# The Miners' Journal

POTTSVILLE, PA.

SATURDAY, FEB. 18, 1854.


☞ *THE MINERS' JOURNAL has a larger circulation than any other Newspaper published in Northern Pennsylvania. It circulates among the Coal, Iron and business men, not only in this and the adjoining counties, but in all our cities, and it also circulates largely among the miners in Schuylkill county, which renders it one of the most valuable Advertising mediums in the County. But few papers have so many capitalists enrolled on its subscription list.*

☞ *Clergymen and Public School Teachers will be supplied with The Miners' Journal at $1 per annum, in advance.*


AGENTS FOR MINERS' JOURNAL:

Col. JAMES J. CONNOR, Ashland.

FREDERICK LAUDENBERGER, Tamaqua;

THOMPSON A. GODFREY, Tremont;

CHARLES H. HUBBARD, 71 Pine St., New York.

C. F. NORTON, Coal Merchant, 224 Walnut St. Philadelphia.

Who are authorized to receive subscriptions, advertisements, &c., for the *Miners' Journal*, and receipt for the same.


## WHIG COUNTY MEETING.

The Democratic Whig citizens of Schuylkill county are requested to meet in the Court House, in Pottsville, on Monday, the 6th day of March next, at one o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of selecting Delegates to the Whig State Convention, which will meet at Harrisburg, on the 15th of March, to nominate candidates for Governor, Canal Commissioner, and Supreme Judge. A general attendance is requested.

JEREMIAH REED, J. M. REINHART,
DANIEL H. STAGER, ISRAEL REED,
DR. D. J. MCKIBBIN, JOHN K. CLEMENT,
SAMUEL KELLER,
*Standing Committee.*

## WHIG STATE CONVENTION.

A meeting of the WHIG STATE COMMITTEE, held pursuant to public notice, in Philadelphia, on TUESDAY, the 13th of December, in the absence of the Chairman, A. K. CORNYN, was called to the Chair.

The subject of the meeting having been stated, it was, on motion of Col. Edie, of Somerset, unanimously

*Resolved*, That a Convention of Delegates of the Whig party be held at Harrisburg, on the 15th day of March, 1854, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Governor, Canal Commissioner, and Supreme Court.

A. K. CORNYN, *Chairman.*

HENRY S. EVANS, *Secretary.*

## RECEIPTS,

*For "Miners' Journal" since last Publication.*

☞ We hope those in arrears abroad will forward their amounts due as speedily as possible—as our expenses for paper and labor are very heavy.

John J. Paxton to January 1, 1855, $ 2 00
W. Dodson to January 1, 1854, 2 00
Peter F. Ludwig to January 1, 1855, 2 00
John Wartzstadt to January 1, 1854, 2 00
Wm. J. Swainmire to January 23, 1854, 2 00
Jacob Hammer, Esq., to January 1, 1854, 2 00
Edward Pugh to January 1, 1854, 2 00
Samuel Cliff to January 1, 1854, 1 00
Joseph Ammerman to July 1, 1854 2 00
Jonas Beck to July 1, 1854, 2 00
Henry Minute to January 1, 1855 2 00
G. J. Nevin to January 1, 1855, 2 00
Thomas Robinson to January 1, 1855, 2 00
Charles W Faust to February 4, 1855, 2 00
Comm'rs. Schuylkill Co. to January 1, 1854, 100
Miners' Bank to January 1, 1854, 1 00
Jesse Foster to January 1, 1854, 2 00
Thomas J. McNally to January 1, 1855, 2 00
Joseph Smith to January 1, 1855, 2 00
Isaac S. Thompson & Co. to January 1, 1855, 2 00
Kistler, Gilbert & Co. to January 1, 1855, 2 00
Jonathan Weitzel to August 11, 1855, 2 00
Aaron Reichardt to May 1, 1854, 2 00
C. F. Pennypacker to June 14, 1854, 2 00
Justus St. Aubeyer to February 11, 1855, 2 00
Isaac Eckert to January 1, 1855, 2 00
William Heilner to February 11, 1855, 2 00
I. S. Burkhiser & Son to January 1, 1855 2 00
J. Rupert to February 11, 1855, 2 00
Maxwell, Culin & Co. to February 11, 1855, 2 00
Miss Kate McCamant to July 1, 1854, 50
Frank Conner to January 1, 1854, 2 25
Robert Wright to January 1, 1855, 2 00
Daniel Wallian to August 10, 1854, 1 00
Jacob Meacle, Esq., to November 10, 1854, 2 00

## BUSINESS DEPARTMENT.

☞ HARPER for February, has been received, and is for sale at BANNAN'S Bookstore.

☞ BURTON & LANING, 124 Arch street, Philadelphia, announce a large and handsome assortment of Wall Paper.

☞ H STRAUCH of this place will furnish and put up Circular Saw Mills of the most approved construction.

