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# A MASTERLY LETTER.

Hancock's Reverence of Civil Law.

THE FULL TEXT OF HIS LETTER TO SHER MAN IN THE TRYING TIMES FOUR YEARS AGO-CONGRESS THE TRIBUNAL. FAITH IN A PEACEFUL SOLU-TION OF THE TROUBLE-

FUNCTIONS OF THE ARMY.

From Monday's Philadelphia Times.

Shortly after the nomination of Gen. Hancock at Cincinnati, it was charged against him that during the electoral crisis of 1876-7 he had written a letter to General Sherman in which he had made known his opinion on the disputed election and declared his intention to support Mr. Tilden's claim if the latter chose to take the oath of office. It was claimed by the Republican press that this letter was little short of revolutionary in its declarations and that its publication in full would greatly damage his chances for the Presidency. General Hancock from the first said when questioned about the matter, that anything he had ever written to General Sherman might be given to the public. General Sherman was out West when the story came out. On hearing of it he said that he had received no letter from General Hancock upon which any such construction as is indicated above could be placed. Since then, General Sherman having come within reach, the New York World has finally obtained a copy of the letter from his files, with the permission of both parties, and it printed in that journal and the Times yesterday. General Hancock being spoken to by

a *Herald* reporter on Saturday had this to say on the subject:

"I hardly remembered writing the letter," he said, "until I saw a reference to it in some of the newspapers. When I wrote it I had no idea that it would ever be published. I was in a Western town on private business, with no secretary or member of my staff with I wrote it frankly and with no constraint."

"And stick by what you wrote ?" "I never wrote anything I am afraid of having known and that I would not stick to.

"And you desire this letter to be published? 'I only waited for the consent of

General Sherman, and that having been given there is no obstacle against its publication."

The following is the full text of the letter:

CARONDELET, P. O., ST. LOUIS. )

December 28, 1876. ) My DEAR GENERAL: Your favor of MY DEAR GENERAL: Your layor of the 4th inst. reached me in New York on the 5th, the day before I left for the West. I intended to reply to it before leaving, but cares incident to my de-parture interfered. Then again, since my arrival here I have been so occupied with personal affairs of a busines pa. with personal affairs of a business na-ture that I have deferred writing from day to day until this moment, and now I find myself in debt to you another letter in acknowledgement of your favor of the 17th, received a few days since. I have concluded to leave here on the 29th (to-morrow) r. M., so that I may be expected in New York on the 31st inst. It has been cold and dreary since my arrival here. I have worked "like a Turk" (I presume that means hard work) in the country in making fences, cutting down trees, repairing buildings, etc., etc., and am at least able to say that St. Louis is the coldest place in the winter and the hottest place in sumof any that I have encountered in a temperate zone. I have known St. Louis in December to have genial weather throughout the month; this December has been frigid and the river has been frozen more solid than I have ever known it.

When I heard the rumor that I was ordered to the Pacific coast I thought it probably true, considering the past discussion on that subject: The possibilities seemed to me to point that way. Had it been true, I should, of course, have presented no complaint nor made resistance of any kind. I would have gone quickly, if not prepared to go promptly. I certainly would have been or overrule. relieved from the responsibilities and anxieties concerning Presidential matanxieties concerning Presidential mat-ters, which may fall to those near the if it might be so, in any event, if the throne or in authority within the next civil authority is supreme, as the Confour months, as well as from incidents stitution declares it to be so, the South or matters which I could not control Carolina case was one in which the or matters which I could not control and the action concerring which I night not approve. I was not exactly prepared to go to the Pacific, however, and I therefore felt relieved when I received your note informing me that there was no truth in the rumors. Then I did not wish to appear to be escaping from responsibilities and possible dan-gers which may cluster around military commanders in the East, especially in the critical period fast approaching. "All's well that ends well." The whole matter of the Presidency seems to me to be simple and to admit of a peaceful solution. The machinery for such a contingency as threatens to present itself has been all carefully prepared. It only requires lubrication, owing to disuse. The army should have nothing to do with the election or inauguration of Presidents. The people elect the President. The Congress declares in a joint session who he is. We of the army have only to obey his manof the army have only to obey his man-dates, and are protected in so doing only so far as they may be lawful. Our commissions express that. I like Jeffer-son's way of inauguration : it suits our system. He rode alone on horseback to the Capitol (I fear it was the "Old Capitol"), tied his horse to a rail fence, entered and was duly sworn ; then rode to the Executive Mansion and took pos-sesion. He inaugurated himself simply by taking the oath of office. There is by taking the oath of office. There is no other legal inauguration in our sysby taking the oath of office. There is no other legal inauguration in our sys-tem. The people or politicians may institute parades in honor of the event and public officisls may add to the pageant by assembling troops and ban-ners, but all that only comes properly after the inauguration—not before, and is not a part of it. Our system does not provide that one President should

nother There might be left out of the charter. But you are placed in an exceptional-ly important position in connection with coming events. The Capitol is in my jurisdiction also, but I am a subordinate and not on the spot, and if I were, so also would be my superior in authority, for there is the station of the General-in Chief. On the principle that a regularly elected President's term o office expires with the 3d of March (of which I have not the slightest doubt) and which the laws bearing on the subject uniformly recognize and in consid-eration of the possibility that the law-

eration of the possibility that the law-fully-elected President may not appear until the 5th of Maroh, a great deal of responsibility may necessarily fall upon you. You hold over. You will have power and prestige to support you. The Secretary of War, too, probably holds over; but if no President appears he may not be able to exercise functions in the name of a President for his prop. in the name of a President, for his prop-er acts are those of a known superior-

