the story of the fights he had been in at Belmont, at Fort Henry, and Fort Donelson, where Logan was wounded at Shiloh, at the Big Black and Champion Hill, and finally at Vicksburg. But even then he was not done. There was not time that evening to tell all. In listening, the Squire was so proud of his son and of the success of the Northern Army, that he almost forgot that he was a Democrat.

Next morning before they started, Susan had to show her husband her piece, and how she could weave. He left her weaving with all her might. A woman needs strong ankles to work the treadles, and, in weaving, she gets them.

They went out to look at the wheat and clover. The women saw them walking around, and at last to stop by a pair of bars. The old man held down his head a good deal, as if listening, while Andy made gestures as if engaged in telling something. When they came to dinner, of greens and plenty of other things, the Squire said:

"Old woman, if what Andy's been tellin' me's true, there's some mistake about this Golden Circular business, and I've got to look into it; and if it's so, and it seems to be so, then them lawyers to town has been lyin' to me the cussedest."

When Andy's furlough expired, and he had started to return to the army, his father gave him his best wishes and hoped for his safe return. He hoped too that he might be victorious over the Rebels in every battle. Susan held up her baby as high as she could that he might see it to the last. It would be hard to undertake to tell how much encouraged Andy felt.

Soon after this, it was talked about among the Copperheads, that the furloughed soldiers had been converting the people of Rose Prairie to Unionism, and a couple of lawyers came down from the county seat to see about it.

Mr. Clifford being the most influential man, they called on him first. After going through a considerable long, smooth, and slippery introduction, they told him their business. He confessed he had changed his mind, and he thought men of learning ought to know better than to be deceiving plain farmers who couldn't be expected to know all about politics. And how could they know, when they never had much schooling—and this was because the blasted old slaveholders where they came from didn't want no schools.—One of them, who is figuring to the Legislature, let out, in quite a speech filled with genuine Copper Democracy, telling about Lincoln's tyranny, the overthrow of the Constitution, high taxes, the ruin of the country, and concluded by saying we ought to let the South go.

"I'll tell you," said the old man, "what they'd say o' you down in the army if you talked that way to 'em—they'd say you was a damned traitor; and if you had no fust-best friend with you they'd string you up; and if I was with 'em I wouldn't kere much to help 'em. Them's my sentiments, fair and square."

"This is very strange, Squire Clifford, very strange indeed. Why, Sir, you belong to our order of the Knights of the Golden Circle, and you cannot have forgotten the solemn oath you have taken, nor the dreadful penalty which attaches to the violation of that oath."

This made the Squire mad.

"Git out of my house, you infernal scoundrel—you traitor to your God and your country. You lied to me to git me into it. Git out of my house! And if any of you Golden Circulars tech a hair of me or mine, I'll send for Andy and the rest of the boys, and, by Jehoka, they won't leave a grease spot of your whole gang. Git out of my house; I'll have nothin' to do with a traitor to my country and the old flag of the stars and stripes."

The lawyer went—they both went. When he was getting on his horse, he said:

"Good by, Mr. Clifford. You've got to be a Yankee nigger, I see. It must be you want a nigger wench."

"Yes I do; I want a thousand of 'em; I ain't afeard of niggers as much as I was. I'm ashamed, though, I ever was a traitor like you is. Yes, I was a traitor, and I helped to fight agin Andy and Susan and her baby there. But, thank God in his mercy, I'm a traitor no longer."

It would have done you good had you seen how pleased the women were to hear the Squire give the lawyer his mind. N. C. M.

*Dougold, Union County, Illinois, April 26, 1864.*


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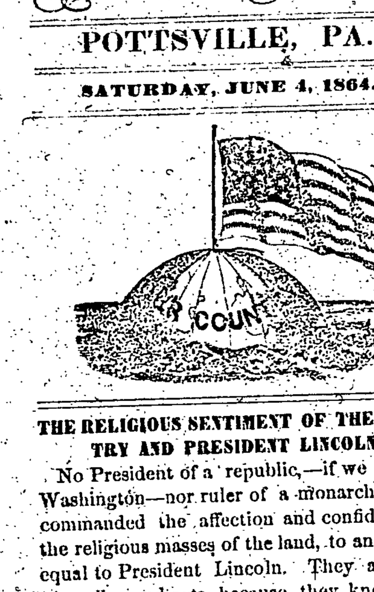
POTTSVILLE, PA.

SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 1864.

## THE RELIGIOUS SENTIMENT OF THE COUNTRY AND PRESIDENT LINCOLN.

No President of a republic,—if we except Washington—nor ruler of a monarchy, ever commanded the affection and confidence of the religious masses of the land, to an extent equal to President Lincoln. They approve his policy and acts, because they know that he is doing honestly, all he can to preserve civil liberty, and that upon its maintenance is based the continuance of religious liberty. It must be highly gratifying to the Chief Executive to find so many and so warm concurrent expressions of approbation attending his labors. They, at all events, are not dictated by political considerations. They merely recognize the facts which are spread before them, and express an opinion concerning them that no true patriot or Christian can gainsay.

In addition to the recent interview of the delegates of the Methodist Conference lately sitting in Philadelphia, with the President, we have now to observe that the Baptists appointed a delegation, which left Philadelphia last week, and on Saturday morning presented to the President a series of patriotic resolutions passed by the meeting. The delegation consisted of Senator Doolittle, Rev. George B. Ide and Hon. Ira Harris. They also presented the resolutions of the American Baptist Home Mission. These resolutions endorse the Presidential policy, express warm wishes for his personal prosperity, and confidence in the results of the war to the nation.

The President replied to Rev. Dr. Ide, who addressed him. He said:

"In the present very responsible position in which I am engaged I have had great cause of gratitude for the support so unanimously given by all Christian denominations of the country. I have had occasion so frequently to respond to something like this assemblage, that I have said almost all that I had to say.

This particular body is, in all respects, as respectable as any that has been presented to me. The resolutions I have merely heard read, and I, therefore, beg to be allowed an opportunity to make a short response in writing."

The delegation then retired.

It is pertinent to the subject that the President's statement concerning the character of the body which so approved and encouraged him should be enforced by one or two facts. The Baptist denomination was planted in this country at Providence, R. I., in March, 1639, by Roger Williams. In 1858 it was estimated to contain 923,198 members, and to grow at the rate of 150,000 per annum, which would give 1,073,198 communicants now. Another estimate placed the membership at 1,515,490 in 1858. The same addition would give 1,665,490 for the present membership, scattered, as the records of the recent convention show, over every State and territory, and quite as loyal to good government here as to the principles of that government which regulates the hereafter.

## CONTRIBUTE AT ONCE.

If there is a person in the County who has not already contributed to the fund of the Sanitary Commission, to relieve the sufferings of our brave boys in the field, let him at once send in his contribution—and let it be according to his means. In Virginia and Georgia, our men are pushing on, and daily battles are fought which in magnitude cast those fought on the Peninsula in the shade. The contest is to be short, sharp and decisive, and thousands of wounded men will yet look to the Commission for relief. These brave men are defending our homes, and bleeding and dying for the preservation of our freedom. Common humanity and gratitude require us to recognize the great service these men are rendering us, and demand that we take from our plethoric stores a small portion for their comfort.

All contributions are acknowledged through our columns, and they weekly gladden the eyes of the soldiers from Schuylkill County, for we send the JOURNAL to all of our boys, and have since the war commenced, gratuitously. We doubt not our soldiers read them over with great interest, and soon distinguish who have given liberally according to their means, and who have not. The boys are keen to see these things.

Those who through indifference or thoughtlessness, have not contributed yet, should imagine what their feelings will be if they do not contribute at all, when the soldiers come home in triumph, and they are pointed out as among those who refused or neglected to give to alleviate the sufferings of our gallant wounded boys. Ah! they will then keenly regret that their names were not down for a "V" or an "X" on the Sanitary Fair lists.

Before it is too late enter your names on the roll of honor.

The Coal men are coming up to the work well, and the receipts from this source will be large. We observe that when the proprietors show the right interest, that the employees contribute liberally. This is natural. Men cannot be expected to take much interest in any philanthropic object, unless their employers take the initiative with spirit.

The Fair will open on Tuesday next, and we urge all who have not contributed to send in their donations at once. When this war is over, they will have the sweet consciousness that they did something to alleviate the pain and suffering of their noble defenders. Defer not, but act at once.

SPECULATION AND COMBINATION TO KEEP UP THE PRICES OF FOOD.—There have been during this War many combinations to advance the prices of different articles of food; but probably, the most unblushing and wicked, is that which has sent up the price of beef to figures that place it beyond the means of persons with moderate incomes, to purchase. There is no necessity for those prices. It is nothing more than the result of speculation and combination among a few persons who have control of the Eastern markets, and complete command over the graziers. In speaking of the operations of these Shylocks, the Philadelphia *Inquirer* says:

They can, by their heavy operations, keep back the number of cattle coming to market, compel the butchers to pay whatever they choose to ask, and the public suffers in the end by the imposition of inordinate prices. These men are the Steenbergens of 1864. They obtain their facilities in the same manner that Steenbergen did when the Bank of the United States was in flourishing operation, and they may, by public resolution, be broken down as thoroughly as he was. So long as the public is determined to buy beef, whatever the price, the schemes of these intriguers will succeed.

But let there be a concert of action on the subject among housekeepers, and the monopoly can be broken down so disastrously to those who sustain it, that the lesson will be remembered for years. It is a simple resolution not to buy beef until it comes down to a reasonable price. Two or three weeks general agreement upon this point would bring as much confusion to the speculators as a murrian. They cannot hold their stock if there is a suspension of the consumption of meat; their cattle would soon "eat their heads off," and bankruptcy would menace them so clearly that they would have to give in. Another benefit would also be attained. Beef is to other meats a regulation. Mutton, veal and pork are going up with the advance in beef, and poultry has attained a figure which is enormous. Reduce the price of beef and all other fresh provisions must come down also. The subject is really one which appeals to the pockets of every one. An anti-beef eating league is as necessary as the "covenant" against importations which the ladies are endeavoring to establish.

The butchers, who suffer all the blame from immediate consumers, are not so much to blame. It is true that they have not stood out against the monopoly as they should have done. They held a National Convention some months since, with the design of remedying this very evil. But for some reason the movement came to nothing, and the butchers are to-day as much in the power of the cattle monopolists as they ever were. The butchers must have their own profits upon the slaughtered cattle, and those profits are nearly the same whether beef is dear or cheap. It is to their interest to attract customers, and they can command them more readily when they can sell their meats at low prices than when they must charge great ones. They would sell much more if they could sell cheaply, and they would make more money. Beef-eaters, upon you rests the responsibility of the imposition to which you have so long submitted. Resolve to forego your self gratification for a few weeks, and you will do a service to yourselves and to every one who suffers by the monopolies of the markets.

