

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

The following is the result of the election in this county on the amendments to the State Constitution:

Table with 3 columns: Location, First Amendment, Second Amendment, Third Amendment. Rows include Lewistown, E. W., Derry township, etc.

The majority for the first Amendment is 728; for the second \$36; for the third 775.

17th Congressional District.

[ADJOURNED MEETING.] Conference met at Ward House, Tyrone, on Wednesday the 3d day of August at 10 o'clock, a. m. pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

On motion of Mr. Henderson the Conference adjourned until 1 1/2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference re-assembled at 1 1/2, p. m. when the following ballots were had: (376 to 392) Barker 6, Hall 3, Dorris 3.

Mr. McCamant then presented the following letter which was read and ordered to be made part of the minutes:

Letter From Mr. Hall.

ALTOONA, August 3d, 1864. Messrs. McCamant, Guyer and London: GENTLEMEN—The Congressional Conference having balloted through three successive days without any result before adjournment, I deem it proper to relieve you of any embarrassment so far as I am personally concerned.

To the National Union party of the County of Blair which, in the Convention of its delegates, by a vote so decided and flattering, designated me as its candidate, and to you, gentlemen, representing the sentiment of that party and its convention, for the zeal and earnestness with which you have aimed to carry out that preference, I return my most profound acknowledgements.

ACCIDENTS, &c.—A man heavily ironed jumped from a railroad train somewhere above this place one night last week, but thus far we believe nothing has been heard whether he was killed or escaped. He was we believe one of a gang of counterfeiters arrested in the west.

A Mr. Boyle, a returned soldier from the Army, was killed near Burn's Cabins a few weeks ago, by the ball from a pistol in the hands of one Forbis, from Franklin county, who alleges the shooting accidental.

The fast mail train east killed a man named Peter Swanger on Saturday morning a week. He was walking on the track, and observing a freight train coming toward him, he stepped on the other track to allow it to pass, when the fast mail struck him from behind, killing him instantly.

AN INFALLIBLE CURE FOR DYSENTERY.—Dr. Page, of Washington, communicates to the Republican of that city the following simple remedy, long known in family practice, and which was recently tried in the camp of the 22d New York regiment, where there were from eighty to one hundred cases daily, and with rapid cures in every case.

Receipt: In a tea-cup half full of vinegar, dissolve as much salt as it will take up, leaving a little excess of salt at the bottom of the cup.

The rationale of the operation of this simple medicine will readily occur to the pathologist, and in many hundred trials I have never known it to fail in dysentery and protracted diarrhoea.

Some movements have been made towards filling the quota of the borough, which it is to be hoped will prove successful. The commissioners having declined to offer a bounty, the Burgess and Town Council appropriated \$50 to each volunteer, and laid a special tax of 7 1/2 mills to meet it, which is now in course of collection.

The outside subscriptions amount to nearly \$9000, so that \$200 local bounty is offered. Lieut. Wm. Willis has been appointed a mustering officer, and

opened an office in West Market street, where recruits are now enlisted, sworn in and subsisted. Union, Armagh and Brown are also offering liberal bounties to volunteers.

A meeting was held in the Town Hall on Thursday evening last, for the purpose of aiding the Chambersburg sufferers, which was addressed by Rev. Messrs. McClean and Barnes. The attendance was rather small, but few monied men being there.

Our inhabitants generally, and those in Water street especially, were startled on Monday last by the shrill whistle of a locomotive passing over the M. & C. C. R. R., which is being rapidly completed towards Milroy, as these operations show.

India Prices.—Prices are higher by a hundred per cent in India than they ever were before. The silver rupee, worth about fifty cents, will not buy as much as twenty-five cents will in England.

We shall continue to publish the Gazette at its present terms, but to do so will be compelled to prune our list of all who do not pay promptly.

WILLIAM LIND, has now open A NEW STOCK OF Cloths, Cassimeres AND VESTINGS, which will be made up to order in the neat and most fashionable styles.

Flax! Flax! THE subscriber is prepared, with improved machinery, to break flax that has been properly rotted, at about 1 cent per lb., taking out about two thirds of the shive, and leaving the broken flax in a condition to be readily scutched by hand.

TEACHERS WANTED. APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned until the day of the examination of Teachers for one male and one female teacher, to take charge of the high schools of this borough for the term of nine months.

FORWARDING, COMMISSION and Produce Business. THE undersigned begs leave to return thanks to the farmers of Mifflin county for the patronage heretofore extended to him in the above business, and also to inform them that he has taken as co partners in said business, JOHN D. TAYLOR and JOSEPH R. HENRY, and that the business will hereafter be conducted in the name of FRANCIS McCLURE & CO.

