BUSINESS DEPARTMENT.

TERMS OF THIS PAPER.—Two Dollars per annum, payable semi-annually in advance, by those who reside in this county—and annually in advance by those who reside at a distance. If not paid within the year, $2 50 will be demanded. Five Dollars in advance will pay for three year's subscription.

Terms to Advertisers.

To merchants and others who wish to advertise by the year, with frequent changes of advertisements, the terms will be $12 per annum, including the paper, or $10 in advance; Two squares with the paper, without change, $10 per annum, or $8 in advance. One square of 12 lines with the paper, $8, or $6 in advance. Business Cards of 5 lines, $5 with the paper, or $4 in advance—3 lines $3 with the paper, or $2 without the paper.

Larger advertisements will be published as per agreement.

One square of 12 lines, one dollar for 3 insertions, and 25 cents for every subsequent insertion. Five lines or under 25 cents for one insertion, and 12½ cents for every subsequent insertion.

Insurance.

The subscriber, Agent for one of the best Insurance Offices in Philadelphia, is prepared to make insurances on all descriptions of property, such as Houses, Mills, Stables, Goods, Furniture, &c., &c. at the very lowest rates. B. BANNAN.

☞ V. B. Palmer, Esq., No. 59 Pine Street, Philadelphia, is authorised to act as Agent to receive subscriptions and advertisements for this paper.

☞ Messrs. Mason & Tuttle, No. 123 Nassau st., New York, are authorised to receive Subscriptions and Advertisements, for the Miners' Journal.

Cheap Publications.

All the cheap publications are for sale at this office as soon as issued, at publisher's prices. Single copies of any work obtained to order.

Passage Agency, &c.

The subscriber is prepared to engage Passage, for Passengers from every part of England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales at the very lowest rates. He also attends to remitting money to every part of Europe, in sums of one Pound and upwards By prompt attention to business, he expects to give general satisfaction.

B. BANNAN, Agent for
JOSEPH McMURRAY.

Job Printing.

WE have recently made additions to our already large assortment of Job Type, which is now greater than that of any Country Printing Office in the State and are ready to execute all kinds of

JOB PRINTING

of every description, at the very lowest rates: such as

CARDS, BILL HEADS,
PAMPHLETS, CIRCULARS,
BILLS of LADING, POST BILLS &

At very short notice. By keeping good workmen, and prompt despatch in executing orders, we expect to receive the support of the public.

☞ We have also a BINDERY attached to the office, which enables us to bind all kinds of Printing, when it is necessary to do so. Books of every description, bound to order. April 6,

Notice.

All persons indebted to the subscriber, will please make payment as early as possible. He is anxious to have all his old business settled up.

B. BANNAN.

THE COAL TRADE.

The shipments this week, show an increase of about 600 tons over last. The water in the Canal continues very low.

The shipments from the Lehigh, for the week ending on the 31st ult. was 12,629 tons.

Freights to Philadelphia by Canal 80 cents—to New York, $2 30. Rail Road $1 15 and $1 25.

The Commercial List, gives the following, as the prices of freights from Philadelphia.

To Salem,	$1 62½	per ton.
" Charleston,	$1 62½	"
" Cambridgeport & Brighton,	$1 75	"
" Boston,	$1 50 a $1 62½	"
" Newport & Warren, R. I.	$1 31¼	"
" Providence & Fall River,	$1 31¼	"
" New Haven & Hartford, Con.	$1 25	"
" Troy,	$1 37½	"
" Albany,	$1 40	"
" New York,	93	"
" Baltimore,	75 a 87½	"
" Washington, D C.	$1 12½	"
" Fredricksburg, Va.	$1 10	"

For the week ending on Thursday Evening last,

RAIL ROAD.

Schuylkill Haven,	7,281 09
Pottsville	5,038 02
	12,319 11
Per last report,	266,101 18
	278,421 09

BY CANAL.

Up to Thursday night,	
Pottsville & P. Carbon,	9,767 00
Schuylkill Haven,	1,973 01
Little Schuylkill,	2,060 00
	13,800 01
Per last report	248,068 12
	261,868 13
	540,293 05

Lehigh Coal Trade.

Despatched from Mauch Chunk for the week ending 8th month 31, 1844.

	Boats.	Tons.
Lehigh Coal and Nav. Co.		
Summit Mines	6313	
Room Run Mines	1934	8247
Beaver Meadow Mines		2727
FROM PENN HAVEN.		
Hazleton Coal Co.		2256
ROCK PORT.		
Buck Mountain Coal Co.		299
		13620
TOTAL SHIPMENTS.		
FROM MAUCH CHUNK.		
Summit Mines	27431	
Room Run do	30541	127972
Beaver Meadow		43652
FROM PENN HAVEN.		
Hazleton Coal Co.		47436
ROCK PORT.		
Buck Mountain Co.		7038
Total Boats	Tons	226,998

Little Schuylkill Coal Trade.

