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Congressional.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.

In the U. S. Senate, yesterday, the bill extending the Pension acts to Provost Marshals was reported adversely, on the ground that its provisions are already in the Pension law. Mr. Edmunds, of Vt., introduced a bill regulating the procedure in impeachment cases. Mr. Patterson's bill amendatory of the Tenure of Office law, was reported from the Retrenchment Committee. The Reconstruction bill was debated.

In the House, Mr. Perham, of Me., introduced bills extending the provisions of the Bounty laws, which were referred. Mr. Pomeroy, of N. Y., from the Banking and Currency Committee, reported bills authorizing the States to levy a tax on National Bank shares at the same rate as other invested capital, and regulating deposits of public moneys, both of which were passed. On motion of Mr. Hurlburd, of N. Y., the Secretary of the Treasury was directed to furnish information as to the champagne suits lately pending in New York, and whether they have been compromised. On motion of Mr. Perham, of Maine, the Ways and Means Committee were directed to inquire into the expediency of fixing the license tax on claim agents and attorneys in proportion to the amount of their business. On motion of Mr. Washburn, of Indiana, the Rules Committee were instructed to consider the expediency of ex-Congressmen seeking admission to the floor of the House to take the test oath. Mr. Logan, of Illinois, introduced a bill, which was referred, establishing a Bureau of Civil Service. The bill forfeiting lands granted in aid of Southern railroads was considered, but the House adjourned without acting upon it.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.

In the U. S. Senate, yesterday, Mr. Morgan, of New York, introduced a bill, which was referred, allowing admiralty courts to issue decrees in certain cases. Mr. Williams, of Oregon, introduced a bill providing for a National Bureau of Insurance. The bill authorizing the sale of iron-clads was passed, with amendments, one of which provides for the retention of those of the larger class. The conference report on the Deficiency bill was agreed to. The Reconstruction bill was debated until adjournment.

In the House, Mr. Banks' bill to protect American citizens was reported back from the Foreign Committees and discussed. Notice was given of several amendments by members. Mr. O'Neill, of Pennsylvania, introduced a bill, which was referred, placing photograph albums on the free list. The conference report on the Deficiency bill was concurred in. The bill forfeiting Southern railroad lands was discussed. Mr. Johnson, of Penna., offered a resolution instructing the Judiciary Committee to inquire whether Congress has power to prevent the immigration of Chinese and other inferior races, and whether the Civil Right act applies to the Chinese, but Mr. Pile, of Mo., objected. On motion of Mr. Ingersoll, of Ill., his bill authorizing the issue of $45,000,000 additional legal tender notes was ordered to be printed. Mr. Johnson, of Cal., introduced a resolution, which was referred, declaratory of the powers of the Federal and State Governments. After receiving some Department communications, the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.

In the U. S. Senate, yesterday, Mr. Frelinghuysen, of N. J., introduced a bill which was referred, for the protection "of persons testifying as witnesses." Mr. Patterson's bill supplementary to the Tenure of Office act, was taken up, and Mr. Patterson offered a substitute. The Reconstruction bill was debated.

In the House, Mr. Scofield, of Pennsylvania, offered a resolution reciting a newspaper statement, that at a private assembly in Washington one of the Judges of the Supreme Court had declared the Reconstruction acts unconstitutional, and that they would be so pronounced by the Supreme Court, and directing the Judiciary Committee to inquire into the matter, with a view to the impeachment of the judge. Judge Field is the party implicated. The resolution was passed—yeas 90, nays 57. The Rights of Citizens' bill was debated and laid over until Tuesday next. The General Appropriation bill for the current fiscal year was reported and ordered to be printed. The Senate amendments to the Whisky Meter Commission bill were concurred in; also, the Senate amendments to the bill authorizing the sale of iron-clads. The bill relating to Southern Railroad lands were considered.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.

In the U. S. Senate, yesterday, the joint resolution of the Ohio Legislature, rescinding the ratification of the Constitutional Amendment, was presented and referred. Mr. Patterson's Supplementary Tenure of Office bill was considered. The Reconstruction bill was debated.

In the House, on motion of Mr. Blaine, of Maine, the Secretary of the Treasury was directed to furnish information in regard to seizures for fraud on the revenue. Mr. Eggleston, of Ohio, presented the joint resolutions of the Legislature of that State withdrawing the ratification of the Constitutional Amendment, and they were referred to the Judiciary Committee. The Military Academy Appropriation bill was reported and made the order for Monday. A bill continuing the Freedmen's Bureau was reported and ordered to be printed and recommitted. The contested election case of the Second Kentucky District was considered. The Conference report on the Cotton bill, including the Senate amendment making foreign cotton free from duty was concurred in. The Naval and Diplomatic Appropriation bills were reported and the Diplomatic bill was recommitted. A bill giving pensions to the soldiers and sailors of 1812 was reported and recommitted. The Kentucky case was resumed, but the House adjourned without acting upon it.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.

The Senate was not in session, on Saturday having adjourned on Friday until to-day.

In the House the Speaker presented communications from the Secretary of the Interior, with a report of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, in relation to the sale of the Sioux Indian reservation in Minnesota, also a communication from the same relative to the complaints of the Choctaw nation of Indians against the United States, growing out of treaty stipulations. They were referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs. The House then resumed the consideration of the contested election from the Second Congressional District of Kentucky. Mr. Beck addressed the House in opposition to the report of the Committee on Elections, quoting extensively from the speeches of Mr. Brown, in Kentucky, during the rebellion, to show, by the first, that Mr. Brown's election had been bitterly opposed by the secessionists on account of his determined Unionism, and, by the second, that all his public speeches had been against the rebellion, and in favor of the Union. The debate was continued by Mr. Cook, a member of the Committee on Elections, in enforcement of the report, and by Mr. Knott against it. Mr. Mullins also supported the report. Mr. Kerr, a member of the committee, being too unwell to speak Mr. Dawes declined to press a vote upon the case, and it went over until Monday. Mr. Brooks presented a memorial from many citizens of New York, praying for the removal of the income tax. Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means. Mr. Washburn, of Massachusetts, presented a petition of citizens of Leominster, Mass., in reference to the rights of naturalized citizens in foreign countries. Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. The Speaker presented a communication from the Secretary of War, with reports as to the improvement of the Missouri River. The House at four o'clock adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.

SENATE.—In the U. S. Senate, yesterday, the House bill authorizing the taxation of National bank shares where the bank is located, was passed and goes to the President. Mr. Wilson, of Mass., introduced a bill, which was referred, providing for the gradual reduction of the army; also, a bill requiring public notice to be given in case of applications for renewal of patents. The Reconstruction question was debated.

In the House, various bills were introduced and referred, among them the following: By Mr. Poland, of Vt., to enforce contracts payable in coin; by Mr. Williams, of Ind., authorizing the issue of $140,000,000 in legal tender notes; Mr. Jencks, of R. I., establishing a Department of Justice, and for the protection of American citizens. This last is intended as a substitute for Mr. Banks' bill, and is milder in its provisions. On motion of Mr. Hubbard, of W. V., the Secretary of War was requested to furnish copies of his correspondence with the President and General-in-chief, prior, to the late difficulty between them. On motion of Mr. Cleaver, of New Mexico, the Judiciary Committee were directed to inquire if additional legislation be necessary to eradicate peonage. Mr. Brooks' resolution, asking copies of the general orders promulgated by the Southern military commanders, was agreed to. The Kentucky election case was postponed until Tuesday next. Mr. Robinson, of New York, offered a resolution directing the President to examine into the cases of Stephen J. Meany, William J. Nagle, John Warren and others, imprisoned in Great Britain, to demand Nagle's immediate release, and in case of denial, seize British subjects now in this country by way of reprisal. The resolution was referred to the Foreign Committee, and the House adjourned.

The Great Fire in Chicago.

CHICAGO, January 29.—During the fire last night a tremendous explosion took place, shattering the walls and spreading fire into the adjoining block, which was also completely destroyed. The walls falling stayed the further extension of the flames. Three of the largest blocks of buildings in the finest business portion of the city have been destroyed.

The following are among the heaviest losers by the fire in Chicago on Tuesday night: Griggs & Co., book establishment, $200,000; Rosenfield Bros., hats and caps, $25,000; Mc-Dougall, Nicholas & Co., boots and shoes, $100,000; Harwood, Cortledge & Honore, hardware, $75,000; Schoenfeld & Co., clothiers, $25,000; Simons, Strauss & Co., clothiers, $25,000; Fiske, Kirtland & Co., boots and shoes, $75,000; Webster, Marsh & Co., clothing, $25,000; Seymour, Carter & Co., hardware, $50,000; Carson, Pierce & Co., dry goods, $100,000; Freeman Brothers, clothing, $75,000; Burnham & Van Schack's wholesale druggists, $100,000; Shayer & Co., straw goods, $25,000; Foreman, Harris & Co., clothiers, $75,000; Weber, Williams & Co., hats and caps, $75,000; C. N. Henderson & Co., boots and shoes $125,000. The buildings from No. 4, and including No. 20, Lake street, and from Nos. 31 to 41, on the opposite side of the street are entirely destroyed. The loss on the buildings will not be less than $500,000. Nothing definite is learned in regard to the insurance, but it is understood that Cincinnati companies lose heavily.

Proceedings of the Legislature.

HARRISBURG Jan. 29.

In the Pennsylvania Senate, yesterday, the act creating a judicial district out of Lycoming county was passed. A bill repealing the Gettysburg Asylum was discussed and referred. In the House, a bill was introduced, giving widows ownership of property acquired during their marriage, and allowing mothers to recover for injuries done their children; also, one repealing the act allowing a Passenger Railway, not operated by steam, on Broad street. Bills were passed authorizing an additional School Controller for this city, and allowing the Fifth and Sixth street railroad to construct a branch on Mifflin street. The bill repealing the Liquor law passed last year, was reported. Bills were introduced, calling a State Constitutional Convention, and to prevent sales of market produce on public highways north of Lombard street. A resolution was adopted approving Governor Geary's course in refusing to sanction the burial of rebel dead in Antietam Cemetery.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 30.

SENATE.—The report relative to the act repealing the Gettysburg Asylum Lottery charter is to be considered at an early day A free railroad Law has been unanimously agreed to by the Railroad Committee. An act was read repealing the charter of the Washington Library Company. A resolution to abolish what is known as the "Private Calendar" system was discussed and unanimously passed by a *viva voce* vote. Adjourned.

