

Arrival of the Steamer Africa.

HALIFAX, Jan. 30th.—The chief news of interest centers in the proceedings of the Congress of Vienna.

The French and English ministers at Vienna received the necessary power to re-open negotiations.

There are conflicting statements, as usual, about Austria, but she generally leans towards the opinion that she sides with the Allies.

The approaching Congress of Nations is more and more talked of; and good results are anticipated if the United States takes part in it.

Private Vienna letters say that Gortschakoff is instructed to accept any terms, except a reduction of the Russian fleet, or occupation of the Russian Territory.

HOW THEY SOUND A FIRE ALARM IN STOCKHOLM.—An American, writing from Stockholm, Sweden, says:

"Fire is a rare occurrence here, almost every house, even the very poorest, being built of stone; consequently when it does occur there is great excitement.

DROWNED WHILE SKATING.—A lad named Francis Lyman, went out skating in Adrian, Michigan, a few days ago.

The New Hampshire Patriot has reliable information from different sections of the State, that the Democrats in the Know Nothing order are withdrawing rapidly.

TO PERSONS OF ALL EMPLOYMENT.—SEAR'S PICTORIAL WORKS FOR 1855.—The attention of the reader is solicited to the advertisement of agents wanted for the series of Pictorial Works issued from the press of Mr. Sears.

THE HONORS OF THE HEROIC BATTLE OF WATERLOO.—A very interesting matter of study, and a well-illustrated man is always worthy of admiration.

RELIABLE REMEDY.—Shiner's Great Remedy for Diseases of the Lungs still stands unrivalled as the most elegant, agreeable and effective medicine known for this dangerous class of disease.

The Markets.

Table with columns for Baltimore-Friday Last and Hanover-Thursday Last, listing prices for various commodities like Flour, Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Cloverseed, Timothy, Whisky, Beef Cattle, Hogs, Hay, Guano, and Plaster of Paris.

MARRIED.

On the 28th ult., by the Rev. Jas. R. Dushrow, Mr. JOHN McPHERSON and Miss SARAH JANE, eldest daughter of Mr. Benjamin Gardner, of Gettysburg.

DIED.

On the 31st ult. Mrs. MARY MAGDALENE WERTZ, wife of Henry Wertz, of Adams county, aged 72 years 9 months and 24 days.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

A SPECIAL MEETING of the Adams County Agricultural Society will take place at the Court-house, in Gettysburg, on Thursday, the 22d of Feb., at 10 o'clock, A. M.

EVER-GREEN CEMETERY.

LAST NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS OF STOCK.

THE last instalment of the subscriptions to the Capital Stock is now due, and immediate payment in all cases is required in order to the completion of the improvements contemplated.

ALEXANDER COBEAN, appointed Collector of the unpaid subscriptions, will call upon all in arrears; and it is hoped that the response will make any further steps unnecessary.

Deeds are ready for delivery to all such purchasers of lots as have not yet paid purchase money, and it is requested that they make payment and lift them.

The thanks of the company are tendered to all who have already made payment.

D. McCONAUGHY, Pres't.

H. J. STABLE, Sec'y.

Feb. 5, 1855.

Administrator's Notice.

GEORGE HARTMAN'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration on the estate of George Hartman, formerly of Adams county, Pa., and late of Cass county, in the State of Illinois, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in Franklin township, Adams county, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JACOB HARTMAN, Adm'r.

Feb. 5, 1855.

Collateral Inheritance Tax.

STATEMENT of the Tax on Collateral Inheritances received by DANIEL PLANK, Esq., Register of Adams county, during the year ending Nov. 30, 1854.

Table listing tax amounts for various individuals and estates, including John Duncan, Letitia McNeely, Sam'l Miller, H. Overholzer, John & M. Patterson, John Dickson, Marg. Rankle, James M'Baron, Harriet Biehl, Julia A. Eckenrode, Peter Kitchen, Mary McConnel, and Joseph Kitchen.

