Philadelphia Correspondence.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17, 1855.

The past week has passed off "flat, stale and unprofitable," without even a fireman's riot to vary the monotony. The sleighing has gone, the port, which was ice-bound, has opened, and business begins slowly to drag itself along. Money is getting easier and first class paper is readily discounted at 9 per cent. per annum. The Banks are getting over the imaginary panic, and readily discount paper with good autographs.

The fire alarm telegraph project has passed the lower branches of Councils and will probably pass the Select branch on Tuesday. The proposition of Purdy & Phillips will most undoubtedly be adopted. By their system a police officer can step into any one of the Stations, and simultaneously give the alarm and place of the fire to four hundred different officers! It will cost the city nearly $100,000 to construct such a line, and will save ten times that amount of property in the course of a year.

William Rice, Esq., the Proprietor of the Pennsylvanian, and late Harbor Master, appropriated the receipts of one day's advertising (last Wednesday) to the poor. He handed over next day to the Committee one hundred and fifty-one dollars, which was judiciously distributed among the most needy. No other newspaper has yet followed the example so nobly set.

An organization is being made here to support George Law for the next Presidency. Law is the New York steamboat millionaire, and feels anxious it appears to give Commodore Stockton a "tussle." The old fogies in the different political camps wink, cough and say nothing, while the young men are organizing with the determination to go for the man who has got the most money. Financially it is about "hip and thigh" between Stockton and Law, and they are both squinting at the White House through the Know-Nothing telescope.

This afternoon we had a small sprinkle of snow, which was very promising for dealers in sleigh bells.

There are now 601 scholars in the High School. Their average age is 14 years. Their attendance in the lower schools averaged five years.

Col. Kinney, the renowned filibuster, who is about to settle a colony on one of the guano islands, somewhere in Central America, has arrived in this city. His lodgings during the past few days have been been besieged by young fillibusters, who are desirous of taking part in any cause where more fighting than work is to be done. It is the general impression that the Colonel intends to make a descent upon Cuba, and if that be the case he will have no trouble in raising an army in this city big enough to conquer the "Queen of the Antilles." The steamship Osprey lays at the foot of Dock st., and U. S. Marshal Wynkoop was seen on the wharf this morning, but we do not believe that he has anything to do with Col. Kinney's expedition.

The Black Swan is again concertising here, and had a large, fashionable and variegated audience last night. Black white and yellow faces were all mingled together. However, Madame Rush, the millionairess was present, and "beauty and fashion" would have been out of tune had they not been there also. It was a pretty sight to those who are fond of seeing niggers and white folks sitting together.

The recent election of Ex-Governor Bigler as President of the Sunbury and Erie Railroad, will give a new impetus to that great work. Without any solicitation or agency of his own, he was elected a manager of the road by the almost unanimous vote of the stockholders, and President by the unanimous vote of the managers. The press here, of all parties, has warmly approved his election as one calculated to ensure the entire confidence of the community, and it is hoped and generally believed that the dissensions and difficulties which have so long clogged and impeded the advancement of this great enterprise, will now be entirely removed, and the iron link which is to bind us with Lake Erie and prove a channel for the conveyance of the rich treasures of her commerce to our port, be speedily completed.

The Annual Commencement of our High School recently took place in the Musical Fund Hall, before a crowded audience. Degrees of Master and Bachelor of Arts, and testimonials of merit were conferred upon a number of students, and some excellent addresses were delivered by the new graduates. Our High School is conducted in a very excellent manner, and will compare favorably with the best colleges in the city.

A demented individual who has acquired the cognomen of the "Poor Genius" is devoting his valuable time to the delivery of street harangues somewhat after the Angel Gabriel style, although, if possible, somewhat more incoherent.

Much interest is felt in the contest for the U. S. Senatorship at Harrisburg. Rumors are rife of the employment of corrupt influences by some of the candidates. If the prize is to be a purchasable one it should be put up at auction to the highest bidder, so that the Commonwealth, instead of the Legislature, should receive the bonus which eager aspirants are willing to bestow.

Gov. Pollock has at length made his appointments for the city of Philadelphia. George R. Graham, formerly Editor of Graham's Magazine, and who has been prominently connected with literary enterprises for many years, has been appointed Harbor Master. W. D. Baker, Esq., a member of our Bar, who has been a leading spirit of the Native American party for some years past, has been appointed Bark Inspector. Stephen Miller, of Harrisburg, the editor of the Pennsylvania Telegraph, has been appointed Flour Inspector. Of the eighteen appointees all are residents of this city except six.