Valuable Farm FOR SALE. THE undersigned offers at private sale the farm on which he now resides situate in Oliver township, Mifflin county, about 2 miles from Strode's Mills, containing 168 ACRES, about 50 acres of which are covered with good timber, the remainder well fenced and under cultivation, adjoining Thos. Mayes on the north, John Settle on the east, and Wm. Wak-field on the west and south.

PRINCE & CO'S Well-Known MELODEONS & HARMONIUMS, introducing the effect of pedal bass on every instrument. ERNEST GALBER'S Raven and Bacon's and Hallett Davis & Co's Celebrated PIANOS, for cash, at a liberal deduction.

JOHN KRIDER, N. E. Corner of Walnut and Second Streets, PHILADELPHIA, Manufacturer, Importer, WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER IN GUNS, PISTOLS, FISHING TACKLE, FINE CUTLERY, AND FANCY SPORTING ARTICLES.

PETER MORILLARD, Snuff & Tobacco Manufacturer, 16 & 18 CHAMBERS ST., (Formerly 42 Chatham street, New York.) WOULD call the attention of Dealers to the articles of his manufacture, viz. BROWN SNUFF.

TOBACCO. FINE CUT CHEWING. SMOKING. P. A. L. or plain, S. Jago, Cavendish or S. cut, Spanish, Sweet Scented Orancho, Cattlest, Nos. 1 & 2 mixed, Tin Foil Cavenish, Turkish, &c. N. B.—A circular of prices will be sent on application.

C. G. BRUCE & PRESTON, AUTHORIZED ARMY AND NAVY AGENTS, WASHINGTON, D. C. OFFICES: CLEVELAND, OHIO, No. 1 Lyman's Block. PUBLISHED BY ARMY HERALD AND COLLECT Pensions, Bounty, Back-Pay, Prize Money, Discharged and Resigned Officers' Pay, and all other.

LUMBER AND COAL. IN addition to an extensive lot of Lumber just received, the subscriber has added a large stock of excellent Coal, which will be disposed of as low as the market will afford.

RESPECTFULLY announces to his friends and the public generally that he has taken the stand lately occupied by Mr. Cogley, between Rudisill's and Selheimer's stores, where he has opened a select assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings, which he will make up to order in the best and most fashionable style, and on reasonable terms. Give him a call.

COSTAR'S VERMIN EXTERMINATORS. For Rats, Mice, Snakes, Ants, and all other vermin. Put up in 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 Boxes, Bottles and Flasks. Sold by all Druggists and Retailers everywhere.

THREE BLACKSMITHS TO LEARN AXE-MAKING, AND 6 OR MORE MEN AS HELPERS ARE WANTED IMMEDIATELY at Mann's Axe Factory, near Lewistown. Blacksmiths can earn from \$2 to \$2.25, and helpers from \$1.50 to \$2 per day.

M'VEY TOWN STEAM MILL. HAVING taken the above establishment, the undersigned is now prepared to purchase, at highest market rates, all kinds of Grain, in any quantity that may be offered.

Mt. Rock Mills. ORDERS FOR FLOUR, FEED, &c., CAN, until further notice, be left at the Store of S. J. Brislin & Co., or at Pratt's Store, at the old Felix corner, at which places they will be called for every evening, filled next morning, and delivered at any place in the Borough.

Lewistown Mills. THE HIGHEST CASH PRICES FOR WHEAT, AND ALL KINDS OF GRAIN, or received it on storage, at the option of those having it for the market.

Kishacoquillas Seminary AND NORMAL INSTITUTE. THE Summer Session of this Institution will commence on MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1864, and continue twenty-one weeks.

REGISTER'S NOTICE. THE following accounts have been examined and passed by me, and remain filed on record in this office for inspection of Heirs, Legatees, Creditors, and all others in any way interested, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of the county of Mifflin, to be held at the Court House in Lewistown, on MONDAY, the 22d day of August, 1864, for allowance and confirmation, nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter, will be confirmed absolutely:

1. Guardianship account of Jonathan Zook, Guardian of four minor children of Barbara Hartzler, late of Menno township, dec'd.

2. The account of Joseph Hartzler, Executor of Solomon Zook, late of Union township, dec'd.

3. The Guardianship account of Daniel King, Guardian of Vest King, minor child of Vest King, late of Menno township, dec'd.

4. The Administration account of Thomas M. Uitley, Administrator de bonis non cum testamento, annexo of Margaret Smith, late of the borough of Newton Hamilton, dec'd.