HOUSE.—The Committee of Ways and Means reported favorably on the resolution fixing March 10 as the day of final adjournment. Adjourned.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 31.

SENATE.—A communication was presented from the Philadelphia Board of Trade relative to increasing the salary of the State Treasurer. An act restoring the charter of the Pittsburg and Connellsville Railroad Company, and requiring said company to commence their road within six months, was passed. Adjourned.

HOUSE.—The Senate bill restoring the Pittsburg and Connellsville Railroad charter was passed unanimously. An act authorizing the formation of railroad corporations was read. Adjourned.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 1.

SENATE.—The act creating a new county out of parts of Crawford, Forest, Venango, and Warren was called up, but postponed. Adjourned.

HOUSE.—The Judiciary Committee reported an act to repeal the law allowing negroes to ride in the railroad cars. On a vote being taken, the bill was referred back to the committee. A short discussion was had on the free railroad law, but before a vote had been reached the House adjourned over until Monday evening at 7½ o'clock.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 3.

Nothing of importance was done in the Senate to-day, and the only matter of interest in the House was the presentation of a bill by Mr. Mann, of Potter, making it unlawful for any railroad company to warm its cars with stoves heated with wood, coal, or any inflammable matter, but to keep them warm by some means that will not occasion fire in case of accident. If any stove heated with coal or wood shall be used thirty days after the passage of this act, the conductor, engineer, president, and secretary of the company, shall, on conviction in any county through which the cars run, shall be fined not exceeding $1,000. If any passengers shall be burned to death or killed, in consequence of a car being warmed in violation of this act, the conductor be prosecuted for manslaughter, and, if convicted, he shall be imprisoned not exceeding ten years. No petroleum or oil shall be used to light cars. Referred to Railroad Committee.

Burning of St. Xavier's Academy.

A calamity of no ordinary proportions has befallen the community at large, in the destruction by fire, of St. Xavier's Academy, near Latrobe, which took place on Saturday evening.

The fire was first discovered at about four o'clock in the afternoon, in the centre attic, above the dormitories, the sound of something heavy falling having first attracted the notice of one of the Sisters. The flames spread rapidly over the roof of the main building, and communicated to the chapel adjoining. The fire then burned with great violence downwards, giving the Sisters but little time or opportunity to save anything from the burning buildings, but nevertheless they worked with admirable energy. All of the pupils were got out of the building in safety, with their clothing. The gardener, janitor and groom were the only men within call. The Sisters, after taking all necessary care of the pupils—numbering, about one hundred—performed wonders in saving musical instruments, valuable furniture, the marble altar of the chapel, and ornaments. Through the efforts of the Sister in charge of the trunks of the scholars, although an invalid, they were all removed from the burning building in safety. The Sisters lost their own wardrobe in their eager desire to care for and protect the young ladies from all possible injury or loss. Some of the neighbors quickly came to the aid of the Sisters, and in the shortest possible time, assistance arrived from Latrobe; but nothing could be done to save the buildings.

Immediate measures were taken to send the pupils to their homes. By sleds and other conveyances they were sent to Latrobe, and thence by eastern and western trains, passed free of charge to their homes.

The Academy of St. Xavier's was in charge of the Sisters of Mercy. It was established, we believe, in 1848, at Mt. St. Vincent, near Latrobe, but in 1852 was removed to Mount St. Xavier, three and a half miles southwest from Latrobe, and one mile and a half from the Pennsylvania Railroad. On this location a large Convent and school building, three stories high, has been erected. The beautiful chapel adjoining it, and forming a part of the general plan, had only been completed last fall. The school building was one of the most complete in the country; it had been fitted up in modern style, and was a model establishment in all its details. The Sisters have been adding to its educational advantages for the past twelve years. There were in the school building ten or twelve pianos, three or four harps, a library, valuable paintings, scientific apparatus, etc.

The chapel, completed last fall, was a beautiful edifice. It had stained glass windows, and contained valuable works of painting and statuary. The marble altar was saved, but the organ and other accessories were destroyed. The loss on the chapel, we are informed, will amount to over $20,000.

The loss is estimated variously, but will reach undoubtedly, to between $100,000 and $200,000. The insurance, as we are told by a gentleman who is well informed in the matter, will not cover more than one-third of the loss.

There is no doubt that immediate measures will be taken to rebuild the Academy, and we shall, we hope, soon have the pleasure of announcing that the work has been commenced.

The Need of a Freedmen's Bureau.

WE give the following article from the Richmond *Enquirer* as illustrating the need of a Freedmen's Bureau at the South. The incident is, we suppose, one of ten thousand similar ones, of daily occurrence in that section:

A gentleman from one of the neighboring counties, who desired to obtain a number of able-bodied negro laborers for his plantation, visited Richmond to procure them, having heard that there were hundreds of unemployed blacks lounging idly about the city. The morning after his arrival he was directed to one of the localities where large quantities of bread and soup are daily distributed by the Freedmen's Bureau. He found a ragged, hungry horde of nearly five hundred persons, assembled to receive their usual supplies of food. To his astonishment, these applicants for soup and bread were not all women and children. He counted one hundred and eighty able-bodied negro men, capable of performing every variety of farm labor. There they were with every conceivable variety of vessel, waiting hours to be fed by the Bureau. To many of these hulking idlers he offered the highest wages paid to agricultural laborers, and abundant rations of good, wholesome food. *But they all refused to enter his service, alleging among other reasons, that they were fed by the Bureau, and did not wish by leaving Richmond to forfeit their right to vote.*

Who Can Vote.

Maine—Every male citizen.
New Hampshire—Every male inhabitant.
Vermont—Every man.
Massachusetts—Every male citizen.
Rhode Island—Every male citizen.
Connecticut, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Iowa, New Jersey, Ohio, California, Oregon, Nevada, West Virginia and Colorado—Every white male citizen.
New York—Every male citizen, but colored men are required to own $250 worth of taxable property.
Pennsylvania—Every white freeman.
Wisconsin—Every male person.
Minnesota—Every male person.
Kansas—Every white male adult.
Delaware—Every free white male citizen.
Maryland—Every free white male citizen.
Tennessee—Every free white man formerly, but now negroes vote.

In those States which were engaged in rebellion, and which are governed by the reconstruction laws, negroes are allowed to vote and hold office.

Sharp.

The Springfield (Massachusetts) *Republican* sarcastically says of the proposed new bill to prevent the Supreme Court adjudicating any question under the reconstruction acts, that it is too narrow in its scope, and suggests that it be amended so as to prohibit that court from meddling in any way with any act which this Congress may pass. In this way it will provide for all possible contingencies, and establish a precedent which will be of inestimable value to any party that may control Congress hereafter, and want to pass measures of unquestionable unconstitutionality. Each Congress can thus take care of itself.

The Income Tax.

The New York *Post* thinks Congress would do well to see if the internal revenue cannot be raised without a tax on incomes, as the Massachusetts Manufacturers' Convention propose. The editor says: "As at present laid this tax is clearly unjust, for it exacts the same percentage from the incomes of realized property and from incomes obtained by daily labor. Moreover, it is odious because necessarily inquisitorial, because it forces every man to lay bare to the public annually a statement of his affairs; and it is oppressive to the great majority, who live more or less from hand to mouth, because it may be exacted in time of sudden depression upon incomes made at another season."

Local Intelligence.

REGISTER OF SALES for which bills have printed at the office of the INTELLIGENCER, and which are advertised in this paper:

Farm Stock, Implements, Household and Kitchen Furniture of George Tomlison, dec'd, in Lancaster twp., near Lancaster city	Feb. 15th
Household and Kitchen Furniture of James Bicking	" 15th
Sixty Head Mules, by Bernard Kelly, at Lancaster Stock Yards	" 14th
Farm Stock, Implements, Household and Kitchen Furniture, of Mahlon Fox, in Sadsbury township, near Christiana	" 17th
Farm Stock and Implements of Mrs. C. E. Clark, in Drumore twp	" 18th
Real Estate of Sarah Voigt, dec'd, at Solomon Sprecher's Hotel, City of Lancaster	" 18th
Farm Stock and Implements of Pennington Moore, in Coleraine twp., near Kirkwood	" 20th
Real Estate of Rebecca M. Eckman, dec'd, by Wm. N. Galbraith, Administrator, in Colerain twp., near Kirkwood	" 20th
Farm Stock, Implements, etc., of W. N. Knox in Paradise township, near Williamstown	" 20th
Personal Property of Nancy McComsey, Martic township	" 20th
Real Estate and Personal Property of Henry Shopf, dec'd., Manor twp	" 21th
The extensive Farm Stock, Implements, etc., by Sarah J. Eckert, at Springwell Mills, in Paradise twp	" 25th
The Farm Stock, consisting of thorough-bred animals, Farm Wagons, etc., of B. J. McGrann, in Manheim township, near Lancaster city	" 26th
Farm Stock and Implements of Christian B. Hess, West Lampeter twp	" 26th
Personal Property of Jno. Moore, dec'd in Cecil county, Md	" 26th
Real Estate of John Williams, dec'd., in Bart township	" 26th
Farm Stock and Implements of David Rambo, near Cochranville	Mar. 2d
Farm Stock, Implements, Household and Kitchen Furniture of H. E. Raub near Quarryville, Drumore twp	" 5th
Stock and Farm Implements of Dr. J. K. Raub, dec'd., near Quarryville, Drumore township	" 5th
Farm Stock, Implements, etc., of T. W. Henderson, Esq., in Salisbury township, near the White Horse Tavern	" 6th
Household Goods and Furniture of Thos. W. Henderson, Esq., in Salisbury township, near the White Horse Tavern	" 10th

ANNIVERSARY OF THE NORMAL LITERARY SOCIETY.—The eleventh anniversary of the Normal Literary Society of the State Normal School at Millersville, was celebrated on Friday evening. The officers of the Society are as follows:

President—Dr. S. T. Davis.
Secretary—Annie M. Gillingham.
Editor—L. Lee James.
Critic—A. M. Kalbach.

First in the Order of Exercises was the salutatory address by the President, Dr. S. T. Davis, of Millersville. The speaker remarked that Science is a rational inquiry into the wisdom of the Almighty, that no investigation gives more pleasure, and that at every step the idea of a Deity is made manifest. It is a progressive study, and in its pursuit something new and wonderful is presented at every step. The Doctor concluded by stating that the Society has at this time over sixteen hundred names on its roll of members, and during the present session of the School one hundred and sixty-eight new members had been added to it. The address was delivered in a distinct voice, and was in every respect a very creditable effort.