a lawful president. You act on your own responsibility and by virtue of a commission only restricted by the law. The Secretary of War is the mouthpiece of a President. You are not. If neither candidate has a consitutional majority of the Electoral College, or the Senate and House on the occasion of the centre and House on the occasion of the count do not unite in declaring some person legally elected by the people, there is a lawful machinery already provided to meet that contingency and decide the question peace fully. It has not been recently used, no occasion presenting itself, but our forefathers provided it. It has been exercised and has been recognized and when itself are burged on every band

submitted to as lawful on every hand. That machinery would probably elect Mr. Tilden President and Mr. Wheeler Write Area and the second seco whetler the people have duly elected a President. I presume of course, that it is in the joint affirmative action of the Senate and House, or why are they present to witness the count if not to see that it is fair and just? If a failure

to agree arises between the two bodies there can be no lawful affirmative decision that the people have elected a President, and the House must then proceed to act, not the Senate. The Senate elects Vice Presidents not Presidents. Doubtless, in case of a failure

by the House to elect a President by the 4th of March, the President of the Senate (if there be one) would be the legitimate person to exercise Presidential authority for the time being, or until the appearance of a lawful Presi-dent, or for the time laid down by the Constitution. Such courses would be peaceful and, I have firm belief, lawful.

I have no doubt Governor Hayes would make an excellent President, I have met him and know of him. For a brief period he served under my command, but as the matter stands I can't see any likelihood of his being declared elected by the people unless the Sen-ate and House come to be in accord ate and House come to be in accord as to that fact, and the House would of course, not otherwise elect him. What the people want is a peaceful determination of this matter, as fair a determination as possible and a lawful one. No other determination could stand the test. The country, if not plunged into revolution, would become poorer day by day : business would lanpoorer day by day; business would lan-guish and our bonds would come home to find a depreciated market.

I was not in favor of the military action in South Carolina recently, and if General Ruger had telegraphed to me, or asked for advice, I would have advised him not under any circumstan-ces to allow himself or his troops to determine who were the lawful members of a State Legislature. I could not have given him better advice than to refer him to the special message of the President in the case of Louisiana some time before. But in South Caro-lina he had the question settled by a decision of the Supreme Court of the State—the highest tribunal which had acted on the question-so that his line of duty seem even to be clearer than in the action of the Louisiana case. I If the Federal court had interfered and

it lawful or wise to use Federal troops in such matters as have transpired east of the Mississippi within the last few months, save so far as they may be brought into action under the article of the Constitution which contemplates meeting armed resistance or invasion of a State more powerful than the State authorities can subdue by the ordinary authorities can subdue by the ordinary processes, and then only when request-ed by the Legislature, or, if it could not be convened in session, by the Govern-or, and when the President of the United States or, and when the Fresident of the United States intervenes in that man-ner it is state of war—not peace. The army is laboring under disadvantages and has been used unlawfully at times in the judgment of the people (in mine, certainly) and we have lost a great deal of the kindly feeling which the community at large once fail for us

the community at large once felt for us. It is time to stop and unload. Offi-cers in command of troops often find it difficult to act wisely and safely when superiors in authority have different views of the law from theirs and when legislation has sanctioned action seemingly in conflict with the fundamental lugy in conflict with the fundamental law, and they generally defer to the known judgment of their superiors. Yet the superior officers of the army are so regarded in such great crises and are held to such responsibility, especially those at or near the head of it, that it is necessary on such momentous occasions to dare to determine for themselves what is lawful and what is not lawful under our system. If the military authorities should be invoked, as might possibly be the case in such exceptional times when there existed such divergent views as to the correct result, the army will suffer from its past action if it has acted wrongfully. Our regular army has little hold upon the affections of the people to day, and its superior officers should certainly, as far as lies in their power, legally and with righteous intent aim to defend the right, which to us is the law and the institution which they represent. a well meaning institution, and it would be well if it should have an opportunity to be recognized as a bulwark in support of the rights of the people and of the law. I am truly yours. WINFIELD S. HANCOCK.

TO GENERAL W. T. SHERMAN, Com-manding Army of the United States,

# New Advertisements.

COURT PROCLAMATION. WHEREAS, the Hon. Charles A. Mayer, Presi-dent of the Court of Common Pleas of the 25th Judicial birticit, consisting of the counties of Centre, Clinton and Cleartield, and the Hon. Samuel Franck and the hon John Divens, Associate Judges in Centre county, varing issued their precept, bearing data Eith day of yor and terminer and General Jail Dalivery and granter Sessions of the Peace, Alebrate hondy of August next, being the 25d day of August, 1866, and to continue two weeks. Notice is hereby yiten to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Alebrate here of the forenoon of said day, with their records, isqui-tilons, examinations, and their own remembrances, to donote things which to their office supertains to be done, and these who are bound in recognizations to be done, and these who are bound in recognizations to the Jain there in the Jest.

JOHN SPANGLER, Sheriff.

# Commissioner's Notice.

N the Orphans' Court of Centre L county, in the matter of the application of Jona-than Laird for specific performance of contract on the part of the heirs and legal representatives of William Laird, Sr., deceased:

The undersigned commissioner, appointand the entropy will meet the parties interested at his office, in Ballefonte, on TUESDAY, August 10, A. D., 1850, at 10 o'clock, A. M. 30-3w WM. C. HEINLE, Commissioner.

Auditor's Notice. IN the Orphans' Court of Centre

A the orphanis' Court of Centre County, estate of REGINA SMELTZER, dec'd: The undersigned auditor, appointed by said court to make distribution of the funds in the bands of JOHN SHAFER, Administrator of said de-cedent to and arrong those legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Bellefonte, on MONDAY, August 9, at 10 o'clock, A. M. 30-3w WM. C. HEINLE, Auditor.

