NEWS FROM ALL NATIONS.

REPORTS of wrecks along the coast, results of the recent great storm, continue to come in.

THE ex-Confederate survivors in Western Louisiana have lately formed an association.

ONE hundred and thirteen colored persons were baptized at Frankfort, Ky., last Sunday.

SENATOR WILLIAM H. BARNUM, of Connecticut, is building a $20,000 house for his son at Lime Rock.

AUSTRIA declares that she will remain neutral during the Eastern war only as her interests are not menaced.

THE Holy Synod has published a Russian version of the Bible—the result of twenty years labor.

THE English revisers of the Old Testament have carried their work as far as 2nd Kings xiv. 16. They have held forty-three sessions.

THE Speakership is again the topic of discussion at Washington. Sayler is making a determined fight against Mr. Randall for the Democratic caucus nomination.

THERE are 3,500 street-lamps in Islington, England, and, on an average, there are 1,000 squares of glass broken in these lamps every week by street boys.

A REMARKABLE phenomenon is reported from Naples, Italy. It is that for three days in one week there were no births out of a population of 500,000 souls.

THERE is a movement in England, suggested obviously by the Librarians' Conference, held six months ago at Philadelphia, for an International Congress of Librarians.

A YOUNG woman employed as a riveter in a Massachusetts factory last week accidentally had a rivet driven through her forefinger and clinched.

EX-GOV. FAYETTE McMULLIN of Virginia, has joined the Grangers, and has become a lecturer. He lauds the farmers and pitches into the lawyers in his usual vigorous way.

SENATOR BOOTH, of California, told a San Francisco reporter the other day that he thinks there will be no trouble in passing Senator Jones' Silver bill through the Senate at the next session.

THIRTEEN years ago a negro burglar shot a man in a house in Atlana, Ga. Two weeks ago he wrote from Kentucky inquiring if the man died of the wound, and his letter has led to his arrest for the murder.

GENERAL BUTLER does not believe that Governor Rice, of Massachusetts, is going into the Cabinet, nor that General Devens wishes to leave the Attorney Generalship.

GEORGE A. SCHNEIDER, president of the Illinois Bank of Chicago, and a man of great wealth and considerable literary culture, is prominently mentioned in connection with the Swiss mission.

MRS. VICTORIA M. McCLOSKEY, whose father before the civil strife was called the Cotton King of the South, has brought suit in the Supreme Court of New York to set aside lunacy proceedings brought against her by her children.

BOCCAK has been invited to the United States by an enthusiastic German, who says that such a series of receptions could be gotten up for the Prince as have not been witnessed since Lafayette was the Nation's guest.

MOTHER GOOSE parties are the latest entertainments for small children in New York. They begin at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and end at eight. Each little one is dressed in the character of a hero or heroine of the nursery tales.

DISTRICT JUDGE BILLINGS, of New Orleans, has rendered a favorable decision in the case of Myra Clark Gaines, involving millions of dollars in property in the Crescent City. This ends forty years of litigation in favor of the claimant.

ANNA DICKINSON is out in a letter making various charges against Mr. Part, manager of the Eagle Theatre, New-York. The immediate cause of the abrupt closing of her engagement was alleged breach of contract, and the matter is now to go into the courts.

A BALTIMORE youth has been sent to jail for stealing his father's overcoat. The father, who was the only witness against the boy, admitted that the son is incurably ill, and that his physician has told he probably will not live more than a few months.

THE Hartford *Post* says that a boy near this city recently plunged a carving-knife into the breast of his sister and killed her for the "crime" of spilling a little tea upon him at the table, and the authorities have not deemed the circumstance worthy of their notice.

THE Cincinnati *Commercial's* correspondent says that at the meeting of the Ohio Republican State Committee, the drift of opinion, so far as one could judge from outside discussions, was in favor of Judge Taft for Governor, notwithstanding his announced refusal to be a candidate.

A CURIOUS rule prevails in Germany, that if any person is injured on a railroad and subsequently dies from the injuries received, the occurrence is not deemed a railway accident unless death occurs within twenty-four hours.

A CASE of cremation has just taken place at Milan. The apparatus used was the gas stove invented for the purpose by Professors Polli and Clericetti. The body was that of a man of seventy-one years, who had died on the previous evening. It was reduced to ashes in two hours and a half.

THE Old World, says the *Eco d' Italia*, of New York, has much to learn of the pursuits of life from young America. Our railways of the United States were introduced parlor cars, sleeping-cars, and restaurant-cars, and now the Erie road proposes to put baths in the palace-cars.

RECENT letters have brought instructions from Australia and Cape Colony to houses in England to make up consignments of hardware from American and less from British products. Merchants in those distant countries are captivated with the beauty and low prices of American hardware goods.

ACCORDING to the Albany *Express*, the Father Duffy, Pastor of St. John's Roman Catholic Church in Greenbush, has announced that he will not hereafter permit any child in his parish to partake of its "first communion" unless such child has attended a Catholic school for one year previous.

THE opinion is general among all the leading American bankers in London and several of the most prominent English bankers who deal in American securities, or are connected with American commerce, that the ultimate effect of the Eastern complications must be favorable to American securities.

WILLIAM J. REED, aged 42, foreman for George H. Corliss & Co's steam engine works, and who set up and had the management of the great engine at the Centennial Grounds, died on Tuesday morning, in Providence, R. I., from a dose of ten grains of morphine administered by the mistake of a druggist. The prescription called for ten grains of quinine.

GEORGE, the black horse ridden by Gen. Early at the beginning of the war, is said to have died in Virginia at the age of 25 years. He lost an eye at Williamsburg, was wounded in the leg at Cedar Run, and was permanently disabled for war purposes at the battle of Sharpsburg. But he maintained his appetite and vivacity till the last, and a Virginia paper says that he was "confined to his bed only 26 hours before he died."

ONE of the *Harper's Weekly* staff, while in New Orleans a few weeks since, visiting both the "Packard" and "Nicholls" Legislatures, and was surprised to find serving as Secretary of the Senate of the latter a full-blooded negro, who was represented by the Senators as being one of the most useful, well-informed, and thoroughly competent officers that had ever officiated in that capacity in Louisiana. He enjoyed the entire confidence and respect of every member of the Senate.

THE State Farm at Warren, on which the lunatic asylum is building, is more valuable than was at first supposed. The Warren *Mail* says it produced the clay and the gravel for the brick which have been made on the farm. It also produced a stone of fine quality in great supply. Now several oil wells are in operation close to the fence, yielding largely, showing that most of the farm is good oil territory, and able, if properly worked, to furnish the funds to complete the immense building 1,200 feet long.

Bradford Reporter.

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MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE.

The Republican County Committee met pursuant to adjournment on Tuesday afternoon, March 13. After a full discussion of the matter the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Chairman call a Convention to meet on the second Tuesday in May for the purpose of choosing delegates to the Republican State Convention, and nominating such candidates as are to be voted for at the election in November.

In pursuance of the foregoing action I hereby give notice that a convention for the purposes set forth in the resolution will be convened in the Court House, Towanda, on TUESDAY, May 8, at 1 o'clock, p. m., to be composed of two delegates from each election district.

The Vigilance Committees will call the primary meetings on Saturday, May 5, at such hours as may be deemed best. Said call should set forth specifically the time the polls will be kept open, as well as the place of holding the caucus.

The candidates to be nominated are District Attorney and County Surveyor.

W. H. CARNOCHAN, Chairman.

J. R. M. HINMAN, Secretary.

The following named persons have been appointed Vigilance Committees for the current year.

VIGILANCE COMMITTEES.

