

Middleburg, Mar. 29, 1877.

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The London Times says that the United States bonds are almost the only legitimate object of investment in the European markets.

The President has ordered that no liquor of any kind will be dispensed at dinner parties, or from the side-board, at the White House. Good for Hayes, again.

ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS says President Hayes has commenced to run his administration like President Washington did his. Stephens is content to give an intelligent opinion on that point.

Mr. Joseph L. Lewis, who recently died near New York, has left the whole of his estate, estimated at \$1,225,000, to the United States Government, to be used towards paying off the United States debt.

LONDON, March 19.—A Renter despatch from Zara says: "A six hours' obstinate fight took place between the Turks and Bavarians, on Saturday, between Bonaventura and Drazzani. Both sides suffered heavily. The Turks retired upon Livno. The Austrians are preparing to cross the Save, and everything looks warlike."

WASHINGTON, March 21.—After the disposition of the southern question the subject of the extra session was taken up for consideration. Several dates were suggested with reasons therefor.

It was finally decided upon for June 1, and the proclamation calling congress together at that time will be issued in a few days.

They had a tough subject in the inquiry room this week. Moody wrestled with him and Sankey sang with him but the man seemed to despair of forgiveness. Finally Moody asked him what heavy sin burdened his mind, and he confessed to having had a newspaper publisher out of three years subscription. The evangelist informed him that they did not profess to perform miracles, but if he would settle up his dues, with compound interest, and pay for three years more in advance, although they could not open the doors of the church to him, perhaps he might be sneaked in under the canvass.—Boston Bulletin.

FREDERICK DOUGLASS was confirmed a Marshal of the District of Columbia on Saturday, by the United States Senate. This is one of the most desirable offices in the gift of the President. Under Gen. Grant it was filled by his brother-in-law, Mr. Sharps. Heretofore the Marshal has been master of ceremonies at the public receptions of the President, but it is intimated that the ex-slave, who is now appointed to the position, will resign this duty in favor of another. Douglas is, however, a gentleman of polished manners, and could introduce the dear people to the President as well others of clearer skin. He is one of the strongest public speakers in the country.

Spain opens with fair business promises. The peaceful settlement of the Electoral contest, and the fact that the new Administration starts upon its career with a solid country warm in its support, will contribute largely to the restoration of business confidence and the revival of trade. Should the policy toward the South be as successful as is hoped, we may look for an increased demand for money in that section, and an increase of branches of Southern trade which have hitherto been very dormant. From Europe and from our own Eastern cities, come signs, too, of an agreeable change. The abnormally large deposits in New York have begun to decrease in response to demands for money out side, and banks expect indications of a continuance in the demand. If the spring opens well, without check to the crops which promise so finely, and if all the bright political hopes now so pervading meet with any thing like realization, we may look for a business year whose great prosperity shall contrast most agreeably with those lately passed.—Ez.

Thus far in the discharge of Presidential duties Mr. Hayes has met with wonderful success. But there is no trace of luck about it. It was not luck, but royal manhood and high devotion to duty, which made his inaugural impress the whole country so strongly. Not luck but wisdom, and a keen understanding of character, made his selection of a Cabinet arouse such enthusiasm. "It was not his good fortune, but the singular excellence of his selections, that caused that Senatorial opposition which called forth the real feeling of the people. A weak man would have wavered. A strong but unbalanced man would have threatened, said harsh things, and involved himself in a quarrel. But Mr. Hayes calmly waited, neither storming, nor urging, nor bargaining, nor yielding, until the people had been heard and the Senate had obeyed. There was a great deal of character in this victory, but not a trace of luck. His appointments thus far, and his refusals to appoint, have been judicious. As the stars never hurry, there has been no haste to settle delicate questions until there had been full time for inquiry. At this hour the new Administration is stronger than any other has been for many years, but its popularity is the result of proof that great confidence is deserved.—N. Y. Tribune.

A vessel has just sailed from Philadelphia to Italian ports laden with supplies of American goods of all descriptions. A special agent will distribute them throughout the kingdom with the views of obtaining orders in connection with European manufacturers. Philadelphia is manufacturing a great deal of the commercial spirit which insures the prosperity of a seaboard community.

Two New United States Senators

HARRISBURG, March 21.—The Legislature met in joint convention today, and it was announced by the President of the Senate that J. D. Cameron had been duly elected to the United States Senate to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Simon Cameron.

COLUMBUS, March 21.—The General Assembly, in joint session to day, declared Stanley Matthews duly elected Senator from Ohio to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John Sherman.