Amount of Coal transported over this road up to Thursday evening last,

		Tons.	Boats.	Tons
Sep. 6	Lawrence	55		
" 6	Time,	54		
" 7	Sophia	54		
" 7	Muhlenberg	55		
" 7	S. Lewis	56		
" 7	D. R. Porter	55		
" 9	B. Franklin	54		
" 9	G. M. Dallas	54		
" 9	Mary	55		
" 10	Raccoon	54		
" 10	Sun of America	55		
" 11	Wm. Penn	56		
" 12	Fox Hunter	54		
" 12	Marietta	54		
" 12	Hiram.	55		
" "	Cleopatra	54		
			16	874
	Per Sundry Shippers		22	1186
			38	2060
	Per last report		625	33290
	Total		663	35350

GEORGE WIGGIN, Agent.

Mine Hill & Schuylkill Haven R. R.

The following is the amount of Coal, transported on this Road, for week ending on Thursday evening last.

Tons.	9,291 11
Per last report,	214,451 05
Total.	223,742 16

WM. NEWELL, Collector.

Mill Creek Rail Road Company.

The amount of coal transported over this road for the week ending on Thursday evening last is

Tons	2,727
Per last report	41,252
Total	46,979

GEO. HADESTY, Collector.

Schuylkill Valley Rail Road,

The Amount of coal hauled over this road up to Saturday evening last is Tons 3,652
Per last report, 65,565
Total, 69,217
JESSE TURNER, Collector.

Mount Carbon Rail Road.

The following is the amount of Coal transported on this Road, for the week ending Thursday Evening last.

Tons.	5,286
Per last Report,	122,561
Total	127,817

NATHAN CLEAVER, Collector.

Printer's Ink.

IN 65 Kegs, of the best quality News Ink, just received and for sale by the subscriber. Orders from abroad, accompanied with the money Post Paid, will receive prompt attention. B. BANNAN,
September 7, 36— Agent.

MRS. S. P. HODGSON,
Dress Maker,
CENTRE STREET,
NEARLY OPPOSITE THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

N. B.—Several APPRENTICES wanted—apply as above.
Pottsville, Sept. 14, 1844, 37—

Letter Presses, Very Cheap.

AT the low rate of $7 50, which are equal to the Iron Presses, and will last as long, just received and for sale by
Sept. 14. 37— B. BANNAN, Agent.

SCHOOL BOOKS,

THE Subscriber has just received an assortment of School Books, which he offers to those who wish to purchase to sell again at as low rates, if not lower, than they can be purchased in Philadelphia. This assortment embraces almost every kind.—Try us. B. BANNAN, Agent.
Sept. 14, 1844. 37—

WRAPPING PAPER.

150 REAMS Wrapping and Strong Blasting Paper, an excellent article, very cheap, just received. Storekeepers and others supplied on as favorable terms as they can purchase elsewhere.
Sept. 14. 37— B. BANNAN, Agent.

Stray Cow.

CAME to the house of the subscriber, about the 20th of July, a DARK RED COW, with a white spot on her shoulder, and another on her forehead, in the shape of a heart; she had a bell on, fastened by an old leather strap. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay damages and take her away, otherwise she will be sold according to law.
GEORGE ALLEN, New Castle.
September 14, 37—3t*

Stray Cow.

CAME to the house of the subscriber, about the 26th of August, a BLACK COW, with white spots on her back and sides three white feet, with a piece out of her right ear, and a star on her forehead. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away, otherwise she will be sold according to law. J. CAMPER, Llewellyn.
September 14, 37—3t*

Whips! Whips!!

AN elegant assortment of Sulkey and Gig Whips superior to any heretofore offered in this place just received and for sale very cheap, by
Aug 31 35— B. BANNAN, Agent.

NEW AMERICAN STEEL PENS,

Better than the English.

JUST received a fresh supply of Steel Pens, among which are Phillip's Climax Pen, the Reservoir Pen, and the Correspondent or Long Bill Pen, and the fine pointed Letter Pen, all of which will be sold very low by B. BANNAN, Ag't.
Sept., 14 37—

MR. C. W. ILLIES,

Teacher of Languages, ect., a Native of Prussia,

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Pottsville, that he has opened a class, for the instruction of Ladies and Gentlemen, in the German, French, Latin and Greek Languages in this place. Thankful for the patronage he has already received, he hopes by strict attention and care, to merit and receive a continuation of the same. Mr. Illies, can assure those who may honor him with their confidence, that with punctuality and desire of learning on their part, they cannot fail to acquire a thorough knowledge of these Languages.—If desired, Mr. I., will give lessons in the evening, to those who have no other leisure time through the day, at their own dwellings.