Alba boro—Dr C C Hooker, J S Reynolds.
Albany—Alex English, Boyd Willcox, ——— Stevens.
Armenia—A W Seward, Norman Smith, William Youngs.
Asylum—N P Moody, Geo Kerrick, E J Ayres.
Athens boro—Joseph M Ely, John Carroll, M W Nevins.
Barclay—Thos Ditchburn, L Putnam, D B Williams.
Athens twp—W A Plummer, S M Layton, John G Brink.
Burlington boro—J V Rice, W H D Green, N W Lane.
Burlington twp—H C Spencer, S P Gustin, W P Lane.
Burlington west—Alford Blackwell, S H Ballard, N C McKean.
Canton boro—Theodore Pierce, A M Ayres, Ezek Newman.
Canton twp—Hiram Lindley, Ichabod Sellard, Chas Taylor.
Columbia—H M Furgseon, C E Gladding.
Franklin—Sterne McKee, Ross Vannest, Wm B Rockwell.
Granville—Orlando Taylor, C D Ross, O'Mera Shepherd.
Herrick—W Nesbitt, James Newell, Jos Lee.
LeRaysville—J G Bensley, W B Payson, M S Prentice.
LeRoy—R R Palmer, Levi Sanford, Reuben Stone.
Litchfield—C E McKinney, Levi Morse, James Graves.
Monroe boro—M M Coolbaugh, John Dougherty, Orin Mingos.
Monroe twp—T T Smiley, Eli Gale, A L Rockwell.
Orwell—A C Frisbie, A B Loring, D C Potter.
Overton—Jas Mulleneaux, Orrin Chase.
Pike—M E Beecher, M H Gregory, E S Skeel.
Ridgbury—J P Squires, G M Owen, Eugene Thompson.
Rome boro—O Rickey, M L Towner, O F Young.
Rome twp—L D Prince, Chas H Stephens, T B Barnes.
Sheshequin—W H H Gore, A J Thompson, Horace Horton.
Standing Stone—Peter Landmaser, Henry C Stevens, Hiram Gorden.
Smithfield—G T Beech, C T Wood, Clarence Yoemans.
Springfield—Wm Tracy, W A Brown, O P Harkness.
South Creek—Samuel Thompson, W H Moore, John Dean.
Sylvania—Tom Arnold, Leroy Scoutin, Finly Firman.
Terry—Shubal Bowman, John C Dyer, Jonathan Terry.
Troy boro—J H Grant, Geo L Peck, N M Pomeroy.
Troy twp—John F Hunt, Chales Manly, M O Loomis.
Towanda boro—1st ward—Judson Holcomb, Ed Stevens, Ira B Humphrey.
2d ward—R A Mercur, O D Lyon, D L Pratt.
3d ward—D L Sweeny, Hiram Elsbree, E V Heverly.
Towanda twp—Geo Fox, Geo Scoville, H M Davidson.
Towanda North—W H Smith, D O Hollon, G B Mills.
Tuscarora—W Barrowcliff, Pat Mahoney, E L Taylor.
Ulster—Geo B Rockwell, E B Miner, J G Howie.
Welles—Capt Judson, Wm Relyea, Morris Shephard.
Wilmot—C A Stowell, John S Quick, M Meeks.
Warren—Cyrus G Bowen, Geo Rodgers, Nathan Young.
Windham—Geo Moscript, Hiram Ellsbree, Jacob A Weller.
Wyalusing—L D Biles, M Stephens, C R Stone.
Wysox—Wm H Conklin, M M Shores, A F Eddy.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.—W. E. CHILSON, Esq., of Troy, is a candidate for District Attorney, to be nominated by the Republican County Convention on the 8th of May.

COUNTY SURVEYOR.—J. J. NEWELL, Esq., of Orwell, is a candidate for County Surveyor, to be nominated by the Republican County Convention on the 8th of May.

SPECULATIONS are indulged in on all hands as to the effect on business in this country of the threatened European war. It seems not only odd, but unnatural, that *our* hope of prosperity should be built upon the ruin and devastation wrought by two hostile armies; and that, instead of building our business upon the substantial basis of merit, we should be placing all our hopes upon the prevalence abroad of war, pestilence or famine. The good that comes to this country from the injuries inflicted upon others can hardly be of substantial service to us.

THE MURPHY movement in Philadelphia has not only the characteristics of the work in Pittsburgh, but the same enthusiasm and success. The *Times* refers to it frequently, and it moves on grandly and triumphantly. We are confident that the movement will prove of lasting benefit. The attempt has been made to create the impression that the work was reacting, and it has been frequently announced that it is a failure in Philadelphia. Both assertions are incorrect.

THE New York *Times*, a warm friend of the President's Southern policy, charges WADE HAMPTON with an unscrupulous disregard of his pledges made to the President, in the demand which he has made upon the Republican State officers to surrender offices to which they were honestly and fairly elected. He promised the President not to disturb them until the Supreme Court has decided against them.

THE Massachusetts House of Representatives last week ordered to a third reading by a majority of twenty the prohibitory law passed in 1869 and repealed in 1875. The Prohibitionists say the success of the bill is assured. The new law is said to differ very little from the one repealed in 1875.

THE United States troops have been ordered to vacate New Orleans, and NICHOLLS is now the acknowledged Governor. Governor PACKARD, who was without doubt, the honest choice of the people, has withdrawn. Let us have peace.

IT is announced from Washington that the proclamation convening the special session will be issued this week.

GOLD closed in New York on Tuesday at 107¼, but railroad stocks have a downward tendency.

Gen. GRANT is spending a few days in Washington, prior to embarking for Europe.

FLOUR was quoted in the Buffalo market yesterday at from $8 to $12.25 per barrel.

The April statement of the condition of the crops has been completed at the Agricultural Department. The following is that portion referring to the wheat crop in the different counties of this State:

Lehigh—Wheat looks pale in some localities; badly winter killed. Rye appears remarkably well.
Cameron—Winter wheat and rye in good condition.
Delaware—Wheat and rye present an unusually healthful appearance.
Indiana—Wheat and rye promise unusually well. The most trying time on our winter grain is from the 20th of March to the 20th of April.
Perry—Plenty of wheat on the ground, but short. We are having weather now that may make a short crop.
Wyoming — Wheat and rye wintered good.
Clearfield—Wheat and rye looking well, as far as the snow will let us judge.
Clinton—Early, some fine; late wheat and rye, some backward and much injured by the winter.
Union—Wheat and rye, about two-thirds of a crop.
Cambria—Winter wheat, 25 per cent. better than last year.
Bradford—Wheat and rye in promising condition.
Cumberland—Comparative condition of wheat and rye good.
Westmoreland—Winter wheat and rye look good; blades brown, but roots appear uninjured.
Adams — Wheat is short, though healthy; some late.
Berks—Early, some winter grain suffered from Hessian fly; late, some healthy and promising.
Snyder—Great deal of winter wheat destroyed by the fly; what remains looks well. Rye about average.
Fulton—Wheat and rye stand well, and with favorable spring may have good crops, although some late.
Sullivan—Wheat and rye never better.
Chester—Wheat and rye in average condition.
York—Wheat and rye good with fine prospects.
Tioga—Wheat and rye looking first-rate.
Somerset—Wheat and rye in good condition.
Luzerne—Good, five per cent. above average.
Montgomery—The comparative condition of both good.
Monroe—Wheat and rye never looked better.
Juniata—Condition of wheat, 90.
Wayne—Not looking as well as last year.
Mifflin—Early, some wheat in good condition; late, does not look so well, but with favorable weather may make a good crop.
McKean—Injured by freezing.
Forest—Winter wheat and rye in excellent condition.
Dauphin—Winter grain in fair average condition.
Butler—Everything is backward; winter grain, however, looks encouraging.
Blair—In about average condition.
Armstrong—Look well; above average.
Columbia—Wheat looking good; rye same.
Warren—Very good.
Mercer—Good; much above the average.
Northumberland—Winter grain looks remarkably good.
Erie—Wheat and rye came out of the snow very fine.
Beaver—Never had a better appearance than this spring.
Montour—Wheat and rye a full average.
Lancaster—Looks well over the whole country.
Crawford—Wheat and rye in the very best condition.

