assigns, and embraces extensive and valuable ore privileges. Several banks from a mile to a mile and a half from the Furnace have been opened and are in good working condition, capable of furnishing any quantity of the richest ores. In addition to the ore privileges on the property, there are other valuable banks in the immediate vicinity have been obtained, which will be conveyed with the property. Limestone of excellent quality in abundance within 400 yds. of the Furnace. There are the necessary buildings for a manager, store, miners' laborers, upon the property. The Furnace has been completed within the past year, built in the most substantial manner, and capable of producing from 100 to 150 tons metal per week. The machinery is of the best and most improved character, and was furnished with additional boilers latest subsisting for two stacks. The Furnace is in the best working condition, and making iron on the market. Such property is seldom in the market, and is deserving the attention of Masters. Terms of payment, which will be made known on the day of sale, will be made place at 12 o'clock.

For further information address JAMES MURRAY, Pres't, Box 100, Baltimore, Md. or GEO. POE, on the property or at Lewistown, Pa.

Estate of JOSEPH KINSEL, deceased. NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of JOSEPH KINSEL, late of Oliver township, Mifflin county, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in said township. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement. JACOB KINSEL, MICHAEL KINSEL. April 30, 1857.—6t

BEEF, VEAL AND MUTTON NOTICE. The undersigned respectfully announces that he has engaged the services of Mr. J. R. S. Selheimer, an excellent judge of cattle, a practical butcher, and will attend regularly from and after the 12th of May, at the Market House in Lewistown, every alternate day, where his friends can be supplied with good BEEF, VEAL and MUTTON, in quantities desired. D. ALBRIGHT, Lewistown, Pa., April 30, 1857.—3t

Choice Farm Lands for Sale The Illinois Central R. R. Co. IS NOW PREPARED TO SELL ABOUT 1,500,000 ACRES OF CHOICE FARMING LAND

In Tracts of 40 acres and upwards, on the Springs of excellent water and on level land, and among the richest and most fertile in the world. They extend from North East to West, through the middle of the State to the extreme South, and include every variety of climate and productions found between the parallels of latitude. The Northern portion chiefly prairie, interspersed with rich groves and in the middle and Southern sections timber predominates, alternating with beautiful prairies and openings.

The climate is more healthy, mild and agreeable, than any other part of the country—abundant of excellent water abound.

Bituminous Coal is extensively mined, and supplies a cheap and desirable fuel, being mined at many points at \$2 to \$4 per cord, wood can be had at the same rate per cord.

Building Stone of an excellent quality and abundance, which can be procured for less than the expense of transportation.

The great fertility of these lands, which are black rich mould from two to five feet deep and gently rolling—abundantly contiguous to timber by which every facility is furnished for transport and transportation, to the principal cities North, South, East, West, and the coast, with which they can be cultivated, render the most valuable investment that can be made and present the most favorable opportunity persons of industrious habits and small means to acquire a comfortable independence in a few years.

Chicago is now the greatest grain market in the world, and the facility and economy with which the products of these lands can be transported to that market make them much more profitable, at the prices asked, than those remote at government rates, as the transportation is a perpetual tax on the land which must be borne by the producer in the fixed price at the end of that time. Consequently, the price of grain is higher, and when the payments are made, Deeds are executed by Trustees appointed by the State, and in the title is vested, to the purchasers, which convey to them absolute titles in Fee Simple, and clear of every incumbrance, lien or mortgage.

The Prices are from \$6 to \$30; Interest by 3 per Cent.

Those who purchase on long credit give their money to the State, and are required to improve one-tenth annually, five years, so as to have one-half the land cultivated at the end of that time. Competent Surveyors will accompany those who examine these lands, free of charge, and examine them in making selections. The lands unsold are as rich and valuable as those which have been disposed of.

SECTIONAL MAPS will be sent to any who will enclose fifty cents in Postage and order to Book or Pamphlets containing instances of successful farming, suggested by the State—also the cost of fencing, plowing, cattle, expense of harvesting, threshing, and any other information, will be cheerfully given on application, either personally or by letter, in English, French, or German. Address to JOHN WILSON, Land Commissioner Illinois Central R. R. Office in Illinois Central Railroad Depot, Chicago, Illinois.