For the offices in question in this city, there were two thousand applicants from Philadelphia alone. We are growing to be a nation of office seekers.—The malady has spread wider and wider with each new year, and from present appearances, the time is approaching when the man of mature age who has neither sought or held an office of some kind or other, will be the rarest curiosity that Barnum could possibly select for his museum. Ambition is an all prevailing feeling, and no doubt acts as the ruling incentive for many of the mostworthy deeds of mankind, but it is rather lamentable that so much of it should be directed into the political channel. Legions of aspirants but injure, if they do not ruin themselves by their injudicious pursuit of political honors; and thousands more do much more harm than good to the country, by their occupancy of stations the duties of which they are not competent to properly discharge.

The special election for Senator has resulted in the choice of Henry C. Pratt, the Whig and American candidate, by a majority of 1,983. The vote of the District was about 10,000 less than at the last general election, when the combined Whig and American vote was 2,063 greater than the Democratic vote.

An individual has been arrested up town, who is strongly suspected of having been one of the party of three villains, who, several years ago committed a very cruel murder of the boy Lehman, in the upper part of this city. His two accomplices have long since been tried, sentenced and executed, and if the impressions of our policemen, as to his indentity, are correct, he will ere long share their fate.

An unfortunate case of somambulism occurred up town last night, the hero of which in his nocturnal rambles walked out of a third story window. The force of his fall was somewhat broken by alighting upon a one story shed, and his injuries though severe, were prevented from being fatal.

Our markets have not recently undergone any material change. Flour sells for from $9 to $10 50; Rye Flour $5; Corn Meal $4 25; Wheat 215a225c; Rye 122; Corn 95c; Oats 53a54.

Truly Yours, PHILADELPHIA.

JOHNSTON TO BE EXECUTED.—The Court, on yesterday week, refused to set aside the verdict—an able opinion against it being delivered by Judge Hayes. His sentence was postponed at the instance of the District Attorney, for the purpose of using him as a witness in the trial of Kent, his supposed accomplice in the murder of Elizabeth Thomas.

SOME OF THE "SONS OF THE SIRES."—The West Chester (Pa) Jeffersonian says, at a debating society in that county, a few evenings since, the question of know-nothingism was discussed, and it is a remarkable fact that the principle declaimer against naturalized citizens, and defender of the order, was a man who had four brothers hung during the revolution for treason, and furnishing the British with supplies, and acting as spies.

MARRIAGES.

On the 25th ult., John Funk of Manor township to Catharine Shartzer, of Washington Borough.

On the 8th inst., by Rev. V. Grey, Mordec ai Rorer, to Mary Sisey, both of Strasburg.

On the 9th inst. by Rev. S. Trumbauer, C. Miller of Upper Leacock, to Julianna Bare, of Earl.

On the 1st inst., Franklin Bender, to Elizabeth Bare of Earl township.

On the 8th inst., Jacob Hess, to Catharine Kelle, both of Manheim township.

On the 4th inst., by Rev. William Cooper. Henry Bietz, to Margle A. Evans, of Columbia.

On the 15th inst., at St. Mary's Church by Rev. Mr Keenan, Joseph A. Aitlck, to Sarah Nugent, both of this City.

DEATHS.

On the 12th inst., in East Lampeter township, Henry Downer, in the 79th year of his age.

In this City, on Tuesday last, Dr. C. O. Richards, aged 32 years.

In Mount Joy, on the 8th inst., Emanuel Werner, in the 84th year of his age.

On the 9th inst., at Gordonville, Eleanor, wife of Wm. M'Chesney, formerly of Columbia.

At his residence in Baltimore county, after a somewhat protracted illness, Rev. Dr. JOHN S. REMP, President of the Baltimore Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, aged 66 years. He was an able and eloquent Minister, and few men have been more useful, or more generally beloved by all who knew him.

☞ The PHILADELPHIA MARKETS show no change of consequence since our last report.

Day of Appeal.—The day of Appeal for the city of Lancaster will be held at the Commissioners Office, on Tuesday the 13th of March next.