We endorse the advice of our cotemporary, and urge upon our citizens to stop the use of beef until the speculators are forced by public action, to become honest. We can expect no abatement of the evil while we patiently submit to the enormous imposition of the cattle monopolists. Let us form at once, an "Anti-Beef Eating League."

THE GENEROSITY OF AN OLD PHILADELPHIA FIRM REQUITED.—The mutations of the Coal business are familiar to all. Whatever prosperity may now attach to it, it is well known that at one time failures were the rule not the exception. During troublous times some years since, when there were many failures among our Coal men, Mr. George S. Repplier went by the board to a large amount. He was exceedingly discouraged at the prospect before him, until one of his creditors, the well known firm of Jordan & Brother, Philadelphia, unsolicited, as they have done in many other similar cases, offered to head the list, and use its influence to get the other creditors to compromise and release him, and thus enable him to preserve his business. Through the personal exertions of the Messrs. Jordan, an arrangement was effected, all of the creditors except three, agreeing. The latter subsequently prosecuted their claims to judgment and execution. Since then Mr. Repplier has retrieved his fortunes, and a few days since voluntarily called at the Grocery establishment of Jordan & Brother—a firm that was established in 1793, and which has gone through all the financial storms from that period to the present time, without asking an extension of time for any of its obligations—and gave his check for $7,290 63, principal of debt, and interest in full to date of payment. It is a note-worthy fact that on the same day the firm received a draft for $300 in payment of an old debt due by another former unfortunate Schuylkill County operator, now residing "down east." While we commend the action of the gentlemen referred to in having discharged unsolicited, their obligations to this generous firm, the greatest meed of praise is due to the Messrs. Jordan for the manliness with which they have always stepped forward to relieve an unfortunate debtor. In these instances their generosity has been well requited.

## THE GREAT CENTRAL FAIR.

The buildings for this Fair on Logan Square, Philadelphia, are completed; the various articles for the exhibition are being arranged, and on Tuesday next, 7th instant, the inauguration and "private view" will be held. A few days since we took a look at the buildings, and found them very spacious, and well designed to give full effect to the goods that will be exhibited. All of the departments will be amply lighted both day and night. The gas fixtures in number, look as if they were sufficient for a small city.—The buildings are much more extensive than those which were used for the Fair at New York. On the opening day of the Philadelphia Fair, the price of admission will be two dollars. On Wednesday it will be open for every one, at the rate of fifty cents for single admissions, or five dollars for a season ticket, good during the Fair. All the railroads communicating will issue excursion tickets to visitors—each of whom must buy a Fair ticket when paying his railroad fare. No single tickets of admission will be sold in Philadelphia. Persons who reside in town are expected to come prepared with the exact sum of fifty cents, so that no change will be required. All visitors must pay admission fees, no dead-heads being allowed. There will be several departments which can only be visited after paying an extra fee of admission. Articles are to be sold at a fair retail price, according to the rules annunced.

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH AND THE GOVERNMENT.—Elsewhere in to-day's JOURNAL, we give the patriotic declarations of the General Conference of the Methodist Church, and the action of the Pennsylvania Assembly of the Baptist Church. And now we have the unanimous response, of the Protestant Episcopal Convention of the Diocese of Pennsylvania, sitting at Pittsburg, reaffirming the unhesitating allegiance of that great Church to the Union. While the Episcopal Church has suffered by the recreant conduct of unworthy sons like Bishop Hopkins and Bishop Polk, yet her sincere fidelity to the Government of our fathers has never been doubted, and now the action of the Episcopalian clergy will be felt throughout the whole Commonwealth, and an influence wise and salutary will extend to the other States of our Union. We gladly give the declaration of the Convention to the public. Let loyal men ponder well and carefully the earnest spirit of Christian unity and loyalty breathed in such words as these:

WHEREAS, There exists in this country an organized and armed rebellion, whose purpose is the destruction of our National Union and the perpetuation of negro slavery, and

WHEREAS, This rebellion has more and more assumed a character of barbarous fanaticism and murderous ferocity on the part of the enemies of the nation; therefore, in view of the causes and character of this struggle,

*Resolved*, That we hereby declare our unfaltering allegiance to the Government of the United States, and that we pledge it our willing devotion and service, and that, as a body of Christians we will ever pray that in God's own time and way this rebellion "may be put down; that oppression and slavery, in all its forms, may be done away; that freedom of body and mind, political and religious, may everywhere prevail; that the emancipated negroes, whom God in His providence is committing to our care, may be the object of our liberal and Christian regard and instruction; that war may soon cease throughout all our borders, and that our now lacerated country may again be so united that, from the Lakes of the North to the Gulf on the South, and from the Atlantic to the Pacific, there shall be but one Union, one Government, one Flag, one Constitution, the whole culminating in the higher glory which shall make this nation Immanuel's land—a mountain of holiness, and a fit dwelling place of righteousness."

# Local Affairs.

## Weekly Almanac.

| 1864.—June. | SUN RISES | SUN SETS | MOON'S CHANGES. |
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| 4 SATURDAY | 4 32 | 7 23 | |
| 5 SUNDAY | 4 32 | 7 23 | |
| 6 MONDAY | 4 31 | 7 24 | New M. 4 6 44 mn'g |
| 7 TUESDAY | 4 31 | 7 25 | First Q. 12 6 52 mn'g |
| 8 WEDNESDAY | 4 31 | 7 25 | Full M. 19 5 58 ev'g |
| 9 THURSDAY | 4 31 | 7 29 | Last Q. 26 9 19 mn'g |
| 10 FRIDAY | 4 31 | 7 29 | |

*John Powell*, Co. F, 48th Reg., P. V., died a few days since in a Washington Hospital.

*To-Morrow.*—Twenty-third Sunday of the year, and second after Trinity. Day's length, 14 hours and 51 minutes.

*Dr. J. H. Kauffman*, of Minersville, has been assigned to the 52d Regiment, P. V., now stationed in South Carolina.

*Tilman Siple*, E, 96th Reg.; S. O. Rossler, K, 48th, and W. F. Byerle, I, 48th Reg., wounded, reached Philadelphia on Tuesday last.

*The Parlor entertainment* for the benefit of the Central Fair, which came off at Mr. Christopher Loeser's residence on Tuesday evening last, was a very pleasant affair. A snug sum was realized.

*Music.*—Those who desire to take lessons on the piano, violin or guitar, or in singing, will find competent instructors in Mr. A. Conrad and his wife, who reside back of Dan'l Esterly's hardware store, Centre street.

*United States Christian Commission.*—Among the cash acknowledgements of the Commission for the week ending May 26, are the following:
M. E. Church, St. Clair, per Rev. G. T. Barr. $24 00
Miss M. M. Allen, Pottsville, 5 00

*Mr. Kear's Estate.*—The estate of the late Richard Kear of Minersville, is appraised at upwards of $1,400,000. His personal property including his collieries, is worth $700,000. His estate is more valuable than was at first supposed.

*Draft Postponed.*—The draft in this District to supply the deficiency under the calls to this time, has been postponed until the 15th instant. When the quotas have been received by the Provost Marshal, we will publish them.

*Excursion tickets* to Philadelphia and return, including a ticket of admission to the Fair, good for any three days from the 6th to the 20th instant, will be sold by the Reading Railroad Company. For the rates from different points in this County, see advertisement in another column.

*Philip Lambruschim*, Centre Street, under Foster's Shoe Store, will give the proceeds of the sale of refreshments, etc., at his place, on Monday next, to the Sanitary Fair. He promises a rich lunch and plenty of amusement to those who patronize him on that occasion.

*S. B. Howard*, Photographer, will devote Friday of next week for the benefit of the Sanitary Commission. His place of business is at the corner of Centre and Market streets, Pottsville. We trust that all benevolent persons will give Mr. Howard a call on Friday next, June 10th.

*The Kitchen Department of the Sanitary Fair.*—Mrs. L. R. Shearer desires us to state that in consequence of her inability from indisposition, to attend to making further collections for this Department, Mrs. Elliott, Centre street, will receive contributions for the same.

*The New Cabinet Organ.*—Those of our readers who have not seen this new and really wonderful instrument, should call during the present week at the Pennsylvania Hall and examine it.—We also invite attention to card in another column of Steck & Co.'s Pianos.

*Last week* several parties were arrested here by Constable Chrisman, and taken to Philadelphia, charged with taking out "cut out" work from shoemakers in the city, ostensibly to make up, and then running off with it. About $800 worth of this kind of work taken out in this way, was brought up here by the parties arrested.

*Death of a Veteran Volunteer.*—George Allison, of Port Carbon, and a re-enlisted veteran of Co. K, 56th Regiment, P. V., died on the 23d of May at Emory Hospital, from wounds received in Battle at Spottsylvania, Virginia, on the 11th ult. The remains will be interred this afternoon at Port Carbon, with military honors.

*The Girard Coal Lands.*—Charles S. Smith, Esq., Superintendent of the Girard Estate, whose office is at No. 19 South Fifth street, Philadelphia, gives notice that sealed proposals will be received at his office until Friday, 10th inst., for leasing certain portions of the Girard lands not already leased. For particulars, see advertisement.

*Flag Raising.*—A beautiful American flag will be raised this afternoon on the staff at the Rising Sun Hotel, in this Borough, kept by Alexander Helms. The Hotel is located on Minersville street, near the Court House. Howell Fisher, Esq., will deliver an address on the occasion. The public is invited to be present.

*The Militia of 1862 Paid.*—On Thursday last, Paymaster Wm. W. Porter paid the members of Co. F, 2d Penna. Militia, Capt. D. A. Smith; of Company B, 6th Regt., Capt. Frank Pott; of Company B, 19th Regt., Capt. Ralph R. Lee, and an unattached Cavalry Company, Capt. Daniel Shertle. The amounts received were $7 14 and $7 15, for thirteen days' service.

*Messrs. S. M. Mortimer* and J. A. Gilmour have fitted up a store in Centre street, above Mahantongo, and stocked it with a fine assortment of Hats, Caps, Straw Goods and Furs. They ask, and we trust, will receive a fair share of public patronage. Major Gilmour, one of the firm, is still with his Regiment, the 48th, P. V., and until his return the business will be conducted by Mr. Mortimer.

*Fall of a Back Building.*—Yesterday morning, about 2 o'clock, the large frame building in the rear of John M. Crosland's Hotel, Centre Street, near the Depot of the Reading Railroad, fell with a great crash in consequence of some defect that existed at the point where the building joined the stone foundation. Fortunately no person was in it at the time, and no one was injured. Mr. Crosland estimates his loss at $1500.

*Company H*, 17th Pa. Cavalry, commanded by Capt. Wm. Thompson, was in the last brilliant cavalry raid under Sheridan. They penetrated to within two miles of Richmond; saw the lights of the city; whipped Stuart's cavalry and the local militia, and destroyed an immense amount of rebel property. During the expedition Capt. Thompson had two men wounded—one, Philip Troy, of Palo Alto, this County, mortally. These are, we believe, the first casualties of any consequence experienced by Capt. Thompson's Company since it has been in the service.