Mr. I., also gives lessons in Drawing and Painting, and will endeavor to give general satisfaction to the public.

TERMS—Quarterly, Languages $5 00—Drawing and Painting, quarterly $2 00

Residence at Mr. Hoffman's, next door to the Miner's Bank.
Pottsville, September 14 37—tf

SALE OF IRON WORK'S AND WOOD LAND.

WILL be sold at Public Sale, on Monday, the 14th day of October, 1844, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the Public House of Fox & Mortimer, in Pottsville, Schuylkill county. The one undivided half part of Mount Vernon Forge, formerly known as Audenried's Forge, with two Fires, three Dwelling Houses, one Stable and one hundred and thirty acres of Wood and Sprout Land, situated on Cold Creek, half a mile from the little Schuylkill Rail Road, two miles from McKeansburg, and six from Orwigsburg. Also, at the same time and place, the one undivided half part of 1670 acres, more or less, of Wood land, situated partly in East Brunswick township, Schuylkill county, adjoining lands of Samuel Bertolet, John Schall and others, and partly in Albany Township, Berks county, adjoining lands of Jones Keim & Co., George Reagan, Esq., and others. The State Road leading from Orwigsburg to Kutztown, passes through said land. One pair of Forge Bellows Tubs, will be sold at the same time and place. For further information, enquire of Daniel Yost, at said Forge, or of Richard Boone, at Port Carbon, Schuylkill county. Terms by RICHARD BOONE,
Assignee of M. M. Ege, under the Insolvent Law.
Port Carbon, Sept., 14 37—5t.

NEW BOOKS.

Memoirs of Vidocq, principal Agent of the French Police, one of the most interesting Books of the day	50
Triumphs of Time, by the author of two old Men's Tales,	25
Heaven and its wonders, also concerning Hell, by Swedenberg,	12½
Heart, a social Novel, by Tupper,	12½
Chatsworth, or the Romance of a week,	12½
Short Patent Sermons, by Dow, jr.	12½
Prose Fictions, written to illustrate every day life, by T. S. Arthur,	25
The Grandfather, by Miss Pickering,	12½
Counterfeit Detector, for September,	12½
Mary Schweidler, the Amber Witch,	12½
The Omnibus, containing 6 Novels,	25
The Jesuit, illustrating the Principles and the Practices of the celebrated Society of the Jesuits, by Spindler,	25
Dick, Buzby's Game,	50
Kohl's Scotland,	25
Lardener's Lectures on Astronomy,	25

Together with a variety of other Books, just received, and for sale by B. BANNAN, Ag't.
September 14, 37.

POSITIVE SALE OF VALUABLE

IRON WORKS.

WILL be sold at Public Sale, on Monday the 11th day of October, 1844, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the house of Fox & Mortimer, in Pottsville, Schuylkill Co., viz:—

FRANKLIN ROLLING MILL,

Together with forty one pair of Rollers, Turning Lathe, Puddling Furnaces, now in successful operation, one large Fairbank Scale, one Forge, with four fires, large Coal House, smith-shop, Office, a genteel and well finished Two story

MANSION HOUSE,

16 convenient Houses for workmen, Barn, Stabling, &c., and about one thousand Acres of Land, about eighty of which is arable and in a high state of cultivation, the remainder Wood and Sprout Land, situate on the Little Schuylkill river, East Brunswick township, Schuylkill county, immediately on the Little Schuylkill Railroad, eight miles from the Philadelphia, Reading and Pottsville Railroad, with which it is to connect at Port Clinton, and four miles from Orwigsburg, the seat of justice for Schuylkill County.