Attorney fee, paid for services in collection of taxes, 15 00

5 per cent. commission, 42 22

Net balance, 787 94

R. G. McCREARY, Auditor.

Feb. 5, 1855.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Legatees and other persons concerned, that the Administration Accounts hereinafter mentioned will be presented at the Orphan's Court of Adams county, for confirmation and allowance, on Tuesday, the 27th of February next, viz:

- 1. Second account of Jacob Shieley and John Shieley, Executors of the last will and testament of Nicholas Shieley, deceased.
2. Second account of Thomas Bittle, Testamentary Trustee under the will of Thomas Bittle, Sen., deceased, of Henry Bittle, Peter Bittle, Thomas Bittle.
3. First and final account of Alexander Cohean, Administrator of Frederick L. Smith, deceased.
4. First account of J. J. Kuhn, Administrator with the will annexed of John Diehl, deceased.
5. First and final account of Alfred T. Horn, Administrator of Conrad Wagener, deceased.
6. Third account of Jacob Diehl, Guardian of John Diehl, Lavina Diehl and Daniel Diehl, minor children of Daniel Diehl, de'd.
7. Second and final account of Christian Schriver and Lewis P. Schriver, Administrators of George L. Schriver, deceased.
8. First and final account of Martin Thomas, Guardian of Henry P. Quickel and Mary A. E. Quickel, minor children of George Quickel, deceased.

WM. F. WALTER, Register.

Register's Office, Gettysburg.

Jan'y 27, 1855.

AGENTS WANTED

IN EVERY SECTION OF THE UNITED STATES. The most Elegant and Useful Volume of the Year.

SEAR'S GREAT WORK ON RUSSIA.

JUST published, an Illustrated Description of the RUSSIAN EMPIRE. Being a Physical and Political History of its Government and Provinces, Productions, Resources, Imperial Government, Commerce, Literature, Educational Means, Religion, People, Manners, Customs, Antiquities, etc., etc., from the latest and most authentic sources.

Also, a deeply interesting volume, entitled "THE REMARKABLE ADVENTURES OF CELEBRATED PERSONS," embracing the Romantic Incidents and Adventures in the Lives of Sovereigns, Statesmen, Generals, Princes, Warriors, Travellers, Adventurers, Voyagers, &c. eminent in the History of Europe and America, including Sketches of over fifty celebrated heroic characters. Beautifully illustrated with numerous engravings. One vol. 400 pages, royal 12mo. cloth, gilt. Price, \$1.35.

The subscriber publishes a number of most valuable Pictorial Books, very popular, and of such a moral and religious influence that while good men may safely engage in their circulation, they will confer a public benefit, and receive a fair compensation for their labor.

To men of enterprise and tact, this business offers an opportunity for profitable employment seldom to be met with.

Persons wishing to engage in this sale, will receive promptly by mail, a Circular containing full particulars, with Directions to persons desiring to act as Agents, together with terms on which they will be furnished, by addressing the subscriber, post paid.

ROBERT SEARS, Publisher.

181 William Street, New York.

Feb. 5, 1855.

RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURES OF ADAMS COUNTY, FOR 1854.

AGREEABLY to an act of Assembly, entitled "An Act to raise County Rates and Levies," requiring the Commissioners of the respective counties to publish a Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures, We, the Commissioners of Taxes of said county, do Report as follows, to wit: from the 5th day of January, A. D., 1854, to the 2nd day of January, A. D., 1855—both days inclusive.

GEORGE ARNOLD, Esq., Treasurer, and the COMMISSIONERS, in account with the County of Adams, as follows:

Table with columns DR. (Dollars) and CR. (Cents), listing receipts from T. Warren, taxes, and various fees, and expenditures for salaries, court costs, and other county expenses.

Table listing loan from Bank and sundry persons, abatement on State quota, dividend from Water Company, and cash received from John Scott, Esq., late Sheriff, for jury fees and fines for 1854.

Cash received from L. Deitz, fine, 20 00

Taxes refunded to State, 185 12

Net balance, 830,465 99

The outstanding County Tax and Quit Rents appear to be in the hands of the following Collectors, to wit:

Table listing collectors and their respective amounts, including Samuel Studebaker, Peter F. Smith, John L. Noel, Michael Fissel, George W. Finkel, Jacob Noel, George Brown, Hugh McLaughy, Benjamin Landis, James Robinson, John E. Heikes, Michael Schriver, Eli R. A. Moore, George Baker, John Burkholder, Jacob King, Joseph Hartzell, Joseph Klunk, Conrad Bream, James W. Barr, H. Hemler, Samuel Overholzer, Isaac Wolf, and William Gitt.

Hamiltonban and Freedom had paid in full before Settlement. Those marked thus (*) have since paid in full. Those marked thus (†) have since paid in part.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County.

