Town Meeting.

Pursuant to public notice, quite a large meeting of the citizens of the city and county of Lancaster, was held in the Court House, last night, for the purpose of taking measures to secure the holding of the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Fair, at the city of Lancaster, in October next. The meeting was organized by the appointment of the following officers:—

President—Dr. E. PARRY.

Vice Presidents—Joseph Balance, John F. Heinitsh, Wm. Gibson, Daniel Rhoads, John Zimmerman, John A. Miller.

Secretaries—A. W. Russel, Isaac N. Ellmaker.

The object of the meeting was then stated by Col. D. W. PATTERSON, on whose motion the following gentlemen were appointed a committee to prepare Resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting:—

D. W. Patterson, E. C. Darlington, C. A. Heinitsh, James Penny, O. J. Dickey, W. G. Evans, Geo. A. Miller. The committee then retired, and after a short absence, reported the following preamble and resolutions.

WHEREAS: The citizens of Lancaster city and county have always been deeply interested in, and intimately connected with the interests of the Pennsylvania farmer, and of late years particularly, have viewed with pleasure the efforts making in their midst and throughout the State, to arouse the attention of the citizens to the study of agriculture as a liberal and enlightened pursuit;—and believing the recent organization of a Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society as one of the chief means to secure a new era in Pennsylvania husbandry; and whereas, it has been represented to us that it is the desire of the officers of the said State Agricultural Society to hold their first Annual Fair and Exhibition at Lancaster, on the 22d, 23d and 24th days of October next, provided a portion of the means necessary to secure suitable accommodations isguaranteed to them. Therefore

Resolved, That the people of the city of of Lancaster and vicinity hereby pledge themselves to raise the necessary funds for the State Society Executive Committee, provided they call the Agricultural Fair in October next, at Lancaster city.

Resolved, That in view of our locality—the ease of access and communication, by railway and otherwise—its central position—the proficiency in agriculture which characterises the county of Lancaster—and the size of the city of Lancaster; we are constrained to offer the assurance of as good, if not superior accommodations, in every respect, to the State Society, and the crowds of visitors who doubtless will attend said Fair, as can be obtained elsewhere within the Commonwealth.

Resolved, That the said citizens in city and county meeting assembled, hereby warmly and cordially invite the State Agricultural Society to hold their contemplated annual Fair, in October next, at Lancaster.

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing preamble and resolutions, and also the whole proceedings of this meeting, be respectfully submitted to the Executive Committee of the State Society, at its meeting to be held to-morrow, at Harrisburg.

The foregoing Resolutions were unanimously adopted—after which the meeting adjourned.

We are pleased to state that there is a laudable spirit manifested on the part of our citizens to do their duty in this matter.—The sum of four hundred dollars has been subscribed, and the remainder, to make up the sum of five or six hundred, will be subscribed to-day, if the least effort be made.

—Union & Tribune.

☞ Respecting the Wheat crop of Western New York, the Syracuse Journal of the 19th ult. says:

The incoming wheat crop has passed the ordeal of winter without injury, and, in all this section, wears a very promising appearance. It is yet too early to speak positively as to its exemption from frost, but no reasonable apprehensions of danger can be entertained. The plant was unusually well grown and rooted last fall, and the winter has been favorable. It has neither been winter killed or smothered by the snow.

And the editor of the Hagerstown Torch Light speaks of the growing grain, in that vicinity, as follows:

We have never seen it look so promising at this season of the year. The fields are well covered, and the grain is so strong and vigorous, as to throw out of the question, almost, any apprehension that we will not have one of the most abundant crops, next harvest, that our country has ever produced.

A NOVEL QUESTION OF FREEDOM.—A family of eight negroes sued in Virginia for their freedom, claiming under a deed of manumission, executed by their former master, about twenty years ago, in the city of New York. The evidence was that they were children and the grand children of their former master, who carried them to New York and there emancipated them to evade the law of Va. which did not allow him to emancipate them there, without sending them out of the State; that he brought them immediately back with him to Virginia, and that they were never molested in the enjoyment of their freedom since his death, which occurred some fifteen years ago, until they were arrested last summer by the Sheriff, at the instance of his next kin (blood relatives of the persons claimed) and claimed by them as slaves. The question was whether such a deed of manumission was sufficient, and the court allowed the question to go to the jury, who returned a righteous verdict in favor of the negroes.

The Whigs and the Presidency.

The Whigs of Pennsylvania seem to be at loggerheads in reference to their candidate for the Presidency in 1852. A portion of the Whig members of the Legislature, a short time ago issued a card, recommending the people of Pennsylvania to adopt Gen. Winfield Scott, as their leader. This is said to be a move on the part of the State administration to make strength for itself, and it has aroused the ire of the friends of the National Administration in Pennsylvania. Many of the Whig presses denounce it as in bad taste and calculated to create distraction in the party. The members who signed the card are told that they had better attend to their legitimate legislative duties, and permit the people to settle the Presidential question in such manner as to them may seem fitting.