5. The account of Christian Hoover, Executor of the estate of Gilbert Waters, late of the borough of Lewistown, dec'd.

6. Guardianship account of Christian C. Hoover, Guardian of Thomas A., Elizabeth and Adeline, minor children of Thomas G. Kearns, late of Decatur township, dec'd.

7. The account of G. W. Fisher, Executor of Ann McClintock, late of Decatur township, deceased.

SAMUEL W. BARR, Register. Register's Office, Lewistown, July 20, 1864.

DESIRABLE FARM OF 110 ACRES. SITUATE in Wayne township, Mifflin co., adjoining lands of Judge Stine, John & C. W. Atkinson, J. Glasgow, esq., Samuel Withrow, A. J. North, and within 1/2 mile of Atkinson's and Withrow's Mills, Store, Blacksmithshop, &c., is offered at private sale.

State of Alexander McKee, deceased. NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Alexander McKee, late of Derry township, Mifflin co., 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.

Estate of Henry Rothrock, deceased. NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Henry Rothrock, late of Granville township, Mifflin county, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in Derry township. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

Tuscarora Female Seminary. Academia, Juniata Co., Pa. COMMENCES its Summer Term May 4th, 1864. For circulars address Mrs. O. J. FRENCH, Principal, or ANDREW PATTERSON, Proprietor.

Public Sale. WILL be sold at public sale, at the residence of the undersigned, in Oliver township, on Thursday, August 11, 1864, the following personal property, to wit: The entire stock of Horses & Short Horned Cattle, consisting of 3 heavy DRAUGHT HORSES, a pair of grey driving or saddle Horses, well broken to single or double harness, a Pony, perfectly safe for a lady or child to ride or drive.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE. BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Mifflin county, the undersigned will offer at public sale, on the premises, the following described Real Estate, to wit: Friday, August 12, 1864, A LOT OF GROUND, situate in McVeytown, Mifflin county, fronting 53 feet 7 inches, more or less, on Market street, and being 214 feet deep, more or less, bounded by lot of J. F. Rohrer on the south, by Holiday street on the north, with an old frame building thereon erected.

Saturday, August 13, 1864, A TRACT OF LAND, situate in Oliver township, containing 148 acres, 108 perches, more or less, with usual allowance for roads, adjoining lands of Geo. Moose, and Geo. Settle on the North, George Moose and Robert Horning on the east, Juniata river on the south, and other land of Wm. Wakefield's heirs, on the west, with a Stone Dwelling House, Frame Barn, and other improvements thereon erected. About thirty acres of woodland will be reserved out of the above amount offered for sale. Attendance will be given, and terms made known on day of sale by H. J. WALTERS, Admr. Wm. Wakefield, dec'd.

Dissolution of Partnership. NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership existing between Alfred Marks and William Willis, trading under the firm of Marks & Willis, will expire by limitation and mutual consent on the 1st day of August, 1864. The books will remain at the counting house of said firm for a reasonable time, after which they will be deposited with a proper officer for collection. All persons indebted are therefore requested to call and make settlement, and those having claims to present them for payment. Persons holding notes, checks, &c., of said firm are especially called upon to lift their money, as the undersigned will not hold themselves liable for interest. ALFRED MARKS, WILLIAM WILLIS, Lewistown, July 27, 1864—4t

Lycoming County Mutual Insurance Company. ESTABLISHED IN 1840—CAPITAL \$2,600,000—MUTUAL OR CASH RATES—CHARTER PERPETUAL. THIS company allows no debt to accumulate against it. It is economical in all contingent expenses, and prompt in the adjustment of all honest claims.

List of Causes for Trial at August Term, 1864. No. Names of Causes. No. Term. Year. 1 Arthur W Little & Co vs Currier & McCormick 87 Nov 1858 2 Morris L Halliwell & Co vs same 88 " " 3 Daniel E Shaffer for use vs Jno McDowell et al 96 Aug 1862 4 Ralph Bogle's Exrs vs Wm J McCoy 59 Jan 1863 5 Same vs same 60 " " 6 Same vs same 61 " " 7 Same vs same 62 " " 8 Wm Holling & Rosanna Holling vs D Criswell 89 Aug " 9 Wm Shaw's Exrs for use vs Jno Brought, Jr & J Brought, who survived Jno Brought, Sr, dec'd 42 Jan 1864 10 Jas Barks & D Albright, vs the Cumberland Valley Mutual Protection Co 43 " " 11 Chris Eberly, vs Abner Thompson 49 " " 12 A F Hazard & Co vs J. H Goodwin & Co 46 " " 13 James Dunlap vs M Buoy 52 " " N. C. WILSON, Prothonotary. Prothy's Office, Lewistown, July 27, 1864.