JUDGE McDERMITT, of Mercer Co., has decided that the Stay Law is unconstitutional as far as it relates to cases in which an agreement to waive a stay of execution was made. The Judge says:

"The act, so far as it gives a stay of execution on contracts waiving it, is 'clearly, plainly and palpably' a violation of the 10th section of the first article of the Constitution of the United States, and of the 17th section of the first article of the Constitution of this State. Under these sections of said articles the Legislature is prohibited from passing an *expost facto* law impairing the obligations of a contract. We regard the cases of Billmeyer vs Evans, 4th Wright, 324, and Lewis vs Lewis, 11th Wright, 127, as directly in point. In the first of these, the Court *inter alia*, says: 'so when these defendants stipulated for twelve months credit and agreed that there should be no stay of execution beyond that limit, can the Legislature say there *shall* be a stay beyond that limit without impairing the obligation of the contract? How would it be possible more directly to impair a contract? What is it but setting aside the contract made by the parties, and substituting a different one for it? To say that a contract which waives a stay of execution is not impaired by a law which gives a stay, is to talk language which is unintelligible."

The Mercer *Dispatch* says that this decision, in effect, renders the new stay law almost wholly inoperative in that county, as in almost all cases judgments are entered on warrants of attorney authorizing confession of judgment and waiving exemption, inquisition and *stay of execution*. A bill of exceptions to the decision was filed, and the case will accordingly go to the Supreme Court.

SENATOR BLAINE has addressed a letter to the New York *Herald* in which he denies that he has held any communication with Governor CHAMBERLAIN, direct or indirect. He makes no concealment of his feelings, as the following extract from his letter will show:

"But I am sure that Gov. Chamberlain knows that he has the profoundest sympathy in the heroic tho' unsuccessful struggle he has made in South Carolina for civil liberty and constitutional government. I am equally sure that Gov. Packard feels that my heart and judgment are both with him in the contest he is still waging against great odds for the Governorship that he holds by a title as valid as that which justly and lawfully seated Rutherford B. Hayes in the Presidential chair. I trust also that both Governors know that the Boston press no more represents the stalwart Republican feeling of New England on the pending issues than the same press did when it demanded the enforcement of the Fugitive Slave Law in 1851."

NOTWITSTANDING the hard times, and the general cry for economy, the city of New York continues to spend a good deal of money one way and another for luxuries. Under this head the Board of Apportionment lately voted to issue bonds to the amount of $140,000 to push on the Museum of Natural History. Under a recent act of the Legislature the Board may yet vote a further $60,000 for the same purpose. This one instance demonstrates how silly it is to attempt retrenchment and reform while the power to create debt is left open and unobstructed. There can be no escape from ruinous taxation until the debt creating power is absolutely destroyed.

THE war between Russia and Turkey has already begun, at least the army of each nation is being marshaled, and there is little doubt that a prolonged, bloody struggle will be the result.

HOW THE DEMOCRATS DO THINGS IN THE SOUTH.

The Democracy on the face of the returns, carried the State of Alabama at the last August election by about 42,000 majority, the total Democratic vote being about 98,000 and that of the Republicans 56,000. The report submitted to the Senate from the Committee on Privileges and Elections, shows how this majority was gained. One of the plans was not to open the polls in what is called the "black belt" of the State, where the Republican majorities are large. This was extensively practised in nine counties; and that it might be done with impunity, the Democratic legislature of Alabama repealed the law making it a penal offense for inspectors of election not to open the polls at the time and place legally established. The report estimates that this failure to open the polls in certain districts involved a loss to the Republicans of not less than 20,000 votes. We give two specimens of a large number of counties, as suggesting how the Democrats obtained their overwhelming majority. Bullock county, according to the census of 1870, had 7,223 white people and 17,251 colored people. In 1872 the Republican majority in that county was 1,850, and about the same in 1874; but in the election of last August the Democrats had a majority of 2,300. Barbour county, with an actual majority of 1,700 Republicans, polled only 171 votes, while the Democrats had a majority of more than 3,000 votes. Numerous other counties present similar contrasts and changes. "The evidence," says the report, "shows that the Democrats of Alabama of every class were determined in their opposition to the exercise of sufferage by the Freedmen." The friends of equal rights will not and should not be quiet so long as the white people at the South perpertrate such enormous abuses upon the elective franchise. The Constitution guarantees a free vote, without any hindrance on account of "race color or previous condition of servitude." President HAYES is pledged to a policy which will guarantee the rights of all classes, and he will see that it is enforced.

EXTRAVAGANCE IN DRESS.

While we do not fully agree with the very prevalent notion that women are alone responsible for the ruinous extravagance in dress into which the country seems to have plunged, we believe there is much truth in the following remarks from the Philadelphia *Times*:

"Whatever mistakes the President may make, Mrs. Hayes undoubtedly deserves the thanks of every true woman for the stand which she has taken against extravagance in dress. She has carried to the White House the same quiet dignity and ladylike simplicity for which she was distinguished at home, and her dress on public occasions while invariably handsome and becoming the wife of the President, has also been invariably unostentatious. At the inauguration she wore merely rich black silk with real laces, and no jewels save the brooch at her throat. At the State dinner given by President and Mrs. Grant to Mr. and Mrs. Hayes, her dress was a cameo-tinted silk, high in the neck and trimmed with fringe and lace. She wore no jewels, and her thick brown hair was brushed plainly over her brow and fastened at the back with a tortoise shell comb. American women have become a proverb for extravagance among the nations of the earth, and even royal visitors to our shores have remarked upon the costliness of their garments. When Nellie Grant was married the description of her trosseau was brought to every farm house in the weekly mail, and the farmer's daughters strove vainly to copy in calico the reported pleatings and puffings which adorned her silks. Eugenie's laces, too extravagant in price to find a purchaser even among the crowned heads of Europe, have been brought to America for sale, and Worth and Pingat live in princely style upon revenues drawn from American pockets. Fathers expend upon the bridal outfits of their daughters sums which, invested in estate or bonds instead of silks and laces, would effectually secure them and their children from poverty. The infection has penetrated more or less into every home. Mothers sacrifice health and strength at the sewing machine in the struggle to keep their children beflounced and betacked with the best of their neighbors; the table is stinted for the means to buy flimsy silks; the dry goods bill becomes a terror to the household, and every now and then we read at our breakfast tables the story of some defalcation, the temptations to which was rooted in the desire for display. New York actresses spend no small portion of their large salaries on the costumes for their parts, and these superb dresses, intended to dazzle on the stage, are copied in drawing-rooms of private life.

It is high time for a new departure. The reform must be slow at best, but to insure success it can have no better starting point than in the White House. True, the wife of the President holds no higher rank than other women in America; but as the "first lady of the Republic" she is as "a city set upon a hill which cannot be hid." Let Mrs. Hayes continue the course which she has begun, seconded by the ladies around her, and we shall soon see the good effects of her example. Indeed, according to Washington correspondents, this is already shown in the simpler and more modest tone of society at the Capitol. We have no desire to lead a crusade against dress; nothing so improves personal appearance, and every woman has a right to make herself as attractive as possible. But the folly of overdressing has become a serious evil in the land, and reform could come no better time than now, in the present financial depression throughout the country, the general reduction of incomes and the consequent necessity for retrenchment. Mrs. Hayes is reported to have said to a lady the other day that she had some old-fashioned ways, but she did not think she would change them. For the sake of the country it is to be hoped that she never will.

STATE NEWS.

ROBBERIES by gypsies are frequent in Berks county.