This is a very interesting fight as it stands, and we doubt not it will become more attractive as it progresses.—*Dem. Union.*

FROM TEXAS.—The slave population of Gonzales county has doubled in the last year, and the agricultural products are said to have increased beyond any past experience. Other western counties are reported to have had a proportionate share of emigration. It is also added that the emigration to the eastern counties of the State, especially those lying on the upper Trinity rivers, has uearly doubled the population both of whites and blacks, as compared with last year. It is predicted that, in case the present year shall be favorable for crops, the amount of exports from Texas will exceed that of any previous similar period. The Galveston Journal says, in speaking of the Trinity trade, that there are more than three thousand bales of cotton on that river waiting shipment, and that under favorable circumstances, the quantity of cotton which will be shipped from the Trinity valley next season to Galveston, will reach thirty thousand bales.

The New Orleans Crescent publishes a letter from a correspondent in Texas, in which the construction of a railroad from that city to the Sabine, to be continued thence, when population will warrant it, to San Antonio or the Rio Grande, is earnestly advocated.

SLEIGH FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR.—The Messrs. James Goold & Co., of Albany, have finished a pony sleigh of very beautiful workmanship, for the World's Exhibition. It is finished with crimson velvet cushions, and the ornamental painting on the body is described as admirably done.

BROKE JAIL.—The prisoners confined in the jail at Allentown, (six in number,) made their escape on Tuesday, by cutting a hole through the ceiling, through which they passed into the loft, escaping thence by means of their blankets cut into strips, and used as ropes to let them down from the window.

FROST IN TEXAS.—There was a very severe frost in San Antonio, Texas, on the 10th ult., which killed many of the garden vegetables that were quite forward and cut down a great deal of the young corn, which had just made its appearance above ground.

☞ Both branches of the Legislature have agreed to adjourn on the 15th instant—two weeks from to-day.

MORE EVIDENCE.—The *Journal*, published at New Castle, Lawrence county—by the way a capital Democratic paper—is out with a strong article in favor of Mr. BUCHANAN'S nomination for the Presidency. It also publishes the resolutions of the late Democratic Convention of this county.

☞ A bill to incorporate the Marietta and Mount Joy Turnpike Company, passed the Senate on Wednesday last.

THE DIFFERENCE IN RANK.—A California paper says that when a gentleman has drank too much, they say he has a *brick in his hat*—but if a loafer is found in the same condition, they say he is *drunk.*

THE MARKETS.

[Corrected weekly for the Intelligencer.]

Lancaster Markets.

HOUSEKEEPERS' MARKET.

LANCASTER, Mar. 29.

Butter—Sold at 20a22 cts. a pound.
Chickens—Sold at 25a37½ cents a pair, and plenty.
Eggs—Sold at 10 cents per doz.
Lard—7a8 cents per pound.
Apples—Good ones bring 12½ cts. per half peck.
Potatoes—Sell at 8a10 cts. per half peck.
Oats—In quantities of 3 bushels, at $1,10a1,16½.
Corn—in the ears, 56 cents per bushel.

LANCASTER WHOLESALE MARKET.

Flour—Superfine, $4,00; extra, 4,25 per bbl.
Wheat—White 95 per bushel. Red 85 cts.
Corn—Old 47, new 50 cents per bushel.
Oats—34 cents per bushel.
Rye—56 cents per bushel.
Clover Seed—$3,50 per bushel.
Whiskey—20 cents per gallon in hhds; in bbls. 21 cents.

Philadelphia Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, Mar. 29.

Flour—Good brands at $4,37½a4,44. Sales extra brands at $4,50a4,75. Fancy brands are held at $5,25a6,25.

Rye Flour—Sales of Penna. at $3,37½.

Corn Meal—Is held at $2,75, for Penna.

Wheat—Penna. red sells at 97 per bushel, and white is held at $1,02.

Rye—Sales of Penna. at 68 cents.

Corn—Is in limited supply at 66 cents for new yellow.

Oats—Sales of prime Penna. average 43 cents.

Whiskey—Sales in barrels 22½a23 cents, hhds. 21a21½.

CATTLE MARKET.—The offerings of beef cattle for the week were 1100 head. Beeves are selling firm at $6,00a8,00 per 100 lbs.

Cows—About 100 sold at prices ranging from $16a35.

Hogs—About 500 in market, and sold at $6,25 a6,50 per 100 lbs.

Sheep and Lambs—The former from $2a4,00, the latter from $1a4a$1a3.

MARRIAGES.