*Company E, 55th Regiment, P. V.*—In the engagement of May 20th, this Company commanded by Capt. George H. Hill, sustained the following casualties:

KILLED—Private John Welsh.
WOUNDED—Privates Frederick Rood and Thos. Sharp.
MISSING IN ACTION—Privates John S. Bannan, Rosewald and Stephens.

In this campaign so far, the Company has lost 54 men, having but 32 fit for duty. The loss of the Regiment has been, 17 officers and upwards of 350 men, killed, wounded and missing.

*Creditable Fact.*—Mr. David Muir, writing to us from "New Mines," under date of "May 26, 1864," states the following fact, which reflects infinite honor upon the workmen there:

"Mr. Peter Heckscher desired me one week ago to acquaint all the workmen about the Otto Collieries with the fact that the Company was giving one day's product of coal from the mines, at the same time suggesting that each person employed about the Collieries should give one day's labor for the benefit of the Fair. I am happy to say that it was given without one dissenting voice."

As far as our experience and observation go, none contribute to the great object of affording relief to our sick and wounded soldiers, more liberally or cheerfully, than our workingmen.

*Contributions to the Central Fair.*—Mr. F. Boedefeld, one of our most patriotic citizens, has made and presented to the Sanitary Fair, two pair of beautiful boots, valued at $15 a pair. They can be seen at B. Bannan's store.

From a pattern obtained in Windsor, England, Mrs. Mich'l Murphy of this Borough, has made a paper bonnet for presentation to the Fair. It has been tastefully trimmed by Mrs. McDonald. It is valued at $25; and is quite a curiosity in its way.

Mr. Joseph P. Patterson, soap manufacturer, of this Borough, presents a box of fine toilet soap. It is a superior article.

The Misses Carter, Morris' Addition, give a neat little collar and sack, the work of their own hands.

Joseph Brook presents a vest and pair of shoes.

The above articles have been received by Mrs. B. Bannan, and forwarded to Philadelphia.

*The* following donations from interests connected with the trade of this County, are acknowledged in the Philadelphia papers:

Employes of the Schuylkill Navigation Company at Schuylkill Haven, per E. T. Warner. $78 84
Transportation Department Schuylkill and Susquehanna Railroad, per H. W. Tracey, Paymaster. 93 55
Employes of Mining Department, Little Schuylkill Navigation, Railroad & Coal Company, per John F. Blandy, Superintendent 134 18
Carroll Lodge, No. 120, I. O. of O. F., Schuylkill Haven 25 00

*Wounded Schuylkill County Soldiers in the Hospitals at Alexandria and Washington.*—In the "First Division General Hospital," there are the following: James Morann, K, 96th; Jos. Eich, B, 96th; M. Clark, G, 48th; Corp. C. Focht, H, 48th; Gottlieb Burkirt, C, 50th.

In "Second Division General Hospital": James W. Andrews, F, 48th; John Brown, I, 48th; Jacob W. Moyer, E, 48th; Wm. J. Hine, C, 48th; Nicholas Gross, G, 48th.

In "Fairfax Seminary Hospital": Corp. Chas. Brandenburg, A, 48th; John J. Reese, F, 48th; Corp. Henry McDermed, C, 48th; Dan'l Koch, A, 48th; Wm. Kaufman, A, 48th; Corp. Henry McDruer, C, 48th.

In "Seminary Hospital," Washington: Capt. Edw. J. Phillips, F, 96th; Lieut. Edwin L. Severn, K, 96th.

In "Douglas Hospital," Washington: James Brassinton, H, 96th.

John A. Exler, E, 96th, is in a hospital near Fredericksburg.

*A Good Move.*—The Dry-Goods and Grocery Clerks of this Borough are endeavoring to have the places of business closed at 7 o'clock, P. M., (Saturdays excepted.) It is done in other places, and we do not see why it should not be done here, and give the clerks needed recreation.

*Novel Contribution to the Sanitary Fair.*—Among the contributions to the Sanitary Fair from Pottsville will be "NICK BIDDLE," a negro, whose blood was the first that was shed in the wicked Slave Holder's Rebellion, in the streets of Baltimore, on the 18th of April, 1861. This is an historical fact, and is a most striking coincidence that in a rebellion caused by the existence of negro slavery among us, that the first blood shed should be that of a negro. We have no doubt that the hundreds of thousands who will throng the Fair would like to have a glance of "Nick Biddle."

## COURT PROCEEDINGS.

[REPORTED EXCLUSIVELY FOR THE MINERS' JOURNAL, BY CHRISTOPHER LITTLE, ESQ.]

**Common Pleas, 20 June, 1864—Trial List.**

1. Schollenberger v. E. Penna. R. R. Co.—Cumming; Hughes.
2. Eberhard v. Id.—Bannan; Id.
3. Kohler v. Ironton R. R. Co.—Id.; Id.
4. Fruck v. Id.—Id.
5. Weaver v. Id.—Id.
6. Hoffman v. Miller—Cumming; Hughes.
7. Allibone v. Wheeler, Miller & Co.—Walker; Bannan.
8. Allison, use, &c., v. Orwig—Id.; Roseberry.
9. Geis v. Richardson—Hoffman; Hughes.
10. Rosengarten v. Hughes—Graeff; Dewees.
11. Dall et al. v. Kohler—Ryon; Tower.
12. Williamson v. Cooper—Tower; Ryon, Hughes.
13. Schreffler v. Lycoming Insurance Co.—Campbell and Smith;
14. Arnold v. Meyer—Hughes; Tower.
15. Spoarsen v. P. & R. R. R. Co.—Bartholomew:
16. Lank, admr. v. Dobbin—Little;
17. Miller v. Philada.—Ryon; Campbell.
18. Biechley v. Price—Id.; Hughes.
19. Beaver v. Cowden—Smith; Cummings.
20. Bechtel v. Focht—Strouse;
21. Whallen v. Broderick—Bartholomew; Hughes
22. Neugart v. Freck—Strouse; Fisher.
23. Finley v. Davis—Ryon; L. Bartholomew.
24. Halberstadt v. Whitzel—Cumming; Id.
25. Collins v. Mah. & B. M. R. Co.—Cumming, Scott; Hughes, Spinney.
26. Bartolet v. Achey—Bartholomew; Hughes.
27. Philada. v. Saylor—Gowen; Cumming.

## GREAT CENTRAL FAIR.

**Donations made to the Great Central Fair from Schuylkill County.**

Collections made since last report, by Mrs. B. BANNAN.

Michael Bright, Coal Agent $10 00
George Evans, Lumber Merchant 5 00
Solomon Hoover, Tin Store 5 00
James Downey, Green Grocer 2 00
George Snyder, Wheelwright 1 50
John W Schreffler, Brickmaker 1 50
Morgan Schwartz, Switch-tender, Westwood 1 50
Jerusalem Congregation, Schuylkill Haven, per Rev J Ehrhart, (collection,) 10 00
Moodie Work, Carpenter 2 00
Michael Sweibek, Plumber 1 00
C S Emhardt, Merchant Tailor 5 00
Mr Murray, Restaurant keeper 5 00
Mrs E S B Dengler 3 00
Daniel Kershner, Green Grocer 1 00
A M Allen, Photographer 5 00
George Bretz, do 1 00
John S Morris, Merchant 10 00
From St. Peter's Church, (Evangelical Association,) of Schuylkill Haven, per Rev S P Reinoehl, collection 43 35
Wm Carter, Farmer 5 00
Collected in Miss Hawley's Public School 1 62
John S Graham, Coal Agent 5 00
Joseph Schloss, Merchant Tailor 5 00
P Brennaman, Cabinet Maker 5 00
George Lauer, Brewer 1 00
George Schalk, Gunsmith 1 00
Maj E E Bland, Blacksmith 5 00

DONATIONS FROM ORCHARD IRON WORKS.

Lewis Vastine $10 00, David Bowers 1 50; John L Pott 10 00, Thos Lox 1 58; John Bell 2 75, David Hutchinson 2 33; Fred Stoffregen 2 42, John Shriner 2 33; Rudolph Ehlers 2 42, Samuel Lilly 1 66; Fred Spencer 2 42, George Wilson 2 25; James Hartley 2 25, Wm Fox 2 33; John Knowles 2 16, Oliver Lilly 2 33; James Reed 2 12, Thos Evans 2 25; H K Downing 2 25, Philip Pyle 2 16; Fred Borden 2 08, Adam Bloom Jr. 54; Robert Rigg 1 00, Chas Howard 46; Christ McGinnes 1 54, Adam Lang 46; David Phillips 1 75, Henry Longlitz 1 62; John Trego 62, David Baggs 2 16; Ewd Erdman 70, L Shivelhood 2 16; Wm Ehlers 54, Andrew McAvoy 1 33; Pat Flannagan 54, Robt Anderson 1 33; Thos Matz 54, Peter Broshaur 1 66; Lewis Christian 62, John Ritzel 1 16; B P Vastine 54, Wm Dress 1 16; Lavender Herner 45, Jos Westerman 1 50; Wm Lloyd 45, Jacob Bachman 2 66; Wm Jones 45, Thos Lloyd 2 33; Matthew Carrigan 1 50, Rich Hulde 1 00; Pat King 1 50, Chas Steidle 1 75; W M Rondenbush 2 50, Geo W Snyder 2 50; George Smith 1 50, Wm Till 2 00; Gotfb Weitzmiller 1 50, Joseph Bishop 1 83; John Miller 1 00, Chas A Glenn 2 00; Jos Lindenmuth 2 16, John Acker 1 00; Adam Cheatham 2 33 — 118 93

Stichter & Thompson, Hardware Merchants 50 00
Geo Bright & Son, do do 50 00
W A Conrad, Music Teacher 1 00
Joseph Derr, Foundryman 5 00
Mrs Joseph Derr 1 00
Isaac Moyer, Flour and Feed Store 5 00
Diehm & Snell, Screen Manufacturers 5 00
Dr. Windsor, Restaurant 5 00
Henry K Nichols, Engineer 5 00
Stephen Harris, do 2 00

COLLECTED BY MR. CHARLES BLEW, BARNESVILLE, SCHUYLKILL COUNTY.

Jacob Faust $1 00, Moses Dry 1 00; Abram Hendricks 25, Jacob Derr 50; H R Hendricks 25, E K Faust 1 00; C M Hendricks 25, Mrs Chas Blew 1 50; A M Hendricks 25, Chas Blew 1 50; Samuel Faust 1 00 — 7 50

Judge W Donaldson, Gentleman 10 00
J C Hughes, Druggist 5 00
From School Exhibition in Foster Township, conducted by Mr. Wm. H. Connelly 30 00
From Mrs. Gantz, collections made in school, Pottsville 6 10
From Post Office, Pottsville, per Miss Sillyman 12 00
Mrs Samuel Thompson, Market street 10 00
Abraham Miesse, Shoemaker 5 00

FROM MATTHEWS'S ORCHARD COACH FACTORY.