# Final Account.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first and final account of George Alexander, Committee of Rebecca Peters, a lunatic, has been filed in the office of the Prothenotary of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Centre, and that the same will be confirmed at the next term of said Court unless cause to the contrary be shown. 29-4w J. C. HARPER, Prothenotary.

# SHERIFF'S SALES

BY virtue of sundry writs of Fieri D Facias, Levari Facias and Venditioni Exponss, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, and to me directed, there will be exposed at public sale at the Court House, in Bellefonte, on Saturday, August 21, A. D., 1880, at one o'clock, P. M., the following described real es tate of the defendants, to wit :

tate of the defendants, to wit: No. 1. Suit of Henry Meyer, Jr. vs. H. E. Weirick. No. 236 April term, 1879, Dobt, 885,50, Al. fi. fa. No. 23 August term, 1879, Dobt, 885,50, Al. fi. fa. No. 23 August term, 1880. Spangler, Atty. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Miles towrship, Centre county, Pa.: Bound-ed on the west and south by lands of Joseph Kreamer, on the east by lot of Amos Fehl, and on the north by public road-containing 1/4 acre, more or less: there-on erected a 14 story frame house, stable and other cubul Charge. Celzed, taken in execution and to be cold as the property of H. E. Weirick. No. 2

outballings. Eclezed, taken in execution and to be cold as the propersy of H. E. Weirick. No. 2. Suit of Nancy J. Ammerman vs. Alfred Nichols. No. 175 Nor, term, 1871. Dobt, §1,130. Al. lev. fa. No. 40 August te m, 1880. Yocum & Hastings, Att ys. All the right, tiltle and interest of de-formant in and to that certain messuage and lot of groand situate in the borough of Bellefont, Centre coan y, Pa, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Stituate on the bank of Spring Greek, near the willow bank dam, bour ded on the south by the road leading from Bellefonte via. Reynolds' mill to Roopsburg, on the west by the mill dam, on the north by said mill and raf Spring Creek, and extending east ten feet from the Bellefonte Press company building; together which the use of and right to draw from add dam, through a forelay or channel, sufficient water to give by the aid of a turbing the machinery used in and building. Being the same estate which D. G. hash granted and of Octoaer, 1872, for the period of lated the 1st day of Octoaer, 1872, for the period of bale for the term of and which said w. T. Wylie, by satigament bearing even date nerwith and intended to be for the term of a throw and to be sold as the prop-city of Alfred Nichols. No. 2

ety of Alfred Nichols. No. 3, Suit of Jno. L. Rockey vs. H. D. Showers. No. 420 Aug. ter a, 1878. Debt, \$550.70. Vend. ex. No. 25 Aug. term, 1880. No. 25 Aug. term, 1880. Hoy, Att'y. All that certain lot or piece of ground dituate in Walker township, Centre county, Penn'a: Bounded on the west by Struble and Kephart, on the east by J. G. Royer and Hea., y Showers, and on the east by J. G. Royer and Hea., y Showers, and on the south by Farsk Hockman-c. taring 33 acres, more or less; thereon evec ed a two-so y frame hause, bank barn and o. e. or obe Idings.

Also, all that certain lot of timber land situate in Walker township, Centre county, Penn'a Bounded on the nor.h by Struble, on the south by Moses Thompson, on the east by Mrs. Geplant, and on the west by Martin Erumgart-containing 11 acres, e or less. Seized, taken in execution and to as the property of H. D. Showers.

# so'd as the property of H. D. Showers. No. 4. Suit of Steinkerchner & Bro. vs. John Campbell, No. 243 Nov. term, 1878. Dekt, Sl2.07. Al. vend.ex, No: 49 Aug. term, 1878. Dekt, Sl2.07. Al. vend.ex, All that certain lot or piece of ground al'unte in Heliefonte borough and Spring township, Ger: re courty, Par. Bounded on the not hby Willow Bank at eet, on the east by Holmes street, on the south by alley, and on the west by lot of Henry Buch-er; fronting on said Willow Bank street 100 feet and extending back 150 feet to said alley-containing one-fourth of an acre, more or less; thereon erec.ed a two-story frame house, stable and other outbuildings, Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the prop-erty of John Campbell. No. 5.

erty of John Campbell. No. 5. Suit of Lucas & Bro. 5. Suit of Lucas & Bro. vs. Reuben Pletcher. No. 260 Jan'y term, 1877. Fi fa. No. 20 Aug. term, 1880. Delta, \$450,60. X. & H., Att'ys. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Howard township, Centre county, Pa., about one-aal mile so ith of Howard borough: Bounded on the east by public road leading from Howard to Jack-sonville, on the south and west by lands of Joseph Montgomery's heirs, rnd on the north by lands of Joseph Montgomery's heirs, rnd on the north by lands of Joseph Montgomery's heirs, rnd on the north by lands of lead the on erected a two-tory frame hou s, stable and other ontbuildings.