For further information enquire of Maybury A. Bertolet, on the premises, or of Richard Boone, Port Carbon, Schuylkill County.
RICHARD BOONE, Assignee of Samuel Bertolet.
Port Carbon, Sept., 14 34—5t.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that the subscribers purchased at Sheriff's Sale, September 6, 1844, the following personal property and chattle interest of Frederick Zernheld, viz:—one lot of about 20,000 Burnt Brick, also about 60,000 Unburnt Brick, 3 Wheel Barrows, 1 lot of Cord Wood, 1 lot of old Lumber, 1 one Horse Sleigh, 1 wooden Pump; the above articles, were sold by the Sheriff of Schuylkill county, on the premises of the said Frederick Zernheld, in the borough of Schuylkill Haven. Also, the following articles, which were sold by the said Sheriff, viz: the same day at or near Minersville, in the county of Schuylkill, as the property of the said Frederick Zernheld, and purchased by the subscribers, viz: one Yankee Clock, 1 doz. Chairs, 1 Corner Cupboard, about 45 yds. Carpeting, 2 side Tables, a lot of Pictures (in the frames) and 1 one horse Wagon, 1 hay Horse, and set of Harness, 1 Truck Rail Road Wagon, about 130,000 Unburt Brick, about 2,000 burnt brick, a lot of about 40 cords of Wood, 5 Wheelbarrows, 1 Clay Mill, the unexpired lease of the said Frederick Zernheld, to the Brick Yard; he occupied at or near Minersville, aforesaid. All of the above articles, we have left with the said Frederick Zernheld, during our pleasure; the Public are therefore hereby notified, not to purchase any of the said articles of Frederick Zernheld, as they belong to us.
BAST & TYSON.
Schuylkill Haven, Sept., 14, 37—3t*

Notice to Contractors.

Engineer's office, Schuylkill Valley Rail Road Mount Carbon, September 5, 1844.

SEALED proposals will be received at this office, from the 10th to the 12th inst., inclusive, for the graduation and masonry of four miles of the Schuylkill Valley Rail Road, to be let in sections.

Plans, profiles and estimates, may be seen at the office, on the days above specified.
September 7. A. W. CRAVEN, Engineer.
36—

NEW GOODS.

JOSEPH MORGAN, has just received a new assortment of Goods, among which are splendid new style Prints, Silk Embroidered Nett Scarfs, Brussels Lisle and Ashburton Lace, a very superior article of and a variety of other fancy goods, all of which will be sold at the lowest cash prices.
Pottsville July 13 29—

Philadelphia Advertisements.

PUBLIC SALE AT THE MINES
OF THE
Sugar Loaf Coal Company,
NEAR HAZLETON, LUZERNE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

Coal Cars, Mining Machinery, &c.
ON THURSDAY MORNING,
OCTOBER 3d, 1844, AT 10 O'CLOCK,

WILL be sold at Public Sale, on the premises, at the mines of the Sugar Loaf Coal Company, to close a concern, 120 Rail Road Coal Cars; 40 Mine or Drift Cars; Also sundry Coal Screens, Brass Pump Valves, Pump chambers and other apparatus connected therewith. Gear Lathes and Slide Rests. Machine, Mining, and Blacksmith's Tools. Lumber Trucks, Wheel Barrows, Shovels, Bar Iron, Steel, Scrap Iron, Iron Pipes, Stuves, Jack screws, Car wheels and a variety of other articles.

☞ The sale will commence punctually at 10 o'clock. The terms will be cash on delivery.

M. THOMAS & SON, Auctioneers,
No, 93 Walnut street.
Philada., Sept., 14 1844. 37—3t

Brussels, Ingrain and Venetian Carpetings.

Robert B. Walker,
NO. 25 NORTH SECOND ST., OPPOSITE CHRIST CHURCH,
PHILADELPHIA,

HAS just received and is now opening, a very extensive and beautiful assortment of CARPETINGS.—The goods are fresh and of new styles, and being purchased principally for Cash, will be sold at the lowest prices. They consist in part of

Splendid Brussels, (rich patterns)	
Beautiful Imperial, 3 ply,	
Superior extra Ingrain,	CARPETINGS,
Twilled Venetian, 2-4, 4-4, 5-4,	col'rs warran-
Plain do " " "	ted durable.

Superior quality 6-4 English Bocklings, with a large stock of well seasoned Oil Cloths, of all widths, Rugs, Piano and Table Covers, Sheep Skins, Stair Rods, Bindings &c., together without extensive assortment of Low priced Carpetings, of all descriptions. ☞ Ingrains of good quality and patterns, for 37½ to 50 cents per yard.

☞ Purchasers are requested to call, and they may rest assured of being pleased with the goods and prices.
ROBERT B. WALKER.
Philada., September 14, 37—3mo

CHEAP CARPET STORE,

ON THE CASH PLAN,
At No. 41 Strawberry St., Philadelphia.

THE rents of the subscribers in their present situation being very low, and their terms CASH, they are enabled to sell at such low prices that customers cannot fail to be satisfied, and they invite the people of Schuylkill county to call and examine their stock, as they offer an excellent assortment, comprising

Beautiful Imperial, 3 ply,
Superfine Ingrain,
Heavy Twilled Venetian
Fine English Worsted, do
Plain Striped do
With a large stock of well seasoned
CARPETINGS.