At Lafayette, La., on the 16th of March, by the Rev. Theodore Clapp, I. H. Charles, Esq., to Clara, second daughter of the late Thomas Toby, of New Orleans.

On the 13th ult., by the Rev. Mr. Strine, Mr. George Amer to Miss Wilhelmina Mydaler.

On the 18th ult., by the same, Mr. Amos Miller Miss Ann Kaufman.

On the 13th ult., by the Rev. Dr. McNair, Mr. George J. Hildebrand to Miss Mary Ann Burns.

On the 22d ult., by Rev. Dr. Baker, Mr. Emanuel Vankanan, Jr., of this city, to Miss Fianna Snyder, of Warwick.

On the 16th ult., Mr. James A. Sturgis to Miss Sarah Rudy.

By the Rev. Wm. Urie, Henry Mellinger to Mary Dean, both of Columbia.

By the Rev. T. P. Yeager, Wm. Buch of Warwick twp., to Rebecca Carr of Elizabeth twp.

By the same, Samuel Faz of Manheim township, to Fanny Burkheiser of Elizabeth twp.

By the same, Bernhard Lutz to Elizabeth Seigfried, both of East Cocalico.

By the same, Col. C. Wise, of Millport, to Mrs. Ann Huber of this city.

DEATHS.

On the 15th ult., in Columbia, Mr. Samuel Haymaker, aged 45 years.

In this city, on the 17th ult., John, son of John and Christiana Kitch, aged 19 months.

On the 25th ult., of scarlet fever, L. Maria Child Rawlins, daughter of Dr. J. W. Rawlins, aged 6 years.

On the 24th ult., John Ellis, son of George F. and Maria Lenher, aged 1 year, 2 months and 23 days.

On the 28th ult., Joseph Hartley Geidner, infant son of James Geidner, of this city.

In Marietta, on the 19th ult., of consumption, Miss Mary A. Rollin, aged 18 years.

China and Glass.

TYNDALE & MITCHELL, 219 Chesnut Street, Philadelphia, have constantly on hand and are receiving large invoices of
White Gold Band and Fancy China;
Flowing Blue, Olive and Mulberry Stone Ware;
White Stone and Iron Stone China, in Dinner, Tea, Breakfast, Dessert and Toilet Sets;
Cut and Moulded Glass in great variety.
Will be sold in quantities to suit purchasers, at the lowest wholesale prices.

TYNDALE & MITCHELL,
No. 219, Chesnut Street, Philadelphia.
april 1 10-1t

10,000 Cords Oak Wood Wanted.

THE Superintendent of the Columbia and Philadelphia Rail Road is ready to enter into contracts for the delivery upon the line of the Columbia and Philadelphia Rail Road of 10,000 cords of good Oak Wood, for which cash will be paid.

Application to be made at the Superintendent's Office, Parkesburg.

A. L. ROUMFORT, Sup't.
april 1 10-tf

Milliner's Articles.

Oxalic Acid, Gelatine,
Salts of Sorrel, White Glue,
Salts of Lemon, Gum Arabic,
Salts of Tartar, Isinglass,
Pearl Ash, Brimstone,
Bonnet Varnish.

For sale at CHAS. A. HEINITSH'S Medicinal, Drug and Chemical Store, No. 13, East King street. [april 1-10

Seidletz Powders.

FRESH prepared Seidletz Powders. For sale at CHARLES A. HEINITSH'S Medicinal, Drug and Chemical Store, No. 13, East King street. [april 1-10

Flower Seeds.

A CHOICE variety of new Flower Seeds, just received and for sale at CHARLES A. HEINITSH'S Drug Store, No. 13, East King street.
april 1 10

MONTGOMERY'S

UNRIVALLED ROCKAWAY GRAIN FAN.

FARMERS, LOOK TO YOUR INTERESTS!

THIS celebrated Fan has been thoroughly tested, and found to excel all others now in use for cleaning the different kinds of Grain.

MONTGOMERY & BROTHER return their sincere thanks to their friends in the several counties of Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland and Virginia, for the extensive patronage they have received, and the flattering terms in which their Fans are spoken of by all who use them—and hereby inform the public that they still continue to manufacture them at their establishment in East Orange Street, LANCASTER, PA.

OUR AGENTS—Are out in all directions, and our Fans will be delivered at any point wherever ordered.

☞ Orders left with the following persons will be promptly attended to:
Joseph Taylor, Elkton, Md.
Mr. McMullin, Port Deposit, Md.
Edward Hopkins, Rising Sun, Md.
Bailey Boyles, Blue Ball, Md.
Samuel Haalton, E. Nottingham, Chester co., Pa.
S. M. Crall, Millerstown, Lebanon county, Pa.
Mr. Siegrist, Lebanon.
Mr. Seltzer, Shefferstown, Lebanon co.
C. Mellinger, Stoughstown, Cumberland co.
Jacob Rheem, Carlisle, Pa.
Samuel Myers, Mechanicsburg, Cumberland co.
Wallower & Son, Harrisburg, Pa.
april 1 tf-10

New Books.