☞ GEO. W. SLATER will publicly sell on the 6th March several valuable properties in this place. There is a capital opportunity for making a paying investment. Examine his adv.

☞ PLATFORM SCALES, for every variety of purpose, at Abbot & Co.'s, corner 9th and Melon streets, Philadelphia. They are guaranteed to be correct

☞ The Liquor Bill has been made the special order of the day in the House, at Harrisburg, for Thursday next, 23d.

☞ GOOD NEWS.—The Water Bill, for this Borough, we learn from good authority, has passed the House at Harrisburg. It passed the Senate some time ago.

☞ SENATOR Hendricks and Messrs. Strong, Hipple and Horn of the House, at Harrisburg, have our thanks for valuable documents.

☞ IS IT TRUE?—It is directly charged from Harrisburg that Governor Bigler is using his influence in the Legislature to defeat a Prohibitory Liquor Law Bill. Can this be possible? If so the people ought to know it.

☞ MR. CROSLAND has handed us another communication upon his Railroad Monitor, but we are obliged, for want of room, to defer its publication till next week.

The model he has been engaged making for some time past was completed and started for Washington yesterday.

☞ JNO. HENDRICKS, ESQ., ON THE LIQUOR BILL.—The decided position taken by our State Senator on the Prohibitory Law, (see the votes as recorded in the Legislative proceedings in full in another column,) is particularly gratifying to his constituents. We may state in explanation, that on the day the eighth section was considered, Mr. H. was absent in this County on important business—hence his name does not appear in the proceedings.

☞ COLERAIN COLLIERY.—This large operation, to which we lately called attention in our advertising columns, was sold at Administrators' sale last week—Lewis Audenried, Esq., of Philadelphia, being the purchaser, for $75,0 00. This includes coal breakers, screens, three stationary engines, pumps, 57 drift cars, 26 miners' houses, a steam saw mill adjoining, and a lease on the coal veins and lands for the period of 25 years. The property is located near Beaver Meadow, in Carbon county, and belonged to the estate of John O. Cleaver, deceased.

☞ OWEN F. JOHNSON, Esq., died, a vagrant, in the work-house at Washington city, on Friday of last week. He was Attorney General of this State under the Administration of Governor Porter, was a man of much talent and influence, stood prominent among the politicians of that day, was a good lawyer, an eloquent speaker and a finished writer. But for some years past he has led a miserable, dissipated life, and for the last few months has been a common drunkard about the streets of Washington. On Friday he was picked up in a helpless condition and put in the guard-house, where he died alone and uncared-for. Thus endeth the drunkard's course! Ah, Rum, what hast thou not to answer for!

☞ MORE RAILROADS IN SCHUYLKILL CO.—We are always glad to herald the introduction of more railroads among us. It speaks well for the spirit of enterprise among our people, and moreover, shows that there is something in the County worth building railroads for.

The Mine Hill & Schuylkill Haven R. R. Co. have procured a charter and will shortly undertake the connection of the Swatara Extension of their Road with the Dauphin & Susquehanna Road at Mt. Eagle. The distance is only about 13 or 14 miles. They also propose to build the branch road from Westwood to Pottsville. This, we believe, is to be made during the coming summer. When both are completed, we shall have two direct railway routes from Pottsville to Harrisburg. The improvements by the West Branch Co., will also afford various important facilities for the local trade and travel of the County.

The Mine Hill & Schuylkill Haven Extension to Ashland, by which railway communication is to be opened between us and Sunbury, will be completed and ready for use in June next.

☞ IF DR. THOMAS BLACKWOOD, who arrived in Philadelphia in 1832 from Londonderry, and who was a surgeon in the U. S. Army in the late war with Mexico, will send his address to Michael Horan, Minersville, Pa., he will learn something to his advantage.

☞ THE movement now agitated in some quarters, to fix the sessions of the Supreme Court of the State permanently at Harrisburg, we find by our exchanges, is very generally opposed—and justly so. The original arrangement was made for the convenience of the people and not of the judges, and if the latter are not pleased with it, plenty of others can readily be found to supply their places, as soon as they vacate them.

## DIGNIFIED (!) LEGISLATION.

Last week, when the Prohibitory Liquor Law was made the special order of the day in the House, there was a full attendance of the members and a good sprinkling of visitors to watch the proceedings. The House went into Committee of the Whole, Mr. Roberts, of Fayette, in the chair, and Mr. Johnston, of Northampton, in the progress of the action offered the following:

*Provided*, That in order that such agent or agents so as aforesaid appointed may be uniformly known and distinguished as such officers throughout the Commonwealth, every such agent shall be required to wear a green coat, a pair of striped pantaloons of green and yellow, Conestoga boots, square at the toes, and that part bound with iron, a belt about his body, from which shall be suspended at the one side a large cheese knife, and upon the other a common hand-driver, a hat made of patent leather, the color of a brick, in the front of which shall be affixed, after the manner of a cockade, a calf's tail, not less than eighteen inches in length; upon his heart a brass plate, inscribed thereon, "The Law and its Officers."