Jacob Matthews $10 00, Jas G Matthews 1 00; H Cronmiller 5 00, Thos G Matthews 1 00; D G Matthews 5 00; John H Ward 2 50 — 24 50

FROM SIMON DERR'S FOUNDRY.

Simon Derr $25 00, John Cake (boy) 50; Peter Cox 3 00, Chas Frizel (Ap) 50; John Walbridge 3 00, John J Derr 1 00; Owen Hoy 1 50, John Howard 1 00; Barny Keenan 1 50, Geo Knowles 1 00; Cash 1 50, Fredk Ohnmacht 50; D Schertle (boy) 50, Cash 50; W R Sands (Ap) 75 — 45 75

COLLECTED BY MISS SALLIE J. LITTLEHALES, OF NEW CASTLE, SCHUYLKILL COUNTY.

Reuben Kline $5 00, Mrs A Reichly 1 00; Robt Phillips M D 5 00, Mrs M Eisenhood 1 00; Ephraim Phillips 5 00, Mrs Dan Metz 1 00; Robt Phillips Jr. 5 00, John A Lauck 1 00; J McWilliams M D 5 00, John Kelegner 1 00; Wm Littlehales 5 00, Reuben Zeigler 1 00; David H Geiger 5 00, David Kline 1 00; P Bomboy 5 00, Chas Gelsweight 1 00; Harvey Young 2 00, Mrs Cash 1 00; P B Young 2 00, Mrs M Kesler 1 00; John March 1 00, Mrs P Zeigler 1 00; Resler Madara 1 00, Mrs J W Moyer 50; James Madara 1 00, Mrs J McKemon 50; Henry Lindenmuth 1 00, Mrs E Enty 25; Benj Derr 1 00, Mrs Lat Most 25; Peter Zeigler 1 00, Mrs L Lindenmuth 50; Jeremiah Zeigler 1 00, Mrs Adam Most 25; Daniel Miller 1 00, Mrs J Miller 25; George Kesler 1 00, Mrs P O'Kem 25; Wm Beacher 1 00, Mrs Jno Miller 25; Thomas Weller 1 00, Martin Brennan 50; David Cahill 1 00, Andrew Brennan 50; John J Griffiths 1 00, Geo Kline 25; Mrs E Phillips 1 00, Alfred Zeigler 25; Miss S Littlehales 1 00, John Koons 25; Miss I McWilliams 1 00, Ewd Brennen 25; Mrs R J Brady 1 00, Mrs Boardman 15; Mrs Ang'e Beacher 1 00, Geo Aumen 6; Mrs M Heckman 1 00; Mrs W Littlehales 1 00 — 77 16

Philip Petz, Miner $1 00
Capt W W Potts, Restaurant 5 00
Gordon Smith, Oil Merchant 5 00
Henry Strauch, Millwright 5 00
David Beveridge, Collector 5 00

FROM HANDS IN RUCH & RYAN'S STEAM MILL.

Henry Hart $1 50, Henry Leib 1 00; A S Gottschall 1 00, M K Manbeck 1 00 — 4 50

Wm L Bowen, Ice Merchant 5 00
Chas Matthews, Ice Hauler 2 50
T C Boyle, Restaurant 5 00
Sam Miller, Photographer 5 00
J W Matz, Billiard Room 2 50
Frederick Foster, Shoe Store 5 00
Col B Heffner, North Manheim 2 00
Albert Schoener, Painter 1 00
Louis Biltz, Chairmaker 2 00
Wm Haassler, Hotel Keeper 5 00
From Capt Ralph R Lee, contribution of Com'y B, P V M, for Fair 25 00
Capt Henry Royer 10 00

Subscriptions to the Sanitary Fair from Llewellyn School No. 1, Schuylkill County:

G W Channel teacher $2 00, Mary Faust 25; David Thomas 10, Hannah Zimmerman 25; Timothy Cockill 15, Wm Faust 25; Allen Hime 10, Edmund G Faust 25; Elizabeth A Dillman 25, Daniel Faust 15; Sarah Zimmerman 5, Hiram C Reed 15; David Faust 10, Sivvilla Reed 20; Ed A Hopkins 5, Matilda Gehres 10; Margaret Harris 25, Catharine O'Boyle 15; H C Zimmerman 10, Catharine Coslett 6; Edwin Cockill 10, Francis O'Boyle 20; Cath Zimmerman 10, Elizabeth Noble 25; Esther A Boyer 5, Mary E Bernhart 5; Catharine Boyer 5, Ida J Bernhart 5; Mary J Cockill 25; Willie A Cockill 10; Henry M Reed 10 — 6 36

William Whitney, Pennsylvania Hall 10 00
Daniel Hill, Hotel-keeper 5 00
John P Hoffman, Restaurant 5 00
C C Carter, do 3 00
J W White, Flour and Feed 1 00

Walter Scott $2 00, Cash 20; Wm Phillips 1 00, Mrs R F Moson 2 00; Mrs S B Fisher 1 00, Cash 4 00; C C Homberger 1 00, George Strauch 3 00; Wm Kohler 50, Cash 1 00; John Sillyman 5 00, Taylor Allen 2 00; Mrs Unruh 50, Mrs Woll 25; M Heller 50; Perry Hoover 1 00 — 24 95

FROM E. W. KREIDER'S CARRIAGE FACTORY.

E W Kreider $2 50, Wm McAdam 2 25; Lewis Rems 2 00, Lawrence Powers 1 00; Patrick Sullivan 2 00 — 9 75

COLLECTIONS FROM COLORED PERSONS.

Nicholas Biddle, the first man whose blood was shed in the Rebellion, in the streets of Baltimore, April 18th, 1861 1 00
Alfred Sanders $ 95, Mary Dorsey 25; Jonathan Stewart 1 50, Caroline Coster 27; Rachel Riley 50, Jefferson Jenkin 40; Caroline Buley 25, Richard Owens 40; Malinda Dorsey 50, John Johnson 34; Rachel Riley 27, Aaron Wilson 45; Chas Miller 1 00 — 8 18

For the week $792 59
Acknowledged before 2,258 02
Total to June 3 $3,051 67

CONTRIBUTIONS NOT IN MONEY.

20 copies of a Poem: AMERICA, or Visions of the Rebellion—from the author, H. D. Torrey, worth $6 00
1 pair elegant Boots, from F. Boedefield, Bootmaker, Pottsville, valued at 30 00
1 pair Slippers, from B Boedefield 5 00
1 box Soap, from J P Patterson, 3 dozen cakes.
1 paper Corn Starch, from a little girl 16
1 Fancy Bonnet, frame-work presented by Mrs Murphy, and trimmed by Mrs McDonald—valued at 25 00
1 pair of Shoes and 1 vest from Joseph Brook.
1 Collar and 1 Infant's Sack, from Misses Carter, valued at 4 75
A contribution of Can Fruits, Pickles, Honey, Catsup, &c., from Mr. George Hoffercamp, valued at 12 00

If I have accidentally omitted publishing any names of contributors, they will please inform me.

**Donations for the Sanitary Fair, by the workmen of Hammett, Van Dusen & Lochman's Big Run Colliery, Ashland, Penna.**

Wm McCulloch & Son $5 00, Abram Watts 2 50; P Mongold & Son 7 50, Michael Whalen 2 00; Jas Buchanan & Son 5 00, James Cann 2 00; Daniel Lintz 2 00, August Harp 2 00; Alfred Lintz 2 00, John Mintz 2 00; Wm Anderson 3 00, Patrick McGuinn 2 00; Henry Perrong 2 00, Stephen Slager 2 00; Thos Nolen & Son 5 00, John Carney 2 00; Geo Kester & Sons 5 00, Mark Melvin 1 50; Jabo Rodraham 5 00, Bernard Blow 3 00; John Kingenary 5 00, Geo Emmeldorf 1 50; Morris Morrison 5 00, Chas Smith 3 00; Henry Brennan 2 00, Wm Strall 3 00; David Crawford & Son 2 00, James O'Day 2 00; Fred Snyder 5 00, Pat McLaughlin 1 50; Lewis Bloss 5 00, Peter Supert 3 00; Adam Salber 2 00, Andrew Casey 2 00; Jacob Gress 5 00, Alfred Warey 3 00; Lewis Cartelly 3 00, John Devin 3 00; Thos McCook Sr. 2 00, Joseph Hans 3 00; John Bloss 1 50, James Burger 3 00; Fred Lisar 1 25, Martin Bingtar 3 00; Tobias Lisar 2 50, Alfred Steeley 25; Thomas Brennan 2 50, John Stern 1 00; Luke Brennan 2 50, Philip Gumbel 3 00; James Brennan 2 50, Richard Day 1 00; John Lamb & Son 5 00, Philip Dursny 2 00; Amos Bertenbender 1 50, Lewis Stinlen 25; Nick Hoffman 5 00, Andrew Wear 2 00; Thos Maher 2d 2 00, Wm Ashworth 2 00; John Grady 2 00, Wm Dungan 2 00; James Flanigan 2 00, Lawrence Casey 2 00; Owen Finnegan 2 00, Lloyd Creecy 1 00; Daniel Grum 5 00, Jacob Cablen 1 00; John Hildebrandt 2 00, Christ Gresman 25; Lewis France 3 00, John Dealen 1 00; John Moyer 2 00, Geo Mongold 2 00; Pat Agin & Sons 7 00, Llewellyn Lintz 2 00; Robert Hunter 3 00, Samuel Mongold 2 00; Andrew Carrig 3 00, Robert Bennie 3 00; Wm McFee & Son 3 00, James Gram 3 00; John Lisher 1 00, George Whit 3 00; Frank Worty 2 00, John Casey 3 00; Morris Lewis 3 00, Luke Giblen 3 00; Peter Maley 3 00, David Gunn 1 00; Thomas Rodman 3 00, Richard Whit 3 00; Pat Flanigan 2 50, Mike McDonald 2 00; Morton Flanigan 2 00, Chas H Smith 2 00; Lawrence Flanigan 2 00, Wetherill Dryden 3 00; Nicholas Schuler 2 00, John Lido 2 00; Thomas Head 2 00, Martin Hagina 3 00; John Dowey 2 00, James Camford 3 00; Jacob Litmyer 1 00, James Quigley 3 00; August Schaffer 1 00, Pat Clark 3 00; John Siplen 2 00, Pat Keeley 3 00; James Dowy 3 00, Michael Donohue 3 00; Adam Stuffenberger 2 00, Geo Fry 3 00; David Hato 2 75, John Kelly 2 00; John Burk 5 00, Joseph Theobolt 2 00; Peter Hartenstein 2 00, Thomas McCook Jr. 2 00; Chas Corn 2 00, Barthol Boyle 2 00; Anthony Unlo 2 50; Henry Stager 2 00 — $305 25

**Mahanoy City, Schuylkill County, Pa.**

Mrs. Kate W. Thompson acknowledges the following amounts from citizens of Mahanoy City, for the Sanitary Fair:

W A Lewis $3 00, Mrs Jos Miller 50; Mary VanHorn 50, " Peter Miller 50; Mrs Mulvey 50, " Jane Bullers 25; Frank Conden 50, " James Hower 25; Mrs Anthony 50, " Solomon Boyer 25; Mrs Christian 1 00, " Henry Garbert 25; Miss Edwards 1 00, " Frank Buckley 25; Miss N Garritt 50, " Runkel 50; Mrs Boyer 25, Miss Runkel 50; Mrs Garver 1 00, Mrs Warning 50; Rev Mr Geise 50, " Genheart 50; Mrs Camneron 10, Mr Ben Boyer 50; Mrs Stein 25, Mrs Jas Howard 50; Mrs Schuck 20, " Jno Bock 25; Mrs Kline 50, Mr Oliver 50; Mrs Thos Reese 1 00, " Jacob Reed 50; Mr David Roberts 5 00, " Philip Fox 50; Mr Wm Rodgers 1 00, " Conrad Dresh 50; Mr David Thomas 1 00, Mrs Dodson 50; Miss Celton 25, Cash 1 00; Mr Foxall 1 00, Mrs Patrick Dillon 1 00; Mr John Phillips 5 00, Mrs Keller 50; Mrs Galvin 25, Cash 1 50; Mr Saml Rinehart 3 00

Whole am't collected by Mrs D Stuart and Mrs R B Davis $58 95

Jas Holkyard $5 00, John Thomas 1 00; P Conrad 3 00, Jos Armith 1 00; Isaac W Richardson 2 00, Wm Littlehales 1 00; John B Pott 2 00, Morgan Boyer 1 00; David Stuart 2 00, Sam'l Entwistle 1 00; Wm F Jones 2 00, James Ryan 1 00; Mrs E Williams 2 00, Thos Campion 1 00; Jas Entwistle 2 00, C Boner 1 00; John Gorman 1 00, Mary Richardson 1 00; Mrs Elizabeth Wild 1 00, Patrick Dwyre 50; John Wild 1 00, Nathan Fehr 50

Whole amount collected by Miss Mary Richardson $32 00

Mr Frank Carter $10 00, Mr Wm Reagan 2 00; Mrs Wm Reagan 2 00, Mr Yost 5 00; K W Thompson 10 00, Frank Wenrich 3 00; Jona Lindenmuth 3 00, J L Bricker 3 00; Miss M J Rhodes 4 00, Mrs Thos Williams 2 00; Mrs Wm J Williams 1 00, N B Allebach 1 00; Mr Wm Nagle 2 00, Seth Kaley 1 00; Wm Wetstone 1 00, L P McDermott 1 00; B S R 25, Mrs C Bartholomew 50; Mrs Crouse 50, Rose Everett 1 00; Haldeman 50

Whole amount collected by Mrs Kate W Thompson $55 25
In all $149 20
Total am't collected in Mahanoy City $201 85

Mrs. A. RUSSEL acknowledges the receipt of the following donations since last report:

Miss Colt's School $ 81
Miss Mary Mead 50
Wm H Starr, New London, Conn. 20 00
J Paxson & Sons, one day's product of Dairy at Edenbower Farm 5 00
Collected by Mrs Yoder:
Mrs Diehen 50
Mrs Ritter 50
Mrs Womer 50
Mrs Rich 1 00
Mrs Shertle 50
3 00
Sol Foster, Jr., net proceeds of the performance by Pottsville Amateurs, at Town Hall 100 00
$129 81

Mrs Williams, 2 papers corn starch, 2 lbs sugar, 1 lb tea, ½ doz. lemons, 1 jar pickles; Mrs. J. O. Rhoads, 1 fancy seat for chair, 2 shirts and bundle of old linen for Christian Commission; Mrs. Holderman, 2 cans tomatoes, 2 jars pepper hash, 3 jars pickles.

As the Fair begins next week, it is desirable that all donations, especially for the Restaurant Department, should be handed in as early as possible. Cake and flowers can be sent in any day during the continuance of the Fair.

**Box sent to Sanitary Committee, May 21, 1864, by M. M. Allen's School.**

6 cans peaches, 1 lb dried currants, 40 lbs dried apples, 24½ lbs white sugar, 6 lbs prunes, 15 lbs peaches, 8 papers farina, 4 papers corn starch, 3 pt. cherries, 3 lbs pears, 1 bottle pickles, 1 bottle pepper sauce, 3 lbs plums, 1 bottle cherry jelly, 1 bottle blackberry jelly, 3½ qts elderberries, 2 lbs rice, 1 can cherries.

## DONATIONS

**In Schuylkill County in aid of the Christian Commission.**

In pursuance of a call for a meeting by the Rev. H. W. Wagner, at the parsonage, a number of ladies and gentlemen convened on Monday evening, May 15th, 1864, and organized by electing Rev. H. W. Wagner President; Wm. M. Bickel Secretary, and Mrs. M. B. Ludwig, Treasurer. The object of the meeting was stated by the President to be for the purpose of soliciting funds to be sent to some society, to aid in relieving the sick and wounded soldiers who have gone forth to fight the battles of our glorious Union. The matter having been discussed by those present, it was on motion,

*Resolved*, That a committee of eight ladies be appointed. The chair appointed Miss L. Graeff, Miss V. Schall, Mrs. Ebur, Miss R. Schall, Miss Rachel Douglass, Miss Louise Hammer, Mrs. J. T. Clouse and Mrs. B. Pott.

On motion,

*Resolved*, That all the collections be made for the benefit of the Christian Commission.

On motion,

*Resolved*, That when this meeting adjourn it adjourn to meet on Monday evening next, at the house of Rev. H. Wagner.

On motion, adjourned.

WM. M. BICKEL, Secretary.

Adjourned meeting held at the house of Mrs. R. Schall, on Monday evening, May 22, 1864. In the absence of the President, Mr. Wm. H. Schall was called to the chair. Minutes and proceedings of last meeting read and approved. The committee reported that they had collected $163 05, which amount was paid over to the Secretary, to be forwarded to the Christian Commission, as having been contributed by the citizens of Orwigsburg, and parts of East Brunswick, West Brunswick and North Manheim. On motion,

*Resolved*, That all the names be published, with the District and amount contributed by each.

On motion,

*Resolved*, That all moneys collected hereafter be paid into the Treasury of the Ladies Union Aid Society, and that the names be published.

The society have sent away ten boxes of hospital stores, some to the Sanitary Commission and some to the Christian Commission, and a good portion of them were, what are known in mercantile circles, as W boxes.

The following is a list of the names of the contributors by districts, with the amount contributed by each.

REV. HENRY WAGNER, Prest.
WM. M. BICKEL, Sec'y.

IN ORWIGSBURG.

Wm H Schall $5 00, Thos Hay 1 00; Edwin Schall 5 00, Jacob Hay 1 00; Mrs R Schall 10 00, Daniel Hay 1 00; Miss V Schall 5 00, John Miller 25; Mrs M Graeff 1 00, Jere Smith 1 00; Miss L Graeff 1 00, John Lebengood 1 00; J Graeff 1 00, Mrs M Hammer 5 00; C Ramer 1 00, Louisa Hammer 2 00; Danl W Frost 2 00, Rebecca Hammer 2 00; M Schaeffer 1 00, J T Linder 1 00; Wm S Albright 1 00, Wm A M B Ludwig 10 00; G A Fry 50, " S F Ebur 5 00; David Samuel 50, " J T Clouse 1 00; Geo Shoener 2 00, " J Shoener 2 00; Doct S R Medlar 50, Emma Shoener 1 00; Mrs C Fegley 20, Mrs F Beck 25; Saml M Yost 1 00, " Frailey 50; Mrs Bossard 50, J Mierley 25; Jacob Hoffman 10, J D Boyer Jr. 25; George Rapp 10, " Daniel Boyer 25; P Hauses 15, " Wiltrout 25; Mrs Bausum 10, J Leymester 25; E Bausum 10, Mrs G W Deibert 25; A Heiser 25, " H Krebs 25; K & L Hummel 1 00, Lewis F Kimmel 50; W M Bickel 5 00, G Wernert 1 00; Miss R Schall 5 00, John Gessley 25; C Bodey 25, Mrs S B Madden 25; W B Boyer 25, Geo Yeager 25; Rev H Wagner 5 00, Mrs Fidler 25; Henry Day 25, " Laug 25; Bernard Yeager 25, " E Schneider 25; S Leffler 1 00, " E Schneider 2 comfortables; Mrs M Douglass 5 00; Mrs Hauser 25, " J Snyder 25; Geo Folmer 25, " John Ege 25; Mrs E Mattern 25, Dr J H Haeseler 25; Mrs T Wagner 50, Cash 50; Eman Kaufman 50, J Gerber 50; Eliza Hauser 10, Bella Ebur 5; Daniel Boyer 1 00, Mrs S Fidler 1 00; Saml Rauch 1 00, " S Hammer 1 00; Mrs A Fegley 25, Frank Fidler 50; Jos Toll Jr 1 00, Mary Ege 25; Geo F Kimmel 1 00, Mrs H Hammer 50

IN NORTH MANHEIM.

Jas Long 25, Geo Deibert 25; Cath Poff 20, B Pott Jr 5 00; Danl K Moyer 1 00, Susan Buck 25; John Myerley 25, Wm Deibert 2 00; David Gerber 1 00, Saml Gerber 50; Edwd Kerns 5 00, Wm Garret 50; Geo Keiser 25, J Menig 10

IN WEST BRUNSWICK.

Wm Fegly 1 00, Geo Kimmel Sr. 3 00; Fred Haeseler 1 00, C B Miller 50; S Kimmel Sr 2 00, Mrs P Allbright 1 00; Jno F Kimmel 1 00, Jos Allbright 1 00; Henry Kimmel 1 00, Gideon Kramer 1 00; Rev R Moyer 2 00, Andrew Kimmel 1 00; Danl Walborn 50, Sol Moyer 1 00; Chas K Moyer 50, Saml Kimmel 2 00; Nathan Seigfried 30, D E Whitemight 25

IN EAST BRUNSWICK.