"Influence," was the subject of an Essay by Miss Maggie E. Steacy, of Sterling, Illinois. The essayist stated that every object and every individual has an influence; that this influence operates universally and that it never ceases; this being the case, all our actions should be such that their influence may improve and benefit mankind. The style of the Essay was elevated, and the thoughts of the reader were expressed in beautiful language.

"The Problem of our Age and Country" was the theme of an Oration by Mr. W. P. White, of Princeton, N. J. This gentleman stated that a careful study of ancient and modern history will show that God has directed the destinies of nations,—that by Him man has been led step by step from ignorance and darkness into intelligence and light. The problem of the present age is the relation of man to man, and that in its solution old superstition and tyranny are fast passing away. This speaker was too tedious in elaborating his subject, in other respects his treatment of it was excellent.

Recitation—"Rhyme of the Duchess May," by Mrs. Rachie W. Shoemaker. The rendering of this old and quaint rhyme by Mrs. Shoemaker was accomplished with a voice, gestures and expression worthy of a professional elocutionist; it was one of the most attractive features of the evening.

"Man, a Sub-Creator," was the subject of the Honorary Address by the Rev. Geo. W. Smiley, of Salem, N. J. This gentleman commenced by remarking that life is not to be measured by its duration, but by its achievements; that there is a great work yet to do; the future is to be one of light and progress, as the past has been one of darkness and ignorance. The creation is always progressing, man is in a world full of material. He is to use this as a sub-creator in developing his physical and spiritual being. It is impossible to give a synopsis of this address, that would do justice to the orator; its delivery occupied nearly an hour; it was by far the most attractive and able effort of the evening. The speaker was frequently interrupted by applause, and was listened to with great attention.

"The Normal Review" was then read by Mr. Lee James. It contained some humorous letters and instructive articles, and with the giving of sentiments by the different members, the exercises closed.

The music for the occasion was furnished by Keffer's Orchestra, and was, as usual, excellent. The Hall was handsomely decorated with flages and evergreens, and in evergreen letters just over the speakers heads was the motto of the Society, "Fight for Truth and Right."

The number of students attending the Normal School this winter is about 450; the prosperity of the Institution under the Supervision of Prof. Brooks has been marked; it seems to have lost none of the popularity it enjoyed while managed by Prof. Wickersham. The chemical and philosophical apparatus are in charge of Prof. T. R. Baker, an able teacher and lecturer on Chemistry, who informed us that they were sufficient to illustrate all the common principles of Natural Science.

Mr. Brenner the energetic and courteous proprietor of the omnibus line from this city to Millersville, provided sleighs by which persons could attend the celebration and return on the same evening.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.—The Court of Common Pleas met on Monday, January 27th. Judge Long presiding.

John M. Kuhns and Ann B. Kuhns, administrators of J. R. Kuhns vs. A. M. Rutt. This was an action brought to recover the difference between what the defendant had agreed to pay for a mill property in West Hempfield township, $5,000, and what it afterwards was sold for, viz: $4,800. Verdict for plaintiff for $245.80. Kline and Livingston for plaintiff; Denues for defendant.

Daniel Musser vs. The School Directors of Brecknock township. The plaintiff sued to recover $300 for a substitute he had put into the army in 1865, under a resolution of the defendants, wherein they agreed to pay that amount to every one who enlisted to fill the quota of the township. The defendants proved, however, that they had only agreed to pay this sum in case the whole quota of the township, 39 men was raised, so as to free it from draft. The defendants moved for a nonsuit which the Court ordered to be entered. A rule was entered to strike off the nonsuit. Livingston and Good for the plaintiff; W. R. Wilson for defendants.

Supplee & Bro. vs. Reuben Hoffheins.—The plaintiffs, machinists of Columbia, in 1866 sold to Shireman, Hoffheins & Co., manufacturers of agricultural implements at York, Pa., a steam engine and boiler for $3600. Shortly after the boiler was set up the crown sheet fell down. It was repaired by plaintiffs. Defendants refused to pay their bill for boiler and repairs, on the ground that the boiler was defectively constructed, and that they had been compelled to lie idle for some time in consequence of the breakage. Plaintiff alleged that the damage had been caused by their own negligence. After the trial had progressed for some time, the parties compromised the suit and the jury rendered a verdict by agreement for plaintiff for $2,100 00. North and Reynolds for plaintiff. T. E. Franklin and Dickey for defendants.

S. McNeal vs. Jere. Cooper. Suit on a warranty of a horse, which the plaintiff found after he had used him, was subject to fits. He had paid $80 for him, and defendant denied the warranty. Verdict for defendant. Dickey for plaintiff; Kline for defendant.

Uriah Bitzer vs. Leander Lindemuth. Another horse case. Bitzer bought a horse from John Wolgamuth for $175, with an understanding that he might return him if he did not get well of a disease which he then had, in a certain time. He did return him, and brings this suit against the defendant as a partner of Wolgamuth for the price paid the latter. Verdict for plaintiff for $147.50. Livingston and Reynolds for plaintiff; Ellmaker and Dickey for defendant.

Frederick Steck vs. Henry Trout. An action brought to recover damages for an assault and battery committed by defendant on plaintiff. The defendant had attacked the plaintiff for whipping his son with a horsewhip. Our readers will recollect the circumstances, as the case was reported when it came up in the Quarter Sessions. Young Trout had caught the plaintiff's horse as it was moving away from the flour and feed store in West Orange street, and Steck through misapprehension of the facts, struck him with his whip for so doing. Verdict for plaintiff for $5.00. Dickey and Atlee for plaintiff. Reynolds for defendant.

Sarah Ann Terry, widow of G. W. Terry vs. Jeremiah Shaffner. An action for dower. Price for plaintiff. Landis for defendant. Verdict for plaintiff, and finding arrearages of dower to be $307.25; the annual payments hereafter, $70.33.

The Court granted to Jacob Kuhns a divorce from the bonds of matrimony with Polly Kuhns, on account of her persistent and wilful desertion of him for a long period of time.

Jos. Schlegelmilch vs. Abraham Greider, this action was brought to recover money due plaintiff for labor performed for defendant. The jury gave a verdict this morning in favor of plaintiff for $313. Baker for plaintiff; North for defendant.

Conrad Spidle vs. Christian Shaeffer, Administrator of Fred. Wolfinger, deceased. It appears that the deceased was a peddlar, and was in the habit of stopping with plaintiff and making his home with him. This suit is brought to recover the amount due for said boarding. The defense proceeded to show that the deceased had during his life time paid plaintiff for his boarding. On trial.

TERRIBLE RAILROAD ACCIDENT AND LOSS OF LIFE—ALMOST ANOTHER ANGOLA DISASTER.—The Fast Line of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, when coming east on Friday, met with a terrible accident. It had passed Mill Creek, eight miles this side of Huntington about 2 o'clock, when the third passenger was suddenly thrown from the track by the breaking of a rail. This car was precipitated down a steep bank some fifteen feet, and was literally broken to pieces. There were four cars in the rear of this, all of which were thrown from the track and burned. The rear car was what is known as the New York palace sleeping car. In this a woman who was occupying a berth with her husband was burned to death. The husband escaped, but not without being seriously injured by the fire. Strange to say no one of the passengers in the car which was precipitated down the embankment were killed, though several were seriously wounded. Quite a number of those in the cars which took fire were burned, and some of them seriously, before they could make their escape. All of the burned cars were sleeping cars, except one, which was an ordinary passenger car. A number of them who were more seriously injured were brought to Mifflintown Station and left there. The train which passed through here at noon had on board a number of persons who were in the accident, and from them we glean the above particulars. The lady who was burned was on her way with her husband to New York to take the steamer for California. The escape of so many passengers seems to be almost miraculous, and our informant describes the scene as terrible and appalling in the extreme.

FURTHER PARTICULARS.

There is reason to believe that the train broke a rail in passing over it. It was running at ordinary speed, having received special instructions at a station which it had passed six miles before not to make up any time. It was about thirty minutes late, and was in charge of conductor Chase.—The sudden change in the weather and the intensity of the cold made the iron brittle, and no amount of care could prevent the breaking of rails. To guard against this the whole road is divided into sections and patrolled by watchmen both day and night.

The remainder of the train with the rest of the passengers arrived at Harrisburg at ten o'clock this morning. The name of the only person killed is Mrs. Anna Duggen, late of No. 167 Pennsylvania avenue, Pittsburg.

The husband of this woman and her brother, together with Patrick Hughes and a party, were on their way to California.—The husband had his hands and face slightly burned. The rest of the party escaped.

The following are injured. None of their injuries are dangerous, being principally painful bruises, but no bones broken: Mrs. Georgia Adams, Philadelphia; J. Mansen, Indianapolis; Mrs. Mary Crouse, Kansas; W. Wiekel, New York; Herbert Noonsen, Jr., Philadelphia; W. W. Powell, New Jersey; L. Chase, Michigan; Mrs. Gen. Rodman and daughter, Illinois; J. Busser, Lancaster.

The first rail which broke was broken in half, and the next one into five pieces, showing that the track had been in perfect condition until the passage of the locomotive and the first four cars over it.

The stoves in all the Pennsylvania Railroad cars are securely fastened to the floor, surrounded with wrought iron castings, and have locked doors, while neither oil nor gas are used for lighting, but simply candles.

A BURGLAR ARRESTED.—A mulatto named James Hamilton, was arrested in Goose street, on yesterday afternoon, by Officer Flory, charged with having perpetrated the burglaries at the residences of Mr. Augustus Reinoehl and Dr. Bowman, in Manheim township, on Sunday and Tuesday nights last. It will be recollected that two coats, one a valuable overcoat, was stolen from the former, and some small change from the latter. The two coats were found secreted in Hamilton's room—also some small notes and pennies, supposed to have been taken at Dr. Bowman's, were found on his person. Phœbe Hamilton, the wife of the accused, was arrested subsequently, charged with being an accomplice and having received the stolen goods, knowing them to be such. The coats were identified by Mr. Reinoehl, and the parties were committed by the Mayor for trial in default of $1,000 bail in the first and $300 in the second case. The burglar, in addition to the coats, also took a large butcher knife belonging to Mr. Reinoehl. This knife was found at Dr. Bowman's, having been dropped there by Hamilton. This circumstance showed beyond a doubt that he had committed both burglaries. This Hamilton was tried at the last term of Quarter Sessions for larceny, but was acquitted.