POTATOES are two dollars a bushel at Scranton.

A NEW invention for puddling iron is being tested in Reading.

WORK has been resumed in the fire-brick works at Catasaqua.

THE State Sunday School Convention will meet in Harrisburg in June.

THE average attendance at the Reading schools is 384 greater than last year.

A FATAL disease has broken out among the cows in some portions of Bucks co.

THE Reading police take the corner loafers off the street and put them in the lock-up.

THE Farmers and Mechanics' Bank of Shippensburg will fix up its affairs at fifty cents on the dollar.

THE capital stock of the First National Bank of Hanover, York county, is to be increased to $300,000.

LAST week the steel-rail mill of the Lackawanna Iron and Coal Company rolled 6,173 rails.

THERE are now between thirty and forty millions of feet of logs in both booms at Williamsport.

HAZLETON well No. 3 at East Warren, in the oil regions, which was started three weeks ago, is now flowing plump 200 barrels.

GOVERNOR HARTRANFT and Attorney-General Lear are giving their attention to the unsigned acts passed by the Legislature.

THE rake factory at Columbia is again in operation, and the prospects are that it will be running to its full capacity in a short time.

COLONEL SAMUEL R. DICK'S residence, Meadville, was entered by burglars on Sunday and a quantity of silverware carried away.

THERE are six prisoners in the Schuylkill County Jail who have been sentenced to the penitentiary, but could not be received there for want of accommodations.

A MAN named Millichamp, of the firm of Millichamp Brothers, Buena Vista, was instantly killed the other day by being caught in some machinery of his mill.

J. C. COON, ex-Auditor of Luzerne county, convicted of stealing public funds, has been sentenced to pay a fine of $6,400 and be imprisoned for two years and two months.

THIRTY-THREE surviving members celebrated in Reading on Monday night the sixteenth anniversary of the Ringgold Light Artillery's departure for the seat of war.

THE nineteenth regular session of the Northwestern District Convention, I. O. G. T., of Pennsylvania, will convene, pursuant to adjournment, in Titusville, on Tuesday, May 15.

A DELEGATION of Indiana county farmers lately went to West Virginia for the purpose of looking up a locality to which to emigrate. They returned better satisfied with Pennsylvania.

COUNSEL for tax-payers of Wayne county caution all persons against purchasing bonds of the county, issued by the Commissioners in payment of the new Court House now being built.

SOME time ago in Reading, on a dark night when the street lamps were not burning, Mr. Dechert walked into the river and was drowned. His widow now sues the city for $5,000, which is cheap enough for almost any kind of a husband.

ROBERT GIBSON, of Landisburg, Perry county, was appointed Justice of the Peace by Governor Wolfe, in 1832, and has continued in the office by appointment and election uninterruptedly ever since. This beats Tioga county.

SOME of the Lancaster brickmakers have been on a strike for higher wages. Moulders have been receiving from $1.40 to $1.75 per day, wheelers from $1 to $1.15 and off-bearers (generally miners) from 50 to 60 cents.

THE works of the Lehigh Zinc Company, at Bethlehem, are running night and day on New Jersey ores. Last year this company filled an order from Germany for 500,000 pounds of spelter and is going to ship 300,000 pounds more.

JAMES MAHON, a notorious criminal of Pittston, broke jail a few days ago, but was re-captured. The Wilkes-Barre *Daily* says he has indictments enough against him to give him two life-times in the penitentiary.

THE city of Philadelphia has instituted suit in Centre county against Smith, Rhoads & Smith, for the possession of a large tract of land in Burnside township, in that county. Some of the best legal talent in the State is employed on each side.

A PITTSTON debtor, wishing to take the benefit of the new stay law, made oath that he was a freeholder and was admitted as his own security on his bond for double the amount of the debt. It then transpired that his real estate consisted of a $30 lot in the cemetery.

MARY MASTERSON, 7 years old, who resided with her grandmother in Philadelphia, was abducted by an old woman, giving her name as Fannie Brown, on the 11th inst., and neither the child's friends nor the police have been successful in ascertaining the whereabouts of the abductor or little Mary.

LUMBER shipments from Lock Haven last week amounted to 1,473,000 feet. The *Republican* says that but little will be done in the manufacture of lumber this season, and many men who have heretofore depended on the mills for support will be compelled to turn their attention to some other branch of industry in order to obtain a livelihood.

MR. A. M. WELLS, editor and former proprietor of the *Examiner*, died at his residence, in this place, on Friday evening last. Mr. Wells had been ailing for several years, and the bad weather of the past spring, it is thought, hastened his death. He was taken to Clifford for burial.—*Nicholson Item.*

IN the case of Thomas Campbell, who was to have been hung on Tuesday last for the murder of Michael McNulty, a writ of error was granted and reached Wilkes-Barre in time to stop the execution. The case will be argued before the Supreme Court the first Monday in May.

A YOUNG man named Harrison Litts was struck on the head with a stone, when coming out of church at Kingston Hollow, Luzerne county, on Tuesday evening of last week, and died soon afterwards from the effects of the blow. Four persons have already been arrested, charged with complicity in the murder, and the police are in pursuit of others.

CONSIDERABLE anxiety has already been manifested by the tillers of the soil in Berks county in regard to the reappearance of the potato-bug, which has been a source of annoyance and cause of short crops for the past few years. Some contend that the "Colorado beetle" has gone towards the Atlantic coast and will not trouble the farmers this season, while others aver that they will be as plenty as ever. Several live bugs have already been dug up this spring.

A Wonderful Discovery.—Our numerous exchanges are filled with accounts of most wonderful cures effected by DR. GAGE'S "MEDICAL WONDER." It is said to be the greatest vitalizer yet discovered, giving buoyancy to the spirits, elasticity to the step, and making the invalid hearty, courageous and strong. It cures all diseases of the Liver, Stomach, Kidneys and Spine; Scrofula and all Blood Diseases; cures Nervous Prostration and Weakness of either sex, restoring Tone and Vigor to the whole system. Read the following cures:

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One lot of land situate in Pike twp, and bounded on the north by lands of O R Cogswell, on the east by lands of J W Beers and the public highway, on the south by lands of Jno Alderson and A C Pratt, and on the west by lands of A C Pratt and the public highway, containing 60 acres of land more or less, about 45 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, and orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of John Alderson, Jr, vs John W Alderson.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Burlington twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Royal Morton and R S Lane, on the east by lands of T and J Gilfoile and Dennis Flynn, on the south by lands of M Travers, and on the west by lot No. 2, E Kendall and M Traverse, containing 100 acres of land more or less, about 80 acres improved, with 1 framed house and 2 framed barns thereon.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Burlington twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Elan Kendall, on the east by Lot No. 1, on the south by lands of M Travers, and on the west by the public highway, containing 48 acres of land more or less, all improved, with 1 framed house, 2 framed barns and orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of W A Lane vs P P Burns.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Tuscarora twp, and bounded on the north by lands of R F Rugg and Wm Peet, on the east by lands of Samuel Tewksbury, on the south by lands in possession of Samuel Tewksbury and Owen McCrossen, and on the west by lands of S B Kinney, containing 82 acres of land more or less; no improvements and no buildings.

ALSO—Lot No. 2—situate in Tuscarora twp, and bounded on the north by lands of C C Benninger, on the east by lands of Milner C Tubbs and Wm S Green, on the south by lands now in possession of Samuel Tewksbury, and on the west by lands of Wm Peet, containing 60 acres of land more or less, about 3 acres improved, with one board house thereon.

ALSO—Lot No. 3—Situate in Tuscarora twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Griffin Ackley, on the east by lands of Charles Howland, on the south by lands of Vincent Owens, and on the west by lands of Hiram Taylor, containing 75 acres of land more or less; no improvements and no buildings.