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Also, as the right, title and inferest of dendant is and to all that certain farm or treet of and simule in Liberty township, Centre county, Pa-ieginning at a post on the bank of Baid Eagle Creek, hence along lands of B. Weber north 65° west, 37 erches to a poss, thence along sinds of Daniel Olier orth 54° east, to white oak; thebe along lands of bram Holter sorth 65° east, 378 pe ches to a linn on ank of Baid Eagle; thence along sid creek to the lace of beginning—costaining 97 actes and 70 perches lore or less.

more or less. Miso, all the right, title and interest of defendant in and to all that certain tract of timber is distinct in all to all that certain tract of timber is distinct in all to all that certain tract of the Heyinning at post; thence by land of R. Lauth south 561° west, 50 perches to stones; thence by land 50 perches to stones; thence by land of S. Lauth south 561° west, 50 perches to stones; thence by land stones; thence by land of K. Lauth north 561° east, 30 perches to stones; thence by 'ands formerly owned by John Irwin, Jr. south 351° east, 108 perches to the place of beginning containing 40 acres, more or less. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the prop-erty of Reuben Plecher. No. 4

# No. 6.

No. 6. Suit of Mary M. DeArmant vs. Geo. Housel et al. No. 43 April term, 1850. Debt, \$250. Vend. ex. No. 8 Aug. term, 1880. All that certain lot or piece of land sit-

All that certain for or piece of fand sit-uate in Spring township. Centre county, Pa.: Bounded on the east by old turnpike leading from Bellefonte to Lewistown, on the west by an alley, on the south by an alley, and on the north by Thomas Ha rison-coun-taining one-half acre, more or less; the coil excited a two-story frame house, stable and other outbuildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the prop-erty of George Housel and Margaret Housel.

All the right, title and interest of de-fendanta in all that certain tract of land situate in Rush township. Centre county, Pa., in the warrantee name of John Hambright and described according to a survey made thereof by David Hough en the 30th day of August, A. D., 1858: Beginning at a pine tree corner: thence extending by a tract of land in the warrantee name of Andrew Oraf, north 512° ceast, 314 perchasmore or less to a white pine, a corner; thence by a tract of land in the warrantee name of Categer Shafner, south 321° ceast, 233 perchesmore or less to a red oak tree or black coak fallen; thence by a tract of land in the warrantee name of Robert Speer, south 514° west, 320 perchesmore or less to a post; thence huffnagle, north 351° vest, 233 perchesmore or less to the place of beginning-coontaining 433 acres and 100 perches and allowance. erry of George Housel and Margaret Housel. No. 7. Suit of George Housel and Margaret Housel. No. 7. Suit of George Housel net ux, vs. R. D. Cummings. No. 119 Ang. term, 1857. Debt, §SSEAI. Yend. ex. No. 78 Aug. term, 1857. Debt, §SSEAI. Yend. ex. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the village of Port Matilda, Centre county, Pa, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a corner of lot lately owned by R. D. Cummings, on high street; thence by said Sarteet north 40<sup>10</sup> west, 60 feet to an alley; thence by said alley east 200 feet to Centre street; thence by said alley east 200 feet to entre street; thence by said alley east 200 feet to used lot south 40<sup>10</sup> west, 200 test to place of begin-ning-containing V, of an acre, more or less; thereon verted a two-story frame house, stable and other out-buildings. Seir-ed, taken in execution and to be soid as the property of R. D. Cummings. No. 8. Also, all the right, title and interest of

# No. 8. Suit of Wm. Wolf vs. Daniel Durst.

tain and on the west by the Bellefonte and Lewistown Turneike road-containing -----acres more or less. The Tornpike road—containing — acres more or less. The sold building being a frame house — stories bigh having a front of 36 feet and depth of 18 feet with a kitchen 14 by 15 feet and a porch thereto attached. Seized, taken in execution und to be sold at the prop-erty of Eiza Miller, A. V. Miller, — Miller, fasac Miller, Miry Miller, Caroline Permington and R. V. Miller, with notice to A. V. Miller as terre tenant. No. 19

# No. 18.

No. 13. Suit of Jacob Mann vs. John Mann, No 148 Aug. term, 1870. Debt, §158,560. Al. ven. ex. No. 38 August term, 1880. Fortney, Atty. All that certain tract of land situate in Currin township, Centre county, Pa.: Bounded on the orth hylevids of Hirm Young, on the east by lands of James Haverly, on the south by lands of Robert Mann and o: the west by lands of Jno. A. Deley-containing 140 acres more or less; thereon erected a two story frame louse, log stable and other outbuild-ings. Beized, take in nexceution and to be sold as the property of John Mann. No. 14.

property of John Manu. No. 14. Suit of Ferdinand Beczer vs. Mary Meyers, Adminis-tratrix of Joseph Beczer, decased. No. 114 April tem, 1880. Debt, \$1,723.28. Lev. fa. No. 57, August terna, 1880. Morrison, Atty. All those three several messunges and fracts of land situate in Benner township, Centre county, Pa., one thereof bounded and described as follows: The undivided one-half part of a tract be-ginning at a point in the middle of Spring Creek; thence south 460° week; 52 percises to stones; thence south 460° east, about 74 perches to stones; thence south 460° east, about 74 perches to the middle of paring Creek, by its various courses and distances to piace of beginning—containing 20 acres, be the same more or less; thereon erec'd at two stracts of land one thereof beginning on the bank of Spring Creek.