PRESIDENTIAL VOTE—Electoral votes counted in Joint Convention of Congress, February and March, 1877.

Table with columns: STATES FOR HAYES, STATES FOR TILDEN, and Total. Lists electoral votes for various states like Alabama, Arkansas, California, etc.

Caution.

Notice is hereby given that my wife, Maria Thomas, has been and is now acting as my agent in the sale of my real estate without my consent...

APPEALS.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF SNYDER County give notice that they will attend at the following named times and places, for the purpose of holding the Triennial Appeals for the year 1877.

- List of appeals for various townships: Beaver township, at the house of Moses Spier; West Beaver township, at the house of John Krieb; Adams township, at the house of Wilson Drees; Centre township, at the house of Peter Hartman; Middleburg township, at the house of John S. Beaver; Franklin township, at the Commissioners Office; Perry township, at the house of Daniel K. Scott; West Perry township, at the house of Frederick Belden; Adams township, at the house of Adam Freiden; Fulton township, at the house of Ira Sayce; Washington township, at the house of Mathias Schaefer; Middleburg township, at the house of Henry Stroup; Peach township, at the house of Mrs. Sarah Miller; Meigs township, at the house of Mrs. Sarah Ryan; West Meigs township, at the house of John H. Foster; Adams township, at the house of P. M. All persons interested may attend if they think proper.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE!

The undersigned Assignee of James M. Walker, will expose to Public Sale, at the Washington House, in Middleburg, on SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 1877, the following described Real Estate, viz: A certain Tract of ONE ACRE, situated in West Beaver township, Snyder County, containing the lands of Daniel Krieb, Mrs. Daniel Krieb, J. O. Kriebler and Anna Kriebler, containing 1/2 ACRE, MORE OR LESS, ALONG the divided lot of a Tract of Twenty Acres, situated in Franklin township, Snyder County, containing the lands of Frederick Walker, Christian, Nicholas and others, containing 1/2 ACRE, MORE OR LESS. This whole tract will be sold, each day until sold, at 12 o'clock, P. M. All persons interested may attend if they think proper.

NOTICE.

U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE SPECIAL TAXES.

May 1, 1877, to April 30, 1878.

The revised statutes of the United States, Sections 3231, 3237, 3238, and 3239, require every person engaged in any business, avocation, or employment which renders him liable to a SPECIAL TAX, TO PREPARE AND PLACE CONSPICUOUSLY IN HIS ESTABLISHMENT THE PLACE OF BUSINESS A STAMP denoting the payment of said SPECIAL TAX, for the Special-Tax Year beginning May 1, 1877, before commencing or continuing business after April 30, 1877.

A return, as prescribed on form 11, is also required by law of every person liable to Special Tax, as above.

The taxes embraced within the provisions of the law above quoted are the following, viz: Retailers of liquors, \$200.00; Dealers in malt liquors, \$100.00; Dealers in wine, \$100.00; Dealers in beer, \$100.00; Retail dealers in leaf tobacco, \$50.00; And on each of the last three, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of \$1,000; Manufacturers of cigars, \$100.00; Manufacturers of pipes, \$100.00; Manufacturers of cigars (more than two boxes or other articles), \$50.00; Peddlers of tobacco, second class (two boxes or other articles), \$50.00; Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class (on foot or public conveyance), \$100.00; Peddlers of more than 500 hundred barrels of brewers of 50 barrels or more, \$100.00. Any person, so liable, who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalties. Persons or firms liable to pay any of the Special Taxes named above must apply to Charles J. Brunner, Collector of Internal Revenue at Sunbury, Pa., and pay for and procure the Special-Tax Stamp or Stamps they need, prior to May 1, 1877, and WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF SNYDER COUNTY, PENN'A., and WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF INTERNAL REVENUE, OFFICE OF INTERNAL REVENUE, WASHINGTON, D. C., January 26, 1877.

ANCHORED AT OAK HALL 6TH AND MARKET STILL TO BE HEADQUARTERS FOR CLOTHING. WANAMAKER & BROWN, IN THE OLD PLACE AT THE OLD TRADE. All the best talent, experience and advantages we can command, continued at OAK HALL, to produce the BEST and CHEAPEST CLOTHING for man and boy. For sixteen years we have lived at the old corner of SIXTH and MARKET, and the business done there has been so satisfactory to the public and ourselves, that we have decided not to change or move the Clothing business away. The people like the place and we like to please the people, and we believe that we can do it better than ever at the old place. The sales of the past year far surpassed anything we ever dreamed of, and this puts it in our power to start the Spring of 1877 with a STILL LOWER SCALE OF PRICES, and a class of goods so excellent that we are not afraid to follow each sale with our wares, or receive back the goods unworn and hand over to the customer the money paid. The store has been largely refitted, and there never was such a splendid stock of Men's, Boys' and Children's clothing under the roof, nor were we ever able to sell so cheaply. Our word for it, and we are your friends of sixteen years. WANAMAKER & BROWN, OAK HALL, PHILADELPHIA. THE OLD PLACE, 6th & Market.