Mrs W Kershner 25, Mrs Stephens 25; Geo Baukes 10, Wm Drehr 50; Mrs J Faust 1 00, S B Medlar 50; Mrs Zuber 25, Jos Marburger 25; Abe Shoaffer 25, Chas Drehr 1 00; B Hagenbach 10, Danl Fegley 1 00; Geo Reed 15, Beneville Kimmel 1 00

**Pinegrove Donations.**

The following subscriptions in aid of the Christian Commission, were collected in Pinegrove by Mrs. S. A. Henry and Mrs. S. A. Nutting:

Jas T Kendall $5 00, E J Hask 1 00; E S Henry 5 00, R H Stees 25 00; Wm Graeff 5 00, Eliza Richarts 1 00; John Hoch 10 00, Lyman Nutting 25 00; Jacob Huber 1 00, F A Werntz 1 00; U R Tracy 2 00, H Werntz 1 00; Guy Wheeler 1 00, Edwd Filbort 2 50; Jas Rohrer 2 50, J Barr 1 00; W Bright 1 00, C Dual 1 00; T Schwartz 1 00, Cash 1 00; W W Thomas 5 00, Cash 1 00; Cash 2 00, W Claydon 5 00; W Reinvel 2 50, J Mintzger 1 00; W Lerch 5 00, Lavina Filbert 1 00; J Kitzmillor 25 00, J Jones 50; David Greenawalt 5 00, R Barto 50; D R Miller 10 00, K Robinson 50; Levi Miller 30 00, H Barr 50; Cash 1 00, Cash 50; Geo F Kurtz 2 00, J Koppenhaver 50; W Forrer 5 00, C Spherman 50; C & N Wheeler 1 00, J Rehrer 50; H W Tracy 1 00, Cash 50; J Koons 1 00, Mrs Peterman 50; W D Moore 1 00, " Sweisig 50; C Molly 1 00, L Gambel 25; J Geusamer 1 00, W Brenner 25; J L Nutting 5 00; P Barr 1 00 — Total $213 75

*Subscriptions* collected by Mrs. Wm. Farne and other patriotic ladies of St. Clair for the Christian Commission:

P. Boone, $1 00; David J. Richards, 25 cents; Hannah Lewis, 25 cts.; Jacob Gwinner, $1 00; Conrad Henoley, 75 cts.; Horace Evans, $1 00; Cash, 50 cts.; George Thorne, 10 cts.; Thorne, 50 cts.; George Thorne, 50 cts.; Wm. L. Aramy, 50 cts.; B. H. Davis, $1 00; Cash, 50 cts; Mrs. Wm. E. Stone, $2 00; J. S. Thomas, 50 cts.; Abram Sharp, $2 00; Mrs. H. Morgans, 25 cts.; Mrs. Sidney Sykes, 50 cts.; Cash, 10 cts.; Mrs. Jos. Betz, 50 cts.; Cash, 50 cts.; Mrs. J. Wildman, 25 cts.; Catharine Beinsmith, $1 00; Mrs. J. Smith, 85 cts.; Mrs. Martin Shelen, 50 cts.; Mrs. Mary Beaumont, 50 cts.; Mr. J. K. Knapp, 25 cts.; Mrs. Margaret Beichley, $1 00; James M. Elong, 50 cts.; Sarah Thomas, 25 cts.; Mrs. J. D. Vanhorne, $1; Mrs. P. Dormer, 25 cts.; Mrs. A. Ferebee, $1; Elizabeth Lauch, $1 00; Joseph Ferebee, $1 00; Mrs. Margaret Pilling, 25 cts.; Mrs. Anna Lewis, 25 cts.; John Pollock, $2 50; Cash, 25 cts.; Mrs. J. Kirk, $2 00; Mrs. E. Rogers, 50 cts.; Mrs. T. Lewis, 75 cts.; J. Wooley, goods, $2 59 ... $31 10

Mrs. H. Neiman, 2 packages corn starch, 1 bottle blackberry wine, 1 lb tea; Mrs. G. W. James, 1 jar quince jam, 1 bottle pickles; Mrs. J. Dawson, 1 can peaches, 1 bottle catsup; Mrs. J. Kirk, 2 tumblers currant jelly; J. J. James, 3 packages tobacco, 1 do coffee, 6 packages lozenges, 5 lemons, pack papers, 1 testament; Mrs. Win Lewis, 1 tea; Mrs. Wm. Price, 6 cans tomatoes; G. W. Keidler, 2 bottles pickles; James B. Jovelan, 5 lbs Boston crackers; Wm. H. Kelly, 5 lbs soda crackers; Mrs. E. Puygers, 1 loaf bread; Mrs. Margaret Buechley, 1 bottle grape brandy; Mrs. J. Metz, 2 currant loaves; Mrs. J. Smith, 1 can peaches, 2 loaves bread; Mrs. David Prichards, 1 fruit loaf, 2 loaves bread; Mrs. Knarr, 1 loaf bread; Mrs. J. Forde, 1 loaf bread; Mrs. T. H. Johnson, 1 bottle catsup; Mrs. J. B. Rea, 1 jar black currant jam; Mrs. J. B. Reed, 1 cup jelly; Mrs. J. Brown, 1 package lint, 54 lbs bandages, pads and rags; Mrs. J. Bamford, 1 pair drawers; Mrs. E. Rogers, 2 shirts, 6 pairs shoes, 12 shirts, 5 pairs drawers, pocket handkerchiefs, 5 pillow slips; a Friend, 1 ball string batting, 2 lbs coffee, 2 hams, 3 lbs sugar, 1 lb peaches, 5 lbs prunes; Mrs. Wm. Price, 1 pillow; Mrs. J. B. Price, 2 pillows; Mrs. Foster, 1 quilt; Mrs. Margaret Buechley, 1 bed quilt.

Amount in hands for second box $10 60
Amt. paid for goods for articles made up 23 25

On Sunday, May 29th, $100 was collected in the Baptist Church of this Borough, for the Christian Commission. The following articles were made during the week by the members and friends of the Church, and forwarded to George H. Stuart, President of the U. S. Christian Commission:—540 pillows and cushions, 50 rolls bandages, 1 doz. handkerchiefs, 1 dressing robe.


**The History of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters**, the most remarkable medicine of the day, and the many cures that have been performed with it in cases of Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Nervous Debility, and other diseases arising from a disordered stomach or liver, places it at once among the most astonishing discoveries that have taken place in the medical world. The diseases to which bitters are applicable are so universal, that there are but few of our friends who may not test their virtues in their own families or circle of acquaintances, and prove to their own satisfaction that there is at least one remedy among the many advertised medicines deserving the public commendation.

For sale by Druggists and dealers everywhere.

May 28, '64. 22-1m

**Why Dye, when you have a Perfect Hair Dressing and Restorer of Color Combined?**

"London Hair Color Restorer and Dressing."
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This discovery is just what has long been needed, only one preparation; does not stain the skin, or soil the finest linen. Restores gray hair to its original color, prevents baldness, keeps the hair soft, moist and glossy, highly perfumed. No toilet complete without it.—Cures any eruptive disease, Itching, Scurf, Dandruff, &c., keeping the scalp in a healthy condition. We can refer to hundreds of families in Philadelphia alone, who are using this truly elegant preparation. Among others, that of Mrs. Miller, 730 North Ninth street, whose hair was very gray before she commenced its use, now restored to its original dark color, testified to by Edward B. Garrigues, Druggist, Tenth and Coates streets, whose veracity no one can doubt. Price 50 cents; six bottles $2 50. Sold by DR. SWAYNE & SON, 330 North SIXTH Street, Philad'a; JOHN G. BROWN & SON, and HENRY SAYLOR, Pottsville.

April 2, '64. 14-

**Perry Davis' Pain Killer** is a very valuable article, and one that it would be well for every householder to have at hand, in case of bruises, scalds, burns, diarrhea, dysentery, cholera, fever and ague, and the host of diseases, external and internal, which it is adapted to cure or alleviate.—*Salem Observer.*

May 28, '64. (?) 22-2w

**Hoyt's Hiawatha Hair Restorative. Hoyt's Hiawatha Hair Restorative.**

The standard staple preparation for the hair, *warranted* in all cases to restore faded and gray hair and whiskers to their original color. It does not claim to make the hair grow in where it has once fallen out; nothing will do that, whatever may be advertised to the contrary, but it *will* prevent it from falling out, make it soft and silky, cleanse it and the scalp from impurities and humors, and *entirely overcome* bad effects of previous use of preparations containing sulphur, sugar of lead, &c. It requires no soaping, washing, and hours for its application, nor will it stain the skin, but is as easily applied and wiped from the skin as any hair dressing. It restores the natural shading of one hair with another, which gives it a lively appearance instead of the dull uniform black of dyes.

**Hoyt's Imperial Coloring Cream.**

Superior to any Hair Dressing in use. Oils and Colors the Hair at the same time. Changes light and red hair to a beautiful brown or black. Sold everywhere.

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March 5, '64. 10-1y

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*The only Harmless, True, and Reliable Dye Known.*

This splendid Hair Dye is Perfect—changes Red, Rusty or Gray Hair, instantly to a Glossy Black or Natural Brown, without Injuring the Hair or Staining the Skin, leaving the Hair Soft and Beautiful; imparts fresh vitality, frequently restoring its pristine color, and rectifies the ill effects of Bad Dyes. The Genuine is signed WILLIAM A. BATCHELOR; all others are mere imitations, and should be avoided. Sold by all Druggists, &c. FACTORY—81 BARCLAY STREET, N. Y.

*Batchelor's New Toilet Cream for Dressing the Hair*

June 27, '63 26-1y

**Do you wish to be Cured?**—DR. BUCHAN'S ENGLISH SPECIFIC PILLS cure, in less than 30 days, the worst cases of NERVOUSNESS, Impotency, Premature Decay, Seminal Weakness, Insanity, and all Urinary, Sexual, and Nervous Affections, no matter from what cause produced. Price, One Dollar per box.—Sent, post-paid, by mail, on receipt of an order. Address JAMES S. BUTLER, Station D, Bible House, New York.

March 26, '64. 13-3m

**J. P. HOUCK, Pottsville, Pa.,**

AGENT FOR THE SALE OF THE

**WHEELER & WILSON SEWING MACHINES In Schuylkill County.**

A number of these excellent Family Machines are always kept on hand and can be seen in operation by calling at his residence in Market Street, above 5th, next door to the English Lutheran Church.

To accommodate persons using these Machines, a supply of *Machine Needles, Machine Oil and Soap*, and *Clark's Thread*, in all numbers and colors, especially adapted to Sewing Machine use, will be kept on hand.

Thorough instructions for working these Machines will be given to parties purchasing.

Orders by mail will receive prompt attention. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

January 23, '64 4-tf

**The Confessions and Experience of an Invalid.**—Published for the benefit, and as a warning and a CAUTION TO YOUNG MEN who suffer from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay of Manhood, etc., supplying, at the same time, THE MEANS OF SELF-CURE. By one who has cured himself after being put to great expense and injury through medical humbug and quackery. By enclosing a post-paid addressed envelope, single copies may be had of the author,

NATHANIEL MAYFAIR, Esq., Bedford, Kings County, N. Y.

May 30, '63 22-1y

**Important to Ladies.**—There is not a lady living, but what, at "some period" of her life, will find the "Duponco Golden Pills" just the right medicine she most needs. One of the first ladies of Pottsville, (who has used them successfully several times,) says she would not fail to use them if she had to pay $5 a box for them; they have spared her much suffering.—If ladies only knew the value of these Pills, they would never be without them. See advertisement in another column, headed "A Card to Ladies." 7-1y

**A Gentleman**, cured of Nervous Debility, Incompetency, Premature Decay and Youthful Error, actuated by a desire to benefit others, will be happy to furnish to all who need it, (free of charge,) the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy used in his case. Those wishing to profit by his experience, and possess a Valuable Remedy, will receive the same, by return mail, (carefully sealed), by addressing

JOHN B. OGDEN, No. 60 Nassau street, New York.