STANFIELD HALL, complete—This splendid novel, the greatest since the days of Walter Scott, for sale; 2 vols. 8vo; 50 cents per vol.

The Kickleburys on the Rhine,	12½ cts.
Warwick Woodlands, by F. Forrester,	50 do
Reveries of a Bachelor,	$1,25 do
Nile Notes of a Howaii,	1,00 do
Borrow's Lavengro,	25 do
Polly Peablossom's Wedding,	50 do
The Initials,	50 do
Science of Etiquette, by D'Orsay,	50 do

VISITING CARDS—Written, Engraved and Printed at very low prices.
april 1-10] W. H. SPANGLER, (late Gish's.)

Magazines for April.

POPE JOAN, the Female Pontiff, by G. W. M. Reynold's author of "Life in Paris," "Mysteries of Court of London," &c. 1 vol. complete. Price 50 cents.

Important to all persons—The German, French, Spanish, Latin or Italian languages, can be learned by any one without a teacher, their having a copy of either of these works—25 cents each.

These Works have already run through several large editions in this country, for no person ever buys one without recommending it to his friends.

W. H. SPANGLER, (late Gish's.)
april 1 10-tf

Hugh S. Gara

AT THE CHEAP EAST KING ST., STORE,

WOULD again call the attention of his friends to the assortment of new SPRING GOODS, now opening at the old stand, comprising a general assortment of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

of the newest patterns, such as Black and Colored Silks, Bereges, Poplins, Berege de Laines, Linen Lustres, Ginghams, Lawns, &c., all of which are worthy of attention, and what is most important, will be sold at a bargain. We are also opening a fine assortment of goods suitable for

MEN AND BOYS' WEAR,

including the various shades and styles of Cashmarets, Summer Cloths, Tweeds, Cassimeres, Jeans, Cottonades, &c., which will be found very cheap. Also just received a fresh supply of

HOUSEKEEPING GOODS,

which will be sold at reduced prices, including Checks, Tickings, Shirting and Sheeting Muslins, Linen and Embossed Table Covers, Floor and Table Oil Cloths, Carpet Chain, Prime Feathers, &c., all of which, with our large and varied stock of

GROCERIES AND QUEENSWARE,

we but desire an examination of, to satisfy the closest buyers, that it will be to their interest to call before buying elsewhere.

Remember the old stand (formerly D. Cockley's) in East King street. HUGH GARA,
april 1-10-tf] (Late Gara & Swope.)

Choice and Popular New Books.

WM. MURRAY (late Judd & Murray) is now receiving at the old stand, in North Queen street, a large and valuable assortment of

NEW BOOKS,

fresh from the trade sales. The collection comprises many standard works in the several departments, including Theology, Medicine, Law, Civil and Ecclesiastical History, General Biography, Poetry, Voyages, Natural and Moral Philosophy, Architecture, Agriculture, Fine Arts, Classical and General Literature, English and American Illuminated and Illustrated works; also a large assortment of BIBLES of every size, binding and embellishments, from thirty-seven cents to twenty dollars. School Books, Blank Books and Stationery of every variety, at prices that will give satisfaction. The attention of Superintendants of Sabbath Schools is particularly invited to his large collection of Books in this department which will be sold on the most favorable terms.

NEW PUBLICATIONS

in all the Departments of Learning, are received immediately on their publication and sold at the lowest possible prices.

Gentlemen visiting the city are invited to call and examine his large and splendid collection, to which additions are constantly being made.

WM. MURRAY,
Kramph's Buildings, North Queen st., Lancaster.
april 1 10

Plainfield Classical Academy.

(FOUR MILES WEST OF CARLISLE.)

TENTH SESSION COMMENCES ON MONDAY THE 5TH OF MAY.

THIS Institution has been established nearly Five Years, during which time such additions and improvements have been made as to render it one of the most commodious and convenient in the State.

The course of studies includes all that are required for College, Counting House, &c. Also the modern languages, and Vocal and Instrumental Music.

In regard to healthfulness, it may be mentioned that no case of serious sickness has occurred in the Institution since it was founded. Its moral purity is attested by the fact that depraved associates, scenes of vice, and resorts of dissipation, have no existence in this locality.

It is the determination of the Proprietor that the Institution shall sustain the reputation it has already acquired for imparting thorough instruction, and inculcating and establishing virtuous principles in the minds of youths submitted to his charge.

TERMS, (per session of five months) $50.