WE, the undersigned, duly elected Auditors to settle and adjust the Public Accounts of the Treasurer and Commissioners of said County, having been sworn or affirmed agreeably to law, report the following to be a general statement of said account from the 5th day of January, A. D., 1854, to the 2d day of January, A. D., 1855—both days inclusive.

GEORGE ARNOLD, Esq., Treasurer, and COMMISSIONERS, in account with the County of Adams.

Table with columns DR. (Dollars) and CR. (Cents), listing receipts from T. Warren, Esq., late Treasurer, and various taxes and fees, and expenditures for outstanding tax for 1850, 1851, 1852, 1853, 1854, and other county expenses.

Disbursements on County orders, 20,279 58

Treasurer's Commission, 305 00

Cash in hands of Treasurer, 3,103 56

Net balance, 830,465 99

WE, the undersigned, Auditors of the County of Adams, Pennsylvania, elected and sworn in pursuance of law, do REPORT, that we met, did audit, settle and adjust according to law, the account of the Treasurer and Commissioners of said County, commencing on the 5th day of January, 1854, and ending on the 2d day of January, 1855—both days inclusive; that said account, as settled above, and entered of record in Settlement Book, in the Commissioners' office of Adams county, is correct, and that we find a balance due to the County of Adams, by George Arnold, Esq., Treasurer of said County, in cash, Three Thousand and One Hundred and Three Dollars and Fifty-six Cents, (\$3,103 56), and in Outstanding Taxes Five Thousand Five Hundred and Seventy-five Dollars and Thirty-five Cents, (\$5,575 35).

JOHN DICKSON, EDMUND F. SHORB, Auditors.

A. T. WRIGHT.

February 5, 1855.

DISSOLUTION.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the Subscribers, under the name and style of S. Fahnestock & Sons, is this day dissolved by limitation. All persons indebted to us will please call and settle, as it is necessary that our Books should be closed immediately. Either member of the Firm is authorized to use the names of the Firm in settling their business.

SAMUEL FAHNESTOCK, JAMES F. FAHNESTOCK, HENRY J. FAHNESTOCK.

Jan. 1, 1855.

LAST NOTICE. THE Books and Accounts of A. B. Kurtz have been placed in my hands for immediate collection, and notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to me to make payment on or before Thursday, the 15th of February next—after which date all unsettled accounts will be put in suit, without respect to persons.

PUBLIC SALE

Valuable Personal Property. THE Subscriber, intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, in Union township, Adams county, Pa., on Wednesday and Thursday, the 21st and 22d of February next, the following Personal Property, viz:

FOUR HORSES, Seven Cows, Nine Head of Young Cattle, FIFTY HEAD OF SHEEP.

Hogs, two Narrow-tread Wagons, (one nearly new,) one Grain Drill, Pannock's Improved, nearly new; Lancaster Winning Mill, nearly new; Grain Rake, Roller, Corn Shelter, Rolling Screen, good as new; first-rate Cutting Box; Wood and Hay Ladders, Stone Bed, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Corn Forks, Grain Stone, 2 Jack Screws, an excellent Cross-cut Saw, a lot of Shop Tools, Horse Gears, Log Chains, Six Chisels, Cow Chains and Halters, Breast Chains, Butt Traces, (a good article,) 3 Sprenders, a first-rate Feed Trough, Rakes and Forks of all kinds, with many other Farming Utensils.—Also, a large variety of

Household & Kitchen Furniture, viz: a large Cook Stove, Pipe, &c., a ten-plate Stove and Pine, Tables, Beds and Bedsteads, one Kitchen Cupboard, Iron Pots and Kettles, Meat Stands, Tight Barrels, and other articles of Household and Kitchen Furniture too numerous to mention. Also, a quantity of Apple-butter—and a lot of seasoned Mill Cogs, (a good article.)

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., on each of said days, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

J. F. KUEHLER, Auctioneer.

January 1, 1855.

NOTICE TO FARMERS!

HUSSEY'S REAPER. THE undersigned respectfully informs the Farmers of this, and the adjoining Counties, that he continues to manufacture more extensively than ever, O. Hussey's celebrated

Reaper and Mowing Machine, now so generally in use, at his Shop, 3 of a mile North of Hanover. Farmer wishing to engage a Reaper, or a Reaper and Mower combined, for the next season, can have their orders filled, by sending them on immediately, with promptness.

The prices for these Machines are as follows: For a Reaper, \$100

For a Reaper and Mower, from \$105 to \$125

Address me through the Hanover Post Office, York county, Pa.