GRAND FALL AND WINTER OPENING!! OF NOTIONS AND FANCY GOODS! AT THE New York Fancy Store, (In Holmes' new building, opposite the Keystone Hotel.) MARKET ST., SELINGROVE, PA. YOU are respectfully invited to an examination of my stock, which I can say is one of the finest in the County.

Large variety of SHAWLS FURS, Ladies' and Children's UNDERWEAR, FANCY HOSIERY, FELT SKIRTS, etc. All colors of GERMAN-TOWN WOOL and ZEPHYR. I have added to my large stock of Fancy goods a full line of BLACK ALPACAS & CASHMERE, which for quality and price cannot be surpassed. S. WEIS. The new Clothing Store above the Keystone Hotel is connected with the N. Y. Fancy Store. Any gentleman can equip himself there from head to foot for very little money. Police attention always given. Selingrove, Oct. 16, '73.

Assignee's Sale. NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!! Great Bargains! FOR CASH OR PRODUCE BY the undersigned Assignee of HOWARD I. ROMIG Adamsburg, Snyder County, Penn'a. The Stock Consists partly of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS, Such as Cloths, Cassimers, Kentucky Jeans, Cottonades of every style and quality, also Ladies' Dress Goods, Silks ALL WOOL DELAINS, Merinos, Poplins, &c. at all prices and very cheap. HATS AND CAPS, Carpets, Floor, Table, and Stair Oil Cloth. BOOTS AND SHOES, Hardware, Queensware, Tin and Glassware Wood and Willowware, Coffees, Sugars, Syrups, Molasses, Teas of all kinds, and at Low Prices, Cigars & Tobacco, Fish & Salt, Wholesale and Retail. COAL, COAL, SHAMOKIN & WILKESBARRE. ISAAC BEAVER, Assignee. March 7, 1875.

THE VICTOR CORN SHELLER was awarded the first premium of eighteen State and County Fairs in 1876, and at many previous ones. It works easily and well, separating the corn from the cob, and is superior to any corn sheller in the market in strength, compactness and excellence of work. Price \$12. Descriptive circulars free. A. B. COHU, MANUFACTURER, No. 197 WATER STREET, NEW YORK. Assignee's Notice. All persons interested are here notified that William C. Bowersox, of Franklin township, Snyder County, made an assignment of all his real and personal estate, the undersigned for the benefit of his creditors. All persons having claims are requested to present them to the undersigned, and persons indebted to him, please make immediate payment. FAUL HAINES, Assignee. Jan. 4, '77.

SPRING ARRIVAL, 1877. Great Excitement in Selinsgrove. WEIS AND OPPENHEIMER'S STOCK OF GOODS TOO LARGE FOR THEIR STORE. CHEAPER GOODS, BETTER GOODS, AND MORE OF THEM THAN EVER. HAVING JUST RETURNED FROM THE EASTERN CITIES WITH THE LARGEST AND MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF MENS, YOUTHS AND BOYS CLOTHING, ALL OF WHICH WE WILL SELL AT PRICES TO DEFTY COMPETITION. READ THE FOLLOWING AND SEE WHY WE CAN AFFORD TO SELL SO CHEAP. 1st. We buy for Cash and sell for the same, consequently we do not charge you to make up for poor paying customers. We buy our goods in large quantities from the best manufacturers and sell large quantities each year, thus being enabled to sell at Small Profits. 2nd. Our expenses are much less than those of any similar Establishment in this section of the country, consequently we can sell cheaper than they can. 3rd. Having had many years experience in the business, we are enabled to take every advantage of the business and are enabled to give our Customers the advantage of the same. 4th. We adhere to the Golden Rule of: ONE PRICE FOR ALL, and no Misrepresentations which secures for us a customer of every man who buys one bill from us. 5th. Whilst we do not allow our customers to deduct their Railroad fare like some clothing houses, we sell at such bargains, that every one who gives us a trial is enabled to save many times the price of their fair. Try us and see for yourself. Our stock is large and embraces in connection with the clothing a full line of Gents' furnishing goods, Hats, Caps, Umbrellas, Trunks, Valises &c. ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT BOTTOM PRICES. You can buy goods as cheap of us as of any clothing house in Central Penn'a. besides having a chance in drawing a solid silver American watch. See advertisement in another column. Feeling confident that our endeavors to serve our customers will meet with their approval and patronage we remain, Yours Respectfully, WEIS & OPPENHEIMER, ONE DOOR ABOVE KEYSTONE HOTEL SELINGROVE.