JOHN M. HIESTAND,
PHILIP GEIST,
WM. C. WORTH,
(City papers only copy. Commissioners.
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Carts for Sale.—The subscriber has four excellent strong CARTS, which he will sell at private sale, very cheap. They can be seen at his residence in East King street a few doors west of John Hamilton's Hotel.
feb 20 tf-6] JAMES GILLEN.

Estate of John Miller & Wife.—In the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Lancaster.—Whereas, Zacheus Killian and Joseph Oberholzer did on the 13th day of February, 1855, file in the office of the Prothonotary of the said Court, their Account of the said Estate:

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said Estate, that the said Court have appointed the 22d day of March, 1855, for the confirmation thereof, unless exceptions be filed. Attest, J. BOWMAN, Proth'y.
Lancaster, Proth'ys. Office, feb 20 4t-5

Estate of Ann Brubaker (a Lunatic.)—In the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Lancaster. Whereas, Francis Brubaker & Magdalena Brubaker Executors of Daniel Brubaker decd., who was Committee of said Lunatic, did on the 16th day of February, 1855, file in the Office of the Prothonatay of the said Court their Account of the said Estate:

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said Estate, that the said Court have appointed the 22d day of March, 1855, for the confirmation thereof, unless exceptions be filed.
Attest, J. BOWMAN,
Proth'y's Office Lan. Feb. 16 1855. Prothonatary
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Estate of Robert Dysart and Wife.—In the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Lancaster. Whereas, Samuel M. Myers assignee of Robert Dysart and Wife, did on the 14th day of February, 1855 file in the Office of the Prothonotary of said Court, his account of said Estate:

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said Estate, that the said Court have appointed the 22d day of March, 1855, for the confirmation thereof, unless exceptions be filed. Attest, J. BOWMAN,
Prothy's office, Lan. Feb. 14, 1855. do. Proth'y.
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New Iron and Brass Foundry.—The Proprietors of the LANCASTER LOCOMOTIVE WORKS would respectfully call the attention of the public to the extensive IRON and BRASS Foundries connected with their establishment. We are now prepared to Manufacture

Stationary Engines,
Mill and Saw Mill Castings,
Car Wheels,

and every other description of cast iron work at short notice and reduced prices. Also, all kinds of

Brass Castings,
Copper Rivets,
Solder and
Babbit Metal.

The establishment is under the Superintendence of Mr. John Brandt, Sr. whose mechanical skill is well known to our citizens; and as none but the most competent and thorough workmen are employed, we are confident of giving entire satisfaction, to all who may favor us with their patronage. [feb 20 tf-5]

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

The Accounts of the respective decedents hereunto annexed, are filed in the Register's Office of Lancaster County, for confirmation and allowance, at an Orphans' Court, to be held in the Court House, in the City of Lancaster, on the 3d Monday in March next, (the 19th,) at 10 o'clock, A. M.

Jacob Chalfant, Salisbury township. By Rachel Chalfant and Jacob Bentler, Executors.

William B. Schneider, Borough of Adamstown. By Henry Stauffer, Administrator.

John Good, West Earl township. Guardianship Account. By Mark S. Groff, Guardian of Anna Good, one of the minor children of deceased.

Joseph Bradhurst, Martic township, who was a minor child of John Bradhurst, deceased. By James Simpson, Administrator.

Jacob Fenstermacher, East Hempfield township. Guardianship Account. By Jacob Demmy and Henry H. Kurtz, Administrators of Christopher Demmy, deceased who was Guardian of John, Christian and Anna Fenstermacher, minor children of the first mentioned decd.

Benjamin Gacklin, West Cocalico township. By John Gacklin and Henry Gacklin, Administrators.

William Ramsey, Bart township. By John Wiley, one of the Executors of James Ramsey, deceased, who was surviving Executor of Wm. Ramsey, deceased.

Daniel Buckwalter, Cernarvon township. Guardianship Accounts. By David Plank, Guardian of Lewis, Joseph M., Roland D., Daniel, Elizabeth and Ruth Ann Buckwalter, minor children of deceased.

Christian Wade, Bart township. By Amos Wade and Mary Wade, Administrators.

Henry Haldeman, Conoy township. Guardianship Account. By Joseph W. Cottrell, Guardian of Helen Wentz, formerly Haldeman, a minor child of deceased.