For Catalogues, containing references and full particulars, address

R. K. BURNS, Principal and Proprietor,
Plainfield P. O, Cum. Co., Pa.
april 1 10-tf

County Court Proclamation.

WHEREAS, the Hon. Ellis Lewis, President, and Jacob Grosh and Emanuel Schaeffer, Esq'rs, Associate Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the county of Lancaster and Assistant Justices of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the said County of Lancaster, have issued their Precept to me directed, requiring me, among other things to make Public Proclamation throughout my Bailiwick, that the Court of Oyer and Terminer all General Jail Delivery. Also, a Court of General Quarter Session of the Peace and Jail Delivery, will commence in the city of Lancaster in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on the THIRD MONDAY OF APRIL NEXT, 1851, in pursuance of which precept

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, to the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen of the city of Lancaster, in the said county, and all the Justices of the Peace, the Coroner, Constables, of the city and county of Lancaster, that they be then and there, in their own proper persons, with their rolls, records, and examinations, and inquisitions, and other remembrances, to do those things, which to their offices appertain in that behalf to be done; and also, all those who will prosecute against the prisoners who are, or then shall be in the Jail of the said county of Lancaster, are to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Dated at Lancaster, the 17th of February, 1851.

JACOB HUBER, Sheriff.

N. B.—Punctual attendance of Jurors and Witnesses will hereafter be expected and required on the first day of the Sessions—Aldermen and Justices of the Peace are required by an order of Court, dated Nov. 21st, 1848, to return their recognizances to David M. Martin, clerk of Quarter Sessions, within one week from the day of final action in each case, and in default thereof the Magistrate's costs will not be allowed. [april 1-10-tc

Estate of John Hudders.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of John Hudders, late of Sadsbury township, Lancaster county, having been granted to the subscribers, by the Register of said county: All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment immediately, and those having claims will present them without delay properly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN WILEY,
East Nottingham twp., Chester co.
ROBERT HUDDERS,
Sadsbury twp., Lancaster county.
April 1, 1851. 10-6t*

JOSEPH NEFF'S

MUSIC AND PIANO STORE,

AND MANUFACTURER OF MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,

NO. 7, Hart's Building, South Sixth Street, above Chesnut, Philadelphia. Constantly on hand every kind of Musical Merchandise. Instruments repaired in the best style.
march 18 8-3m

Estate of Catharine Howry.

In the Orphans' Court of the County of Lancaster.

WHEREAS, Abraham Howry, Trustee of Catharine Howry, did on the 19th day of March, 1851, file in the office of the Orphans' Court of said county, his account of the said Estate:

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said Estate, that said the Court have appointed the 21st day of April, A. D., 1851, for the confirmation thereof, unless exceptions be filed.

B. KAUFMAN, Clerk of O. C.
Lan. March 25. 4t-9

Estate of Charlotte Russel,

LATE OF THE Borough OF MARIETTA, dec'd.

LETTERS testamentary having been granted to the subscriber the on estate of the above named dec'd., he hereby gives notice to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent to make known to him the same without delay, and all persons indebted to the estate, are requested to make payment forthwith to the Executor in the Borough of Marietta.

EDWIN J. RINEHART.
march 25. 4t*-9

Tinman's Machines.

THE subscriber has the sole agency for the sale of Stow & Co's. Tinman's Machines, and offers them for sale at the manufacturers prices.

GEORGE M. STEINMAN,
march 25-9-3m] West King st., Lancaster.

Fresh Lime.

THE subscriber has constantly on hand Fresh Lime which he offers in quantities to suit purchasers.

GEORGE. M. STEINMAN,
march 25-9-3m] West King st., Lancaster.

To Shoemakers.

JUST received Harrison's Columbian Leather Makers Powder for blacking the edges of Boots, for sale at the Finding Store, sign of the Last.
march 18-9] M. H. LOCHER.

JUST RECEIVED—a very superior lot of FRESH FEATHERS, at the cheap Dry Goods Store of CHAS. M. ERBEN & BRO., North Queen street.
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Just Received,

500 POUNDS American Shoe Thread, a superior article, which will be sold wholesale or retail at Philadelphia prices, at the sign of the Golden Last, a few doors west of Steinman's Hardware Store. M. H. LOCHER.
mach 18 8-tf

Estate of David Way, late of Manor Twp., dec'd.

LETTERS testamentary on the above estate, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons having claims or demands against said estate, will present them, duly authenticated for settlement, and those indebted will make payment without delay. BARNHERD MANN, (Farmer,)
Executor, Manor township.
ed 4 2-7t*

NEW HARDWARE STORE.