SPRING OPENING OF 1877, AT SIMON & OPPENHEIMER'S CLOTHING STORE, SUNBURY, PA., Cor. 3d & Market St., near Depot. WE have returned from the Eastern Cities, with the LARGEST and BEST STOCK OF CLOTHING MEN, YOUTHS AND BOYS, HATS, CAPS AND GENTS FURNISHING GOODS, ever brought to this part of the country, and assure our Customers, and public that in prices, no one in this part of the country, can compete with us. Some people may say how does it come that SIMON & OPPENHEIMER of SUNBURY, can sell CHEAPER than any one else? We will explain you this fact easily. 1st. We have had experience for many years in the Clothing business. 2nd. We buy Goods in large quantities. 3rd. We only buy for cash and from the first manufacturers. 4th. On account we are known for selling Clothing at such low prices, we are selling an immense quantity therefore we can easily afford to take half the profit, than other stores around the country, and still increase our business. 5th. Our motto is always, Quick Sales and Small Profits. Through many forced sales this Spring in the Cities, we had the advantage to purchase goods very low, which we will give to our customers and patrons the benefit of. Any one coming from Middleburg and vicinity and purchasing to the amount of \$5 can deduct 1/2 of his rail road fare; by buying for \$10, can deduct the entire fare. We would be pleased of you to come and see our large stock, and examine our prices, and we will assure that you will save money by learning the price of our goods. No difference whether you buy or not, we will with pleasure show you our goods and prices, and you will always find gentlemanly treatment. Thankful for past patronage we respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. Yours Respectfully, SIMON & OPPENHEIMER, SUNBURY, PENN'A., Corner 3rd and Market Street, next door to the Depot.

P. W. BROWN. WEIDLER ROLAND. JAMES LEPLEY FAUST & WENTZEL Seingsrove, Penna. (North of First National Bank) MERCHANT TAILORS. READY MADE CLOTHING. A WELL selected stock of Ready-made Mens' and Boys' Clothing of Every Quality and style. Those who wish to purchase a first class Instrument for home, hall or church music, should not fail to call on or address the undersigned. Our instruments have reputation that places them above suspicion. They are endorsed, as the best, by the highest musical authorities throughout the world.

For the very best Musical Instruments, The Market Affords Call on BROWN, ROLAND & COMPANY, LEWISBURG, PENN'A. This company is well Established, deals only in reliable Instruments, such as the ESTEY, MASON & HAMLIN, NEW ENGLAND ORGANS and ARION PIANOS, and offers them at figures to suit the times. A complete stock always on hand. Call and see them even if you do not purchase. LOCAL AGENTS WANTED IN SNYDER CO. Address, BROWN, ROLAND & CO., Lewisburg, Pa. Feb. 8, 1877. Dissolution of Partnership. NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between J. W. Brown, Roland & Company, and James Lepley Faust, by mutual consent, and that J. W. Brown, Roland & Company, have dissolved, and that all claims must be paid to J. W. Brown, Roland & Company, and all claims against them must be paid to J. W. Brown, Roland & Company. J. W. BROWN, ROLAND & COMPANY, James Lepley Faust, Trustees. Treasurers Feb. 8th, 1877. A VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE. THE undersigned offers the following described property at private Sale, to-wit: A certain lot, situated in Adams township, Snyder Co., Pa., two miles West of Treasurersville, adjoining lands of Wm. Weidler, Daniel Hester and others, wherein are erected a good DWELLING HOUSE, STABLE, SHED and other outbuildings. The land is in a good state of cultivation, convenient to market; there is also an excellent QUARRY of choice stone, and never failing water on the premises. For Terms call at the premises or address FREDERICK BROWN, Treasurersville, Snyder Co., Pa. Feb. 4, 1877. EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned, as Executor of the last will and testament of Wm. Weidler, deceased, late of Snyder County, Penn'a., do hereby give notice to all persons having claims against the said Wm. Weidler, deceased, to present them to me, the undersigned, at Treasurersville, Snyder Co., Pa., on or before the 1st day of April, 1877, after which date I will settle up the estate of the said Wm. Weidler, deceased, and will not be liable for any claims presented thereafter. JOHN W. SWARTZ, Executor.