Jacob Kurtz, Manheim township. Guardianship Account. By Jacob Zug, Guardian of Fanny Matilda Kurtz, late wife of David Shirk, and now deceased, a minor and only child of Jacob Kurtz, deceased.

Henry Huber, East Donegal township. Supplementary and Final Account. By Dr. Nathaniel Watson, Executor.

Mary H. Bamborough, City of Lancaster. By A. E. Widney, Administrator.

David Harnish, Conestoga township. By Martin Harnish, Jacob Harnish and Michael Harnish, Testamentary Trustees over the person and estate of Nancy Harnish, one of the daughters and heirs of said deceased.

Christopher Falck, West Hempfield township. By Frederick Falck and Justus Gray, two of the Executors.

Joseph Reiff, Sr., West Earl township. By Jonas Reiff, surviving Executor.

Susanna Bliser, New Ephrata, Ephrata township. By Levi S. Hacker, Administrator.

Abraham Huber, Warwick township. Testamentary Guardianship Account. By Samuel Beller, Guardian of Maria Stoner, a grand daughter of said deceased.

Elizabeth Hartman, Borough of Manheim. Testamentary Guardianship Account. By Henry Shaffner, Guardian of Franklin Hartman, one of the legatees of said deceased.

John C. Landis, East Hempfield township. By Mrs. Frances Landis, Administratrix.

Edward O'Donnell, Mountjoy township. By Daniel O'Donnell, Administrator.

George Borkholder, West Cocalico township. By Samuel Borkholder, Christian Borkholder, Henry Borkholder Jacob Borkholder and John Borkholder, Administrators.

Henry Gochnaur, East Donegal township. Guardianship Account. By Christian Groh, Guardian of Barbara Gochnaur, a minor child of deceased.

Michael W. Hay, Bainbridge, Conoy township. By Henry Hawk, Administrator.

Barbara Geib, Penn township. By John Geib and George Ruhl, Administrators.

Michael Hummer, Warwick township. Supplementary Account. By Samuel Eisminger, surviving Executor of Jacob Hummer, and Daniel Zug, Executor of Abraham Zug, decd., who were the Executors of Michael Hummer, deceased.

Jacob Shenk, Miller, Conestoga township. Guardianship Account. By Christian Miller, Guardian of John Shenk, deceased, who was a minor son of deceased.

Mary Fox, Borough of Columbia. Guardianship Account. By Richard Fox, Guardian of George Fox, Franklin Fox, Mary V. Fox, minor children of Mary Fox, deceased, who was intermarried with John E. Fox, (late Mary Boggs.)

Jacob Sheaffer, Conoy township. Guardianship Account. By Philip Obweiler, Guardian of Jacob Sheaffer, minor son of deceased.

Christian Kreider, Conestoga (now Pequea) township.—Guardianship Account. By Michael Kreider, Guardian of "Christian Kreider, (wife of John Groff,) a minor daughter of deceased.

Mary Switzgable, New Ephrata, Ephrata township. Supplementary and Final Account. By Wm. Kenigmacher, Executor.

John Hill, Little Britain township. Final Account: By Wilson Hill, Administrator.

Margaret Hill, Little Britain township. By Wilson Hill, Acting Executor.

Christian Killhoffer, Manor township. Guardianship Account. By Abraham Miller, Guardian of John Killhoffer, one of the minor children of deceased.

John Gross East, Cocalico township. Guardianship Account. By William Von Neida, Guardian of William Gress, one of the sons of John Gress, and one of the grand children of Jacob Gress, deceased.

Michael Dellman, Borough of Columbia. Final Account. By William H. Sumer, Executor.

Martin Balmer, Penn township. By John Balmer and Abraham Balmer, Administrators.

Samuel Lehn, Mountjoy township. By John Musser, sole Executor.

Joseph Cottrell, Borough of Columbia. By Joseph W. Cottrell, Executor.

Daniel Rohrer, East Lampeter township. By John Rohrer, Administrator.

Abraham Eby, Elizabeth township. By Jonas Eby and John B. Erb, Executors.

Peter Hiestand, Manor township. By Henry Wissler, Executor.

Christian Siechrist, East Lampeter township. Guardianship Account. By Tobias Krieder, Guardian of Mary Siechrist, minor daughter of deceased.

Catharine Lawrence, city of Lancaster. By Lewis Lawrence, Executor.