Also, all that certain for or piece of ground situate on the corner of Allegheny and Bishop streets, in the borough of Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa, bounded and described as follows: Fronting 2 Bishop street about 60 feet and extending back along the west side of Allegheny street about 200 feet to Logan street, and on the west by bot of Mrs. Howard, and on the east by Allegheny street; thereon street a two-story frame building, used as tena at houser, gether with smaller buildings, used as tena at houser. a two-story frame building, used as a ware to gether with smaller buildings, used as tenar th "Also, all that certain lot or pic ground situate in the borough of Bellefonte, sounty, Pa.: Bounded on the north by Logar on the east by lands of Charles McCafferty and McDermot, on the south by lands of Valentines will on the west by Allegheny street and lots of Kline, P. McCaffrey, John Pacini and James Bur-the Reservoir, being 200 feet on Logan alley to of Ches. McCafferty, and others, extending va-Also, all those other two tracts of land one thereof beginning on the bank of Spring Creck, six feet from the water's edge, at the line of John Meyers; thence down end creck eighteen perches to a post; thence down end creck eighteen perches to a post; thence and end the set of the set of the Meyers, five perches to a post; thence south course eighteen perches to John Meyers line; thence along said line, five perches to the place of beginning—con-taining 60 perches. No buildings. Also, the other thereof beginning at a bigs correct formetry Robert Carson and Beniamin

Also, the other thereof beginning at a pine corner, formerly Robert Carson and Benjamin Hartman; thence north 80° west, 83–310 perches to some: thences north 75 $2^{\circ\circ}$  est, 119 perches to white oak; thence south 37 $2^{\circ-38}$  3-10 perches to a post; thence south 40 $4^{\circ}_{12}$  west, 108 perches to somes; thence south 40 $4^{\circ}_{12}$  west, 108 perches to the place of be-ginning--containing '1 acres and 8 perches near measure, less uniety perches conveyed by John Bolf to John Morley, by deed dated March 31, A. D., 1847, recorded in Centre county, in Deed book, "T," page 47, &c. No buildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Mary Meyers, Administra-trix of Joseph Beezer, deceased. No. 15. Lieb's heirs on the test of the second secon

trix of Joseph Beezer, deceased. No. 15. Suit of H. Layy vs. D. H. Parsons. No. 128, August term, 1880. Debt, \$13.00. Fi fa. No. 44, August term, 1880. Furst, Att'y. All that certain lot or piece of land sit-uate in the village of Milesburg, Centre county, Pa., bounded on the north by water street, on the south by alley, on the west, by lot of John Sweirs, and on the east, by lot of Mrs. Jane Bynan-containing <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> acre, more or less; thereon erected a two-story frame house and to be sold as the property of D. H. Parsons. No. 16.

# 127 feet. No buildings. Also, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the borough of Belefonts Centre county Par. Bounded on the north by lot of Sarah Treziyulay, on the east by Allegheny street, on the south by lot of E. Brown, and on the west by lot of Hale's heirs; being 50 feet front on Allegheny to of Hale's heirs; being 50 feet front on and extending back to lands of Hal m erected a two-story frame house mildings. No. 16. ogs. so, all that certain lot or piece of Suit of Sol Schmidt vs. Mrs. P. Donahue, Adminis-

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Suit of Sol Schmidt vs. Mrs. P. Donahue, Adminis-tratrix, et al. No. 263, January term, 1877. Debt, \$153.43. Vend. Ex. No. 82, August term, 1880. Hoy, Att'y. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Rush township. Centre county, Pa. bounded on the north and northwest, by Moshannon Creek, on the east and southeast, by lot of John Bordrean, on the east and southeast, by lot of John Bordrean, on the east and southeast by an alley, and on the South, by the turnpike road leading from Philipaburg to Curveus/He-containing one and one-fourth acres. more or less. No buildings. Seized, taken in execu-tion and to be sold as the property of Mrs. Patrick Donahue, Administratrix of, &c., of P. Donahue, now Mrs. Patrick Collins and Patrick Collins. No. 17.

# No. 17.

No. 17. No. 17. Suit of Hagerstown Agricultural Implement Com-pany ve. Michael Meyers. No. 261, Nov. term, 1850. Debt, \$147.25. Vend. Ex. No. 84 August term, 1850. Y. A. H., Att'ys. All that certain Tract or piece of land situate in Benner township. Centre county, Pa., bound-ed on the north, by lands of Wm. Thoma's heirs, on the east, by lands of T. C. Rumberger, on the south, by hands of Philip Resides and on the west, by lands of Lesh Lowry-containing 150 acres, more or less ; thereon erccied a one and a half story frame dwelling honse, log harn and other outbuildings. Also, all that certain tract of land sit-mate in Benner township, Centre county, Pa., adjoin-ing the first described tract, bounded on the north by hands of Wm. A. Thomas estate, on the south, by above described tract, on the south, by lasts of John Eckley, and on the west, by lands of Jamer and other out-buildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Michael Meyers. No. 18.

No. 18. Suit of heirs and legal representatives of Joel King, Sr., vs. Joel King, Jr. No. 67 April term, 1878. Debt, \$606.82. Fi. fa. No. 85 Aug. term, 1880. Keller, Att'y.

Also, and that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the borough of Bellefonts Centre county, Pa, bounded on the north by Frank Stei-kerchner, on the cast by a private alley, on the south by lot of D. M. Wagner, and on the west by Ab-legheny street, being 10 feet front on Allegheny street, and extending back 123 feet to private alley; thereon erected a two-story double house and other outbuildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Edward Brown. No. 91 No. 85 Ang. term, 1880. Keller, Att'y. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Marion township. Centre county, Pa.: Böund-ed on the north by Main street, on the east by road leading to Jacksonville, south by lands of Adam Yearick and on the west by lands of Mrs. Susan Hoy-containing is are more or less; thereon erected a two-story frame house, stable, two shops and other out-buildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Joel King, Jr.

No. 19.