FLOOR OIL CLOTHS.

of all widths for rooms, halls, dooripieces, &c. Also Furniture Oil Cloths, Beautiful Hearth Rugs, Table covers, Floor Baize, Rag Carpets, &c., &c., together with a large stock of low priced Ingrains, and entry and stair carpets, wholesale or retail at the lowest prices in the city.

ELDRIDGE & BROTHER,
No. 41 Strawberry street, one door above Chesnut, near 2d. Entrance also at No. 50 South Second St.
Sept. 7, 36—2mo

New Cash Grocery Store!!

No. 59 North Water St., 1st. door above Arch St
PHILADELPHIA.

SUGARS.	150 Hhds. P. Rico, and N. O. Sugar,	
"	200 Boxes Brown Havanna,	"
"	100 Barrels Clarified "	"
"	50 Boxes Loaf and Lump,	"
"	100 Bbls. Crushed & Pulverized	"
MOLASSES.	150 New Orleans Molasses,	
"	100 Hhds. Trinidad "	
"	50 do Matanzas "	
"	50 do Syrup & Sugar House	
"	20 do Leverine's superior do.	
COFFEE.	500 Bags Rio Coffee,	
"	300 " Laguayra "	
"	300 " St. Domingo,	
"	100 " Maracaibo,	
TEAS.	Gunpowder, Imperial, Young Hyson, Chulon and Souchong Teas.	
SPICES, &c.	Pepper, Allspice, Nutmegs, Mace, Cloves, Cassia & Ginger. Also, Lard, Oil, Starch, Cheese, Sperm Candles and Wines and Liquors of various qualities, for sale by	

JACOB ALTEE,
Wholesale Grocer & Commission Merchant, 59 N. Water st., Philadelphia.

☞ Merchants and Dealers, would do well to call.—The *greatest bargains* to be had FOR CASH!!!
Philada., September 7, 36—2mo

B. H. SPRINGER,

Has removed his office, to 74 South 3d Street,
PHILADELPHIA,
Where he offers for sale by the Cargo,
RED AND WHITE ASH COAL,
OF SUPERIOR QUALITY.
Aug. 31 35—

To Country Merchants.

IN Store, Foreign and American Broad Cloths and Cassimeres, of the various descriptions adapted to the approaching season, among which are Twilled and Figured Cloths and Cassimeres, for Sack and Overcoats.

Also, new style and plain SATTINETTS and Cloakings, together with an assortment of Paddings, Silesias, Canvass, Serges, Holland, Twist, Sewing Silk, Bindings, and other Trimmings used by Tailors.

Also Black Satins, Plaids, Figured and Plain Silk Velvets, Woollen Velvets and other fancy style of Vestings. Our assortment is extensive and terms reasonable. LIPPINCOTT & PARRY,
Dealers in Cloths, cassimeres &c., No. 57 North Second street.
Philadelphia, 9th Month 2d, 1844. 36—2mo

YOUNG LADIES' High School.

MISS ALLEN,

RESPECTFULLY announces to the parents of her former pupils, and those who feel disposed to entrust their children to her charge, that she has associated with her in conducting the school,

MISS CAROLINE B. WHIPPLE,

Of New Hampton Collegiate Institute, who will teach *Drawing, Painting, Spanish, Italian, &c.,*

In addition to the other branches heretofore taught in the School.

The terms for the Elementary Branches will be the same as heretofore. Additional charges will be made for the higher branches taught.

Miss A. feels flattered for the encouragement she has heretofore received, and therefore assures all those who entrust their children to her care, and those of her assistants, that every exertion on *their* part will be used to promote their intellectual, moral and religious culture, believing that they now combine all the requisite qualifications to give a finished education to young ladies.

The Fall term will commence on Wednesday, the 11th inst.
Pottsville, Sept. 7, 36—

PRIVATE SALE.

THE subscriber will sell at private sale, the following property, to wit: A small farm, containing 11 acres of land, in a good state of cultivation, together with a good orchard and a never failing spring of water, near the door of the house, situate on the Centre Turnpike, a half mile above Orwigsburg.—

The improvements consist of two good houses, a blacksmith shop, two spring houses, and a small barn. The ground is all in a good state of cultivation.

No 2. A Farm consisting of 95 acres of land, situated in Manheim township, Schuylkill county, about two miles from Orwigsburg and 3½ miles from Pottsville, on the new Township Road leading from Orwigsburg to Mount Carbon. Forty acres of this land is clear and in a good state of cultivation.

The improvements consist of a two story Stone House, Spring house, and Barn. There is a good orchard on this tract also, and a never failing spring of water near the door.

The above property will be sold at a reasonable rate to any person wishing to purchase, and possession given on the first of April next.