ALSO—Lot No. 4—Situate in Tuscarora twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Regina Stevens, Waltman and Wear, Myron Stevens estate, lands in possession of Elmer Green, Nathan Strickland, James Sharer, Rufus Potter and Wm H Cooper, on the east by lands of Avery Pickett, lands lately owned by Wm Huntsinger, lands of Rufus Potter Almon Pickett, Judson Sturdevant, Wm H Cooper, and Theodore Silvara, on the south by lands of Judson Sturdevant, Oliver Warner, A J Silvara, T B Lyon, Charles Howland, C H and D Donovan and Guy Titus, and on the west by lands of Griffin Ackley, C H and D Donovan, Joshua Palmer, Waltman and Wear, Regina Stevens, Myron Stevens estate, containing 1,074 acres of land more or less, about 40 acres improved, with 2 plank houses, 1 log house, 2 plank shanties, 1 board barn, and a few fruit trees thereon.

ALSO—Lot No. 5—Situate in Tuscarora twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Judson Stevens and Amy Reynolds, on the east by lands of Charles Parker and Abel Miller, on the south by lands of Dimmock Black and others, and on the west by lands of Alfred Ackley and Alonzo Rockwell, containing 240 acres of land more or less, about 30 acres improved, with 1 steam saw mill and all machinery and mill fixtures, including edge, cut-off saws and lath mills, 3 framed houses, 1 log house, 2 framed barns, 1 blacksmith shop and orchard of fruit trees thereon; also 3 board shanties and 1 store house thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Stark, Miller & Dewitt vs A Waltman. Also at suit of same vs same.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in West Burlington twp, and bounded on the north by lands of James Foulk and Thomas Blackwell, on the east by lands of Stephen Stiles and Thomas Blackwell, on the south by Sugar Creek and lands of Wilber Gamage, and on the west by lands of Thomas Blackwell and Oliver Blackwell, containing 200 acres of land more or less, about 150 acres improved, with 2 framed houses, 3 framed barns with sheds attached, and 3 orchards of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of E Pomeroy's use vs B A Pratt and Ed. E. Loomis.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Monroe twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a birch on the bank of Towanda Creek; thence south 86°, east along the line of Timothy Alden's land, now occupied by S W Alden 136 perches to a post; thence south 15°, west 42 per to a post on the line of land of Hiram Sweet; thence by the same north 84°, west 196 per to the bank of the main branch of the Towanda creek; thence down said creek 42 per to the place of beginning; containing 61 acres and 60 perches of land more or less.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Monroe twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post on the west side of the above described lot; thence north 15°, east 24 perches to a stump; thence south 77½°, east 58 per to a stone corner; thence north 12½°, west 10 per to a post; thence east 153 7-10 per to a post; thence west 35°, west 37 5-10 per to a post; thence west 195 5-10 to the place of beginning; containing 39 acres and 78 perches of land more or less. The two pieces above described containing together 99 acres and 138 per of land more or less, about 80 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, 1 framed wagon house, corn house, and orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Chas Perrigo & Co vs Wm W Decker.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Tuscarora twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a boxwood corner adjoining land owned and occupied by John Taylor; thence south 55°, east 22 per to a post and stones; thence south 32°, per to a hemlock; thence south 55°, west 213 per to a hemlock; thence south 4°, west 71 per to a place of beginning, containing 101 acres and 68 per of land more or less, about 75 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn and sheds, and few fruit trees thereon.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Tuscarora twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post on the public road near a house now owned by Geo Taylor; thence north 4°, west 162 per to a post; thence south 4°, west 107 rods to a hemlock sapling; thence south 85°, east 114 rods to a hemlock; thence north 52°, west 128 rods to a post; thence north 27°, west 53 rods to the place of beginning, containing 104 acres and 66 per of land more or less, with a restriction of 21 acres, conveyed by E C Welles to Ferris Ackley, about 70 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, and few fruit trees thereon.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Tuscarora twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a hemlock on a corner of the Barn Hill and Hoit lot; thence south 1½°, west 121 per to a post; thence north 89½°, west 124 per to a corner; thence north 2½°, east 124 per; thence south 89½°, east 69 per to the place of beginning, containing 53½ acres of land more or less. Being the same land conveyed to the said Hiram Taylor by Levi Wells and wife by deed dated Aug 31, A D, 1875, and recorded in the office for recording deeds, etc, in and for said county of Bradford in Deed Book No 123, page 148, etc, about 20 acres improved; no buildings. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of C Elsbree, Guardian use and Benjamin Kuykendall vs Hiram Taylor.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Athens boro, bounded and described as follows: Commencing in the centre of Thomas st at a point [illegible] thence easterly at right angles with said street 180 feet to a corner; thence northerly and parallel with said Thomas st 412½ feet to a corner; thence westerly at right angles with said Thomas st 180 ft to the centre of said street; thence southerly along the centre of said street 412½ feet to the place of beginning, with 1 steam planing mill with all the fixtures and machinery belonging thereto, 1 stable, 1 storehouse and other outbuildings thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Howard Lumber vs S B Ross.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Armenia twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Willard Rundell, on the east by lands of Orrin Field, on the south by lands of Richard Rockwell, and on the west by lands of Jacob Rockwell, containing 50 acres of land more or less.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Armenia twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Willard Rundell, on the east by lands of A J Axtell, on the south by other lands of Timothy Fellon, (the above described lot), and on the west by lands of Willard Rundell, containing 20 acres of land more or less, and both of said pieces containing 70 acres of land more or less, about 40 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, and a few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Chas A Crise vs Timothy Fellon.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Litchfield twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a pile of stones, and a maple sapling the northeast corner of Henry A Miller's land; thence by the same north as originally run 176 6-10 per to a post and stones for a corner; thence by land of said Miller and John Knyder, east as originally run 63 per to a post for a corner; thence by land of or now in possession of Jonathan Hadlock and others, south as originally run 92 8-10 per to a post for a corner; thence west as originally run 8 9-10 per to a post for a corner; thence south as originally run 45 1-10 per to a post and stones in the west line of Wm Parks' lot; thence north 82° and 11' west, 54 9-10 per to the place of beginning; containing 50 acres of land more or less, about 40 acres improved.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Litchfield twp, and bounded on the north by lands now in possession of B F Johnson, on the east by lands of A D Munn, Hascon Munn, and Mrs A Rogers, on the south by lands of A D Munn and Mathewson estate, and on the west by lands of the Mathewson estate, containing about 25 acres of land more or less, all improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn and orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Waverly National Bank to use of A D Munn vs John McKean.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Rome twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of S L Barnes' lot at a stake and stones; thence west along the line of S L Barnes' 95 per to a corner in Race Brook; thence north along the line of F Young 41 rods and 11 ft to a corner and range of stone wall and line of Chas B Brown; thence east along the line of said Brown 95 per to a corner in the line of John Vought; thence south along the line of John Vought 41 rods and 11 ft to the corner of S L Barnes and place of beginning; containing 25 acres of land more or less, about 20 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, and a few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of James McGregor vs Martha A McGregor.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in South Creek twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Samuel Fassett, on the east by a road leading from New York State line to Dunnings, on the south by lands of Seymore Smith and A Fassett, and on the west by lands of Geo Dunham, containing 55 acres of land more or less, about 10 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, 1 wagon shop and other outbuildings, and orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of G W Brink vs J A VanWert.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Towanda boro, and bounded on the north by lands of Mrs. Caroline Esseuwine, on the east by Main st, on the south by lands of the Towanda Eureka Mower Co, and on the west by an alley, being about 25 ft front on said Main st, and 147 feet deep, with 1 two-story brick building with a basement, and also a frame addition and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Wm Bolan vs Michael Pyne.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Pike twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the west corner of a school house lot lately deeded by Wm Brink to the School Directors of Pike twp, on the road leading from LeRaysville to Prattville; thence along said road westerly 66 rods to a line of lands formerly owned by Jesse Gregory; thence northerly along said line 123 rods to a corner of Wm Davis land; thence east along lands of said Davis and Platt Wood 72 rods to the highway; thence south along the last mentioned highway 116 rods, and 6½ ft to the north corner of said school house lot; thence along said school house lot west 6 rods to a corner; thence south along said school house lot 6 rods and 10 ft to the first mentioned highway, the place of beginning; containing 54 acres of land more or less, about all improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, and orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Philip P Sharpless, ex'r of the estate of Sarah Carmalt, dec'd, vs Henry Jones.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Wyalusing twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Almon Fuller and Christopher Wood, on the east by lands of Dudley Camp, L B Camp and the public highway leading from Herrickville to Wyalusing, on the south by lands of Almon Fuller, Duman Lewis, and Geo N Atwood, and west by lands of Calvin Camp, containing 140 acres of land more or less, about 55 acres improved, with 1 framed barn, and an orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of H W Camp vs Wm Camp, Jr. Also at the suit of C S Lafferty's use vs Wm Camp, Jr. Also at the suit of S D Fraser & Co vs Wm Camp, Jr.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in West Burlington twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Ransom Cutler, on the east by lands of Nathan Decker, on the south by lands of Allen Henry, and on the west by lands of Stephen Stiles, containing 50 acres of land more or less, about 30 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 board barn, and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Pomeroy Bros vs Daniel Perry and G Perry.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Warren twp, and bounded on the north by the public highway, on the east by lands of Daniel King, on the south and west by lands of Miles Prince, containing 60 acres of land more or less, about 50 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Myron Prince vs Michael Megetrick.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Athens boro, and bounded on the north by lands of J Leroy Corbin, on the east by lands of Ann Bunnel, on the south by North st, and on the west by the Universalist Church lot, being about 80 feet front on said North st by about 165 ft deep, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Ann Bunnell's use vs Michael Walsh.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Wyalusing twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the center of the Camp road; thence north along lands of Hiram Washburn 1½°, east 43 per to a post and stones for a corner; thence along lands of Thomas McCrassen, east 15 per to a black oak corner; thence along land of A S Coleman's estate, south 1½°, west 48 per to centre of the Camp road; thence along the centre of the aforesaid Camp road, west 17 per to the place of beginning; containing 4¾ acres of land more or less; all improved; no buildings. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Geo C Atwood vs Griffin Magee.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Franklin twp, and bounded on the north by lands of John Smiley, on the east by the public highway leading from West Franklin to Granville Center, on the south by lands of Leonard Morse, Festus Fairchild, John Packard, and Cranmer and Kelly, on the west by lands of Mrs Pepper, containing 35 acres of land more or less, about all improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, and a few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Nelson Gilbert's use vs Ira Morse, terra tenant.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Monroe twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Dwight Dodge, James Mainard, Wm Irvine, on the east by lands of Elias Park, on the south by lands of Chester Northrop and Anthony Johnson, and on the west by lands of Wm Kellogg, containing 150 acres of land more or less; no improvements.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Monroe twp, and bounded on the north by lands of John Bristol and James Ellis, on the east by lands of Moses Johnson and tract of land in warrantee name of James Wilson, on the south by lands of Wm Wilson and Benj Young, and on the west by lands of E Johnson and Jno Bristol, containing 350 acres of land more or less, about 3 acres improved, with 1 log house thereon.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Monroe twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Wm Kellogg, on the east by lands of Chester Northrop, on the south by lands of Jas Ridgeway, and on the west by lands of Wm and Clarissa Kellogg, containing 250 acres of land more or less, about 50 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, 1 horse barn, 1 saw-mill, and all mill fixtures belonging to same, 2 old framed buildings and orchard of fruit trees thereon, excepting and reserving therefrom about ½ an acre of land used for a school house lot and cemetery. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of J D Kirby's use vs E C Kellogg.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Burlington twp, and bounded on the north by Sugar Creek and lands of S M Dickerman, on the east by the Berwick turnpike and lands of Frank Melville, on the south by lands of Lyman Wright and Hollister Compton, and on the west by lands of S M Dickerman, containing 75 acres of land more or less, about 30 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 shanty, and few fruit trees thereon, excepting and reserving therefrom about 1 acre on the northeast corner of said lot sold to S W Miller for a tannery lot. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of C E Campbell's use vs J O and A T Wheat.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Herrick twp, and bounded on the north by lands of P S Squires, and David Armstrong, on the east by lands of Wm Hills, P A Lee and Henry Blocher, on the south by lands of John Nesbit, and on the west by lands of John Lafferty and P S Squires, containing 54 acres of land more or less, about 65 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn and shed attached, other outbuildings and orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Wm Hills vs David Nesbit.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Canton boro and bounded on the north by Mill creek, on the east by lands of ——— Dunham, on the south by Union st, and on the west by lands of Mrs W H Smith, containing about ½ acre of land more or less, all improved, with 1 frame house, 1 framed barn, and other outbuildings, and a few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Wm Taber vs W W Smith.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Towanda twp, bounded and described as follows: At the northeast of a lot contracted to Wallace Sweet; thence south 89°, east 65 rods to a post; thence south 14 rods; thence north 89°, west 28½ rods or thereabouts to a cor on the main road; thence along said main road 12½ rods to the place of beginning; containing 4¼ acres of land more or less, about 2 improved, with a small house and a few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Samuel Vanderpool vs Doctor Jeems.