January 22, 1855.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE undersigned have this day formed a Co partnership, under the name and style of FAHNESTOCK, BROTHERS. Hoping for a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore extended to the old Firm, they will in return do their utmost to merit the confidence reposed in them by the public.

JAMES F. FAHNESTOCK, HENRY J. FAHNESTOCK, EDW. G. FAHNESTOCK.

Jan. 1, 1855.

NEW STORE.

FARMERS, look to your interests. If you want to get back the money you lost, just call at the Northwest corner of the Diamond, where you will save at least 25 per cent, and get the full worth of your money, and where you will not have to pay for those who don't pay. Don't forget to bring your money. Also bring along anything and everything you have to sell—such as BUTTER, EGGS, BACON, LARD, RAGS, and everything you think will sell—and I will buy at what they are worth. Just call at the People's Store.

MARCUS SAMSON.

Gettysburg, Jan. 15, 1855.

DO YOU WANT A WELL MADE AND CHEAP SUIT OF WINTER CLOTHING?

If so, you can be accommodated by calling on MARCUS SAMSON, who has just opened and is now selling rapidly at his Store in York street, opposite the Bank, a very large, choice and cheap assortment of

Fall and Winter Goods, to which he invites the attention of the public. They have been selected with great care in the Eastern cities, have been bought cheap for cash, and will be sold cheap for cash—cheaper than at any other establishment in Gettysburg.

His stock consists in part of Black, Blue, Olive and Green CLOTH COATS, with frock, dress and sack coats; also Tweed, Cashmere, and Italian cloth; also a large stock of OVER COATS, which can't be beat in variety, quality or price, out of the cities; also a very superior stock of PANTALOONS, consisting in part of excellent and well made French Black Doe-skin Cassimere, fancy Cassimere, Satinets, Velvets, Cord, Linen and Cottonade. The stock of VESTS comprises every variety of manufacture—fine black Satin, Silk, Velvet, Italian Silk, white, fancy and buff Marcellines, Summer Cloth, &c. Also constantly on hand a large lot of TRUNKS, Hats, Carpet Bags, Umbrellas, Boots & Shoes, Window Shades, Violins, Accordions, Guitars, Flutes, Flies, Melodeons, Mirrors, Razors, Spectacles, Spoons, Watches & Watch Guards, silk and cotton Handkerchiefs, Cravats, Suspenders, Gloves, Stockings, Spring Stocks, Shirts, and Shirt Collars, and a splendid assortment of JEWELRY—in fact every thing in the way of Boy's and Men's furnishing line.

First-rate Chewing Tobacco always on hand—a rare article, which chewers are requested to try.

MARCUS SAMSON.

November 13, 1854.

RAILROAD MEETING.

A MEETING of the Stockholders of the "Gettysburg Railroad Company" will be held at the Court-house in the Borough of Gettysburg, on Thursday, the 23d of February next, at 2 o'clock, P. M., to consider the proposition in regard to the building of the Road, made to the Board of Directors by Mr. PATRICK O'REILLY, also the propriety of contracting for the grading and bridging of said Road.

The Directors are requested to meet at the Court-house, on the same day, at 1 o'clock, P. M. By order of the Board.

Jan. 22, 1855.

R. McCURDY, Pres't.

SHAWLS.—A big lot of Bay State Shawls, 1 Long and Square; Brocade and Thibet Shawls—a splendid variety, and going at the cheapest rates, at SCHICK'S

COME ONE! COME ALL!—To see those cheap Goods just received by

BALSAMIC COUGH SYRUP, AND INDIAN PAIN EXCISE.

L. Lamborn, M. D., Proprietor. HAVING purchased the above Medicines, so generally known and justly celebrated, the undersigned takes pleasure in stating to the Public, that he has fitted up an extensive LABORATORY, and is now manufacturing them on a much larger scale than ever before, in order to supply the constantly increasing demand.

Having been extensively and successfully engaged in the Practice of Medicine for years—and having visited all the principal Hospitals and Medical Institutions in this country and in Europe, and become familiar with the Prescriptions and Preparations used in the practice of the most Eminent Physicians and Professors of Medicine throughout the World, he has no hesitation in asserting that he has found no Medicines so uniformly efficacious in the diseases for which they are recommended. The Medicines recommend themselves wherever used.