GEORGE D. SPRECHER,

(Late of the firm of Sprecher & Rohrer,)

HAVING purchased the Store stand, and the entire stock of HARDWARE, GLASS, &c., from A. W. Russell, in North Queen street, respectfully informs the patrons of the old concern and his friends that he is determined to devote his whole time and attention to the purchasing and selling off his goods so as to make it particularly the interest of the public to give him a call before purchasing elsewhere.

His stock embraces a large and general assortment of HARDWARE, consisting of Cook, Coal and Nine-Plate Stoves, of the most modern patterns and best metals.

IRON.—A general assortment of Bar, Hoop, Sheet, Slit and Round Iron.

STEEL OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

All kinds of building materials, such as Nails of every kind, Locks, Latches, Hinges, Screws, Bolts, Glass, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, &c. An extensive assortment of Planes, Saws, Chisels, Braces and Bits, and Rules.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

Articles consisting of Kettles, Pots, Pans, Griddles, Coffee Mills, Knives and Forks, Spoons, Ladles, Shovels and Tongs, Candlesticks, Lamps, Looking Glasses, &c., &c. Also, a large assortment of

CEDAR WARE,

viz:—Brewing and Wash Tubs of all sizes, Churns, Buckets, Bushels, Half Bushels, Pecks and Half Pecks, Stands of all sizes, Turned Bowls, Pails, Butter Prints, Boxes, &c., &c.

MAHOGANY BOARDS AND VENEERS.

Also—Railroad and other Shovels, Spads, Forks, Picks, Mattocks, Rakes, &c., together with every other article kept in a Hardware Store; all of which will be disposed of wholesale or retail, on the most reasonable terms. He hopes by strict attention to business, and a determination to please his customers, to receive a share of public patronage.

☞ Old Castings and Flaxseed will be taken in exchange for goods.

GEORGE D. SPRECHER.
march 18 8-3m

FREE EXHIBITION.

AN interesting Exibition of new and magnificent SPRING GOODS, is now being held daily, (Sundays excepted) at the store of

FONDERSMITH & HERR,

No. 5, East King Street, Lancaster,

where can be seen the most perfect assortment of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

ever before exhibited in this city, consisting in part of superior 3 and 4-4 rich glossy boiled Black Silks, elegant Brocade and China Dress Silks, plain changeable Silks and Turc Satins, Rich Foulard Chene Summer Silks, Watered and Plain Silk and Linen Poplins, beautiful figured Chene Poplins, Plain Chamelion Toilie de Linde, together with a splendid selection of Berege de Laines at all prices.

1000 YARDS real French Organdie Lawns of all colors—only 12½ cents, worth 25.

2000 YARDS rich Mous de Laines—only 12½ cents, usual price 18¾.

CRAPE SHAWLS.

A large invoice of White Embroidered Crape Shawls, very large size, from $10 to $50.

WHITE DRESS GOODS.

We have now and will be receiving during the season, a magnificent assortment of Ladies' White Dress Goods of every description. Ladies' French Worked Collars and Cuffs, Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs, Neck Ribbons, Edgings, Laces, &c., &c.

IRISH LINENS, Barnsley Sheetings, Muslins, Tickings, Checks, Chambrays, Ginghams, &c., at the lowest prices.

GENTLEMEN'S WEAR

of every grade and style, from the common Domestic Stripe to the most superb French, English and American Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings. Gents. elegant fancy Silk and French Gingham Cravats, Silk and Doeskin Gloves, Suspenders, &c.

CARPETING! CARPETING!

Our carpet room (with the addition of 1000 yards of new styles just made,) is acknowledged by all who have visited it, to be a perfect panorama. Beautiful Carpets from 25 cents to $1,50 per yard. Stair, Table and Floor Oil Cloths, Rugs, &c., in great variety.

500 pounds Cotton and Linen Chain of all colors and the best make.

Coach Trimimngs of all kinds.

The public are informed there will be a *change of Programme every month!* (march 18-8

Spring Goods.

THE subscribers are now receiving a complete assortment of three ply, fine and common *INGRAIN AND VENETIAN CARPETINGS,* Foor Oil Cloths, Heavy Barnsley Sheetings, Table Linens, Marseilles Quilts,

IRISH LINENS,

and a general assortment of Dry Goods, suitable for the Spring Trade, to which the attention of purchasers is invited.

ALSO

3000 PIECES Glazed and Common Paper Hangings and Borders.

C. HAGER & SON.
March 11. 3t-7

50 Farms for Sale.

THE undersigned has for sale FIFTY IMPROVED FARMS, rating in quantity from 50 to 700 Acres, distant from two to fourteen miles from Baltimore; a portion of these Farms are first rate rich bottom, LIMESTONE LAND, good improvements, with wood, water, and advantage to make them very desirable to persons who wish to settle in the neighborhood of Baltimore.