This was read, laughed at and pronounced to be out of order; when MR. SMITH, of Berks, seeing how little wit it took to raise a laugh, tried his hand, by offering as an amendment:

That nothing contained in this bill will apply to any person or persons by party, except he who votes with the black cockade faction known as Blue Light Federalists.

This of course was also declared out of order, but the constituents of these gentlemen must feel proud of the dignity, wit and high legislative ability of their representatives. We shall keep an eye on these witty gentlemen, Messrs. Johnston and Smith, for their own and their country's good.

## INTEMPERANCE AND CRIME IN PHILADELPHIA.

The Philadelphia *Sun* states that Judge Kelly has written a letter to a friend in this city, showing by the statistics of the number of commitments to the County Prison since the passage of the existing Liquor Law, how frightfully they have augmented, under the policy of treating the liquor traffic as a question of revenue, instead of a question of morals. On the 1st September, 1849, the present law went into operation, and that year the commitments were 5790; in 1850 they increased to 7687; in 1851 to 10,862; in 1852 to 11,156; and in 1853 they had more than doubled, reaching 11,632. The Judge also exhibits the fact that up to the time this law for the promotion of vice and immorality went into operation, there has never been 1000 white women committed to prison in any one year: since that time there has never been less, and last year there were 2294; while the infants, many of them borne upon their bosoms, were not violators of the law, and therefore do not appear in the number of commitments!

What a horrible picture!—the commitments DOUBLED IN FIVE YEARS! And with these facts staring the people in the face, is it not a burning shame and disgrace to Philadelphia, to find her whole Senatorial representation voting in favor of Rum and against Prohibition year after year. We think we see shame and mortification mantling the cheeks of every friend of humanity in the community. Oh! we recollect how every heart was gladdened, and a shout of joy went up from the broken-hearted wife of the poor inebriate, at the election of ELI K. PRICE to the Senate—but that joy has been turned into gloom and bitter agony. Well may the poor victims exclaim.—"Returned from our rum politicians, and elevated men who we're highly respected and esteemed in the community—we rejoiced in their triumph—but, alas! these no have deserted and betray ed us, almost in the hour of triumph—they too can fold their arms and see *"Thousands perish,"* and will not lend a helping hand because, forsooth, their *private* views do not square with the views of *ninety-nine hundredths* of the friends of temperance throughout the country. Oh, has Justice and Mercy "fled to brutish hearts?"—Why, the very dogs do not desert us in our distress and misery—but

"Man's inhumanity to man
Makes countless thousands mourn"

## RAILROADS.

☞ *Catawissa Railway.*—The Milton *Democrat* says most of the sections of the Catawissa Railroad between that place and Milton, are graded, and a number of the cross ties furnished.

☞ *A Good* Locomotive Engine costs from $9000 to $10,500, and it would take nine men a whole year to build one well, with all the machine power of the best machine-shops to aid them in the work.

☞ *The Subscription* of $25,000 by the Borough of Sunbury to the stock of the Susquehanna railroad Company, which had certain conditions thereunto annexed, was made absolute, at a meeting of the Councils last week.

## THE COAL TRADE FOR 1854.

The quantity sent by Railroad this week is 23,955 07 tons, against 11,851 17 tons for the corresponding week last year. The increase this year is 31,125 12 tons.

The shipments from Richmond have increased a few thousand tons the last week, but the obstructions by ice and the high rate of freight confine the business to the absolute necessities of the trade. The freight to Boston is quoted at 54 per ton.

The Strike in the Cumberland Region still continues, and but little Coal is mined. The business for the week is only 832 tons, and for the year 17,655 tons. The Cumberland *Miners' Journal* states that the falling off of the trade in consequence of the Strike is equal to 40,000 tons.

The Boatmen held a meeting at Schuylkill Haven on Wednesday, and fixed the opening price of freights as follows—

| | PHILA. | N. YORK |
|---|---|---|
| From Port & Mt. Carbon, | 80 | 1 80 |
| " Schuylkill Haven, | 75 | 1 75 |
| " Port Clinton, | 70 | 1 70 |

These rates 10 cents a ton higher than the opening rates last Spring.

## REPORT OF SHIPMENTS

From Richmond, for the week ending on Saturday, Feb. 4 1854:

| Sch. | Bt. | Sg. | Sch. | Sls. | Rst | Destination. | Tons |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 3 | | | | | |
| | | 2 | | | | Boston & vicinity | 528 |
| | | 1 | | | | Cons. & R. I. | 330 |
| | | 3 | | | | N. & Sw. Scotia | 1093 |
| | 1 | 6 | 3 | 14 | | North River | |
| | | | | | | Southern Ports | 2106 |
| T'l | 1 | 19 | 3 | 14 | For the week, | | 4,057 |
| Total for the season | | | | | 620 | For season, | 21,573 |
| To same time last year, | | | | | | | 17,955 |

Boston and vicinity includes everything coasting East of Cape Cod, to Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Maine.