No 21. Suit of Robert Valent Suit of Robert Valentine, use of, vs. Abram Stevart, No. 133, April term, 1876, Debt, \$866.46, Plu, Fla, 91, August term, 1880, bl., \$866.46, Plu, Fla, 191, August term, 1880, bl., Statust Hoy, Att, All that certain lot or piece of land sit-All All the right, title and interest of de-

All that certain for or preceded into site untern Spring township. Centre county, Par bounded on the north, by lot of Mrs. Riddle, on the east by old Lewittown pike, on the south by lot of John Swarm, and on the west by lot of K. Gettle-contai-ing five and one-half acres, more or less; therea erected a two-story frame house, stable and other out-buildings.

street and Allegheny street in the borough of helio-fonts: Beginning and adjoining the old stors from of William Ickhoff; thence on straight line north to line; thence along Gurtin's line to Allegheny street; thence along Allegheny street to the corner of Bishop street thence along said Bishop street west to the place of beginning—containing 65 feet and one inch on Bishop street ard 50 feet on Allegheny street, be the same more or less. It being a part of a certain mesuage and to of ground situate in the borough aforesaid, contain-ing 50 feet front on Allegheny and extending thence by a line along Bishop street weard 100 feet to a post; thence by a line parallel with Allegheny street, to the intersection of the lot of Roland Curin; thence hy lot 0.91 in the general plan of said borough to Allegheny street, which Joseph J. Lingle, high sherif of Centre county, did on the 20th day of April, A. D. Brockerhoot of the aforesaid borough at store from and effice. Also, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the borough of Bellefoute, Centre county, Fa, bounded and describe as follows: Kon-

action in that certain to be pieces of ground situate in the borough of Bellefonts Centr-county, Fa., bounded and described as follows: Front-ing on Bishop sizest about 60 feet and extending back along cast side of Allepheny street about 200 feet to Logan street, on the east by lot of George W. Biaz, ford and on the west by Allepheny street; thereon erected a large two-story stone buildings. Also, all that certain lot or piece of erround situate on the corner of Allepheny and Bisho.

ine, P. McCaffrey, John Pacini and James Ba re Reservoir, being 200 feet on Logan alley Chas. McCafferty and others, extending so et along said lands to lands of Valentines & 0 feet west to Reservoir; thereon erected

ground situate in the borough of Belleionie, county, Pa.: Bounded on the north by lot of J Lieb's heirs, on the east by Allegheny street, south by lands of Valentines & Co., and on the

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Also, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the borough of Beliciants. Centre county, Pa.: Bounded on the north by lot of Hair, heirs, on the east by lot of solid Ed. Brown and Lieb, heirs, on the south by lot of John and Lawrence FLoary, and on the west by Spring street, heing 141 feet front on Spring street, and extending back 72 feet to lot of said Ed. Brown and Lieb's herrs. No pulldings.

eet to lot of esid Ed. Brown and Lieb's here. No unidings. Also, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Spring township, Centre county, Fa., sont on Fifth Avenue, the southeast corner of lot of  $P_{\rm emere}$  Wilson; there a southeast corner of lot of  $P_{\rm emere}$  Wilson; there along said lot north 11° m rest, 384 feet to lot of E. M. Bianchard, there along he same north 67° 45° and, 242 feet to like of hand af fames Armor's heirs; thence along said land south 1° ast, 384 feet to Fifth Avenue; there along said street outh 67° 45° west, 289 feet to the place of beginning -containing 2 acres and 43 perches; being lot No. 20 n Shugert and Harris' addition to the borough of believone. No buildings. Also, all that certain messuage, tenement rol of ground, situate in Central City, Centre coun-rol of ground, situate in Central City, Centre coun-

Also, all that certain messuage, tenement or lot of ground, situate in Central City, Centre com-ity, Pa., and designated as lot No. 112, in the general plan or plot of add Central City, it being the same lot of ground which E. C. Humes and Adam Hey, Admin-strators tof James T. Hale, deceased, by their deed isted, March 14, 1867, conveyed to Reiscera Lewis therecon erected a two-story frame building. Also, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the borough of Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa., fronting 20 feet on Logan street and ex-tending back 200 feet to Logan alley, bounded on the morth by Logan street, on the east, by lot of K. Fer-ney, on the south by Logan alley and on the west, by a pivate alley; thereon erected a two-story frame milding.

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Also, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the borough of Bellefourk. Centre county, Pa.: Bounded on the north by lot of Pruners, on the east, by Spring street, on the south by lot Mrs. Glemn, and on the west, by an alley and lot of James D. Harris heirs, fronting on Spring street aloud 300 feet and containing one and a holl acres, nore or less; thereon erected two story frame house, stable and other outhnidings. Also, all that certain lot or piece of land situate in the berough of Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa.: bounded on the east, by an alley, on the west, by the estate of James D. Harris, on the south, by same and on the north, by alley-containing one

by same and on the north, by alley-contain fourth acre, more or less; no buildings. Scir in excention and to be sold as the property ham Stewart.

or overrule. Anyhow, it is no business of the army army had a plain duty. Had General Ruger asked me for advice, and if I had Ruger asked me for advice, and if I had given it, I should, of course, have noti-fied you of my action immediately, so that it could have been promptly over-ruled if it should have been deemed advisable by you or other superior in authority. General Ruger did not ask for my advice and I infered from that and other facts that he did not deeins it. and other facts that he did not desire it. or that, being in direct communication

with my military superiors at the seat of government—who were nearer to him in time and distance than I was he deemed it unnecessary. As General Ruger had the ultimate responsibility of action and had really the greater danger to confront in the final action in the matter I did not venture to embarrass him by suggestions. He was a de-partment commender and the lawful head of the military administration within the limits of the department; but, besides, I know that he had been called to Washington for consultation before taking command. I knew that he was in direct communication with my superiors in authority in reference to the delicate subjects presented for his consideration, or had ideas of his own which he believed to be sufficiently in accord with the views of our common superiors to enable him to act intelli-gently according to his judgment and without suggestions from those not on

# Auditor's Notice.

IN the Orphans' Court of Centre a county, in the matter of the estate of CHRISTINA NEESE, deceased :

The undersigned, appointed to make dis-A fibution of the funds in the hands of the Administra-tor of said decedent, to and among those legally enti-ted thereto, will attend to the duties of his appoint-ment at the office of Alexander & Bower, in Belisfonte, thet thereto, will attract the office of Alexander & Bower, in Beliefont on SATURDAY, August 14, at 10 o'clock, A. M. 31-3w ELLIS L. ORVIS, Auditor.