Christian Habecker, East Hempfield township. Guardianship Account. By Benjamin Landis, Guardian of Barbara Habecker, minor daughter of deceased.

John Bamborough, city of Lancaster. By Ann E. Bamborough and David W. Grissinger, Administrators.

Esther Bean, Leacock township. By Henry W. Bair, Administrator.

John Bean, Leacock township. By Henry W Bair, Administrator.

Magdalena Yeager, Warwick township. By Christian Staman, Executor.

Philip Fullmer, Manheim township. Guardianship Account By Jacob Kohr, jr., Guardian of Eliza Fullmer, one of the children of deceased.

Jacob W. Groff, Manheim township. By Levi W. Groff, Administrator.

Rosina Ruhl, Penn township. By Emanuel Ruhl and Benjamin Zug, Executors.

Lorenz Seigle, Manor township. By John R. Seigle, Executor.

Timothy Haines, Fulton township. By Jeremiah B. Haines and Timothy Haines, Executors.

Joseph Horst, West Earl township. By John M. Horst and Christian Hunsberger, Administrators de bonis non cum testamento annexo.

Christopher Demmy, East Hempfield township. By Jacob Demmy and Henry H. Kurtz, Administrators.

Andrew Kammerer, Penn township. By Andrew Kammerer and Samuel Kimmerer, Executors.

Barbara Miller, Rapho township. Guardianship Account. By samuel Eusminger, Guardian of Anna, David, Mary and Martha Miller, four of the children of said deceased.

Francis Flury, Borough of Marietta. By Sarah A. Flury and James Cushman, Administrators.

Catharine Bower, East Hempfield township. By Jacob Bower, Executor.

Peter Brubaker, Rapho township. Guardianship Account. By George Kendy, Guardian of Henry Brubaker, one of the children of deceased.

Henry H. Gall, Conestoga township. By Ann Gall and Dr. John Kendig, Administrators.

Abraham Musselman, Mountjoy township. By Joseph Musselman, Administrator.

Michael Barnish, West Hempfield township. By Jacob Bower and John Frey, Executors.

Henry Yost, Leacock township. By James Lindsay, Executor.

Samuel Albright, West Hempfield township. By John H. Albright, Administrator.

Ann Frey, Manor township. By John Sleeger, Administrator.

Daniel L. Carpenter, Borough of Manheim. By Daniel Danner, Administrator.

Daniel Brubaker, Strasburg township. By Francis Brubaker and Magdalena Brubaker, Executors.

Michael Dietrich, city of Lancaster. By Martin Shreiner, Trustee of said deceased, under the Will of Elizabeth Dietrich, deceased.

Henry Carpenter, Paradise township. Second and final Guardianship Account. By J. George Ernst, Guardian of John Carpenter, now decd., a minor son of Henry Carpenter, deceased.

Henry Engle, Conoy township. By Henry M. Engle, John B. Engle and Jacob M. Engle, Executors.

Salome Livergood, City of Lancaster. By John S. Gable, Executor.

Henry Livergood, Manor township. Guardianship account By John S. Gable, Guardian of Peter Livergood, a child of deceased.

George Ludwig, East Cocalico township. By George Ludwig and William Ludwig, Executors.

Susanna Bitzer, Ephrata township. By Isaac Bitzer, Administrator.

William Addams, Borough of Adamstown. By Jacob Addams and Isaac Addams, Executors.

Jacob Musselman, sr., Borough of Mountjoy. By Jacob Musselman, jr., Administrator.

Isaac Redsecker, Borough of Elizabethtown. First Account By James Young and Samuel Redsecker, Administrators.

Christian A. Hess, Conestoga township. By Jacob Mannart, Administrator.

Christian H. Sherts, Paradise township. By John S. Kennedy, Administrator.

George Coulson. Little Britain (now Fulton) township. Guardianship Account. By Duckat S. Williams (late widow Coulson,) Guardian of Thomas M. Coulson, minor son of Deceased.

Joshua Rehler, West Hempfield township. By Abraham Zook, Executor.

Martin Plautz, county of Lancaster. By Martha A. Crossley, Administratrix.

Jacob Souder, Manor township. Guardianship Account.—By Jacob S. Witmer and Abraham Miller, Administrators of Jacob Buckwalter, who was Guardian of Catharine Soudor, a minor daughter of deceased.