ANOTHER BURGLARY.—On last Thursday night the house of Mr. Christian Frantz, in East Lampeter township, was entered by two men, one of whom was disguised by being dressed in woman's clothes. Mrs. Elizabeth Frantz aged 87 years, the mother of Mr. Frantz, occupied a room in the first story of the building; this lady was held by one of the burglars while the other searched for money. The old lady had some $1400 all in silver, carelessly thrown into an old bushel basket in a closet in her room; the robbers saw the bags, but supposing they contained dried fruit, did not closely examine them. Fourteen hundred dollars in Bank notes was also concealed in the same place, and likewise escaped the notice of the robbers; so they only succeeded in getting a few cents for their trouble. On yesterday morning Dr. J. H. Musser and Mr. Christian Frantz brought the money to town and deposited it in The Lancaster County Bank for safe-keeping. Mrs. Frantz is a sister of old Mr. Hershey, who, it will be remembered, died a few years ago and left some sixty thousand dollars in gold in an old chest in his bed room. The men, while committing the burglary, did not answer any question, or speak a word to each other. None of the other inmates of the house, who were sleeping in the second story, were awakened by the robbers.

WHO WANTS TO BUY PRIME VIRGINIA LAND?—We would call especial attention to the advertisement of Smith & Walton, which appears in another column. They have for sale a large number of very fine farms in Virginia. Well improved and very fertile limestone land can be bought there for one-half or one-third the price of Lancaster county farms. The milder climate is a great advantage. The farms offered are near railroads. We know the parties, and can vouch for their honesty and integrity. See advertisement.

PENNSYLVANIA CANAL.—It is stated that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company have conveyed all the line of canal from Columbia to Hollidaysburg to the Pennsylvania Canal Company. The consideration money expressed on the deed is $2,650,000. One of the objects of this movement is the enlargement of the canal by a special company, and one of the results hoped for is the greater and more certain facilities for the accommodation of the heavy tonnage from the various coal regions that now find outlet by way of the Pennsylvania railroad.

FISH SUITS.—In the cases of the Commonwealth vs. the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Pennsylvania Canal Company, indicted for nuisance, the jury returned a verdict of guilty. The point has been reserved, *per curiam*, as to the constitutionality of the law under which the verdicts were obtained, which is the act of March 30, 1866, under which Col. James Worrall has been acting as commissioner, at whose instance, in the performance of his duty, the above suits were brought.—The opinion of the court will probably be delivered some time next month. In any event, it is supposed, an appeal will be taken to the Supreme Court.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE.—The February number of this unrivalled Magazine comes to us filled with good things, and it may truthfully be called perfect in its line. Its engravings are very fine and the fashion-plate is as usual a beautiful one. The steel-plate "In the Sulks" is a pretty and striking picture, and the patterns represented are numerous and varied. The "Mabel Waltz" is the music of this number. Peterson's Magazine is furnished at the low price of $2 per annum in advance. Address Chas. J. Peterson, No. 306 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa.

MANHEIM AFFAIRS.—We glean the following from the *Sentinel*.

The property of the late John Hostetter, in the Borough, was sold at public sale on Saturday last, to David Hershey, of Penn township, for $2,925.

Rev. B. J. Douglas, of Columbia, will preach in the Episcopal Church, in this Borough, on Tuesday evening next, at 7½ o'clock.

Col. W. L. Bear, of Lancaster, will deliver a lecture in the Evangelical Church in this place on Saturday evening, February 8th. A general invitation to the public is extended.

The pedlar Zelenski, committed on Thursday of last week by 'Squire Danner, for auctioneering his goods, on arriving at Lancaster, entered bail in the sum of $200 for his appearance at April term of court. He appears still to be of the opinion his license will clear him.

A FINN-ISHED FELLOW! was Finn, the comedian! A day or two prior to one of his benefits—in Boston, we think—he posted the following morceau:

"Like a *grate* full of coals I burn,
A *great* full house to see;
And if I prove not *grate*ful too,
A *great* fool I shall be!"

A grate full of coals at this freezing juncture of the year is a blessing for which we should be grateful; but the great old fashioned institution is fast giving way to a greater domestic convenience, the great

"BARLEY SHEAF"

Cooking Stove, the demand for which is already so great, that buyers will find it greatly to their interest, to hand in their orders early. Thou "BARLEY SHEAF!" when shall we see a greater? Not for a great while, unless we are greatly mistaken—and we ain't. Messrs. Stuart, Peterson & Co. are the great manufacturers. The "BARLEY SHEAF" burns either wood or coal with great economy.

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever."

And nothing is so beautiful as a picture of health.

Headache, Nervous Pains, Sour Stomach, Distress after Eating, Prostrating Weakness, Disinclination for Society, Mental Despondency, etc., are the rule rather than the exception with the human family, and have stamped their effects upon us all. The most effective, gentle, sudden and agreeable remedy is the Plantation Bitters. They have probably cured and alleviated more cases the past five years than all other medicines combined. They are sold throughout the length and breadth of the land.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—A delightful toilet article—superior to Cologne and at half the price.

A GREAT MEDICINE.—Popular beyond belief will become Rowbotham's Life Drops. The very invention of the age, their introduction will work a change in the entire system of medicine. No more cholera and complaints of the stomach and bowels, it cures the worst cases when all other medicines have failed Sold by all druggists.

LADIES who are suffering from certain complaints, known only to females, should at once get Dr. Velpau's Female Pills. They produce a most charming effect. Sold by all Druggists.

Special Notices.

To Marry or Not to Marry? WHY NOT? Serious Reflections for Young Men, in Essays of the Howard Association, on the Physiological Errors, Abuses and Diseases induced by ignorance of Nature's Laws, in the first age of man. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address, DR. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia.
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THE PERUVIAN SYRUP.
The following Remedies are all old and well established, and thousands have been benefited by their use. They are for sale by Drug gists generally:
a protected Solution of the Protoxide of Iron supplies the blood with its *Life Element*, IRON, giving *strength, vigor and new life* to the whole system. For *Dyspepsia, Debility, Female Weaknesses, &c.*, it is a specific. A 32 page Pamphlet containing a valuable treatise on "Iron as a Medicine," with certificates and recommendations, &c, will be sent free.
J. P. DINSMORE, Proprietor, No. 36 Dey street, New York.

WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY has been used for nearly half a century for Coughs, Colds, Consumption, and every affection of the Throat, Lungs and Chest. It cures a cough by loosening and cleansing the lungs and allaying irritation, thus removing the cause instead of drying up the cough and leaving the cause behind.
SETH W. FOWLE & SON, Proprietors,

Dr. H. ANDERS' IODINE WATER.
A pure solution of Iodine dissolved in water *without a solvent*, containing 1¼ grains of Iodine to each fluid ounce of water. Iodine is admitted by all medical men, to be the best known remedy for Scrofula, Ulcers, Cancers, Syphilis, Salt Rheum, &c., and thousands can testify to the wonderful virtues of this preparation in such cases. Circulars free.
J. P. DINSMORE, Proprietor, No. 36 Dey St., New York.

GRACE'S CELEBRATED SALVE works like magic on Old Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Wounds, Bruises, Sprains, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, &c., &c. It is prompt in action, soothes the pain, takes out soreness, and reduces the most angry looking swellings and inflammations, thus affording relief and complete cure.
Only 25 cents a box; sent by mail for 35 cts.
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$25 PER DAY.
Agent wanted; Male and Female; Local and Traveling. Business new, light and honorable. Steady employment the year round. No capital required. Address,
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Great Care Taken with the Sewing
ONE PRICE CLOTHING.
JONES' OLD ESTABLISHED STORE,
601 MARKET STREET, ONE DOOR ABOVE SIXTH.
For many years this Establishment has done business on the One Price System, and we believe we are the only Clothing House in the city that strictly adheres to this principle. We have earned a reputation which we are proud of, for good taste in selecting good styles and substantial materials, and not less important, for having all of our goods.
EXTRA WELL MADE.
We employ the best talent for Cutters, and our Goods are of both kinds—Fashionable and Plain—so that all tastes can be suited. The prices are the very lowest, as any one by a moment's thought must see, or otherwise we could not meet the competition of our neighbors, for as no deductions are ever made, we must put our prices down to the lowest figure, so as to give to our customers all the advantages we promise.
The people may depend, this is the *true plan* upon which to do business, and many a dollar can be saved to Clothing buyers by keeping in mind
JONES' ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE
604 MARKET STREET,
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Marriages.

LINTON—WHITSON.—On Monday, the 3d inst., by Mayor Sanderson, David Linton, of Ohio, to Matilda M. Whitson, of Drumore twp.

MCILVAINE—SLAYMAKER.—On the 14th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents, in the village of Williamstown, by the Rev. P. J. Timlow, James P. McIlvaine to Lizzie E., eldest daughter of Wm. M. Slaymaker, Esq., both of Williamstown. No cards.

Deaths.

DUFFY.—On the 2d inst., Margaret Duffy, in the 70th year of her age.

GUTHRIE.—On the 3d inst., in this city, James Howard, son of Allen and Mary A. Guthrie, aged 3 years, 1 month and 23 days.

LEMAN.—On the 28th inst., at Rohrerstown, Mrs. Elizabeth, relict of John Leman, in the 84th year of her age.

MCCANNA.—On the 20th inst., at the residence of her son in Penningtonville, Chester county, Pa., Mrs. Mary McCanna, in the 85th year of her age.

HIMMELSBACH.—On the 29th inst., in this city, Edward Himmelsbach, in the 21st year of his age.

JOHNS.—On the 2d inst., in this city, Mrs. Phebe Johns, wife of John Johns, and daughter of John and Elizabeth Barcliff, in the 49th year of her age.

Markets.

Philadelphia Grain Market

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 4.—Cloverseed sells at $8@8.75.

Flaxseed at $2.70@2.75—a decline.

Petroleum dull and nominal at 15½c for Crude, and 29½ for refinded in bond.

The Flour market is quiet, and only 800 bbls sold at $8.50@9.25 for Extra, $10@11.50 for Northwest Extra Family, $11@12.25 for Pa. and Ohio do do, and $13@14 for Family.

Rye Flour steady at $8.50.

Prices of Cornmeal nominal.

Wheat comes forward slowly and meets a limited inquiry; sales of 3,000 bus good prime Red at $2.50@2.60 and some Kentucky White at $3.

1,000 bus Pa. Rye sold at $1.60@1.62.

The receipts of Corn are small and it is held firmly; sales of 2,500 bus New Yellow at $1.15@1.16, and Western mixed at $1.25.