ALSO, several large and IMPROVED FARMS in the State of Virginia, for less than ten dollars per acre. For further information apply to

D. B. FERGUSON,
S. W. Corner of North and Fayette streets, near the Post Office, Baltimore, Md. [mar 25-9-3m

Dissolution.

THE firm heretofore existing under the title of JUDD & MURRAY, is this day dissolved by mutual consent: All persons indebted to the late firm are requested to call immediately and settle with William Murray, as it is important that the Partnership accounts should be closed as soon as possible. Also all persons who have demands against the late concern are requested to present the same to Wm. Murray for settlement.

R. J. JUDD,
WILLIAM MURRAY.
Lancaster, March 15, 1851.

BOOK SELLING

In all its branches will be continued by the subscriber at the old stand, who will continue to offer to the public a large and varied assortment of Books at the lowest prices.

He has made arrangements to purchase at the Trade Sales, now about to take place, a very extensive supply of the best and newest Books published.

WILLIAM MURRAY.
march 18 8-3t

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE partnership of the subscribers, trading under the firm of J. B. Baker & Brother, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will be settled by J. B. Baker, who is authorized to use the name of the firm in liquidation for that purpose.

The subscribers avail themselves of this opportunity to thank their friends for the liberal patronage they have bestowed on them since their connection in business.

J. B. BAKER,
LAFAYETTE BAKER.
Gap, March 11th, 1851.

The firm of J. B. Baker & Brother having been dissolved as above stated, the business will be continued by the subscribers under the title of Baker & Hopkins, at the old place, where they will be happy to see the friends and customers of the old firm.

ALL KINDS OF GRAIN will be purchased for which cash will be paid.

LUMBER, PLASTER, SALT, TAR AND FISH ALWAYS KEPT ON HAND.

Their Store contains a large, well-selected and fashionable assortment of goods, which will be disposed of at as low rates as possible. They hope by close attention to business to share the patronage of the public.

J. B. BAKER,
March 12th, 1851. JAMES HOPKINS.
march 25 9-3t

Estate of George Sheaffer.

In the Court of Common Pleas for the co. of Lanc'r.

WHEREAS, Philip Sheaffer, Trustee in the Will of Samuel Sheaffer, for George Sheaffer, son of said Samuel Sheaffer, deceased, did on the 17th day of March, 1851, file in the office of the Prothonotary of the said Court, his Account of the said Estate:

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said Estate, that the said Court have appointed the 21st day of April, 1851, for the confirmation thereof, unless exceptions be filed. Attest:

HENRY STOEK, Proth'y.
Proth'ys Offiee, Lan. march 25. 4t-9

Last Notice.

ALL persons in any way indebted to the estate of Col. Samuel Morrison, late of Drumore township, Lancaster county, are hereby notified, for the last time, that their accounts must be settled without delay, as no indulgence can be given, it being absolutely necessary to settle the estate. Also, all persons having claims against the estate, are requested to present them immediately for liquidation.

JAMES McSPARREN,
SANDERS McCULLOUGH,
March 11-4t-7] Administrators.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, in the mercantile business, under the firm of John Raub & Son, at Leesburg, Lancaster county, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 18th inst.

The notes, books and accounts are left in the hands of John Raub, the senior partner, to whom payment must be made, and who will also pay all debts contracted by the firm.

JOHN RAUB,
J. MILLER RAUB.
march 25. 3t*-9

☞ The business will be continued at the old stand by John Raub.

IN THE MATTER of the intended application of ADAM KENDING, to the Court of Quarter Sessions at April term, 1851, for license to continue keeping a tavern in Conestoga township—it being an old stand.

WE, the undersigned citizens of the township of Conestoga, where said inn or tavern is proposed to be kept, do certify, that the said inn or tavern is necessary to accommodate the public and entertain strangers and travellers, and that we are well acquainted with the said Adam Kendig, and that he is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of strangers and travellers.

Samuel S. Welsh, Benjamin Good, Christian Shenk, Abraham G. Shaub, Martin Hess, John Daily, Simon R. Weaver, Samuel Myer, jr., Abraham Myer, M. Benedict, Amos Miller, Jacob Harnish, jr., A. C. Kendig. [march 25-8*

IN THE MATTER of the intended application of ISRAEL HUBBS, to the Court of Quarter Sessions at April term, 1851, for license to continue keeping a tavern at Dillerville, Manheim township—it being an old stand.

WE, the undersigned citizens of the township of Manheim, where said inn or tavern is proposed to be kept, do certify, that the said inn or tavern is necessary to accommodate the public and entertain strangers and travellers, and that we are well acquainted with the said Israel Hubbs, and that he is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of strangers and travellers.