May 14, '64. 20-3m

**Swallow two or three hogsheads of "Buchu," "Tonic Bitters," "Sarsaparilla," "Nervous Antidotes," &c., &c., &c.,** and after you are satisfied with the result, then try one box of OLD DOCTOR BUCHAN'S ENGLISH SPECIFIC PILLS—and be restored to health and vigor in less than thirty days. They are purely vegetable, pleasant to take, prompt and salutary in their effects on the broken-down and shattered constitution. Old and young can take them with advantage. Imported and sold in the United States only by JAS. S. BUTLER, Station D, Bible House, New York, General Agent

March 26, '64.—13-3m

**Eye and Ear.**—Prof. J. ISAACS, M. D., Oculist and Aurist, formerly of Leyden, Holland, is located at No. 511 Pine St., *Philadelphia*, where persons afflicted with diseases of the *Eye or Ear* will be scientifically treated and cured, if curable. *Artificial Eyes* inserted without pain. No charges made for examination. The Medical Faculty is invited, as he has no secrets in his mode of treatment.

Jan 30, '64. 5-1y


# Religious Intelligence.

**NOTICES.**

**The First Presbyterian Church**, Mahantongo and Third Streets. It is expected that the Rev. Dr. Patten will preach in this Church at 10½, A. M., and 7½, P. M., on Sunday, June 5th.

**Union Prayer Meeting**, every Sunday morning, from 9¼ to 9¾ o'clock, in the frame Church on Second Street, between Market and Norwegian Sts. All are invited.

**Trinity Church** (Episcopal) Services Sunday morning at 10½ o'clock; Evening at ¼ of 8 o'clock.

**Methodist E. Church**, Second street, above Market, Rev. J. B. McCullough, Pastor. Services: Sabbath, at 10, A. M., and 7½, P. M. Prayer Meeting, Tuesday evening, at 7½ o'clock.

**Regular Baptist Church**, Mahantongo st. Preaching every Lord's Day, Morning and Evening, at 10½, A. M., and 7½, P. M. Lecture, Wednesday Evening, at 7½ o'clock. R. H. AUSTIN, Pastor.

**Eng. Lutheran Church**, Market Square. Rev. L. M. KOONS, Pastor. Preaching every Sunday morning and evening, at 10½ A. M., and 7, P. M.—Prayer Meeting and Lecture Thursday even., at 7 o'clock.

**Evangelical Church**, Callowhill street.—Rev. SAM'L G. RHOADS, the newly appointed Pastor, will preach German every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, and English in the Evening at 7 o'clock.

**The Second Presbyterian Church** Rev. S. F. COLT, Pastor. Public services every Sabbath, at 10½, A. M., and 7, P. M.

## MARRIED.

*All Marriage Notices must be accompanied with 25 cents to appear in the JOURNAL.*

JOHNSON—DUDLEY—In Minersville, Pa., on Sunday, May 29th, 1864, by the Rev. John E. Jones, Mr. Charles R. Johnson and Miss Annie Dudley, both of St. Clair.

POTTS—LARER—On Thursday, June 2, 1864, in Trinity Episcopal Church, Pottsville, by Rev. Wm. P. Lewis, Rector, Wm. Ramsay Potts, of Pottsville, to Miss Annie W., daughter of Danl. Larer, of Cressona.

ULMER—SHINGLER—At the residence of F. D. Sterner, Esq., 915 North Fifth St., Philad'a (the bride's residence), May 26th, 1864, by the Rev. T. W. MacClary, Mr. William F. Ulmer to Miss Susie Shingler, both of Philadelphia.

## DIED.

*Simple announcements of deaths, free. Those accompanied with notices, &c., must be paid for at the rate of 6 cents per line.*

KOCH—On the 24th of May, of Apoplexy, Daniel W. Koch, a highly respected farmer of Schuylkill Township, and son of Mr. William Koch, of Schuylkill Haven, in the 46th year of his age.

LOCHMAN—On the 30th of May, Christian Lochman, an old and highly esteemed citizen of Hamburg, Berks County, aged 74 years.

MILLET—On the 26th of May, in Tamaqua, Frederick Millet, in the 43d year of his age.

## LEGAL NOTICES.

**ESTATE OF RICHARD KEAR, deceased:**—Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Richard Kear, late of the Borough of Minersville, in the County of Schuylkill, deceased, have been granted by the Register of Wills for said County of Schuylkill, to JOHN WITZMAN, who resides in the Borough of Minersville, in said County, and MICHAEL BRIGHT, who resides in the Borough of Pottsville, in said County; those indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and all persons having claims or demands against the said estate, are requested to make known the same, without delay, to either of the said Executors. JOHN WITZMAN, Minersville, Pa., MICHAEL BRIGHT, Pottsville, Pa., Executors.

June 4, '64.—23-6t.

**ESTATE OF ANDREW RUSSEL, deceased:**—Whereas, *Letters Testamentary* upon the Estate of Andrew Russel, late of the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned; all persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make payment, and those having claims against the same to present them, without delay, to

THOMAS M. RUSSEL, CHRISTOPHER LITTLE, HENRY C. RUSSEL, Executors.
Mahantongo St., cor. of Second, Pottsville.

June 4, '64. 23-6t

**ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.**—Whereas, letters of administration on the estate of John S. Meredith, late of Mahanoy Township, Schuylkill County, deceased, have been granted by the Register to the subscriber: Notice is hereby given to all those indebted to said estate, to make payment, and those having claims, will present them for settlement.

LENORA MERRDITH, Administratrix.

May 28, '64. 22-6t*

**ESTATE OF WILLIAM PRICE, deceased.**—Letters testamentary upon the estate of William Price, late of St. Clair, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands, will present them, without delay, to

RACHEL W. PRICE, Exr'x, St. Clair.

St. Clair, April 30, '64. 18-6t

## GENERAL NOTICES.

**NOTICE.—My wife, Hannah** Sands, having left me without just cause, I therefore caution all persons against crediting her, on my account, as I will pay no bills of her contracting.

May 28, '64.—22-3t* JOHN SANDS.

**The Board of Enrollment of this** District are engaged in revising and correcting the enrollment, and it is plainly for the interest of each town, ward, &c. to have stricken from the lists all names improperly enrolled, because an excess of names increases the quota called for from such town, ward, &c.

It is equally for the interests of each person enrolled in a given town or ward, to place upon the list all persons in his town or ward liable to do military duty, because the greater the number to be drawn from, the less the chance that any particular individual will be drawn. As it is the personal interest of every enrolled man that the quota in which he is concerned shall not be made too large, and that his own chances for draft shall not be unjustly increased, and as both these objects will be attained by striking out the wrong names and putting in the right ones, the Board of Enrollment ask the co-operation of the citizens of each sub-district, for the purpose of making a correct enrollment. All who may know of any person within a sub-district liable to military duty whose name does not appear on the printed lists, are requested to notify the Board, or hand their names to the Board, in order that all persons omitted may be enrolled.

J. W. BOWEN, Capt. and Provost Marshal 10th Dist. Penna.

May 21, '64 21-3t

**NOTICE.**—The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has purchased one grey Mule and dark bay and one light bay, and has leased the same to Alexander Roley, of Schuylkill Haven, during his pleasure. All persons are hereby forbid molesting said property in the hands of the said Alexander Roley, as it belongs to me.

May 21, '64.—21-3t* CHAS. A. MECK.

**Office Union Improvement Co.,** 10th May, 1864.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature, approved 29th April, 1864, the name of the FOREST IMPROVEMENT COMPANY has been altered to the UNION IMPROVEMENT COMPANY.

May 14, '64—20-4t] E. BORDA, Sec'y.

**THE UNDERSIGNED have this** day formed a co-partnership, under the name and style of Leonard & Squier. The business will be continued, (as heretofore conducted by Thos. W. Leonard,) at New York and Pottsville. THOS. W. LEONARD, L. B. SQUIER.

Pottsville, April 1st, 1864.

**LEONARD & SQUIER, Silver Terrace, Pottsville. 145, Maiden Lane, New York.**

DEALERS IN

**WHALE, SPERM, LARD & KEROSENE OILS.**

Best grades of Winter and Summer Whale Oil, for Colliery purposes, constantly on hand, direct from New Bedford, to which we call the attention of Operators. Represented by Gordon Smith, at Pottsville, Pa.

April 23, '64. 17-3 mos.

**PROFESSIONAL NOTICE.**—The undersigned, a Physician of five years' experience, who has been induced to locate himself in this town, would respectfully offer his professional services to the citizens of Pottsville and vicinity.

OFFICE—Entrance, Centre st., next door to the Government Bank and D. L. Esterly's Hardware Store, opposite Mahantongo street. H. K. WHITNER, M. D.

April 9, '64. 15-tf

**A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing certain Amendments to the Constitution.**

*Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met*, That the following amendments be proposed to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, in accordance with the provisions of the tenth article thereof:

There shall be an additional section to the third article of the Constitution, to be designated as section four, as follows:

"SECTION 4. Whenever any of the qualified electors of this Commonwealth shall be in any actual military service, under a requisition from the President of the United States, or by the authority of this Commonwealth, such electors may exercise the right of suffrage in all elections by the citizens, under such regulations as are, or shall be, prescribed by law, as fully as if they were present at their usual place of election."

SECTION 2. There shall be two additional sections to the eleventh article of the Constitution, to be designated as sections eight and nine, as follows:

"SECTION 8. No bill shall be passed by the Legislature, containing more than one subject, which shall be clearly expressed in the title, except appropriation bills."

"SECTION 9. No bill shall be passed by the Legislature granting any powers, or privileges, in any case, where the authority to grant such powers, or privileges, has been, or may hereafter be, conferred upon the Courts of this Commonwealth."

HENRY C. JOHNSON, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
JOHN P. PENNEY, Speaker of the Senate.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, Harrisburg, April 25, 1864.

**Pennsylvania, ss.**

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of the original Joint Resolution of the General Assembly, entitled "A Joint Resolution proposing certain Amendments to the Constitution," as the same remains on file in this office.

[L.S.] In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Secretary's office to be affixed, the day and year above written. ELI SLIFER, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

The above Resolution having been agreed to by a majority of the members of each House, at two successive sessions of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, the proposed amendments will be submitted to the people, for their adoption or rejection, on the FIRST TUESDAY OF AUGUST, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, in accordance with the provisions of the tenth article of the Constitution, and the act, entitled "An Act prescribing the time and manner of submitting to the people, for their approval and ratification or rejection, the proposed amendments to the Constitution," approved the twenty-third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four. ELI SLIFER, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

April 30, '64. 18-te

**PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.**—We, the subscribers, have this day entered into a Partnership, under the Firm name and style of ALLISON & BANNAN, to carry on the Foundry, Machine, Smithing and Car-making Business, in Port Carbon, Schuylkill County. ROBERT ALLISON, FRANCIS B. BANNAN.