Southern Ports includes everything to the South ern States and West Indies, as well as to all towns on Delaware River below Richmond.

## PHILADELPHIA & READING RAILROAD FOR 1853-'54.

Amount of Coal transported on the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad, during the week ending Thursday Evening last.

| | WEEK. | TOTAL. |
|---|---|---|
| From Port Carbon, | 7,140 07 | 77,424 16 |
| " Pottsville, | 1,597 14 | 14,100 02 |
| " Schuylkill Haven, | 8,192 05 | 87,592 01 |
| " Port Clinton, | 7,024 01 | 68,546 17 |
| Total | 23,955 07 | 297,662 16 |
| To same time last year | | 266,537 04 |
| Increase so far | | 31,125 12 |

## RAILROADS—1854.

The following is the quantity of Coal transported over the different Railroads in Schuylkill County for the week ending Thursday evening:

| | WEEK | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|
| Mine Hill & S. H. R. R. | 9,115 15 | 44,477 11 |
| Little Schuylkill " | 4,768 04 | 37,569 00 |
| Mill Creek " | 3,585 14 | 28,810 13 |
| Mount Carbon " | 2,232 17 | 16,122 06 |
| Schuylkill Valley " | 2,196 09 | 12,125 10 |
| Mt. & Pt. Carbon " | 6,118 15 | 34,369 10 |


## NEW ADVERTISMTS.

### A New and Capital Article.

*Pens that will not corrode.*

JUST RECEIVED, the California Pen, a superior article that will not corrode, possessing the flexibility and durability of the Gold Pen, at a low price, by the gross or single pen. For sale at

E. BANNAN'S
Book and Stationery Store.

☞ Dealers supplied at Wholesale prices.

Feb. 18, 1854 1—

### Circular Saw Mills

*AND MILLWRIGHTING.*

THE Subscriber has made arrangements to furnish at short notice CIRCULAR SAW MILLS, of the most approved kind, as cheap as they can be got from the manufacturer. These are about 25 per cent. cheaper than those in general use in the region. He will also personally attend to putting up Mills of all kinds.

H. STRAUCH.

Feb. 18, 1854 7-5m*

### TO THE PUBLIC

THE Subscriber having purchased all of T. C. Hoyle's stock, good-will and everything pertaining to his business, in Pottsville, in July last, and from notices in the public prints, contrary to our agreement made expressly to the effect that he, T. C. Hoyle, would not commence business again in this place, has again commenced doing business here. I now have the same matter in hand as Thomas Hoyle, who no doubt will make an honest distinction, whether pledged faith is worthy of being patronized.

H. W. CHIPMAN.

February 18, 1854. 7-3t*

### PLATFORM SCALES,

*OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,*

SUITABLE for Railroads, Canals, &c., for weighing hay, coal, ore, and merchandize generally.—Purchasers may feel assured that they can be supplied with a superior article of platform scales on this side. Each scale is guaranteed correct, and if (after trial) not found satisfactory, can be returned without charge. Factory at the old stand, established for thirty years, corner of Ninth and Melon streets, near Cuths Street, Philadelphia. ABBOTT & CO.,
Successors to Elliott & Abbott.

Feb. 18, 1854 7-3m

### New Wall Paper Warehouse.

BURTON & LANING,
MANUFACTURERS & IMPORTERS,
No. 124 *Arch Street, second door above Sixth,*
*PHILADELPHIA.*

WHERE may be found the largest and handsomest assortment in the city.

Purchasers from the country will find it to their advantage to call at our store, where they will be supplied with a superior article, at the lowest prices.

No. 124 Arch Street, above Sixth, Philad'a.

Feb 18, 1854 7-3m

### FRUIT
—AND—
### ORNAMENTAL TREES.

The subscriber will receive orders for all kinds of Fruit Trees, such as Apple, Peach, Plum, Apricot, Cherry, Quince, &c., &c., by the hundred, dozen or single tree.

Also, for Raspberry and Strawberry Plants, Gooseberry Bushes, Rhubarb Plants, &c., &c., together with Shrubbery of every description, Bulbous Roots, Victorian Roots, &c.

European Linden, English Walnut, Silver Maples and other ornamental trees.

☞ In order to receive GOOD TREES, it is important that orders should be sent in early. None kinds are cared and cannot be procured if the orders are not received early in the season.