# Notice.

J. M. Lyon, vs. ARVILLA A. Lyon, Libel in divorce a vinculo matrimonii.

THE alias subpoena in the above L case having been returned non est inventus, you, the said Arvilla A. Lyon, are hereby required to ap-pear at said Court on MONDAY, the 23d day of Au-gust, 1880, to answer the complaint in the above case. JOHN SPANGLER, Sheriff. W. F. REDER, Att'y. 29-4w

# BUSH HOUSE, BELLEFONTE, PA., IS OPEN. D. P. PETERS, Proprieter

# MILLHEIM HOTEL, MILLHEIM, CENTER COUNTY, PENN'A. \* W. S. MUSSER, Proprietor.

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# PENSIONS.

ALL disabled Soldiers and heirs of A deceased Soldiers who died from ponsequences of service in the Army, are entitled to PENSIONS. NO ARBEARS allowed after JULY 1, 1880. Send stamps for full instructions in all kinds of Soldiers'

claims. J. H. SYPHERD & CO., Pension Atty's. 601 F Street, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Suit of Wm. Wolf vs. Daniel Durst. No. 222 November term, 1878. Debt, \$553.38. Al. A. fa. No. 77 August term, 1889. A. & B. Ati'ys. The undivided one-half interest in all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Potter twensbip. Centre county, Pa.: Beginning at a stone; thence by land of John Rayer, north 36% cast, 10 5-10 perches to a spruce; thence by same north 80° east, 24 5-10 perches to a stone; thence by land of Hannah Cooney, north 4° cast, 11 3-10 perches to a stone; thence by John Moyer's hand north 85% west, 50-3-10 perches to a conte; thence with 66° west, 53-10 perches to a conte; thence with 66° west, 53-10 perches to a conte; thence with 66° west, 53-10 perches to a conte; thence north 17° west, 12-210 perches to a conte; thence north 66° west, 53-10 perches to a conte; thence north 66° west, 53-10 perches to a conte; thence north 66° west, 53-10 perches to a conte; thence north 66° west, 53-10 perches to a conte; thence north 66° west, 53-10 perches to a conte; thence north 66° west, 53-10 perches, 50 a conte; thence north 66° west, 53-10 perches, 50 a conte; thence north 66° west, 53-10 perches, 50 a conte; thence north 66° and 12-210 perches to a conte; thence north 66° and 12-210 perches to a conte; thence north 66° and 12-210 perches to a conte; thence north 66° and 12-210 perches to a conte; thence north 66° and 12-210 perches to a conte; thence north 66° and 12-210 perches to a conte; thence north 56° and 12-210 perches to a conte; thence north 56° and 12-210 perches to a conte; thence northes the place of beginning -containing 4 acres, 94 perches; thereon erected a two-story frame house, store room, stable and other outbuildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Daniel Durst. No. 9.

No. 9.

No. 9. Suit of J. H. Orvis et al. vs. A. Stewart et. al. No. 227 April term, 1856. Debt. \$47.32. Vend. ex. No. 79 August term, 1850. Y. & H. Att'ys. All that certain lot or piece of land situ-tate in Spring township. Centre county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to wit : On the north by and of John Ledeman, on the east by lauds of James Steele, on the south by Nittany mountain and on the west by the old Larinner farm-Containing 133 acres more or less ; thereon erected a two-story plank house, bank barn and to be vold as the property of Abraham Stewart and J. G. Larinner. No. 10.

No. 14 January term, 1880. Debt, 840.00, I.or. fa. No. 14 January term, 1880. Debt, 840.00, I.or. fa. No. 66 August term, 1880. A. & B. Att'ya.

No 66 August term, 1880. A. & B. Att'ys. All that certain building located on a lot or picce of ground, part of a truct situate in Benner township, Centre county, Pa.: bounded on south by of John Cole and on the west by Harlem Salior-con-nalning one-half acress more or less; thereon erected a two story frame house 24i feet front by 16 feet deep. Beined, taken in excertion and to be sold as the prop-erty of Uriah Wilson.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Uriah Wilson. No. 11. Suit of D. M. Leib, Adme vs. Geo. Sharp, owner, &c. No. 322 August term, 1878. Deit, 253-513. Lev. fa. No. 66 August term, 1880. A. & B. Atfys. All that certain building located on a lot or piece of ground part of a tract of land situate in-towaship, Centre county, Pa, bounded and described as follows, viz: On the worth by public road leading from Belleionte by the Pair ground and Buffalo Ru, on the west by lot of N. Lucas, on the north by lands of the estate of Wm. A. Thomas, deceased, and on the shout 45 feet along the road aforeasid in length and 18 feet in depth. Beized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of George Sharp, owner, &c. No. 12.

sold as the property of George Sharp, owner, Ac. No. 12. Suit of D. M. Leib Ann's vs. A. V. Miller et. al. No. 142 January torm, 1880. Dobt, 5380.98. Lev. ta. No. 66 August term, 1880. A. & B. Attys. All that certain building situate in Spring township. Centre county, Fs. : Bounded on the north by what is called the mountain read, on the most by Samuel Noil, on the stath by Nittany moun-