Jacob Gall, Conestoga township. By Ann Gall and John Kendig, Administrators of the estate of Henry H. Gall, deceased, who was Executor of Jacob Gall, decd.

Barbara Landis, East Lampeter township. By Abraham S. Landis and Benjamin Landis, Administrators.

Martin Kendig, Manor township. Guardianship Account. By David Mellinger, Guardian of Martin D. Kendig, (now of age) and John, Isaiah, Elizabeth and Sarah Kendig, yet minor children of said deceased.

Henry Kling, Leacock township. By David Groff, Administrator, pendente lite.

David Good, West Earl township. Gaurdianship Account. By George Hauk, late Guardian of Susanna Good, (now wife of Samuel Kafroth,) a daughter of deceased.

BENJAMIN M. STAUFFER,
feb 20 td-5 Register.

Election.—The Annual Election for Managers and Treasurer of the Manor Turnpike Road Company, will be held at the public house of Thomas Fisher, Millersville, on Thursday, March 8, at 2 o'clock P. M. By order of the Board. CHARLES BOUGHTER, Treasurer.
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New Goods Opened this Day.—Cases, The best makes Bleached Long Cloth Muslin for Shirting—Cases, Bleached and Unbleached Sheetings 3 4, 6-4, 7-4, 8-4, 10-4, and 12-4.

Bales Unbleached Muslins. Conestoga, New Market, &c. Tickings, the best ever sold for 12½ cents. Furniture and Apron Checks.

Now is the time to buy House Furnishing Goods at Bargain Prices.

Beautiful Striped Ginghams, for 12½ cents.

Double Width Paris Lustres, 12½ cents, worth 25 cents —from Auction.

1 Lot Heavy Pant Stuffs, worth 37½ cents, selling for 18¾.

1 Lot neat Plaid Casimers.

☞ We have now commenced opening for the Spring Trade, and shall endevor, as heretofore, to enable all to say, "The place for bargains in Dry Good is WENTZ'S STORE."
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IN the MATTER of the intended application of JACOB S. MANN, to the Court of Quarter Sessions at April term, 1855, to continue keeping a tavern in Manor township, Lancaster county—it being an old stand.

We, the undersigned citizens of Manor township, where the 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 Jacob S. Mann, 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 Stauman, Henry S. Mellinger, John Miller, Henry Shenk, Abraham Schenk, Benj. Young, Jr., Geo S. Mann, Jacob Souder, Geo. G. Brush, Christian B. Herr, Christian O. Herr, Benj. Landis, Jno. E. Hostetter, Henry Greenwalt, Jno. H. Hershey, Bernhard Mann. feb 20 3t-5

IN THE MATTER of the intended application of ANNA M. WEIDLER, to the Court of Quarter Sessions at April term, 1855, for a license to continue keeping a tavern in Upper Leacock township, Lancaster county—it being an old stand.

We, the undersigned citizens of Upper Leacock twp., 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 Anna M. Weidler, 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.

Wm. Weidman, Diller Bare, Geo. Brubaker, Marks G. Wenger, Emanuel Swope, Jacob Holl, Adam Miller, N. S. Sheaffer, Bernard L. Beck, David Lefever, Joseph Wenger, Wayne Groff. feb 20 3t-5

IN the MATTER of the intended application of JACOB M. SWARR to the Court of Quarter Sessions at January Term, 1855, to continue keeping a tavern in Upper Leacock township, Lancaster county—it being an old stand.

We, the undersigned citizens of Upper Leacock township, where the 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 Jacob M. Swarr 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.

A. S. Bare, Henry Miller, N. F. Sheaffer, Diller Bare, Bernhard L. Beck, Henry Weidman, George Miller, jr., John Miller, Samuel Wm. Weidman, Geo. Brubaker, Henry Good, Henry Burkhart.

The cry is still they Come.—All the new books are received at the "Peoples Book store" as soon as published, and always in advance of any other establishment in town. Among the last arrivals are the following:

Fudge Doings, a new book by Ike Marvel. His last and best.

Gilfillan's Literary Portraits, third series, just issued.

Hagar the Martyr, or, Passion and Reality, by Mrs. Stevens.

Town and Country, or Life at Home and Abroad, by J. S. Adams.

You Have Heard of Them! by Q. Decidedly the best book of the day.