Oats steady at 75@76c.

Provisions advancing.

Sales of Mess Pork at $23.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Cotton dull at 19@19½c. Flour dull; 5,500 bbls sold at yesterday's quotations.

Wheat quiet; 7,500 bus sold, Spring at $2.50. Corn firm, 28,000 bus sold, Western at $1.27@1.30.

Oats quiet at 81c.

Beef quiet.

Pork dull.

Lard firm at 13¾@14¼c.

Whiskey quiet.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 4.—Cotton very dull, and buyers are holding off; it is nominally at 19c for Middlings.

Flour steady, but very dull.

Wheat firm at former rates.

Corn less active; sales in small lots at $1.12@1.14 for White, $1.16@1.17 for Yellow.

Oats dull at 73@75c.

Rye rather better at $1.55@1.58.

Cloverseed at $8.50@9.

Provisions dull.

Bulk shoulders at 9½c.

Loose Bacon Shoulders at 12½c.

Lard at 13¾@14c.

Stock Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 4.

Stocks inactive.

Penn'a 5s	98
Philadelphia and Erie	27⅝
Reading	47¼
Penn'a Railroad	54⅝
Gold	141⅞
Exchange par.	

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.

Stocks active.

Chicago and Rock Island	98¾
Reading	94¼
Erie	79¼
Canton Co	58
Cleveland and Pittsburg	96⅜
Cleveland and Toledo	110⅝
Pittsburg and Fort Wayne	101
Michigan Central	112¾
Michigan Southern	90¾
New York Central	127¼
Illinois Central	134
Cumberland Preferred	37¼
Virginia 6s	44
Missouri 6s	102
Hudson River	146
U. S. 5-20s 1862	111⅛
do 1864	109⅝
do 1865	110⅛
New Issue	108
Ten-Forties	104⅝
Seven-Thirties	107⅝
Gold	140⅞
Sterling	
Money at 5 per cent.	
Exchange	109⅞

Philadelphia Cattle Market.

MONDAY, February 3—Evening.

The cattle market was active this week, and prices were rather firmer. About 1,200 head arrived and sold at the Avenue Drove Yard at 10@10½c for extra Pennsylvania and Western steers, 8@9½c, for fair to good do, and 5@7½c ⅌ lb gross, for common as to quality. The market closed very firm within the above range of prices. The following are the particulars of the sales:

40 P. McFillen, Chester county, 9@10c, gross.
97 P. Hathaway, Chester county, 8¼@10¼c, gr.
75 J. S. Kirk, Chester county, 8@10½c, gross.
75 James McFillen, Western, 8@9¾c, gross.
40 E. S. McFillen Lancaster co., 9@10½c, gross.
58 Ullman & Bachman, Chester co., 9@10¼c, gr.
72 Martin Fuller & Co., Western, 8@10½c gross
85 Mooney & Smith, Western, 7½@10c, gross.
162 T. Mooney & Bro., Western, 7@9c, gross.
47 H. Chain, Western, 7@9c, gross.
120 John Smith & Bro., Western, 8@10c, gross.
65 L. Frank, Lancaster co., 7@9c, gross.
65 Frank Schamburg, Lan. co., 8@9½c, gross.
40 Blum & Co., Western, 6@7c, gross.
35 Ben. Hood, Chester co., 8@8½c, gross.
31 J. Kulp, Chester co., 5@7c, gross.

Cows were unchanged; 150 head sold at $40@75 for springers, and $60@95 ⅌ head for cow and calf.

Sheep were in fair demand; 6,000 head sold at 5@7c ⅌ lb gross, as to condition.

Hogs were also in demand at an advance; 3,500 head sold at the different yards at $10.50@11.50 ⅌ 100 lbs net.

LANCASTER GRAIN MARKET, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3d, 1868.—Market firm:

Family flour, ⅌ bar	$11 00
Extra ...do...do	10 00
Superfine..do...do	9 00
Wheat (white) ⅌ bus	2 60
Wheat (red) ...do	2 35
Rye ...do	1 48
Corn (new) ...do	1 05
Oats ...do	65
Whiskey ...do	2 32

Lancaster Household Market.

LANCASTER, Saturday, Feb. 1.

Butter, ⅌ lb	40@45c.
Lard, ⅌ lb	12@15c.
Eggs ⅌ dozen	25@30c.
Chickens, (live,) ⅌ pair	50@75c.
Do. (cleaned,) ⅌ pair	1.00@1.20
Turkeys, " piece	75@1.75
Geese, " "	1.00@1.12
Lamb, ⅌ lb	14@16c.
Sausages, ⅌ lb	16@20c.
Potatoes, ⅌ bushel	1.60@1.80
Do. " ½ peck	15@20c.
Apples, " ½ peck	30@35c.
New Corn ⅌ bushel	1.00@
Old " "	1.10@1.20
Cabbage " head	6@10c.
Onions, " ½ peck	12@15c.
New Oats ⅌ bag	2.00@2.10
Apple Butter, ⅌ pint	20@25c.
Do. " crock	$1.25@1.50
Turnips, ⅌ bushel	30@40c.

New Advertisements.

ELLWOOD GRIEST, TREASURER OF Lancaster county, in account with said County of Lancaster:

1867.	Dr.
To balance on hand as per County Auditor's last report	$45,041 06
Jan. 14. To cash received from Dan'l Oberholtzer, one-third cost of bridge across Conestoga creek, in Earl twp	780 00
Jan. 23. To cash received from Jesse Landis, in case of Commonwealth vs. Christian Shultz, forfeited Nov. 21st, 1865	58 15
Feb. 4. To cash received from Jacob M. Grider, fines and forfeitures, Sept. and Jan. 1867	14 00
Feb. 5. To cash received from Jacob F. Frey, fees and stamp, Commonwealth vs. Malinda Shue, Jan. Sessions, 1867	4 50
Feb. 12. To cash received from the Farmers' National Bank of Lancaster, loan to county	4,000 00
Feb. 18. To cash received from the National Bank of Chester Valley, loan to county	6,000 00
Feb. 21. To cash received from M. Groff, loan to county	2,000 00
Feb. 25. To cash received from Benj. Denlinger, East Lampeter twp., loan to county	1,160 00
Feb. 25. To cash received from Christian Snyder, Warwick twp., loan to county	2,550 00
Feb. 25. To cash received from Jacob Sowers, Manor twp., loan to county	800 00
Feb. 26. To cash received from Jacob Sowers, Manor twp., loan to county	500 00
Feb. 28. To cash received from J. M. Grider, clerk Quarter Sessions Court, fines and costs	12 00
March 2. To cash received from J. M. Grider, clerk Quarter Sessions Court, fines and costs	20 00
March 5. To cash received from case of Comw'th vs. Samuel Weaver	20 00
March 7. To cash received from W. L. Bear, Proth'y, jury fines	5 00
March 11. To cash received from J. H. Zellar, in case of Commonwealth vs. Sleighlmilch	65 67
March 11. To cash received from Joseph Hershey, Leacock twp., loan to county	2,000 00
March 11. To cash received from Henry Snavely, Leacock twp., loan to county	1,600 00
March 11. To cash received from Felix Lambrech, Upper Leacock, loan to county	550 00
March 12. To cash received from Commonwealth vs. Frederick Hester	67 47
March 14. To cash received from Joseph Engles, Justice of the Peace, proceeds of sale of drift logs	36 67
March 25. To cash received from Christian Snyder, Warwick township, loan to county	2,450 00
March 26. To cash received from Barbara R. Landis, loan to co	300 00
March 27. To cash received from Isaac Shirk, (farmer,) West Earl twp., loan to county	300 00
March 28. To cash received from Daniel Witmer, loan to county	250 00
March 29. To cash received from John Martin, (farmer,) Earl twp., loan to county	800 00
March 30. To cash received from Geo. D. Lefever, West Lampeter, loan to county	500 00
March 30. To cash received from Samuel K. Landis, East Lampeter loan to county	2,000 00
April 1. To cash received from Sam'l E. Kurtz, Manheim twp., loan to county	300 00
April 1. To cash received from Sam'l K. Landis, East Lampeter, loan to county	500 00
April 1. To cash received from Emanuel Landis, East Lampeter, loan to county	3,326 68
April 1. To cash received from Benj. Denlinger, East Lampeter, loan to county	4,000 00
April 1. To cash received from Henry Hostetter, Upper Leacock, loan to county	450 00
April 1. To cash received from J. K. Rohrer, East Lampeter, loan to county	100 00
April 1. To cash received from Abm. Landis, East Lampeter, loan to county	2,100 00
April 1. To cash received from Emanuel Landis, East Lampeter, loan to county	1,173 31
April 1. To cash received from Ephraim H. Hershey, Manor twp., loan to county	1,000 00
April 1. To cash received from C. Sweitzer, East Hempfield twp., loan to county	500 00
April 2. To cash received from Abm. Landis, East Lampeter twp., loan to county	700 00
April 2. To cash received from John Rohrer, East Lampeter twp., loan to county	400 00
April 2. To cash received from Anna Landis, East Lampeter twp., loan to county	300 00
April 2. To cash received from C. H. Mumma, East Donegal twp., loan to county	1,000 00
April 2. To cash received from Board of Poor Directors of Lancaster county, sale of land	4,071 00
April 2. To cash received from James Martin, Leacock township, loan to county	300 00
April 2. To cash received from Jacob H. Landis, Manor twp., loan to county	1,500 00
April 2. To cash received from Dan'l Kurtz, city, loan to county	1,500 00
April 3. To cash received from Emma Giest, East Lampeter twp., loan to county	3,000 00
April 3. To cash received from John Giest, East Lampeter twp., loan to county	1,000 00
April 3. To cash received from Geo. Roland, West Earl twp., loan to county	1,000 00
April 4. To cash received from Thos. Ewing, loan to county	300 00
April 6. To cash received from the Board of Poor Directors of Lancaster county, lands sold	4,087 50
April 6. To cash received from Isaac Martin, (Spring,) Earl twp., loan to county	300 00
April 6. To cash received from Martin Musser, Earl twp., loan to co	1,000 00
April 6. To cash received from Henry Musser, Jr., Earl twp., loan to co	1,200 00
April 8. To cash received from Wm. Ensminger, Manheim borough, loan to county	1,100 00
April 8. To cash received from M. W. Slokom, Sadsbury twp., loan to county	2,000 00
April 8. To cash received from M. Groff, Bart twp., loan to county	2,000 00
April 8. To cash received from Truman Cooper, Sadsbury twp., loan to county	4,500 00
April 15. To cash received from Susan Groff, East Lampeter twp., loan to county	400 00
April 15. To cash received from Tobias Denlinger, East Hempfield twp., loan to county	1,000 00
April 16. To cash received from Frederick Frey, Manor twp., loan to county	1,600 00
April 16. To cash received from Jas. Sproul, Colerain township, loan to county	400 00
April 17. To cash received from David Styre, Cernarvon twp., loan to county	2,000 00
April 18. To cash received from Jesse Landis, city, loan to county	500 00
April 18. To cash received from M. M. Grider, clerk Quarter Sessions Court, defaulting juror	5 00
April 23. To cash received from Evans, McEvoy & Co., city, loan to county	3,000 00
April 24. To cash received from case of Com'th vs. Samuel Autman	18 65
April 24. To cash received from H. M. Breneman, Justice of the Peace, proceeds from sale of estrays	31 05
April 26. To cash received from S. B. Foltz, Justice of the Peace, proceeds from sale of estrays	12 60
April 29. To cash received from Henry Buckwalter, Manheim twp, loan to county	150 00
April 30. To cash received from M. W. Slokom, Sadsbury twp., loan to county	3,000 00
April 30. To cash received from Benjamin Witmer, East Lampeter twp., loan to county	350 00
April 30. To cash received from John Gross, Lancaster twp., loan to co	200 00
May 7. To cash received from E. Fahnestock, consolidation of grant to build adjacent to Court House	30 00
May 7. To cash received from C. H. Nissly, loan to county	200 00
May 11. To cash received from L. R. Sensenig, East Lampeter twp., loan to county	400 00
May 17. To cash received from case of Commonwealth vs. John Greenflot	29 74
May 18. To cash received from J. M. Grider, clerk of Court, fines and costs	33 00
May 20. To cash received from B. F. Baer, balance of recognizance of Eugene Kurtz	42 10
May 20. To cash received from Jonas H. Buckwalter, East Lampeter twp., loan to county	300 00
May 27. To cash received from Wm. Ensminger, Manheim borough, loan to county	600 00
May 31. To cash received from M. M. Grider, clerk of Court, county fund, May Sessions, 1867	4 00
June 4. To cash received from sale of personal effects of Frederick Blatenberger, convicted of arson	49 30
June 10. To cash received from J. F. Frey, Sheriff, fines and jury funds	29 00
June 12. To cash received from case of Com'th vs. Mary Martin	30 00
Sept. 4. To cash received from case Commonwealth vs. L. Suter, B. Mishler, bail	831 57
Sept. 27. To cash received from case of Com'th vs. Leonard Yost, fine	50 00
Sept. 30. To cash received from clerk of Quarter Sessions Court, fines and jury fund for August	19 00
Oct. 1. To cash received from Drumore twp., interest on claim for taxes, for 1866	15 89
Nov. 18. To cash received from sale of tin from Court House	30 50
November 25. To cash received from case of Commonwealth vs. John Wendler	10 00
Dec. 2. To cash received from case of Commonwealth vs. John Eshleman, per B. F. Baer	12 66
Dec. 2. To cash received from case of Commonwealth vs. Robert McClain, per B. F. Baer	7 05
Dec. 10. To cash received from G. Specht	206 95
Dec. 16. To cash received from Christian Baker, Jr., Warwick township loan to county	2,500 00
Dec. 17. To cash received from J. F. Frey, Sheriff, fines and jury funds	137 00
Dec. 17. To cash received from Jacob Schaub, supervisor of West Earl twp., on account of Burkholder's bridge	325 00
Dec. 24. To cash received from clerk of Quarter Sessions Court, fines and jury funds	92 00
Dec. 30. To cash received from the supervisors of West Cocalico twp., on account of Lutz's bridge	350 00
1868.	
Jan. 3. To cash received from Dan'l Oberholtzer, one-third cost of bridge across Conestoga creek	180 00
	$137,212 48
1867.	
To aggregate assessment of County rates and levies for 1866, as per statement furnished by County Commissioners, and herewith presented to the Auditors	$198,954 92
To cash received as excess tax for 1866	179 92
To cash received as excess tax for 1867	450 31
To aggregate amount of State tax levied for 1867	32,918 99
To aggregate amount of Militia tax levied for 1867	5,460 00
To aggregate amount of outstanding tax as per Auditors' report of 1866	6,323 90
To aggregate amount of unpaid items	9 25
	$381,506 57