For terms &c., and other particulars, apply to the subscriber on the first described property.
Sept. 7. 35—3t* DANIEL DEIBERT.

Regimental Orders.

Head Quarters, First Regiment Schuylkill Co., Volunteers.

The First Regiment Schuylkill County Volunteers, composed of the following Companies, viz:

First Troop Schuylkill County Cavalry,
Minersville Artillerists,
Washington Artillerists,
National Light Infantry,
National Grays,
Schuylkill Haven Grays,
Minersville Blues,
Washington Yagers,

Will parade in the Borough of Pottsville, on Monday, September 16th, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

The line will be formed at 11 o'clock, A. M., in Centre street, right resting on Mahantango street, displaying North. By Command of the Colonel.
MICHAEL BRIGHT, Adjutant.
August 31 35—

GRIFFIN'S horse shoe nails, for sale at the Yard store. June 15 24— E. YARDLEY.

ELECTION Proclamation.

MAIN LINE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

PURSUANT to an act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, passed the 20th day of April, 1844, entitled "An act to reduce the debt, and to incorporate the Pennsylvania canal and railroad company."

I, JEREMIAH REED,

Sheriff of the county of Schuylkill, do hereby give notice to the qualified electors of said county, that an opportunity will be afforded them, on the second Tuesday of October, (which will be the 8th of said month,) at their respective places of holding general elections, of voting for or against the sale of the main line of the Pennsylvania canal and railroad, as is provided in the following section of said act:

SECTION 30. That so much of this act as relates to the sale of certain of the public works, shall not go into operation unless approved by a majority of the people in the manner following to wit: That at the next general election, the qualified voters of this Commonwealth, or as many of them as choose to do so, shall deposite in the ballot boxes, at the usual times and places provided by law, seperate ballots, endorsed "main line," with the words "for the sale of the main line" upon them, or "against the sale of the main line," as their opinions may be. That these votes shall be counted, returned and published, in like manner as the votes for Canal Commissioners are now provided by law to be; and if a majority of the votes cast at the general election, pursuant to this act, be "for the sale of the main line, then within ten days after the publication of the votes by the proper authority, the commissioners named in the second section shall proceed to execute this act, in manner and form as is herein provided; but if a majority of the votes cast aforesaid, be "against the sale of the main line," then so much of the act as applies to the sale of the main line, shall be null and void.

The return judges to meet in the Court house in the borough of Orwigsburg on FRIDAY, the 11th of October, 1844.

Given under my hand at my office in Orwigsburg, the 6th of September, A. D 1844.
JERMIAH REED, Sheriff
Orwigsburg, September, 6, 36—

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS in and by an act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act regulating the General Elections within the Commonwealth, passed the 2d day of July, A. D., 1839;" it is made the duty of the sheriff of every county, to give public notice of such election to be holden, and to make known in such notice what officers are to be elected: *Therefore,*

I, JEREMIAH REED,

High Sheriff of the county of Schuylkill, do MAKE KNOWS by this advertisement to the electors of said county of Schuylkill, that a

GENERAL ELECTION,

will be held in the said county, on TUESDAY, the 8th day of OCTOBER next, at the several districts thereof, as follows, to wit:

1. The electors of the Borough of Orwigsburg, will hold their election at the Court House, in the borough of Orwigsburg.

2. The electors of all that part of West Brunswig township, lying and being east of the following line, commencing at the sand hole on the Berks County line, thence by a straight line to the house of Samuel B. Mellin, including the same, thence to the farm of Wm. Matz excluding the same, thence to the farm of George Mengel, now occupied by Peter Miller, including the same, thence to the house of Jacob Petre including the same, thence by a straight line passing near Abraham Polstes, on the Manheim township line, to the house of Samuel Boyer, in the town of Port Clinton, in said township.

3. The electors of West Brunswig township, not included in the above boundaries, will hold their general elections as heretofore, at the Court House in the Borough of Orwigsburg.

4. The electors of East Brunswig township, will hold their election at the house of Henry Lutz, now occupied by Philip Moyer, in the town of McKeansburg.

5. The electors of Pine Grove township, will hold their election at the house of William Lutz, in the borough of Pinegrove.

6. The electors of Wayne township, will hold their election at the house of Leonard Sholl, inkeeper in the town of Friedensburg.

7. The electors of Upper Mahaptango township, will hold their elections at the house of Samuel Moyer, in said township.

8. The electors of Barry township, including the house occupied by Mr. Rawn, will hold their election at the house of Isaac Dengler, in said township.

9. The electors of Porter township, will hold their election at the house of Jacob Heberling, jr., in said township.

10. The electors of Lower Mahantongo township, will hold their general election, at the house of Joseph Oatman, in said township.