Ruth Hall, a domestic tale of the time, by Fanny Fern.

Nelly Brucken, a tale of forty years ago, by A. C. Bradford.

Aylilion and other tales, by the author of Olive, the Ogillies, Agatha's Husband.

Tom Crosbie and his Friends, by the author of Handy Andy.

The Past, the Present and the Future, by Bartholomew Bussior.

Margaret, or Prejudice at Home, and its Victims. An autobiography.

What Not, by Mrs. M. A. Dennison,

My Courtship and its Consequences, by Chevalier Wikoff A rare book.

Journey to Central Africa, by Bayard Taylor.

The Lands of the Saracen, or Pictures of Palestine, Sicily and Spain, by Bayard Taylor.

History of Braddock's Expedition against Fort Du Quesne in 1755, under General Braddock, edited from original documents by Winthrop Sargent.

Protestantism and Catholicity compared in their effects or the civilization in Europe, by the Rev. J. Baines.

The American Sportsman: containing hints to sportsmen, notes on shooting, and the habits of the game birds and wild fowl of America, by E. J. Lewis.

The Wife's Victoryland other tales, by Mrs. Southworth.

The Lost Heiress, by Mrs. E. D. E. N. Southworth.

Life of Horace Greely, by Edward Parton.

Life of P. T. Barnum, written by himself.

Notes on Duels and Duelling, by Lorenzo Sabine one of the most interesting books of the day.

The People's Book Store is the place where subscriptions are taken for all the American periodicals, the English Reviews and Blackwood's Magazine, and all the popular papers. For any thing you want, go or send to the subscriber's store.

feb 20 3t-5 W. H. SPANGLER.

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(framed) also Combs, Brushes, Buttons, Hosiery and Gloves, Port Monnaies, Suspenders, Perfumery, Razors and Straps, Threads, Silk Handkerchiefs and Stocks, Needles and Pins, Trimmings, Jewelry, and a thousand other things.

The greatest inducement will be given, without humbug. Come and prove it by saving money.

THOMAS BURCH, Jn.
feb 20 3m-5 87 North 2d st., up stairs.

The Great Distribution Postponed.—The Cosmopolitan Art Association announce a brief postponement of the distribution, from the 30th of January to the 28th of February, at which time it will positively take place.

The managers find it necessary to make the above change owing to the delay in completing the building of the Gallerie, and the receipt of Works of Art; which necessarily deferred the publication of the Illustrated Catalogue until late in December, thereby preventing the general circulation desired among the distant Secretaries and friends of the Association.

To all those who have not subscribed the last opportunity is now presented. Any one subscribing previous to the 28th of February, are entitled to the Magazines for 1855.

The payment of $3 entitles any person to either one of the following Magazines for the year 1855:

Harper's, Putnam's, Knickerbocker, Blackwood's, Graham's Magazine of Art, and Godey's Lady's Book, and the Quarterly Reviews reprinted in New York, Edinburgh, Westminster, London Quarterly and North British. Also a ticket in the Distribution, giving the holder an equal chance in drawing the $5,000 Statue of the Greek Slave, or Venus, Bacchante, Hebe, Flora, with bronze statuettes and several hundred Magnificent Oil Paintings.

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Or, 108 Water st., Sandusky, O.
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Estate of Benjamin May, dec'.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Benjamin May, dec'd., late of Conestoga township, Lancaster county, having been granted to the undersigned residents in said township; all persons indebtdd to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them without delay properly authenticated for settlement to JOHN KOLB,
feb 13 6t-4 Administrator.