CONTRA.

By Court, order in favor of P. G. Eberman, for stating the account of 1866	$ 25 00
By Court, order in favor of County Auditors, for auditing account of 1866	255 60
By amount of Commissioners' orders paid for 1867	268,960 12
By amount of Court bills, paid for 1867	16,122 97
By amount of road viewers, orders paid for 1867	190 80
By amount of Constables' return, orders paid for 1867	558 20
By amount of exonerations allowed collectors for State, Militia and County tax	6,254 15
By amount of commissions allowed collectors for State, Militia and County tax	17,317 15
By amount of County Commissioners' bill, paid in military fund	273 50
By amount of order to Superintendent of Teacher' Institute, as per act of Assembly	200 00
By amount of unpaid items, as per last report, paid	19 89
By amount of State tax to Commonwealth, full quota	31,557 59
By amount of exonerations and commissions for outstanding tax, collected for 1866	3,296 72

Outstanding taxes, January 6th, 1868.

Bart township	$ 147 52	
Brecknock township	277 04	
Cærnarvon township	107 24	
Conestoga township	542 68	
Conoy township	526 29	
Drumore township	173 67	
East Donegal township	804 50	
East Earl township	1,771 84	
Fulton township	918 71	
Manheim township	1,188 87	
Martic township	212 73	
Mount Joy borough	450 56	
Rapho township, since 1861	200 00	
Strasburg borough	241 92	
Washington borough	235 82	7,829 43
By amount of Treasurer's commissions on $370,228 83 at 1 per cent		3,702 28
To balance		24,945 17
		$381,506 57

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

We, the undersigned Auditors of Lancaster county, do certify that we have carefully examined the foregoing account of Ellwood Griest, Treasurer of said county, and compared his vouchers with the same, and find there is a balance in his hands this 6th day of January, 1868, of twenty-four thousand nine hundred and forty-five dollars and seventeen cents ($24,945 17,) which amount has been turned over to his successor, William Thomas, and his receipt shown for the same.

We have examined the account of Christian Gast, Treasurer of the Poor and House of Employment of Lancaster county, and find it correct, showing a balance in his hands of two hundred and eighty-one dollars and two cents ($281 02,) January 8th, 1868.

We have examined the account of Christian Gast, Treasurer of the Board of Directors of the Poor of Lancaster county, for the erection of the new Hospital, and find there is a balance in his hands of twenty-three hundred and ninety-seven dollars and eighty-nine cents ($2397 89) January 17th, 1868.

We have examined the account of George Long, Treasurer of the Board of Prison Inspectors, and find a balance in his hands, April 1st, 1867, of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight dollars and one cent ($1878 01,) and he has paid over to Christian Lefever, the present Treasurer, eighteen hundred and sixty-four dollars and thirty-eight cents ($1864 38,) leaving a balance in his hands of thirteen dollars and sixty-three cents ($13 63,) the mistake having originated by an error in the computation of his commissions.

We have examined the account of Christian Lefever, Treasurer of the Board of Prison Inspectors, and find a balance in his hands, on January 1st, 1868, of thirty-five hundred and seventy-five dollars and sixty-one cents ($3,575 61.)

Adopting the idea of Governor Geary in his late message, relative to safe keeping, etc., of the State funds, we respectfully recommend the enactment of such laws as will give to the County Treasury the benefit of any profit, or gain made by any investment of the County funds, prohibit the use of the County funds for private purposes or advantages. Making the Treasurer chargeable with any gain, increase, profit or per centage which he may make, or enable any other person to make out of the same, in violation of such laws. Requiring him to answer, on oath or affirmation, to the Auditors, respecting any and every investment or disposal of the County funds, without criminating himself; and to set out in his accounts, under oath or affirmation, the name of every person, or institution, and place, with whom, and where he keeps or has kept the funds, and on what terms; and that he be compensated by a salary, to be fixed annually by the County Commissioners, with the approval of the County Auditors, instead of a per centage on his receipts and expenditures, as heretofore.

Witness our hands, January 18th, 1868.
DANIEL M. EABY,
GEO. W. HENSEL,
SAM'L SHOCH,
County Auditors.

COMMISSIONERS' STATEMENT.

The following is a statement of the Commissioners' Orders drawn on Ellwood Griest, Treasurer of Lancaster county, for the year 1867:

Assessors' pay	$ 3,679 00
Erecting Bridges	24,028 19
Repairing Bridges	641 40
Quarter Sessions Court	3,059 73
Court House	3,989 89
Coroner	719 35
Commissioners' Office	5,105 75
Elections	4,134 74
Fuel	483 00
Gas	194 90
Postage	49 56
Penitentiary	1,868 28
Printing and Stationery	2,287 03
Public Offices	657 22
New Hospital	12,500 00
Remodelling Alms House	9,000 00
Poor	30,300 00
Prison	22,600 00
Vagrants	1,535 95
City Lock-up	145 80
Loans	122,641 00
Interest	11,754 58
Post Mortems	400 00
Road Damages	522 50
Penn'a State Lunatic Hospital	588 65
Taxes Refunded	1,888 18
Janitor's Pay	530 00
Miscellaneous	4,072 28
	$268,930 08

Erecting Bridges.

E. McMellen, in full for bridge at D. Overholser's mill	$ 971 15
J. F. Frey, for sundries for bridge at Safe Harbor	1 14
E. McMellen, in full for bridge at Musselman's mill	1,050 00
E. McMellen, whitewashing bridge at D. Overholser's mill	30 00
C. J. Rhoads, for lumber for bridge at Safe Harbor	11 92
James C. Carpenter, in full for bridge at Safe Harbor, per Wm. Diller's order	223 80
E. McMellen, in full for bridge at Old Factory	4,585 00
E. McMellen, in full for masonry, etc., at Old Factory	1,392 13
E. McMellen, in full for bridge at Herr's mill	3,092 00
E. McMellen, in full for bridge at J. Overholser's mill	3,300 00
E. McMellen, in full for bridge at Swamp creek	1,500 00
Thos. W. H. Moseley, in full for iron bridge at Grubb's mill	2,340 00
T. W. H. Moseley, in full for bridge at Burkholder's mill	1,362 27
E. Burkholder, in full for masonry, etc., for bridge at Burkholder's mill	617 55
E. McMellen, on account of bridge at Miller & Nolt's mill	3,700 00
	$24,028 19

Repairing Bridges.