ALSO—One other lot situate in Tuscarora twp, bounded on the north by lands of Jeremiah Ruger, east by lands of Oliver Warner, south by lands of Martha McClee, and west by lands of Morris Lane; containing 17½ acres of land more or less, about all improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of John Wilber vs Jas Wilber.

ALSO—One other lot situate in Rome twp, bounded on the north by lands of George Struble and John Struble, east by public highway, south by lands of Washington Towner and Harriet Barnes, and west by lands of Charles Forbes and Luther Cole; containing 46 acres and 160 perches of land, more or less, all improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn with shed attached, and few fruit trees thereon.

ALSO—One other lot situate in Rome twp, bounded on the north by lands of South Forbes, east by lands of Harriet Barnes, south by public highway, and west by lands of Harriet Barnes; containing 4¼ acres of land, more or less; all improvements. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of J W Woodburn to the use of H S Parks vs Geo Struble. Also at suit of H S Parks vs George Struble.

ALSO—One other lot situate in Overton twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a hemlock tree the northeast corner of a lot of land in possession of Daniel O'Neal; thence north 29°, west 25 rods to a post and stones; thence by land of A Jackson's lot; thence by said Jackson's lot south 55°, east 136 rods to a post a cor of J H Richards lot; thence by the same south [illegible] rods to a post the northwest cor of said Richards lot; thence by the Richards & VanDyke land south 53°, east 197 rods to a post; thence by VanDyke lands south 52° west 54 rods to a Chestnut cor; thence south 53° east 64 rods to a post; thence by lands of J VanDyke and other lands south 52° west 224 rods to a beech sapling on the line of lands of J McGovern; thence by the same north 58° west 24 rods to a maple stump on the south line of A Bramin land; thence by the same north 52° 122 rods to a Chestnut for a corner; thence by lands of A Bramin and lands in possession of Daniel O'Neal north 58° west 362 rods to the place of beginning; containing 425 acres and 33 per of land more or less, about 180 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 log house, 2 framed barns and a few fruit trees thereon. Excepting and reserving therefrom all the hemlock bark on said tract as per agreement between Manville & [illegible] and Satterlee & Dewitt, recorded in deed book No 58, page 85, &c; the quantity of bark to be cut or peeled by them is limited not to exceed 600 cords in the year 1873, and 500 cords in any year thereafter. Being the same piece of land conveyed to A & T Waltman by Satterlee & Russell by deed dated Feb 17, 1873, and recorded in the office for recording deeds, &c in and for Bradford county in Deed Book No 117, at page 61, &c. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Stark, Miller and Dewitt vs Thomas Waltman and A Waltman.