Cash Music and Piano Store of Horace WATERS, No. 333 Broadway, New York. Opposition to Monopoly. Music at greatly reduced prices. Notwithstanding the combination of music dealers to keep up the prices of non-copyright music, against the interests of native composers, and their refusal to extend to Mr. Waters the courtesies of the trade, he is making immense sales—having abundant evidence that true love of public countenance and suppport, in opposition to the Great Monopoly, and in his efforts to aid Native Talent, and to adopt the National Currency. His stock of American and European music is immense, and the catalogue of his own publications is one of the largest and best selected in the United States. He has also made a great reduction in the prices of Pianos, Melodeons and Musical Instruments of all kinds. Superior toned 6½ octave pianos for $175, Melodeons $65, interior or as good quality, and instruments as strong and as durable as those which cost $500. Pianos of every variety of style and price up to $1000, comprising those of ten different manufacturies: among the celebrated instruments are improved Horace Waters' Pianos and the first premium Æolian Pianos of T. Gilbert & Co.'s make, (owners of the Æolian patent.) Second-hand Pianos at great bargains. Prices from $40 to $100. Melodeons from five different manufactories, including the well known S. D. & H. W. smith's melodeons, (tuned the equal temperament,) which sell best in the United States. Prices $40, 60, 75, 100, 115, 125, 135 and $150. Smith's Double Bank Melodeons, $200. Each Piano and Melodeon guaranteed. The best terms to the trade, schools, &c; 12½ per cent. discount to clergymen and churches. All orders promptly attended to. Music sent to all parts of the country, postpaid, at the usual reduced rates. General and select catalogues and schedule of prices of Pianos forwarded to any address free of charge.
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Estate of Wm. Leonard & Abner Bear.—In the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Lancaster. Whereas, Jacob Albright & Christian Rine, assignees of W. Leonard & Abner Bear, did on the 25th day of January, 1855, file in the office of the Prothonotary of the said Court, their account of the said Estate:

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said Estate, that the said Court have appointed the 5th day of March, 1855, for the confirmation thereof, unless exceptions be filed. Attest, J. BOWMAN, Proth'y.
Prothy's. Office, Lan. jan 25 4t-2

Estate of Robert Moderwell & Wife.—In the Court of Common Pleas of Lancr. co. Whereas, John Hostetter, Jacob Bausman, and J. F. Krampb, assignees of Robert Moderwell and wife, did on the fifth day of February, 1855, file in the office of the Prothonotary of the said Court, their Account of the said Estate:

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said Estate, that the said Court have appointed the 12th day of March next, 1855, for the Confirmation thereof, unless exceptions be filed. Attest, J. BOWMAN, Proth'y.
Lancaster, Proth'ys, Office, feb 13 4t-4

City Property at Public Sale.—On Saturday the 3d of March, 1855, will be sold at the public house of William Neiling, in South Queen street, in the city of Lancaster, a two-story Brick DWELLING HOUSE, with a lot of Ground, fronting about 20 feet on the north side of West German street, and extending in depth about 195 feet.

Possession will be given on the first day of April next, when terms will be made known by

PATRICK CASSIDY,
feb 13 tz-13 Attorney in fact of C. Freeman.

Estate of Eliza Hostetter of Manor twp.—In the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Lancaster. Whereas, Jacob S. Witmer and Abraham Miller, administrators of Jacob Buckwalter, dec'd, late of Manor township, who was Committee of Eliza Hostetter, did on the 5th day of February, 1855, file in the office of the Prothonotary of the said Court, their Account of the said Estate:

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the said Estate, that the said Court have appointed the 12th day of March next, 1855, for the confirmation thereof, unless exceptions be filed. Attest,
J. BOWMAN, Proth'y.
Lancaster, Proth'ys. Office, feb 13 4t-4

Valuable Property at Public Sale—On Saturday the 3d of March, 1855, by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court, will be sold at public sale, at the public house of John Kolp, in the village of Safe Harbor, the following described real estate, the property of Benjamin May, dec'd, late of Conestoga township, viz:

TWO VALUABLE BUILDING LOTS,

in said Village, fronting on the road leading from Safe Harbor to Martic Forge.

No 1 contains about 90 feet in front, more or less, and 200 in depth.

No. 2 contains about 48 feet more or less, in front and 200 in depth.

Both lots are enclosed and will be sold separately. Possession will be given and deeds executed on the 2d day of April next. Terms made known on the day of sale by

JOHN KOLP,
feb 13 tf-4] Administrator.

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do. Benedictions or the Blessed Life.
do. The Tent and the Altar.
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Estate of David Black.—In the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Lancaster. Whereas, Wm. C. Boyd, Committee of David Black, did on the second day of February, 1855, 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 12th day of March, 1855, for the confirmation thereof, unless exceptions be filed.
Attest, J. BOWMAN, Proth'y.
Proth'y's office. Lan. feb 6 4t-3

To Farmers.—We respectfully inform our customers that we have reduced the price of our improved super Phosphate of LIME, warranting it to be fully equal, if not superior to any sold by us in former years.

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