Jacob Kohr, Jr., T. J. Patterson, Patrick McLaughlin, Henry Brown, Thomas Ruth, Pharias Cassiday, Benjamin Herr, Peter Stietz, Peter Stormfeltz, John Evans, Henry Holl, Jacob Hummel.
march 25 8-3t

IN THE MATTER of the intended application of JAMES H. HOUSTON, to the Court of Quarter Sessions at April Term, 1851, for license to continue keeping a tavern in Salisbury township,—it being an old stand.

We, the undersigned citizens of the township of Salisbury, where said inn or tavern is proposed to be kept, do certify, that the said inn or tavern is necessary to accommodate the public and entertain strangers and travellers, and that we are well acquainted with the said James H. Houston, and that he is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of strangers and travellers.

William F. Baker, B. F. Houston, Elias Eaby, John M. Buyers, John D. Wilson, Thos. S. M'Ilvaine, Henry Dickinson, Jacob Umble, Joshua Chamberlin, John Livingston, C. Umble, Isaac Livingston. [march 18-8-3t*

IN THE MATTER of the intended application of JOHN HAMILTON, to the Court of Quarter Sessions, at April term, 1851, for license to continue keeping a tavern in the North East Ward of the city of Lancaster—it being an old stand.

WE, the undersigned citizens of the North East Ward, where said inn or tavern is proposed to be kept, do certify, that the said inn or tavern is necessary to accommodate the public and entertain strangers and travellers, and that we are well acquainted with the said Jno. Hamilton, and that he is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of strangers and travellers.

Henry Pinkerton, David King, D. B. Vondersmith, John Fondersmith, Jonah Wisner, T. C. Wiley, C. Kline, A. McClure, Edmund M. Kline, Solomon Day, Jacob Zecher, Geo. Brubaker.
march 18 8-3t*

IN THE MATTER of the intended application of WILLIAM CUMMINGS, to the Court of Quarter Sessions at April Term, 1851, for license to continue keeping a tavern in the Borough of Marietta—it being an old stand.

We, the undersigned citizens of the Borough of Marietta, where said inn or tavern is proposed to be kept, do certify, that the said inn or tavern is necessary to accommodate the public and entertain strangers and travellers, and that we are well acquainted with the said William Cummings, and that he is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of strangers and travellers.

John R. Diffenbach, Abraham Cassel, Thomas Johnston, Peter Mumma, Jacob Mellinger, E. F. Shoneberger, Lawrence Hipple, Charles H. Girod, C. Heistand, Samuel Johnson, Thomas Stence, Darret Capel, jr., Andrew Leader, John Miller, John Judy, David Musselman, George Cummings, Adam Grede. [march 18-8-3t

IN THE MATTER of the intended application of EMANUEL VAN KANAN, to the Court of Quarter Sessions, at April term 1851, for license to continue keeping a tavern in North Queen street, in the city of Lancaster—it being an old stand.

WE, the undersigned citizens of the North West Ward, where said inn or tavern is proposed to be kept, do certify, that the said inn or tavern is necessary to accommodate the public and entertain strangers and travellers, and that we are well acquainted with the said Emanuel Van Kanan, and that he is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of strangers and travellers.

Jacob Myers, David Weidler, George Hambright, John Hatz, Jacob Rees, John Sehner, A. S. Keller, Moses Geisenberger, George Wilson, Henry C. Wentz, Jacob Herzog, Samuel Hatz, Levi L. Diller.
march 18 8-3t

IN THE MATTER of the intended application of MARY MESSENKOP, to the Court of Quarter Sessions, at April term, 1851, for license to continue keeping a tavern in the S. E. Ward of the city of Lancaster—it being an old stand.

WE, the undersigned citizens of the S. E. Ward of the city of Lancaster, where said inn or tavern is proposed to be kept, do certify, that the said inn or tavern is necessary to accommodate the public and entertain strangers and travellers, and that we are well acquainted with the said Mary Messenkop, and that she is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of strangers and travellers.

William Gumph, Charles A. Heinitsh, H. C. Fondersmith, W. S. La Baron, A. S. Brubaker, John D. Skiles, George Rogers, C. Kieffer, P. K. Breneman, William J. Steele, John N. Lane, H. E. Slaymaker. [march 18-8-3t

IN THE MATTER of the intended application of CHRISTOPHER GRAHAM, to the Court of Quarter Sessions, at April term, 1851, for license to continue keeping the tavern now kept by Cyrus Milner, in Celerain twp.—it being an old stand.

WE, the undersigned citizens of township of Colerain, where said inn or tavern is proposed to be kept, do certify, that the said inn or tavern is necessary to accommodate the public and entertain strangers and travellers, and that we are well acquainted with the said Christopher Graham, and that he is of good repute for honesty and temperance and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of strangers and travellers.

Jeremiah Swisher, Robert Dripe, Joseph Robison, Simeon Sw