ALSO—One other lot situate in Canton twp, bounded on the north by lot No 5, east by Troyst, south by lot No 3, and west by lot No 9; containing 1 acre of land, more or less, all improved, with a board house and few fruit trees thereon.

ALSO—Lot No 5 in said township of Canton, bounded on the north by lands of H M Goff, east by Troyst, south by lot No 4, and west by William Goff; containing 1 acre of land, more or less, all improved.

ALSO—Lots No 6 and 7 (the north part of lots No 9, 10, 11 and 12), situate in said township of Canton, bounded on the north by lands of F S Elliott and lot No 8, east by lots No 8 and 5, south by lots No 5, 9, 10, 11 and 12, and west by lot No 13; containing 8 acres of land, more or less, all improved, with a framed house, framed barn, and few fruit trees thereon.

ALSO—Lot No 10, situate in said township of Canton, bounded on the north by land of Ephraim Case, east by lot No 13; south by public highway, and west by Cherebee Goff; containing 5 acres of land, more or less, all improved.

ALSO—The south half of lot No 12, situate in said township of Canton, bounded on the north by land of H M Goff, east by lot No 13, south by lands of Martin Lynch, and west by lot No 13; containing 3 acres of land, more or less, all improved; no buildings.

ALSO—The south half of lot No 11, situate in the township of Canton, bounded on the north by land of H M Goff, east by lot No 10, south by land of E R Colwell and Martin Lynch, and west by land of Martin Lynch and lot No 12; containing 3 acres of land, more or less, all improved; no buildings.

ALSO—The south half of lot No 10, situate in the township of Canton, bounded on the north by lands of H M Goff, east by lot No 9, south by E R Rockwell, and west by lot No 11; containing 3 acres of land, more or less, all improved; no buildings.

ALSO—Lot No 9, situate in the said township of Canton, bounded on the north by lands of H M Goff, east by lands of Widow Newell and lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, south by land of E R Rockwell, and west by lot 10; containing 5 acres of land, more or less, all improved, with a board house and framed barn thereon. All of said lots being more fully described in the Bailey and Van Namee survey and plot of same. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Pomeroy Bros vs John W Bailey and Nicholas VanNamee.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Monroe twp, bounded on the north by lands of H W Patrick, east by lands of E C Kellogg, south by lands of H W Patrick, and west by lands of George Edsall and Jerry Blackman; containing 100 acres of land, more or less; no improvements. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of R S Hakes' use vs Franklin C Sweet.

ALSO—One other lot situate in Windham twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake on the west side of the public road cor of P Maloney; thence along line of same east 114 per to a pile of stones; thence south 45½° east 54 per to a pile of stone; thence north 47½° west 6 6-10 per to an ironwood; thence south 8 6-10 per to a post and stones; thence west 297 2-10 per to centre of public road; thence north along centre of said road to an angle on the northwest side of the road; thence by the northwest side of said road north 42½ east 25 per to an angle in said road; thence by the side of said road north 67½° east 41 per to the place of beginning; containing 81 acres and 89 per of land, more or less, about 45 improved, with 1 framed barn, 1 framed shop, and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of U V Faulkner's use vs Wm J Fustbrook. Also at suit of same vs same. Also at suit of same vs same.

ALSO—One other lot, situate in Monroe twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone cor on the north side of a road leading from the first bridge on the main bank of the Towanda Creek, above Greenwood Cottage in said twp, to the Berwick Turnpike; thence north 46° east 56 6-10 per to a post; thence along other lands of the said David Mason south 29° east 139 per to a post on the north bank of the Towanda Creek; thence up said Creek north 85½° west 21 per to a cor near the centre of a road leading from said Towanda Creek near Hawlie's Top Factory to the road first above mentioned; thence north 45°, west 45 per; thence north 19½° west 16 2-10 per; thence north ½° west 15 2-10 per; thence north 41° west 12 per; thence north 55½° west 11 per; thence north 44° west 12 6-10 per to the place of beginning; containing 22 acres, strict measure, with 1 framed house and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of J H Schrader vs Scepter Brown. Also at suit of J H Schrader's use vs Scepter Brown. Also at suit of P L Ward's use vs E Miller and Scepter Brown.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Canton twp, and bounded on the north by lands formerly owned by Addison Beals, on the east by Mill creek and the public highway, on the south by the Bradford and Lycoming County lines, and on the west by lands of Jennie Parsons, containing 50 acres of land more or less, about 40 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, and an orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Durk, Thomas & Co vs T J Beals.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Canton twp, and bounded on the north by lands of John Turbutt, on the east by lands of Daniel Webster and Mrs Josiah Carr, on the south by lands of Daniel Webster and the estate of John B Jones, and on the west by lands of the estate of John B Jones and the public highway, containing 76 acres of land, more or less, 70 acres improved, with 2 framed houses, 2 framed barns, and 2 orchards of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Thomas Kinsley vs Michael Kinsley.

ALSO—One other lot, situate in Overton twp, bounded on the north and east by lands of Wilson Streevy, south by lands of Henry Heichemer, and west by public highway; containing ¾ an acre of land, more or less, all improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed stable, and few fruit trees thereon.

ALSO—One other lot, situate in Overton twp, bounded on the north by public highway, east and south by lands of Francis Osterhout, and west by lands of Henry Sherman; containing 5 acres of land, more or less, all improved, with 1 framed house, 1 board shanty, and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at suit of Angeline Hottenstein vs Martin Heichemer.

ALSO—One other lot, situate in Towanda Boro', described as follows: Beginning on the north side of Pine st at the south cor of public school lot; thence southerly 98 9-12 ft to a cor of a lot formerly belonging to H L Scott, now of Mrs Keene; thence southerly along line of same and parallel with first described line 98 9-12 ft to Pine st 51 ft to the place of beginning, with a framed dwelling house and a 3-story brick and framed wagon and blacksmith shop thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of The Mutual Building and Saving Fund Association of Towanda vs Henry Buken.

ALSO—One other lot situate in Wyalusing twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a cor of lot No 13 on the northwest side of Second st; thence north 34° west 7 per to a cor; thence south 56° west 10 per to a cor of lot No 10; thence south 34° east 7 per to a cor on northwest side of Second st; thence on the line of said street north 54° east 10 per to place of beginning; containing 70 perches of land, more or less, all improved; no buildings. Being lots Nos 11 and 12 in Town Plot. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Millen Homer's use vs Mary E Elliott and J M Elliott.

ALSO—One other lot, situate in Tuscarora twp, bounded on the north by public highway, east by lands of Isaac Ruger and James McCloe, south by the estate of Dimmock Vose and Abram Stark, and west by lands of David Edinger and Edward McCloe; containing 100 acres of land, more or less, about 50 improved, with 2 board houses, 1 barn and orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Allen Jayne vs Lewis Ruger and Wm Ruger, T T.

ALSO—One other lot, situate in LeRaysville boro', bounded on the north by lands of Widow Ashton, east by lands of Noble Canfield, south by Orange st, and west by Main st; containing 5 acres of land, more or less, all improved, with 1 board shanty thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Samuel Buck vs T H Bassett.

ALSO—One other lot, situate in Sheshequin twp, bounded on the west and north by lands of Ralph Gore, east by lands of Edward Arnold, south by public highway leading from Sheshequin to Rome; containing ½ of an acre of land, more or less, all improved, with 1 2-story framed house and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken in execution at the suit of R K Hulett vs Asa French.