E. McMellen, for repairing abutments at Musselman's mill	$ 135 00
D. K. Herr, for repairing bridge at Herr's mill	22 50
E. McMellen, for lumber for, and repairing bridge at Hinkletown	97 50
Jacob Beebower, for repairing bridge across Conewago	286 40
Supervisors and Auditors of Mount Joy township, for donation for bridge across Conewago creek	100 00
	$641 40

Quarter Sessions Court.

John H. Zellers, late Clerk's fees	$ 103 51
J. B. Livingston, Esq., late District Attorney's fees	119 00
William Aug. Atlee, Esq., District Attorney's fees	1,262 00
J. M. Grider, Clerk's fees	1,202 23
Jacob F. Frey, Sheriff's fees	972 99
	$3,059 73

Court House.

Henry Dunham, for ½ doz brooms	$ 2 50
E. Eby, in full for brick for sewer	40 30
Henry Wagner, labor	45 50
G. D. Sprecher, bill for hardware, etc	36 86
Henry Gorrecht, cushions for chairs	27 00
John Johns, sand, curbstones, etc	28 75
D. Bair & Co., sundries	8 21
D. Erisman, carpentry in Court House	25 00
C. F. Eberman, care and winding clock	50 00
C. H. Nissley, Esq., for lock and key	1 10
Mrs. Kretchmar, cleaning C. House	55 75
J. C. Snyder, sundries for C. House	18 08
D. A. Shiffer, for 16 tree boxes and sundries	67 00
S. Skein, for shade trees	2 50
E. Rudy, for repairing dome at Court House	45 37
Diller & Groff, bill for hardware	38 38
Charles Schwebel, 3 loads of sand	2 25
L. C. Lyte, 1 dozen shade trees	6 00
John Myers, ½ dozen brooms	2 50
Deaner & Schaum, work to C House	204 07
J. H. Shirk, sundries	3 75
Samuel Hess, ½ cord of wood	3 75
Edw. Carter, painting Court House	135 85
John May, 12½ dozen screws	1 25
Jac. Gable, gasfitting and plumbing	96 65
Shirk & Weidler, ice bill	21 05
D. Kitch, for smithwork	1 40
Deaner & Schaum, on account of roofing Court House	1,200 00
J. Rothermel, bill for brushes	18 10
J. K. Beitler, ½ dozen brooms	2 40
J. L. Shuman, lumber for dome	225 56
C. H. Mayer, on account of carpenter work for dome	150 00
Chas. T. Gould, repairing chairs, etc	5 75
Jacob Bomberger and others, shoveling snow	6 00
J. N. Miller, 1 dozen brooms	5 50
J. Deaner & Co., on account of roofing dome	300 00
J. Deaner & Co., in full for roofing Court House	145 88
	$3,989 89

Coroner.

George Leonard, Coroner, and Justices of the Peace, holding inquests on the bodies of fifty-eight persons found dead in Lancaster county	$719 35

Commissioner's Office.

B. F. Baer, Esq., in full for salary as Solicitor	62 50
Thos. C. Collins, Esq., 140 days' services as Commissioner, at $3.00 per day—$420; 5015 miles at 10 cents per mile—$501.50. Total, $921.50. Balance in full	321 50
J. B. Shuman, Esq., 170 days' services as Commissioner, at $3.00 per day—$510; 4496 miles at 10 cents per mile $449.60. Total, $959.60. Balance	359 60
S. Slokom, Esq., 152 days' services as Commissioner, at $3.00 per day—$456; 6933 miles at 10 cents per mile $693.30. Total, $1149.30. Balance	499 30
W. D. Stauffer, ink and pens	8 85
S. Slokom, Esq., on account of salary	950 00
J. B. Shuman, Esq., on account of salary	850 00
C. H. Nissly, Esq., on account of salary	800 00
Jesse Landis, Esq., in full for one year's salary as Solicitor	250 00
J. H. Shirk, pens and stationery	5 00
J. H. Shirk, in full for one year's salary as Clerk	1,000 00
C. F. Eberman, for repairing office clock	1 00
	$5,105 75

Elections.

Election officers, 18th Election District, municipal elections	55 50
Election officers. Spring elections	1,095 40
Election officers, 40th District, special election	19 16
Election officers, 1st District, municipal election	196 85
J. C. Carpenter and Jas. P. Boyd, for clerking for Return Judges, general election	28 62
Charles R. Frailey, attending municipal election, as Assessor, Ninth Ward	1 50
Election officers' general bill	1,470 26
Assessors' pay for lists of voters	713 25
Constables' pay for holding township elections	292 78
Assessors' pay for returning militia rolls for 1867	261 33
	$4,134 74

Fuel.	
H. Baumgardner, for coal	483 00
Gas.	
Lancaster Gas Company, gas bill	194 90
Postage.	
J. J. Cochran, postage and envelopes	49 56
Penitentiary.	
Eastern Penitentiary, for support of convicts for 1866	1,868 28
Printing and Stationery.	
F. L. Baker	18 00
J. E. Barr	40 52
John Johns	27 65
A. M. Rambo	278 55
B. H. Lehman	6 20
Pearsol & Geist	245 45
W. H. Grier	18 00
H. G. Smith & Co	243 45
John Baer's Sons	270 19
S. A. Wylie	865 58
J. M. Ensminger	43 00
J. A. Hiestand & Co	170 27
J. H. Sheaffer	45 37
	$2,287 03

Public Offices.

Ellwood Griest, Esq., office furniture for County Treasurer's office	5 50
George Wiant	643 60
J. C. Snyder, window shades for Sheriff's office	8 12
	$657 22

New Hospital.	
Christian Gast, Treasurer of Board of Directors of the Poor, in full for building new hospital	$12,500 00
Remodeling Alms House.	
Christian Gast, Treasurer of Board of Directors of the Poor, on account of remodeling old Alms House	9,000 00
Poor.	
Christian Gast, Treasurer of Board of Directors of the Poor, in full of estimate for support of poor for 1867	30,300 00
Prison.	
Geo. Long, late Treasurer of Board of Prison Inspectors, on account of estimate for prison	6,000 00
C. Lefever, Treasurer of Board of Prison Inspectors, in full for estimate for prison	16,600 00
	$22,600 00
Vagrants.	
George Sanderson, Esq., Mayor and Constables' fees in vagrant cases	1,535 95
City Lock-up.	
John Henry, for furnishing meals to prisoners in City Lock-up	145 80
Loans.	
Loans paid to Banks and individuals	122,641 00
Interest.	
Interest paid to Banks and individuals	11,754 58
Post Mortems.	
Post Mortem examinations on the bodies of 40 persons, found dead in Lancaster county	$400 00

Road Damages.

John Longenecker's estate, Mount Joy township	15 00
Margaret Townsend Sadsbury twp	10 00
Albert Smith, Drumore township	30 00
Micagle Pierce, Ephrata township	60 00
George Ackerman, Lancaster city	60 00
Philip Loug, Warwick township	25 00
Joseph Pfautz, Warwick township	10 00
Joseph Doster, Ephrata township	10 00
John Hartman, Columbia borough	240 00
Jacob McQuade, West Cocalico twp	10 00
Philip Doster, Ephrata township	20 00
A. Dupont, Cernarvon township	10 00
Jonas Miller, Clay township	20 00
	$522 50

Pennsylvania State Lunatic Hospital.	
John A. Weir, Treasurer State Lunatic Hospital, for sundry patients	$588 65

Taxes Refunded.

Christian Brown, collector, Warwick township	18 63
Isaac L. Landis, Manheim twp	41 04
Isaac Bushong, collector, Upper Leacock township	11 93
John H. High, collector, East Earl township	10 00
T. C. Rockafellow, collector, Manor township	160 01
H. M. Musser, collector, Earl twp	11 74
Jacob H. Brackbill, collector, Salisbury township	102 95
John K. Snyder, administrator of H. K. Snyder, collector East wards Lancaster city	66 49
John Coble	1 92
James Prangley, city	9 50
Joseph Ebersole, collector, East Donegal township	15 20
Levi Huber, col., W. Lampeter twp	222 33
H. G. Bruckhard, collector, West Hempfield township	105 50
Amos Martin, Earl township	15 00
George H. Gish, collector, East Hempfield township	343 30
Melchom Fry, col., Strasburg twp	118 63
Samuel W. Miller, col., Clay twp	73 31
F. S. Albright, collector, East wards Lancaster city	445 56
	$1,888 18

Janitor's Pay.	
J. C. Snyder, in full for services as janitor to date	530 00

Miscellaneous.