April 1st, 1864. 17

**Gentlemen having Collieries or** Coal Lands to dispose of, will find it to their interest to apply to G. W. BUSTEED,

April 16, '64—16-3m*] 21 Commercial st., Boston.

**REVENUE STAMPS.—Having** been appointed agent for the distribution of Revenue Stamps in the 10th District of Pennsylvania, I hereby give notice that I am prepared to furnish Stamps of all denominations.

The following commission, payable in stamps, will be allowed:

On purchases of $50 or more, 2 per centum.
" " " 100 " 3 " "
" " " 500 " 4 " "

Orders respectfully solicited.

JAMES A. INNESS, 10th Dist. Pa.

Office opposite "American House," Pottsville, Pa.

April 9, '64. 15-

**PERCY'S PATENT PILE PIPES, at** HUGHES'S.

May 7, '64.


# NEW LOAN.

**U. S. 10-40's.**

**L. F. WHITNEY**

Offers for sale the NEW GOVERNMENT LOAN, bearing 5 per cent. interest, in Gold, redeemable any time after ten years, at the pleasure of the Government, and payable forty years after date, in Gold. The interest on 50's and 100's payable yearly; on all other denominations, half-yearly. The Bonds are dated March 1, 1864, until the 1st of September. The accrued interest from 1st March is required to be paid by purchasers in Gold, or in Legal Currency, adding 50 per cent. for premium, until further notice.

All other Government Securities bought and sold. Highest price paid for U. S. Coupons, Gold and Silver.

L. F. WHITNEY, Centre Street, Pottsville.

April 2, '64.

## WANTED.

**SITUATION WANTED.**—By a married man a situation to attend to some business. The best of references given as to integrity and industry. Address "B," at this office.

June 4, '64.

**WANTED.**—One or two practical Miners, or Superintendents, who are thoroughly acquainted with and understand the working of Anthracite Coal Mines. To a person answering the above a liberal salary will be paid. Address, with references, Box 660, P. O., New York. [June 4, '64.

**WANTED TO RENT.**—A small house containing about 6 rooms, pleasantly located in the Borough of Pottsville. Parties will hear of a good tenant, by addressing Box 334, Pottsville P. O. [June 4, '64.

**TEACHERS WANTED.**—An examination of Teachers will be held in Port Carbon, on SATURDAY, June 11th, at 9 o'clock. One male teacher for the Grammar School—salary $45 per month; five female teachers for the Primary and Secondary Schools—$26 and $29 per month—are required, to open in September, and continue 6 or 9 months. Teachers applying are requested to furnish themselves with paper and pencil, and a copy of Brooks' Mental Arithmetic.

Applications for the above positions are solicited. By order of the Board. J. H. REITER, Sec'y.

May 28, '64.

**AGENTS WANTED** everywhere to sell an Elegant Full Length Steel Plate Engraving of PRESIDENT LINCOLN, Signing the Emancipation Proclamation. The best and most correct likeness of this great man in existence. For particulars address JOHN DAINTY, Publisher, No. 17 S. Sixth st., Philada.

May 24, '64.

**STEAM ENGINES WANTED.**—The undersigned wishes to purchase a second-hand Engines, of 20 or 30 horse-power each. Address JABEZ SPARKS, Pottsville.

May 7, '64.

**INFORMATION WANTED** of Li... and ELIZABETH SIDWELL, the former a Weaver by trade, who left Warwickshire, England, about 11 years ago. Any person giving me information of the above named persons, will receive a reward by addressing me at Suspension Bridge, Niagara Co., New York. [illegible]

Papers please notice. [May 7, '64.

**AGENTS WANTED.—$7** per day made from 20 cents. Something ... by every person. Call and examine, or ... sent free, by mail, for 20 cents, that retails for $6, by L. WALCOTT, 170 Chatham Square, New York.

Jan 23, '64.


## LOST AND FOUND.

**STRAY COW.**—Strayed away from the subscriber, residing in St. Clair, about one week ago, a BLACK COW, with white on the tip of her tail, and has six teats, and is supposed to have calved by this time. Whoever will return said cow, or give information where she can be found, shall be liberally rewarded. ALEXANDER McDOUGALL.

June 4, 1864,—23-3t*

**STRAY COW.**—Strayed away from the subscriber, on the 16th of May last, a RED cow, white face and white strips on the back, and with a little red around the eyes. She is supposed to have calved since she strayed away. Those returning the Cow to the subscriber at Locustdale, near Ashland, Schuylkill County, or giving information where she may be found, will be suitably rewarded by

June 4, '64.—23-3t* WILLIAM McE...

**TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.**—The above reward will be paid for the recovery of a BLACK HORSE, seven years old, with a white star on his forehead, spavined in left hind leg, left hind foot white, about 14 hands high. The horse was stolen on the night of Wednesday 25th. JOHN K. LEVITT, U. S. Tamaqua, June 4, '64.

**STRAY COW.—Strayed away from** the subscriber, on the 19th inst., a reddish YELLOW COW, with dark stripes across the back; the left horn turned in, and a white spot between the horns. Whoever will return said Cow to the subscriber at St. Clair, Schuylkill County, or give information where she can be found, will be reasonably rewarded. JOHN [illegible]

May 28, '64.—23-3t*]

**STRAY COW.**—Strayed away from the subscriber, about two weeks ago, a SMALL RED AND WHITE COW, with a white face and a dark red spot on one side, and had a mark on the left side, as if she had been hurt by another animal. Whoever will return her, or give information where she can be found, will be rewarded. RACHEL PRICE.

May 21, '64.

**STRAY COW.—Strayed away from** the subscriber, on the 8th of May, a small, DARK BRINDLE COW, with some white on its legs. A suitable reward will be given for its return, or for any information leading to its recovery. WILLIAM MILLER, St. Clair, Schuylkill Co., May 21, '64.


## FOR SALE AND TO LET.

**FOR SALE.—The House occupied** by John Gartley, on Norwegian street, also George... Apply to E. J. FRY, Tamaqua, or T. TAYLOR, Pottsville. [June 4, '64.

**PRIVATE SALE.—A valuable Tavern Stand**, on the Main Street in Schuylkill Haven, for sale. For terms, &c., apply to F. P. DEWEES, Pottsville.

June 4, '64.

**FOR SALE.—A small Hand** ... with Counter Shaft, Pulleys and Hangers, in the best condition. Also, an improved ... For further particulars, apply to RALPH ...

May 28, '64.—22-3t*

**FOR SALE.—A desirable** House and Lot, on Centre street, will be sold low. Also, a tract of good Coal Land in St. Clair. Apply to H. P. SMITH, Insurance Office, Penna. Hall, Pottsville.

May 28, '64.

**FOR SALE CHEAP.—A good** hand MINE CHAIN, ¾ inch thick, ... but a short time. Apply to GEO. BRIGHT & SON, Hardware and Iron Dealers, Pottsville.

May 29, '64.

**CURBS FOR SALE.—The Curbs** of the old Market House are offered for sale. Bids for the same will be received by Council up to Tuesday, June 7, 1864. COMMITTEE ON MARKETS.

May 21, '64.

**FOR SALE.—A Tract of about** ... acres of Land, suitable for Farming, ... bered, on which is a good two-story Frame House, with a never-failing spring of water near the door; a small stable, and 5 acres cleared and under cultivation, situated in ... ry Township, in the vicinity of Rahn's Tavern. For terms, etc., apply to BURD PATTERSON, Pottsville. [May ... '64.

**FOR SALE.—A Boiler**, 26 feet long, 30 inches diameter. A lot of 16-inch Cast Iron Pipe. Apply to ... Corner of Mahantongo and Centre ...

May 14, '64.

**HOUSES AND LOT FOR SALE.**—The subscriber will sell at private sale a lot located on East Norwegian street, containing ... feet front on said street, running back to Market street, in the Borough of Pottsville. There are erected on said lot fronting on street a two-story frame dwelling house, basement—and fronting on East Market street a ... story frame dwelling house—all in good order. Said property is clear of all incumbrances. For terms and other particulars apply to SOLOMON ...

Pottsville, May 14, '64

**FOR SALE.—A desirable farm** of ... acres situated in Westmoreland County, ... miles from the county seat and twenty-eight from Pittsburg; well watered—near one hundred ... timber—two dwelling houses, barn, ... excellent steam saw mill, a fine young orchard of grafted fruit, the whole land is underlaid with COAL and quite convenient to market, which renders it valuable to those wishing to engage in the Coal business. The title perfect, price moderate, terms easy, as I am anxious to sell. For particulars inquire yourself or by letter to Rev. A. ... Chester, Pa., or to the undersigned at ..., Westmoreland Co., Pa. JOHN K. ...

May 6, '64

**FOR SALE.**—The subscriber has now and for sale a large lot of OLD MACHINERY, 1 Pump Wheel, 8 feet diameter, 12 in. ..., with Shaft, Bed-plates and Pedestals, all ... Also, several other Pump and Drum Shafts, ... ent sizes; several very good second-hand Boilers, Air Stack, 6 feet diameter, 40 feet in length, ... dation Plate and Guy Rods; 2,000 feet ... Chain; 300 feet 1-inch Wire Rope. Also, ... er, consisting of Rolls, Screens, &c., with ... ing, in complete order. JABEZ SPARKS.

Pottsville, May 7, '64.

**STEAM ENGINE FOR SALE**—The undersigned has at his shop, Coal street, a 12 horse engine, recently rebuilt. The ... been bored out and is filled with spring packing piston is new. The engine has a fly-wheel ... ley, 8 feet in diameter, with a surface of ... weighs 2200 pounds. JABEZ ...

Pottsville, April 30, '64

**HAY FOR SALE.—Wholesale** in Baled Timothy and Meadow Hay, cheap for cash, by BERNHART & ... Flour, Grain and Feed Dealers ...

May 28, '64.

**50 BARRELS good and cheap** ... cating Oil, worth 50 cents per gallon and will be sold at 33 cents in Pottsville.

April 23, '64.

**EXTRACT OF NIGHT-BLOOMING CEREUS**—Wright's and Phalon's ...

May 7, '64.

**BED PANS, SICK FEEDERS** Spit Cups, at ...

May 7, '64.

**COLUMBIA MUTUAL OF LIFE** ... TER.—OFFICE: Matz's Building, ... Street. T. A. GODFREY ...

May 7, '64.

**CALENDARS.—A new and** ... Calendar, giving the months, days and ... ble for Offices, Depots, &c. It requires no ... is, in fact, a perpetual Almanac and a ... KEEPER. Price $25. Call and see them ... R. C. GREEN, W...

April 16, '64.—16-1f]

**50 TONS T RAIL, for Mining** 23 to 30 lbs. at STICHTER & THOMPSON'S.

May 14, '64.

**WATER COOLERS.—A fine** ... ment of Water Coolers at STICHTER & THOMPSON'S.

May 14, '64.