H. BANNAN,
Agent for two extensive Nurseries.

Feb. 18, 1854 3-7—

### TOWN HALL
### Immense Success of the
GREAT MORAL LESSON,
OF
"UNCLE TOM'S CABIN"

PATRONIZED by the BEAUTY and INTELLIGENCE of Pottsville, who nightly crowd the Hall to witness the representation of

### ROSE MERRIFIELD
**As the Eccentric "TOPSY,"**

with all her CHARMING SONGS, and

*LITTLE CLARICE CAPPEL,*

As "EVA," the Flower of the South; who nightly wins the appreciation of an enlightened audience.

THIS EVENING, Feb. 18th, and every evening till further notice.

ADMITTANCE 25 cents; Select Seats, 50 cts. Commence at 7½ o'clock.

Feb. 18, 1854 7-1t

### PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the Honorable Charles W. Heisse, Esq., President of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Schuylkill, in Pennsylvania, and Justice of the several Courts of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery in said county, the Hon. D. S. Dubley and Solomon Foster, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery, in the 52d district, have ordered a Court of Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden at Pottsville on MONDAY, the 6th day of March next, at 10 o'clock A. M., to continue two weeks if necessary.

Notice is therefore hereby given to the Coroner, the Justices of the Peace and the Constables of the said County of Schuylkill, that they and by the said precepts commanded to be then and there, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations and all other remembrances, to do those things which, to their several offices, appertain to be done; and all those that are bound by recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall then be in the gaol of said county of Schuylkill, are to be then and there to prosecute them as shall be just.

*God save the Commonwealth.*

JASON NAGLE, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, }
February 18, 1854 }

N. B.—The witnesses and jurors who are summoned to attend said Court, are required to attend punctually, in case of non-attendance, the law in such cases made and provided will be strictly enforced. This notice is published by order of the Court; those concerned will govern themselves accordingly.

### SHERIFF'S SALE of REAL ESTATE

BY virtue of a writ of *Venditioni Exponas*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill County, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale or vendue, on SATURDAY, March 11th, 1854, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon, at the Public House of FRANKLIN B. KAERCHER, (Exchange Hotel,) in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, the following described Real Estate, to wit:

ALL those four certain lots pieces of ground situate on the southeast side of Valley Street, in the town of New Philadelphia, Schuylkill County, being the lots which are numbered No 1, 2, 3 and 4, on the map or plan known, as recently laid out by William Wetherill and others, and taken in together, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a post on the southeast corner of Valley and Barlow streets, thence along said Barlow street south 52 degrees east, 149 feet to a post, thence by ground of the said William Wetherill and others, north 61 degrees east 62 feet to a post, and north 15½ degrees east, 61 feet to a post, thence by lot marked No. 5, on the above-said plan, north 52 degrees west, 164 feet to Valley street aforesaid, and southerly south 38½ degrees west, 129 feet to the place of beginning, with the improvements, consisting of a two-story Frame Tavern-House and a frame Stable, as the property of DANIEL G. BARNDT.

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold by

JAMES NAGLE, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, Feb. 18, 1854. }

### NEW BLACKSMITH'S SHOP.

THE undersigned begs leave to inform the citizens of Pottsville and its vicinity that he has opened a new Blacksmith's Shop in Seventh Street, between Market and Norwegian, on the lot of ground occupied in part by Haverly and Schuyler, as Wire Screen Manufacturers. He is prepared to do all kinds of Smith's Work, such as Horse-shoeing, Ironing Wagons, &c., &c. Also, Manufacturer of Grubbing Hoes and Ground Picks, Miners' Picks, Rakes, Sledges and Wedges. He would take this method of informing the Merchants that he manufactures Stamps for marking Tools, which are always made at the shortest notice. JAMES MATTER.

Pottsville, Dec. 3, 1853 49-6m.

### VALENTINES! VALENTINES!!

CUPID, the beautiful Goddess of Love, and her winged-eyed Cupid, have chosen for their residence the well-known depository of Rosey & Brown's Fancy Store, Centre Street, Pottsville, and have commissioned him, the celebrated projector of "VALENTINES," to officiate as the high priest of Love, Courtship and Matrimony.

Faithful to his trust, he is doing all in his power to further the interests of those youths and maidens who are suffering from an affection of the heart.—For all, of every age and of, every rank in life, he offers a specific that has never yet failed. Such is the resistless power of the splendid "VALENTINES" and by this philanthropist and conservator of the tender passions, that some makes love without sending the soul epidemic. It operates like an "Open Sesame," upon the heart of the most incorrigible and renders courtship as easy as it is delightful.—Single, whose hearts were susceptible, have been won by the gent Valentine, and thousands are now rejoicing in loving wives or affectionate husbands, declare, with tears of gratitude, that they are indebted for a whole life of happiness to the powerful Valentine of

CHARLES BARLET.