J. C. Snyder, distributing assessments	25 00
Geo. M. Steinman, Treas. Humane Fire Company, donation for Steamer	100 00
A. R. Witmer and others, expenses for inspecting bridge at Musselman's mill	11 50
J. Hoover, for painting and repairing "Black Maria" carriage	50 75
S. Slokom, for expenses at road views at Ephrata and Schoeneck	9 80
G. Sener, Treas. Washington Fire Company, donation for Steamer	100 00
Joseph C. Snyder, for damages sustained team notifying bridge viewers	7 75
Joseph C. Snyder, notifying bridge viewers for bridge at Musselman's mill	3 51
Jesse Landis, Esq., professional services in Commonwealth vs. Malinda Shue	142 07
William J. Cooper, boarding jurors	4 80
John McCutcheon, conveying Catharine Little to Lancaster county hospital	1 35
C. H. Nissly, Esq., expenses incurred in attending meeting in Columbia, and going to Harrisburg on official business	15 78
John M. Slaymaker, jury fee remitted by order of Court	5 00
Elias Miller, copying tax duplicates	5 72
Isaac Gish, copying tax duplicates	2 38
Joel S. Eaby, copying tax duplicates	2 08
S. O. Nourse, copying tax duplicates	6 05
J. M. Grider, drawing copy of road report of reviewers in Columbia bor	1 25
Abrm. Bair, copying tax duplicates	11 20
J. M. Grider, making draft in road case in Columbia borough	2 00
Benjamin Bauman, copying tax duplicates	8 25
John H. Shirk, distributing tally papers	25 00
J. H. Shirk and others, copying tax duplicates	52 32
Wm. Riddle, copying tax duplicates	12 40
J. W. Slokom, copying tax duplicates	8 75
A. C. Slaymaker, copying tax duplicates	9 41
Wm. H. Kemble, Esq., State Treas., for balance due the Comm'th, for tax on loans to county, for 1866	204 45
Peter Bruner, copying tax duplicates	1 90
W. Demuth, copying tax duplicates	12 75
J. M. Grider, Clerk of Quarter Sessions Court, recording township officers	110 10
John Brake, for getting shingles out of creek at Safe Harbor bridge	2 00
J. B. Shuman, Esq., Commissioner, expenses to Harrisburg on official business	30 40
Ellwood Griest, Esq., balance due Com'th for tax on loans	10 76
J. L. Marple, copying duplicates	5 20
P. S. Baker, conveying Robert Moderwell to lunatic asylum	10 00
J. M. Grider, recording borough officers for Washington borough	2 85
Jesse Landis, Esq., professional services as per bill	100 00
J. C. Snyder, for cleaning and whitewashing furnace flues	25 00
John J. Kersey, arresting horse thief	32 24
Leman, Murphy & Co., horse and carriage hire	14 00
C. J. Rhoads, lumber furnished the county in 1863	30 00
S. B. Cox, Treasurer Sun Fire Co., donation for Steamer	100 00
Jonathan Sprecher, boarding jurors	6 50
J. B. Shuman, Esq., horse hire and expenses in viewing bridges over Pequea and Beaver creeks	16 00
W. Leman, auditing accounts of public officers	118 50
P. S. Baker, conveying Jacob Butt to House of Refuge	15 00
S. Shroad, conveying John S. Hahn to House of Refuge	15 00
C. H. Nissly, expenses viewing bridges at Hinkletown and Herr's mill	16 25
Lancaster city, water rent	38 00
S. Shroad, conveying Wm. Walker to House of Refuge	15 00
H. Lamborn, making coffins for Amos Smith, Ellen Smith and Rebecca Nelson	12 00
J. F. Frey, Esq., services rendered in case of Commonwealth vs. M. V. B. Snyder, &c	96 60
C. H. Nissly, Esq., for expenses in locating bridge site at Conewago creek	11 00
E. McMellen, for drawing specifications for bridge at Old Factory	13 00
J. B. Shuman, Esq., for expenses in viewing bridges at Good's and Burkholder's mills	11 85
C. H. Nissly, Esq., expenses incurred in meeting Dauphin County Commis'ners at Conewago bridge letting	13 65
J. C. Snyder, distributing lists of taxables	25 00
M. J. Shirk and others, copying duplicates	25 00
J. Gundaker, expenses in summoning witnesses in Commonwealth vs. John Smith and Mary Ann Ebert	15 00
Samuel L. Fisher, taking Edward Steel to House of Refuge	15 00
C. H. Nissly, expenses to Harrisburg to meet Dauphin County Commissioners	10 05
Jesse Reinhold, for reward for the arrest of murderer of Jos. Comro	25 00
C. H. Nissly, Esq., expenses in viewing and locating bridge at Overholser's mill	6 50
J. B. Shuman, Esq., expenses viewing bridge	2 50
Tobias Herr, for proceeds of sale of logs in 1864, refunded	251 15
J. B. Shuman, Esq., expenses viewing bridge in Cocalico twp	7 05
Jesse Landis, Esq., for professional services in Commonwealth vs. B. Mishler	150 00
Levi Sensenig, for planking prison cells	109 13
Lancaster county's share macadamizing Duke street in the City of Lancaster	600 00
E. McMellen, for viewing bridges and drawing specifications for bridges as per bill	55 00
H. Boardman, J. Zercher and John D. Boring, jury inspecting bridges at Old Factory	6 00
John Sprecher, boarding jurors	6 50
S. Shroad, taking John Wilson to House of Refuge	15 00
O. J. Dickey, Treasurer Shiffler Fire Company, donation for new house	100 00
J. H. Shirk, distributing tally papers	25 00
C. H. Nissly, for road viewers and surveyors' fees, for road laid out in Mt. Joy township in 1865	10 00
John Dulabon, bounty as private in Capt. Erisman's Co., 135 P. V	40 00
C. H. Nissly, expenses in attending bridge view at Binkley's Bridge	1 30
John Sprecher, boarding jurors	7 50
J. C. Snyder, distributing assessm'ts	25 10
Jno. Sprecher, boarding jurors	6 50
C. H. Nissly, for expenses at bridge views and juror's pay at Conewago and Farmersville	11 10
George Hartman, for horse and carriage hire to bridge view at Burkholder's mill	8 00
Samuel Hess, bill for wood and sand	15 00
Wm. J. Cooper, boarding jurors in Commonwealth vs. John Smith	42 00
Jno. Sprecher, boarding jurors	13 00
P. S. Baker, expenses to Philadelphia to arrest Margaret Snyder	10 80
H. Miller, for bridge inspectors at D. K. Herr's mill	12 00
M. Zahm, for interpreting in Court	25 00
E. McMellen, for extra work on bridges at D. K. Herr's mill	195 00
C. H. Nissly, expenses at Swamp Creek bridge view	15 75
W. G. Evans, Esq., Treasurer American Hose Co., donation for hose	100 00
John P. Good, supervisor Conestoga township, for putting up notice at Safe Harbor bridge	10 00
E. McMellen, for extra work, etc., on bridge at Overholser's mill and Swamp Creek	82 00
John Yundt, inspecting bridge at Overholser's mill	2 00
John McCutcheon, conveying Eliza Fellenbaum to House of Refuge	15 00
John Flory, conveying Elizabeth Myers to House of Refuge	15 00
M. J. Sherk, assistant clerk, hire in adjusting valuations	25 00
J. C. Snyder, for cleaning furnace flues	25 00
Ellwood Griest, Esq., County Treasurer, for balance of State tax paid on county loans	60 37
Steigerwalt & Doersom, repairing wheelbarrow	3 00
C. Widmyer, altering table, etc	3 50
John Johns, bill for stamps for office	23 75
J. B. Shuman, Esq., expenses bridge view, jurors' pay, etc., at bridge at Overholser's mill	2 00
	$4,072 28

The liabilities of the county, at the present time, for individual loans, amount to $145,883 75

(Signed) J. B. SHUMAN, S. SLOKOM, C. H. NISSLY, Commissioners.
Attest, JOHN H. SHIRK, Clerk. 1tw

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, Md., the undersigned, Executor of the last will and testament of Henry Rial, dec'd, will offer at public sale, on the premises, situate on the line of the Western Maryland Railroad, one mile east of Union Bridge, on the 26th day of FEBRUARY, 1868, one of the most valuable and productive farms on Little Pipe Creek, in Carroll county, Md., 170 ACRES of excellent land, about 18 acres of which are heavily timbered.
Terms as prescribed by said Court: One-third of the purchase money on the day of ratification of sale, the residue in two equal payments of one and two years each.
LEVI CAYLOR, Executor,
feb 5 2tw5] Uniontown, Carroll county, Md.

NOTICE TO THE HEIRS AND LEGAL representatives of Joseph Hinkle, late of the Borough of Columbia, Lancaster Co., Pa., deceased.—You are hereby notified to be and appear in the Orphans' Court of Lancaster county, to be held on the 16th day of MARCH, 1868, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to accept or refuse to accept the Real Estate of Joseph Hinkle, dec'd, at the valuation thereof, made by an Inquest held thereon, and confirmed by said Court, or show cause why the same should not be sold according to law. J. F. FREY, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 31, 1868.
feb 5 6tw5

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255 ACRES OF THE BEST LIMESTONE LAND,
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BRICK FARM OR TENANTS HOUSE,
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BARN, STABLES, CARRIAGE HOUSES,
two Corn Cribs, and all other out-buildings necessary to a large farm,
A GOOD ORCHARD,
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Further particulars can be obtained from Henry Kyd Douglas, Attorney at Law, Hagerstown, Md.; Smith, Bennett & Co., Real Estate Agents, No. 5, St. Paul street, Baltimore, or the undersigned on the premises.
feb 4 2mwaltd M. P. ANDREWS.

ASSIGNED ESTATE OF GID'N KAUFFMAN AND WIFE. The undersigned Auditors appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of John Quigley and John Kauffman, Assignees, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will attend for that purpose ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH, 1868, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Library Room of the Court House, in the City of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend.
BENJ. F. BAER,
JOEL L. LIGHTNER,
Auditors.
feb 5 tdw 5

ESTATE OF JAMES DUNLAP, LATE OF Leacock township, deceased.—Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them for settlement to the undersigned, residing in East Lampeter township.
February 3, 1868. JOHN DUNLAP,
feb 5 6tw* 5

ESTATE OF ISAAC DUNLAP, LATE OF Leacock township, deceased.—Letters of Administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them for settlement to the undersigned, residing in East Lampeter township. JOHN DUNLAP.
February 3, 1868. feb 5 6tw* 5

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feb 5 3mw 5 West Virginia.

A VALUABLE FARM AT ADJOURNED SALE.—ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26th, 1868, the undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of John Williams, dec'd., in pursuance of an alias Order of the Orphans' Court of Lancaster county, will expose to public sale, on the premises, the following real estate of said deceased, to wit: All that valuable Farm or Plantation, situated in Bart township, in said county, on the road leading from Georgetown to Mount Pleasant, one mile west of the former place, adjoining lands now or late of John Draucker, Samuel Ernst, Skipwith Hewitt and others, containing
95 ACRES AND 150 PERCHES,
On which are erected a two-story Weatherboarded HOUSE, four rooms on a floor, with Out Kitchen and Bake Oven attached, large frame Bank Barn, 52 by 40 feet, with ample stabling for horses and cattle, Wagon Shed, Carriage House, Corn Crib, Spring House, and other outbuildings. The land is of excellent quality, lately well limed, with about 8 Acres in Heavy Timber, and well watered by running streams. The premises are well located, near churches, mills, stores, schools and post offices, and are supposed to contain large Mineral deposits—shafts having been sunk, and Copper and Nickel Ore found in the immediate vicinity; also, the right to fish in the adjoining mill dam is expressly reserved to this property.
TERMS.—One-third of the purchase money to be secured at interest for the life of the widow, and paid at her decease. One-third to be paid on the 1st of April next, when deed will be made; and the remaining one-third to be secured by mortgage on the premises, to be paid April 1st, 1869, with interest from April 1st, 1868.
Sale to commence at 1 o'clock P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by
ELIZABETH WILLIAMS,
Administratrix.
GEORGE WHITSON, Auctioneer. feb 5-tsw

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