Also, all the right, the and interest of decladats in all that certain tract or piece of land itunte in Rush township, Centre county, Pa, in the varrance name of Andrew Graff: Beginning at a semilock tree, a corner; thence extending north  $56^{\circ}$ cett, 320 perches more or less to a pine tree corner; hence by a tract of land in the warrantee name of hiritian Numeer, south 40° cent 220 nerches more cr

Also, all the right, title and interest of defendants in all that certain tract of land situate in Morris township, Clearfield county, Pa.: Beginning at a stone heap, formetly a white oak corner; thence by lands late of Lever and Loraine south 220 perches to a post, east 154 perches to a post; thence by lands surveyed to Robert Rainey north 220 5-10 perches to a white pine, along lands surveyed to Stephen Kingston. 164 perches to the place of beginning-containing 200 acres and 37 perches and allowance, and was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant dated March 13, A. D. 1837, issued to Leonard Kyler. Also, all the right, title and interest of defendants in land siture in Morris township, Clear-

Also, all the right, title and interest of defendants in land situate in Morris township, Clear-field county, Pa.: Beginning at a fallen hemlock; thence south  $24^\circ$  west, 215 perches to a white pine; thence north  $84^\circ$  west, 318 6-10 perches to a maple tree; thence north  $24^\circ$  east, 163 5-10 perches to a post; thence south  $84^\circ$  west, 03 10 perches to a post; thence south  $84^\circ$  west, 03 10 perches to a post; thence south  $84^\circ$  west by 3-10 perches to a start  $2^\circ$  sait; 09 3-10 perches to the place of beginning—con-taining 412 acres and 84 perches, more or less. Being part of a larger truct surveyed in the name of John Houston.

Also, all the right, title aud interest of defendants in all that certain tract of land situate in Norti township, Clearfield county, Fa. : Beginning at morth Scower, there by Daniel Milk pirchase morth Scower, there by Daniel Milk pirchase morth Scower, the perches to a pine; there by John have been been by the source of the source in themes east 70 perches to post; there source have been been by the source of the parts of two sources, stalle and the original source work the source of the source of the source of two story frame house, stalle and the original source work the source of the source of the source of two story frame house, stalle and the original source work the source of the source of the source of two story frame house, stalle and the original source of the source of the source of the source of two story frame house, stalle and the source of two story frame house, stalle and the source of two story frame house, stalle and the source of two story frame house, stalle and the source of two story frame house, stalle and the source of two story frame house the sold at the same time for the tracts of land will be sold at the same time for the source of the source and the source of the solve and the source of the source and the solve at the source of the source of the source and the solve at the source of the source of the source at the source the source of the solve at the source of the source of the source of the solve at the source of the Also, all the right, title aud interest of

day of sale. No. 20. Suit of Bellefonte Building and Loan Association, use of vs. Edward Brown. Mo. To Jan'y term, 1877. Debt, \$2000. Pl. fa. No. 89 August term, 1880. All that certain part of the lot or piece of ground situate on the northwest corner of Bishop

No. 22. Suit of Bellefonte Building and Loa

thence by a tract of land in the warrantee name of Christian Musser, south 40° east, 20 perches more or fast in the warrantee name of John Hambricht, south 50° west, 200 perches more or less to place of beginning—containing 400 east, 20 perchas, more or less to place of beginning—containing 400 east, 20 perchas, more or less to place of beginning—containing 400 east, 20 perchas, more or less to place of beginning—containing 400 east, 20 perchas, more or less to place of beginning—containing 400 east, 20 perchas, more or less to place of beginning—containing 400 east, 20 perchas, more or less to place of beginning—containing 400 east, 20 perchas, more or less to place of beginning—containing 400 east, 20 perchas, more or less to place of beginning—containing 400 east, 20 perchas, more or less to place of beginning—containing 400 east, 20 perchas, more or less to be east by lands into of the east of Herry Loraine, deceased, on the east by lands of Quay and Kyler, on the south by lands in warrante e name of Addrew Graf, on the west by lands inte of Brenner, survered April 1, 1793, on warrant in name of Christian Mill and other outbuildings.
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Cark, and north, by lands of J. Bechdie's estate-con-taining 10 acres, more or less. Also, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate near Eagleville. Liberty townshy, Centre county, PA: bounded on the north, by Wm. Singer, on the south, by E. Piotra, on the east, by pub-lic road, and on the west, by J. T. Clark-containing 1 acre more or less.

Also, all that certain lot or piece of land situate near Eaglewille, Liberty township, Centre county, Pa.; bounded on the east by Join on the west, by Wm. Kunes-containing two arros, more or less, Seized, taken in execution and to be soil as the property of John 5 store. the west, by Wm. Runes-containing two acres, ore or less. Seized, taken in execution and to be add as the property of John A. Stover. TERMS CASH. - No deed will be acknowl-leed with the server.

alged until the purchase money is paid in full. JOHN SPANGLER, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, Pa., Aug. 4, 1880.

# Executor's Notice.

LETTERS testamentary on the es-tate of Joseph Green, deceased, late of Milesburg Borough, Centre county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to easi estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all having claims against the same to present them, duly authenticated by law, for settlement. 1. M. GREEN, 1. M. F. POTTS GREEN, Executors.

# Auditor's Notice.

THE undersigned, an auditor ap-pointed by the Orphane Court of Centre County, to distribute the faults in the hands of Frederick Rusz, administrator of David Acker, dec'd., to and among those legally entitled therefo, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office, in the of August, 1880, when and where all persons interest-ed are requested to be present and present their chains or be debarred from coming in for a share of aid funds. [30-3w] H. A. McKER, Auditor.