☞ Valentines. Valentine Cards, Valentine Writers, Envelopes, &c., &c., in every variety. Call or send to Head Quarters, and select from the largest assortment in the county, and at the lowest city prices.

Jan. 21, 1854 4-1t


## SHERIFF'S SALES.

### SHERIFF'S SALES of REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of sundry writs of *Venditioni Exponas and Levari Facias*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill County, and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale or Vendue, on SATURDAY, the 4th day of March, A. D. 1854, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Public House of COL. FRANKLIN B. KAERCHER, (Exchange Hotel) in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, the following described Real Estate, to wit:

*West Penn.*

J Kistler 1853 in full 1,642 41
*Rush.*
James Blew 1850 25 00
William Kamp 1852 100 00
Isaac Blew 1853 180 00
*Eldred.*
John Wetzel 1852 370 00
Daniel W Maner 1853 680 00
*Tremont.*
C L Pinkerton 1853 425 00
T A Godfrey 1853 650 00
*Tamaqua.*
J N Spicer 1852 in full 63 97
J N Spicer 1853 2,122 00
*Orwigsburg.*
Samuel Garret 1851 75 00
G B Zulich 1852 105 00
*Mansfield.*
D R Bennett 1852 in full 705 55
Richard Rear 1853 in full 1,511 92
*St. Clair.*
J Johnson 1852 in full 19 56
J Johnson 1853 1,050 00
*Mahanoy.*
Samuel Miller 1853 110 00
*Pottsville.*
C Worman 1852 in full 104 05
Wellington Kline 1851 2,737 15

$61,838 74

To balance due Schuylkill County in the hands of George D Boyer, Treasurer, $4,692 32

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By cash paid on orders of the Directors of the Poor and House of employment, from January 1853, to January 1854 $11,322 66

*County Prison.*

Paid Hotem & Shoener brick and mason work 1,664 24
Snyder & Milnes for pipe furnished 11 84
Lewis Vastine for iron hitching post 51 59
Samuel Faust for labor 18 00
Daniel Nagle for painting 18 39
James Teayne for hauling sand 2 00
N L Bron for services as Architect 250 00
Philip Winterstein for 16000 Boards 23 20
Henry Miller for hauling lime &c 20 00
George Beyerly for blacksmith work 117 83
James Shantle for 51 days labor 5 75
Jeremiah Wilhelm for putting up lamps posts &c 28 00
J Wren & Bro. fitting pri-on doors &c 15 50
Bowen & Bro for painting 63 05
Frank Pott for hardware during its construction 158 38
C Steward Patterson stone furnished for Prison lot 50 00
A P Boyer for lime 17 25
John Wenson for hauling 3 00
Jackson Wingert for hauling 3 12
Jacob Christian for manure & hauling 38 00
Charles Mudara for masonry of wall at prison lot 5 00
G S Patterson for stone delivered for wall at prison lot 75 00
Charles Kull for hauling stone for wall at prison lot 22 62
Charles Land for carpenter work at wall at prison lot 32 55
L Greenwood for 1 four wheel truck wagon 22 50
Isaac Severn for carpenter work *Court House*
Isaac Severn carpenter work 82 87
Abraham St Clair for stove and pipe and tin cases &c 17 38
Daniel Koch for 2 rocking chairs 31 00
Joseph Schaffner for coal delivered 10 00
Robert Smith for hauling 4 50
Jacob Kohler stone steps coping &c 378 00
H S Kupp for sand stone 182 98
John Seltzer for iron hitching posts and rant spouts 66 84
J S Nagle for repairs at furnace 6 00
Al Vandusen for conveying Grand Jury to Alms House 12 40
Fox & Carter conveying Grand Jury to Alms House 8 40
G S Patterson for hauling at Court House 17 75
Daniel Nagle for painting 358 45
Wm H Davise for repairing roof 24 00
Samuel Lewis for setting curb stone fixing a meridian line &c 34 00
E E Black lumber Court House lot 98 98
Samuel Faust for labor 55 00
J Cochran for digging on sand stone 10 50
Wm Pollock sqt for lumber 173 40
J Wilhelm for putting up gas fixtures 14 00
Milton Boone for gas 24 49
George Beyerly for blacksmith work 10 56
John D Moore for freight and toll for 20,000 brick 70 00
Thomas Irwing for paving brick 150 00
Wm Davis for 15 days hauling 31 00
Frederick Burton for 141 days labor 14 59
Daniel Martin for stone wall and laying pavement 117 78
N M Nunan for plumping pipe &c 38 50
John Betz for hauling 7 89
W & R Kline for 1 chest 4 00
Charles Bowman for plastering on fence 20 00
R Green for attending clock 18 00
Geo Heaton for an eight day clock 15 00
F Stoffregen for making locks & keys 4 50
James Focht for on soap candles &c 8 25
Wm Seltzer for 2 dozen chairs 9 50
Assessors for making assessments &c 956 90
Spring Election 1,319 71
General Election 777 63
Redemption money on unseated lands 811 28
Interest on County Bonds 698 19
Jury fees and Tipstaves 3,918 90
Constable return and mileage 3,583 73
Samuel Hunsinger for bill of Mdze 148 72
J N Spence and others for holding special election for Justice 13 38
John Reed for amt of premium for a co. loan 9 52
C Tower for tax advanced on unseated lots 40 00
Miners' Bank for temporary loan 61 53
" " discount 2,000 00
Henry Hoch for temporary loan 44 12
State Lunatic Hospital for boarding Jus Cavenaugh 500 00
State Lunatic Hospital for boarding Martin Peller 129 84
Wm S Clarkson for drawing draft for bridge 52 00
D D Lewis drawing draft for bridge 10 00
Wm Feger & S P Filbert for arresting J. Johnson for horse stealing 25 00
ALSO, All that certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, bounded on the west and east by lot of Samuel Heffner, on the south by an alley, on the north or front by Norwegian Street, containing in front 20 feet, and in depth 82 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story Stone Dwelling House, and a Frame Stable—as the property of PETER SHEAKER.