All orders should be addressed to DR. LAMBORN, Sole Manufacturer and Proprietor, Westminister, Md., or to his authorized Wholesale Agents, of whom they can always be had at the same rates as of the Proprietor.

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Baltimore—Wm. H. Brown & Bro., 4 S. Liberty Street.

C. P. Rogers & Bro., Corner Howard and Baltimore sts.

York—C. A. Morris & Co.

January 22, 1855.

REMOVAL.

I HAVE REMOVED from 122 West Lombard street to the new and commodious Warehouse, No. 14 West Pratt street, near Light, opposite the Malthy House, and will continue my GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS, for the sale of TOBACCO, GRAIN and COUNTRY PRODUCE, of all kinds; and will attend to the execution of orders for purchasing.

I shall continue my GUANO Agency, having increased facilities for supplying the boat article, as usual, at the government's lowest price—the ton of 2240 lbs.—with a moderate charge of commission for purchasing and forwarding.

I am having manufactured Phosphate of Lime, a superior article, which I will warrant to be pure.

I have connected with my business, and shall at all times be supplied from the most celebrated manufacturers in the Union, a large supply of Agricultural Implements, of every description, warranted, to which I ask particularly the attention of Farmers and dealers. Trusting, by strict attention to all business confided to my charge, I shall merit the patronage of the public.

B. M. RHODES.

Balt., November 27, 1854.

PROTECTION AGAINST LOSS BY FIRE.

THE undersigned informs property-holders that he has been duly appointed Agent of the PERRY COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, and that he is the only Agent in Adams county for the same.

He will take original and renew old Insurances for said County, which, since its incorporation, in 1843, has secured the perfect confidence of the people of Adams and the adjoining counties. (It being authorized to effect Insurances in any part of the State.)

Its integrity and ability have been fully and satisfactorily demonstrated. The gradation of rates of Insurance is adapted to the mutual interests of the whole Company and the class of the insured property. Every person insuring becomes a member of the Company, and may act in the selection of officers and in the direction of its operations.

Hon. Moses McClean represents the members in this county in the Board of Managers. C. Roth, Jr., is President, and JONAS CAMPBELL Secretary. Office in Bloomfield, Perry county.

WM. McCLEAN, Office of M. & W. McClean, Gettysburg

December 26, 1854.

Will Wonders Never Cease!

PROFESSOR WALZ, OF THE Original Emporium of Cheap DAGUERRETYPE PLS., No. 63 Baltimore street, Baltimore, Md., would respectfully inform the citizens of Gettysburg, that he has taken the rooms now occupied by S. Weaver, and will remain for a short time only, and all who wish a really Good and Cheap Daguerreotype, should avail themselves of this opportunity.

Pictures taken at the following low rates: New York size, in case complete, 50 cents. Philadelphia, " " 75 " Baltimore, " " \$1.00

Pictures inserted in Lockets, Breastpins, Finger Rings, &c.

His reputation as one of the first Artists of Baltimore, together with his long experience in the business, is a guaranty of satisfaction in every instance.

N. B. His stay must necessarily be short, owing to his other engagements. Come One! Come All!

January 29, 1855.

LAST NOTICE!

IN retiring from business, the subscriber desires to return his grateful acknowledgments to his friends, and the public generally, who have so liberally patronized him during a period of a quarter of a century, and solicit for his Sons, in the New Firm, the generous support so long extended to him. As it is necessary that his business be closed, he hereby gives notice to all persons knowing themselves indebted to him by note or otherwise that his accounts have been placed in the hands of R. G. McCreary, Esq., for collection, to whom all persons indebted will please make immediate payment. He hopes this will be the LAST NOTICE required, as the long indulgence given them should prompt them to discharge their obligations immediately!

SAMUEL FAHNESTOCK.

Jan. 15, 1855.

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER. THE undersigned takes pleasure in informing the citizens of Gettysburg and the public generally, that he is prepared to furnish GARMENTS of all kinds, for GENTLEMEN'S WEAR, at the shortest notice, and in the latest possible style. Having opened a Merchant Tailoring establishment, in Chambersburg street, opposite the Lutheran church, and secured the services of experienced workmen, he feels confident of pleasing all who may favor him with their patronage. Country produce taken in exchange for work.

J. S. GRAMMER.

December 4, 1854.

PLAIN GOLD RING, with two initials within, the finder of which will be liberally rewarded upon leaving it at this Office.

ASHES for sale at the Gettysburg Steam Mill.