11. The electors of West Penn township will hold their election at the house now occupied by Jacob Schwartz, in said township.

12. The electors of Union township, will hold their election at the house of Jacob Eisenhower, in said township.

13. The electors of Rush township, will hold their election at the house of Jacob Faust, inkeeper, in said township.

14. The electors of the borough of Minersville, will hold their election at the house now occupied by Michael Weaver, in said borough.

15. The electors of that part of the township of Schuylkill, included in the following boundaries, viz: Beginning at the line between Schuylkill and East Brunswig townships, thence along the State road leading from Orwigsburg to Catawissa, crossing the line of the said townships of Schuylkill and East Brunswig, thence along said state road, to the northern line of Reisi township, including the said township of Schuylkill, and the northwest of said state road to the place of beginning, shall hereafter be an election district, and the qualified electors thereof, shall hold their general elections at the house of Nathan Barlow, in said township.

16. The qualified electors of Schuylkill township who heretofore held their elections at the house of Frederick Bensinger, jr., and who are not included in the above boundaries, will hold their general elections as heretofore at the house of said Frederick Bensinger, jr., in Schuylkill township.

17. The electors of that part of the townships of Norwegian and Branch, included within the following boundaries, to wit: Beginning at the Broad Mountain Hotel, including the same, from thence a south west corner to the west Branch of the river Schuylkill at Chapmansville, including the same, thence following the said west branch to the south of the Mine Hill gap, including the colleries at said gap, from thence a south east course to the west Norwegian creek, at Mann & Williams' collieries, including the same, from thence continuing the same course to G. Moore's tavern house, on the County turnpike, including the same, from thence an east course to Wadesville, including the same, from thence continuing the same course to the town of St. Clair, including the same to Mill creek, thence following the said Mill creek and valley, to the farm house of James C. Stevens, including the same, from thence a south west course to the Broad Mountain hotel, to the place of beginning, and the electors of that part of Branch township, lying west of Chapmansville, in said township, to Rahn's tavern on the Minersville road, and south of the west branch of the river Schuylkill, (who heretofore held their elections at Llewellyn) shall hereafter be an election district, and the qualified voters thereof, shall hereafter hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Peter Kline, in the town of New Castle, in the township of Norwegian—*Provided*, that the said electors shall meet at the above named house, on the second Tuesday of October, in each and every year, between the hours of six and nine o'clock in the forenoon, and elect by ballot, officers to conduct said elections: *And provided further*, that the officers so elected under the provisions of this act, shall have power to appoint two clerks, according to existing laws, who shall be qualified voters of said township: *And provided further*, that the said election for officers, shall be superintended by the Constable of Norwegian township, who shall give public notice by handbills, at least fifteen days next preceeding the second Tuesday of October, in each and every year.

18. The qualified electors of the remaining part of Branch township, not included in the above boundaries, will hold their general elections as heretofore at the house of Jacob Heim, in the town of Llewellyn.

19. The qualified electors of that part of the townships of Norwegian and Schuylkill, who heretofore held their elections at the Port Carbon House, in the town of Port Carbon, and who are not included in the above boundaries, will hold their general elections as heretofore at the Port Carbon house, in the town of Port Carbon.

20. All the qualified electors, residing on the east side of Norwegian street, in the borough of Pottsville, and county of Schuylkill, including that portion of the qualified electors in Manheim township who have heretofore voted in the ballot box of said borough, shall form a seperate election district, and continue to hold their elections at the public house of Jacob Geisse, in said borough.

21. The North Ward in the borough of Pottsville, lying eastwardly of Centre street, shall be called the "Northeast Ward" and the qualified electors thereof, shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Maximilian Doerflinger, in said borough.

22. The North Ward in the borough of Pottsville, lying westwardly of Centre street, shall be called the "North west Ward," and the qualified electors thereof, including that portion of the electors of Norwegian township, who have heretofore voted in said borough, shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Nathanael J. Mills.

23. That part of the township of Manheim, lying north of the summit of the second mountain, and east of the River Schuylkill, shall form another and a seperate election district, and the qualified voters residing within the bounds thereof, shall hereafter hold their general elections at the "Mount Carbon Hotel," in said township.

21. That the electors of Manheim township, lying southeast of the following line:—commencing at the township line of Wayne and Manheim townships, on the Summer Hill, thence along the Summer Hill and Orwigsburg road, to the house of Widow Sweicker, and the house of John Dewalt, excluding the same, thence to the house of Philip Drumheller, thence to the house of John Deibert, at the Centre turnpike; thence to the house of John Batz; thence to the house of Philip Rock; thence to the house of John Shoener, jr., including the same; thence to the township line of said Manheim and Schuylkill townships, shall hold their general elections at the Court House, in the borough of Orwigsburg.