Seized, taken into execution, and will be sold by

JAMES NAGLE, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, Feb. 11, 1854. 6-4t

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### STATEMENT

*Of the Receipts and Expenditures of Schuylkill County, for 1853.*

GEORGE D. BOYER, *Treasurer of Schuylkill County, in account with Schuylkill County, from the 2d day of January, 1853, to the 31st day of December, A. D., 1853.*

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To balance remaining in the hands of G. D. Boyer, Treasurer, as per Auditor's report, $49 17
Cash received as County Loans, 8,900 00
" " for taxes on unseated lands redeemed, 3,659 39
Cash for taxes on un-seated land sold at Treasurer's Sale, 1852, 2,603 67
Cash for taxes on unseated land sold at Commissioners' Sale, 1852, 703 29
Cash received for Writs, Rent, &c., 2,295 60
Cash received for Wm Pluyre for lumber purchased from Commissioners, 267 83
Cash Com'nwealth vs. Thos. Kale by the hands of I. Strauch. 6 00
G B Boyer for 30 lb Rope purchased from Commissioners, 5 00
Abraham Schwenck, strays, 5 64
Dennis McCaffrey, Inquest, 51 50
Burd Patterson, for 9,500 bricks, freight and 60 82 55
J & S Derr, for old cast iron purchased from Commissioners, 19 55
Jacob Reed, for wagon sold by the Commissioners, 10 00
Benj. Clayton, for planks purchased, 8 00
Michael Cochran, for old lumber, 32 00
Peter Horn, strays, 26 35
Raul Brand, Esq., fines, 8 75
Michael Quinn, witness fees overpaid, 62
To Cash received for fines on unseated land sold at Treasurer's sale, 1852, 232 15
Cash for taxes on unseated land, 2 49