ALSO—One other lot, situate in Sheshequin twp, bounded on the north by lands of the estate of John Brink, dec'd, east and south by lands of Obediah Gore, and west by public highway leading from Towanda to Waverly; containing ½ an acre of land, more or less, all improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed shop, and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of The Athens Building and Loan Association of Athens Township vs S R Hill and Betsey E Hill.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Tuscarora twp, and bounded on the north by lands of Jas Sharer, on the east by lands of Wm Whitney and Almon Pickett, on the south by lands of A Waltman, and on the west by lands of Avery Pickett, containing 72 acres of land more or less, about 50 acres improved, with 1 log house, 1 log barn, and orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Geo G Atwood vs Rufus Potter.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Tuscarora twp, and bounded on the north by the public highway, on the east by the public highway leading to Skinner's Eddy, on the south by lands of B P Raub and A J Silvara, and on the west by the mill race leading to the Quigley grist mill; containing 1 acre of land more or less, all improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, 1 blacksmith shop, and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of C H Roberts' use vs Wm H Holdren.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Wilmot twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone heap corner of land now or late of Edward Macks; thence by the same north 2½°, east 212 per to a small standing hemlock corner in a marsh; thence south 87½°, east 59 per to a stone heap the northwestern corner of land now or late of David Whippler; thence by the same south 2½°, west 212 per to a stone heap in warrant line; thence by the same north 87½°, west 59 per to the place of beginning, being part of a tract surveyed in warrant name of Lucy Sterling and set off to Sarah H Butler upon partition of the estate of Martha Hollenback, dec'd, containing 106 acres of land more or less, about 40 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, 1 blacksmith shop, and an orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Nathaniel Rutter, et al, vs Chas Whipple.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Litchfield twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of a lot now or late of Ira B Park, at a post for a corner; thence east on the north line of lot now or late of said Park 84 per to the west line of lot now or late of Isaac Baldwin for a corner; thence north 164 per to a maple for a corner; thence west on line of lot now or late of Daniel Reaser; thence west on said line 83 per to a post; thence south 164 per to the place of beginning; containing 84 acres and 15 per of land more or less; except of all the minerals that may be found upon the said premises.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Litchfield twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone in a lot now or formerly belonging to Daniel Reaser; thence south 25 4-10 rods along the east line of land now or late of W H Green to a post; thence east 63 rods to a post; thence north 25 4-10 rods to a cor on the south line of the above described lot; thence west 63 rods along said line and south line of land now or late of J Hadlock; containing 10 acres of land more or less, except of all the minerals that may be found upon the said premises, and subject also to the right of J Hadlock to secure as set forth in a contract dated Feb 25, 1867. The two lots above described containing together 95 acres and 18 per of land more or less, about 75 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, with sheds attached, other outbuildings, and 2 orchards of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Rachael VanDyke vs John M Myer.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Windham twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the most northeasterly corner; thence north 87½°, west 73 2-10 per; thence south 1½°, west 59 per to the centre of the Grifford road (so called); thence north 88°, west 30 3-10 per; thence south 32°, west 50 5-10 per to a hemlock stake in the centre of said road; thence north 1¼°, east 25 per; thence north 6°, east 6 per; thence north 45° 2-10 per; thence east 75 per; thence north 4 1-2°, east 53 per to the centre of the Holmes road (so called); thence by the centre of the road northeasterly 57 per to the centre of the road which leads from Doane's settlement to James Wheelhouse; thence north with said last mentioned road to the place of beginning; containing 106 acres of land more or less, about 75 acres improved, with 1 framed house and framed barn, and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of N A Graham vs Jacob Swarts.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Sheshequin twp, and bounded on the north by lands of H O Ayer, on the east by lands of Ralph Gore, on the south by lands of Ralph Gore, and on the west by the public highway, containing ¼ an acre of land more or less, all improved, with steam grist mill, and all mill fixtures belonging thereto. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of John A Codding vs F S Ayer.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Litchfield twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at stone 1st northeast corner; thence along its north line to John Flitter's lands; thence north along Flitter's line to lands of Wright Snyder; thence along lands of said Snyder and Allen Stanton southeast corner; thence southerly to stone at corner the place of beginning, containing about 57 acres of land more or less, about 15 acres improved, with 1 framed house, 1 log barn, and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Hyman VanDuzer vs Hyman D and Elijah Wolcott.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Wyalusing twp, and bounded on the north by an alley way, on the east by lands of Homer Camp, on the south by the centre of the Wyalusing creek, and on the west by lands of the Wyoming Insurance Co, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa, containing ¾ an acre of land more or less, all improved, with 1 large two-story brick dwelling house with a wooden addition, outbuildings and few fruit trees thereon.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Wyalusing twp, and bounded on the north by lands of F D Nichols, on the east by lands of Homer Camp, on the south by an alley way, and on the west by the public highway leading from Herrickville to Wyalusing, containing 1 acre of land more or less, all improved, with 1 framed barn thereon.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Tuscarora twp, and bounded on the north by lands of J J Culver and Cynthia M Allison, on the east by the public highway, called county line road, on the south by lands of Jere Hall and T H Hall's estate, and on the west by lands of Wm Pallce and E I Marker, containing 45 acres of land more or less, about 30 acres improved, with a few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of A J Silvara vs W S Hall.

ALSO—One other lot of land situate in Towanda boro, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of a lot owned by Jno Laggan, situated on the west side of the extention of Bridge st, and extending along said Laggan's south line 150 feet to a corner; thence southwardly along lands of E J Griffith and W Patton 40 ft to a corner; thence eastwardly along line of said Griffith's lot 150 ft to a corner of Bridge st, aforesaid; thence along said Bridge st 40 ft to the place of beginning, with 1 framed house and few fruit and ornamental trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Mrs H A Scott's use vs Mrs Alma A Hill.

ALSO—One other lot, situate in Litchfield twp, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southeast cor of the farm formerly owned by Cyrus Merrell; thence north 2° east, on the east line of said Merrell's farm 101 rods to the northeast cor of said Merrill; thence north 88° west on the west line of said Merrill farm 24 rods to the southeast cor of a lot recently conveyed to Hosea Baldwin by Alsop Baldwin and wife; thence north 2° east 85 rods to another cor of said I P Baldwin; thence south 88° east 74 rods to the land of Alfred Hicks' farm; thence south 2° west along said Hicks' and S Evans' west lines 131 rods to a hemlock sapling for a cor; thence south 88° east 25 rods to a hemlock tree for a cor; thence south 2° west 25 rods to a post for a cor; thence north 88° west 79 rods the place of beginning; containing 63 acres and 55 per of land more or less, about 45 improved, with 1 framed house, 1 framed barn, 1 saw mill and orchard of fruit trees thereon. Reserving therefrom a lot now or recently occupied by B B Keeler; conveyed to said Keeler by Alsop Baldwin and wife by deed dated Sept 25, 1855, and containing 24½-160 rods of land, more or less. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of James S Legget and Howard Elmer, executors of Mary C Legget, dec'd, use of B W VanDuzer, vs Alsop Baldwin.

ANDREW J. LAYTON, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, April 12, 1877.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that all persons indebted to the estate of Olive Blandin, late of Orwell, dec'd, must make immediate payment to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against said estate must present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

P. E. WOODRUFF, Administrator.

April 12-6w.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to the estate of Dr. H. C. Porter, dec'd, late of Towanda Boro', Bradford County, must make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate must present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

ELIZA E. PORTER, Administratrix.

April 5, 1877-w6.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to the estate of Geo. W. Kellogg, late of Monroe twp, dec'd, must make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate must present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

BENJAMIN HAYTHORNE, Administrator.

April 19, '77.