25. The electors of the remaining part of Manheim township, and the borough of Schuylkill Haven, will hold their election at the house of Philip Boyer, inkeeper, in the borough of Schuylkill Haven.

26. The electors of the borough of Tamaqua, will hold their election at the school house, in said borough.

At which time and places, are to be elected by the freemen of the county of Schuylkill—

One Person
For Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

One Person
As Canal Commissioner of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

One Person
To represent the Congressional District, composed of the counties of Schuylkill, Dauphin and Lebanon, in the Congress of the United States.

One Person
To represent the Senatorial District, composed of the counties of Schuylkill, Carbon, Monroe and Pike, in the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Francis W. Hughes, Esq.

Two Persons
For members of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

One Person
For Coroner of the county of Schuylkill.

One Person
For county Commissioner.

One Person
For Director of the Poor.

One Person
For County Auditor.

Two Persons
For Trustees of the Orwigsburg Academy, in the county of Schuylkill.

The general election, to be opened between the hours of 8 and 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall continue without interruption or adjournment, until 7 o'clock in the evening, when the polls shall be closed.

In pursuance of an act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act relating to the elections of this Commonwealth," passed the 2d day of July, A. D., 1839, Notice is hereby given,

"That the Inspectors and Judges, chosen as aforesaid, shall meet at the respective places appointed for holding the election in the districts to which they respectively belong, before nine o'clock in the morning of the second Tuesday in October, in each and every year, and each of said inspectors shall appoint one clerk, who shall be a qualified voter of such district.

"In case the person who shall have received the second highest number of votes for inspector, shall not attend on the day of election, then the person who shall have received the second highest number of votes for judge at the next preceding election shall act as inspector in his place, And in case the person who shall have received the highest number of votes for inspector shall not attend, the person elected judge, shall appoint an inspector in his place; and in case the person elected judge shall not attend, then the inspector who received the highest number of votes, shall appoint a judge in his place; and if any vacancy shall continue in the board for the space of one hour, after the time fixed by law for opening the election, the qualified voters of the township, ward or district, for which such officer shall have been elected, present at the place of election, shall elect one of their number, to fill such vacancy.

"It shall be the duty of said assessors respectively to attend at the place of holding every general, special or township election during the whole time the election is kept open, for the purpose of giving information to the inspectors and judges when called on in relation to the right of any person assessed by them to vote at such election, or such other matters in relation to the assessments of voters as the said inspectors or judge; or either of them, shall from time to time require.

"That no person shall be permitted to vote at any election, as aforesaid, other than a white freeman of the age of twenty one years or more, who shall have resided within the state at least one year, and in the election district where he offers to vote at least ten days immediately preceding the election, and within two years paid a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least ten days before the election. But a citizen of the United States who had previously been a qualified voter of this state, and removed therefrom and returned, and who shall have resided in the election district, and paid taxes as aforesaid, shall be entitled to vote after residing in this state six months:—Provided, that the white freemen citizens of the United States, between the ages of 21 and 22 years, and having resided in this state one year, and in the election district ten days as aforesaid, shall be entitled to vote, although they shall not have paid taxes.

"No person shall be permitted to vote whose name is not contained in the list of taxable inhabitants furnished by the commissioners as aforesaid, unless First: He produces a receipt for the payment within two years, of a state or county tax assessed agreeably to the constitution, and give satisfactory evidence either on his own oath or affirmation of another, that he has paid such a tax, or on failure to produce a receipt, shall make oath to the payment thereof, or Second: If he claims a right to vote by being an elector between the ages of twenty-one and twenty two years, he shall depose on oath or affirmation, that he has resided in the state at least one year next before his application, and make such proof of residence in the district, as is required by this act, and that he does verily believe from the accounts given him that he is of the age aforesaid, and give such other evidence as is required by this act, whereupon the name of the person so admitted to vote shall be inserted in the alphabetical list by the inspectors and a note made opposite thereto by writing the word "tax" if he shall be admitted to vote by reason of having paid a tax, or the word "age," if he shall be admitted to vote on account of his age, and in either case the reason of such vote shall be called out to the clerks; who shall make the like notes in the list of voters kept by them.

"In all cases where the name of the person claiming to vote is not found on the list furnished by the commissioners and assessors, or his right to vote whether found thereon or not is objected to by any qualified citizens, it shall be the duty of the inspectors to examine such person on oath as to his qualifications, and if he claims to have resided within the state for one year or more his oath sh