AMOUNT RECEIVED FROM COLLECTORS

*Barry.*

To cash of E. Dengler 1851 in full 51 09
Daniel Rahn 1852 150 00
Israel Reed 1853 300 00
*Branch.*
P Gores for T. Allen 1849 67 97
John Rodgers, 1851 in full 302 61
Jacob F Heen 1852 99 81
Hiram Chance 1853 1,450 00
*Butler.*
R C Wilson 1853 in full 145 50
Andrew Wilson 1852 150 00
Andrew Wilson 1853 300 00
*Blyth.*
George Barnhart 1850 300 00
" " 1852 85 00
" " 1853 1,599 00
*East Brunswick.*
Henry Boyer 1852 in full 180 62
William Boyer 1853 617 95
H Fahl, W Brunswig, 1852 200 00
" " 1853 1,098 00
*Port Clinton.*
Samuel Boyer 1853 in full 209 00
*Schuylkill Haven.*
Philip Boyer 1851 200 00
Andrew Willower 1850 255 00
John Rudy 1852 519 48
William Koch 1853 938 00
*Tremont.*
W F Bertheiser 1852 in full 787 36
John W Heffner 1853 1,261 25
*North Manheim.*
James Lessig 1852 800 00
D H Ashburn 1853 1,000,00
*South Manheim.*
Franklin Webber 1852 270 00
Daniel Heim 1852 in full 431 51
*Lower Mahantongo.*
John Schaffner 1852 375 00
Daniel Artz 1853 1,464 67
*Upper Mahantongo.*
Daniel Godshall 1852 in full 21 75
Daniel Godshall 1853 601 00
*Pinegrove Tp*
Jacob Heebner 1852 in full 316 00
*Porter.*
Jacob Heebner 1852 67 00
John Wolf 1853 351 71
*Union.*
Samuel Miller 1851 in full 93 36
J Isenhower 1852 in full 628 71
*East Norwegian*
Chas Smith 1852 425 00
William C Patterson 1853 300 00
*Port Carbon*
Charles Smith 1853 1,113 68
*Cass*
Patrick Christopher 1852 200 00
Thomas Martin 1853 1,400 89
*Frailey*
B E Reed for E E Thompson 1851 32 17
Jacob Hubsig 1850 40 00
G W Lehman 1852 203 00
Michael Bressler 1853 364 13
*New Castle*
Samuel Hefner 1850 30 00
Percival Bombey 1853 1,569 01
*Norwegian*
Edward O'Conner 1852 200 00
John Reed 1853 2,000 00
*Schuylkill*
Wm Markle 1852 in full 363 92
Daniel Maderord 1853 1,000 00
John Sheriden for 41 days services making water trench 4 50
R Edwards for publishing statement 5 00
Jas A McBerron services keeping Commonwealth docket 24 00
Robert H Hobart for services transcribing Assessments 1853 16 50
T J McCammant for services transcribing Assessments 1853 7 50
Henry Krebs for clerking in Commissioners office &c 208 75
John Dager for erving Com'rs sale 13 00
Jacob Kline for horse and carriage hire and expenses for holding appeals of the triennial assessment 1853 118 18
Isaac Strauch for horse and carriage hire and expense for holding appeals of the triennial assessment 1853 53 99
John Wetzel 1852 ——
D W Maurer 1853 149 30
Jacob Kline on account of services as commissioner 150 00
Isaac Strauch for services as commissioner and extra to Oct 26 1853 269 00
George Hartlein for 33 days services as county Commissioner in visiting bridges and distributing election papers &c 64 50
George Hartlein for 197 days as county commissioner 160 50
John Hannan for professional services for 1852 102 55
R M Palmer counsel to commissioners 118 50
R M Palmer District Atty fees Commissioners cases 187 50
Henry Bock for services as court house attendance 400 00
Lewis Reeser for recording deeds and searches 18 49
Saml B Fisher for services relative to triennial assessment 1853 25 00
F B Kaercher for services as commissioners clerk 250 00
F B Kaercher for expenses for distributing assessments 3 12
John W Taylor counsel &c 117 00
Thomas Foster 52 days service as commissioner 78 00
George Hartlein for services rendered in distributing assessments and duplicates 25 00
John Harlan Prothy amount of Judgment Lykens vs county 100 00
John Harlan for recording road proceedings by order of court 453 00
J M Richards for keeping commissioners office 30 00
B Bartholomew & District Atty fees 43 50
A P Boyer for 100 bushels lime for prison 18 00
Saml Foust for 19½ days labor at court house 19 50
Chas Madara for stone wall at prison lot 57 52
Philip Kohler on account of contract curb Stone &c 100 00
C Potter for binding duplicate books 10 50
Chas Bushaur for 10 election boxes 7 75
Michael Fritz for witness fees in case Lykens vs county 5 16
F H Hoeptine for making out duplicates 2 50
Hoepstine and McCamment making out duplicates 2 50
Saml Lewis for setting curb stone 5 00
Jonathan Kistler for repairing bridges 8 65
Daniel Reed for services as Assessor 275 00
D Nagle for painting at county prison 20 61
Wm Matthews for constable fees Commonwealth cases 13 14
Nathan Barlow for justices fees Commonwealth cases 4 75
Charles Bushaur for 2 rocking chairs 31 00
J Seltzinger for coal delivered 18 25
Robert Smith for hauling 4 50
Jacob Kohler stone steps coping &c 378 00
H S Kupp for sand stone 182 98
John Seltzer for iron hitching posts and rant spouts 66 84
J S Nagle for repairs at furnace 6 00
Al Vandusen for conveying Grand Jury to Alms House 12 40
Fox & Carter conveying Grand Jury to Alms House 8 40
G S Patterson for hauling at Court House 17 75
Daniel Nagle for painting 358 45
Wm H Davise for repairing roof 24 00
Samuel Lewis for setting curb stone fixing a meridian line &c 34 00
E E Black lumber Court House lot 98 98
Samuel Faust for labor 55 00
J Cochran for digging on sand stone 10 50
Wm Pollock sqt for lumber 173 40
J Wilhelm for putting up gas fixtures 14 00
Milton Boone for gas 24 49
George Beyerly for blacksmith work 10 56
John D Moore for freight and toll for 20,000 brick 70 00
Thomas Irwing for paving brick 150 00
Wm Davis for 15 days hauling 31 00
Frederick Burton for 141 days labor 14 59
Daniel Martin for stone wall and laying pavement 117 78
N M Nunan for plumping pipe &c 38 50
John Betz for hauling 7 89
W & R Kline for 1 chest 4 00
Charles Bowman for plastering on fence 20 00
R Green for attending clock 18 00
Geo Heaton for an eight